

## weather report

**72°**

**noon Monday**



### Today

- Sunset, 6:47 p.m.
- Sunrise, 6:34 a.m.
- Sunset, 6:46 p.m.

### Midday Conditions

- Soil temperature 69 degrees
- Humidity 78 percent
- Sky cloudy
- Winds south 25-35 mph
- Barometer 29.80 inches and steady
- Record High today 96° (1937)
- Record Low today 26° (1983)

### Last 24 Hours\*

High Sunday	83°
Low Sunday	65°
Precipitation	.21
This month	.96
Year to date	14.91
Normal	17.16

### The Topside Forecast

Today: mostly cloudy with a 60 percent chance of showers, high around 59, low near 42, winds north 14-31 mph. Wednesday: mostly cloudy with a 70 percent chance of showers, high around 53, low around 40.

### Extended Forecast

Thursday: partly cloudy, high around 70, low around 44. Friday: mostly sunny, high around 73, low near 46. Saturday: mostly sunny, high near 76, low around 46.

(National Weather Service)

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\* Readings taken at 7 a.m.

## local markets

### Noon

Wheat — \$3.03 bushel  
Posted county price — \$3.20  
Loan deficiency pmt. — 0¢  
Corn — \$2.16 bushel  
Posted county price — \$1.85  
Loan deficiency pmt. — 0¢  
Milo — \$1.66 bushel  
Soybeans — \$4.94 bushel  
Posted county price — \$4.99  
Loan deficiency pmt. — 0¢  
Millet — \$4.75 hundredweight  
Sunflowers  
Oil current crop — \$10 cwt.  
NuSun — \$10.25 cwt.  
Loan deficiency pmt. — 0¢  
Confection — \$19/\$13 cwt.  
Pinto beans — \$25

(Markets by Mueller Grain, Sigco Sun, Frontier Equity Co-op and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)

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## Cowboys beat Atwood

Senior Brock Lohr (above) dove to the three yard line in the first quarter. He scored on the next play to put the Cowboys up 14-0. Photo, Story on Page 10.

# Flatlander Festival starts Friday

By Kathryn Gurfinkel

*The Goodland Star-News*

Goodland's annual Flatlander Fall Festival is set to kick off this weekend with food, face painting, games, giveaways, entertainment, a beer garden and plenty of cars and motorcycles.

The two-day festival will fill Main Avenue with visitors, food and game vendors and car and motorcycle enthusiasts starting on Saturday, Sept. 25, and continuing on Sunday, Sept. 26.

This year the Goodland Area

Chamber of Commerce will set up entertainment, including a minnow race game where participants will use straws to spur minnows to race down a stretch of a half pipe filled with water. The Northwest Kansas Technical College will offer activities for children, including a dunk tank, bucking bull, face painting and fortune telling.

The Chamber will have a stage and bleachers on 11th Street downtown, with performances from the area musical groups.

Stock car races will be held Fri-

day and Saturday night at the Goodland Speedway.

The Goodland Activities Center will hold a Punt, Pass and Kick contest on Saturday morning at 10 a.m. with registration for grades 8 through 15 starting at 9 a.m.

The Scruffy Dog contest sponsored by KLOE Radio and the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter will be held on 11th Street at 11 a.m. on Saturday.

The Goodland United Methodist Church will hold a quilt show starting at 10 a.m. Saturday and a scale

model show with displays of all kinds of miniatures will open at the same time at 1118 Main.

Antique tractor fans can stop by the Antique/Modified Tractor Show in the 1600 Block of Main starting at 10 a.m.

This year, a beer garden run by Greg Shores will be set up from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday in a closed lot at 1609 Main.

Visitors can stop by the Carnegie Arts Center on 12th Street during the festival to see the annual Flatlander Photography Exhibit. People can

vote will on their favorite pictures and the winners in both the adult and youth categories will receive prizes.

The 18th Annual Fall Festival Rod Run, run by the Early Iron Car Club, will fill the south end of Main starting near Central Elementary School.

Registration starts on Friday when visitors begin to arrive. The car club will hold a continental breakfast at Central on Saturday and a supper that night at the Veterans of

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## Goodland braced for windy day



Winds out of the south gusted up to 50 mph Sunday, holding the flag at the Goodland Post Office nearly straight north, and popping the east door open. Dust dropped visibility near zero in some places and blew a tarp off a semitrailer on I-70 nine miles east of the state line. Two motorcycles were reported down in accidents at mile post 13, but there was no injuries. Goodland had .21 of an inch of rain between 4

and 4:20 p.m. The wind built up to 25 mph by 11 a.m. and up to 38 mph by 5 p.m., when the highest gusts hit. A wind advisory was issued for Monday with gusts to 39 mph. The rain brings the total for September to .96, ahead of the .79 normal and the .31 inches last September. The total rain for the year is 14.91, behind the normal of 17.16, but ahead of last year's 12.99.

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## Flappers sip tea, toast the '20s at old house

By Kathryn Gurfinkel

*The Goodland Star-News*

Thirty ladies from all over north-west Kansas got decked out and ready for fun as they attended the Ennis-Handy House 1920s Tea.

Organizer Gerry Osterman of the Sherman County Historical Society said they have held four or five teas over the past couple of years.

"They're so much fun," she said.

Although a period costume wasn't required, many of the women got into the spirit with beaded and fringed flapper dresses, feather hats and fishnet stockings.

Along with traditional flapper costumes, a group from the Red Hat Society in Norton was decked out in red hats and, in some cases, purple dresses.

The gathering started with ladies signing the guest book. Most came from out of town, traveling from as far away as Norton, Colby and Bird City.

While the ladies sat and visited, tea was served by the president of the Sherman County Historical Society, Lloyd Holbrook, and Vice President David Branda, along with Olathe Juhl, husband of board member Pat Juhl, and Tim Armknecht, Juhl's son-in-law, all dressed up in '20s-style gangster costumes.

The tea was served with finger sandwiches and white grapes. After the meal came a dessert of small pieces of cake, miniature cheesecakes and other treats.

Juhl said the tables were set with



Monica Emig of Goodland dressed up Sunday for tea at the Ennis-Handy House. In her flapper gear, complete with fake cigarette, beaded necklace and feather hat Emig celebrate the tea's 1920s theme. Over 30 people showed up for the get together where visitors drank tea, ate sandwiches and desserts and socialized.

Photo by Kathryn Gurfinkel/The Goodland Star-News

period china and '20s-themed centerpieces with beads and feather boas. Each table, she said, featured two old black-and-white photographs of Goodland residents.

After tea, visitors watched a short film about the 1920s, including the industrial boom, womens' suffrage and the Advertising Age leading up to the Great Depression.

Osterman held a drawing for a feather hat to wear to the next tea. The afternoon ended with the ladies toasting with glasses filled with ginger ale and a tour of the upstairs.

## Schools collect box tops

By Kathryn Gurfinkel

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West Elementary is starting the year strong with an unprecedented 6,200 box tops collected for the Box Tops for Education program in the first few weeks of school.

"It's amazing we got 3,000 in the first two weeks of school," said Denise Floyd, organizer of the box top program and a parent of two students in Goodland schools.

The program asks parents to clip box tops from General Mills products and send them in to the school. Each box top is worth 10 cents for the school.

Along with box tops, parents are encouraged to go online to [www.boxtops4education.com](http://www.boxtops4education.com) and sign up for a Visa credit card that gives 1 percent of each purchase to the school.

Floyd said with roughly 12,400 clipped tops and the credit card and online purchases, West School earned almost \$1,500 last year.

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