

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. **Wednesday-Sunday.** “Kansas Quilts of Old” is on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. **Monday-Friday and from 1-4 p.m. Saturday** at the High Plains Museum, 1717 Cherry Ave.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Tuesday through Friday and from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday.** The March display is watercolors, pen-and-ink and colored pencil creations by Diane Mahanna of Hoxie. The April display will be the 4-H Favorite Food Show and the junior high and high school show.

The Goodland Public Library will have story time for 4-year-olds at 10 a.m. **Wednesdays** and at 11 a.m. **Thursdays.** Story time for 3-year-olds will be at 10 a.m. **Thursdays.** Born to Read for children birth to age 3, accompanied by an adult, will be at 10 a.m. **Fridays.**

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. **Wednesdays** at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Century Families, for people whose family came to Sherman County more than 100 years ago, meets at 7 p.m. the second **Monday** of the month at the Senior Center. For information, call 899-2835.

Aerobics Classes - 5:30 and 7:30 a.m. aerobics classes are offered **Monday, Wednesday and Friday** at the Goodland Activities Center. Yoga is offered at 8:30 a.m. **Wednesday.** Call 890-7242.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. **Mondays** at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Group holds open meetings at 7 p.m. **Monday** at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Seventh and Senter, Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711 or Dave at 890-2858.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. **Monday,** a closed meeting with Al-Anon, **Wednesday,** the book meeting, and **Saturday,** an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023.

The “Freedom Today” group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. **Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays** at the Elks Lodge. These are open meetings. Call 890-8369.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from 6:30-8:30 p.m. the **third Wednesday** of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) will meet from 6-7:30 p.m. the **first Monday of the month** at the Goodland Bible Church, 109 Willow.

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. the **second Thursday** of each month. Call Cora House at 899-6551, Joan Reid at 899-7301 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955.

area events

The Colby Booster Club 3-on-3 basketball tournament will be **Saturday, April 9.** There are divisions for boys and girls in 3/4 grades, 5/6 and 7/8. Entry fees are due **Saturday.** Call Russ Martin at

the calendar

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A storm spotter training class will be held at 7 p.m. **tonight** in the National Guard Armory. The class will last about 2 1/2 hours.

The Farm Inc. of Brewster is holding a foster care information night at 6 p.m. **Wednesday** in the Murray Center at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. Call Vicki Beiser at 785-694-2892.

The Order of the Eastern Star will have a pancake feed from 7 a.m.-2 p.m. **Saturday** at the Masonic Lodge, 519 Center.

Music Boosters second annual Basketball Madness will be **Thursday, April 7,** at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. The soup supper will be at 5 p.m. and the game at 7.

The Bethany College Choir will present a concert at 7 p.m. **Thursday, April 7,** at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 13th and Sherman. Donations will be accepted. Among the students touring with the choir are Erin Hardy of Goodland and Stacey Horn of Weskan.

SHARE sign up for the April distribution of food will be until **Monday, April 11,** at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday, April 23,** for the April distribution.

The American Association of Retired Persons Driver Safety Program is having an eight-hour

course from 7-9:30 p.m. **Tuesday-Thursday, April 19-21.** Call Don Kiehl at 890-6638 or call 55 ALIVE toll free at 888-227-7669. The course provides information on how to protect yourself in parking areas, avoid serious accidents and deal effectively with aggressive drivers. It is designed to make participants aware of how changes in vision, hearing and physical reflexes can impact their driving. There is a fee.

The Northwest Kansas Astronomical Society Deep Sky Eye Observatory is having “star-b-que” parties starting **Friday and Saturday, April 22 and 23,** at the Thompson farm on county road 67. Bring your own picnic/grill, sleeping bag and tent. Call Ron at 899-2053. Other dates planned (weather permitting) are May 27-29, June 10 and 11, June 24 and 25, July 8 and 9, July 22 and 23, Aug. 12 and 13, Aug. 26 and 27; and September dates to be announced. Donations to the observatory to build a permanent structure would be appreciated. For all ages; no alcohol.

A Ladies 1800s Western Feed will be at **noon Saturday, April 23,** at the Ennis-Handy House, 13th and Center, to raise money for the Sherman County Historical Society. Cowgirl, saloon or prairie attire is encouraged. Tickets need to be bought by Friday, April 15. Call Carol Baum at 890-7364.

The Northwest Kansas Home

and Garden Show will be **Saturday and Sunday, April 30 and May 1,** in the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Kansas State University Research and Extension and/or its master gardeners will be participating.

school calendar

Wednesday: Gold day.

Thursday: Black day. Seminar — FCCLA. Parent-teacher conference 4-8 p.m. Farm Bureau 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

Friday: No school. Parent-teacher conferences 8 a.m.-noon. Baseball 3 p.m. at Garden City. Softball vs. Garden City 3 p.m. here.

Saturday: Track 9:30 a.m. at Ogallala. Regional music solos and ensembles.

Sunday: Daylight Savings Time begins.

school lunch menu

Wednesday: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, 1/2 apple and milk. **Thursday:** Chicken nuggets, over-baked potatoes, California blend vegetables, dinner roll, strawberry Jell-o and milk.

Friday: No school. Parent/teacher conferences.

senior center menu

Wednesday: Chicken fajitas, citrus slices, tortillas and apple-sauce bars. **Thursday:** Baked spaghetti, spinach salad, corn, garlic bread and peaches. **Friday:** Chef salad, citrus slices, crackers and fruit crisp.

discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 899-4888.

The group charges a \$50 letter of intent fee (similar to a permit) which is good for one year. It is required on the installation or modification of all septic systems in the protection group’s area.

The group will continue to offer free testing to private individuals. However, if you are selling, purchasing or refinancing any property that requires an inspection, the group will charge a \$90 inspection fee. The inspection includes site evaluations on well and septic systems and testing the water. The group will also charge a \$25 fee for child care and foster care inspections.

hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.

Wednesday: Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Thursday:** Faye Paxton, lobby.

tax help

The American Association of Retired Persons is giving free, volunteer-run tax counseling and preparation. The service will be available 1-4 p.m. Fridays at the Goodland Public Library and Goodland Senior Center or call for an appointment. The service can answer most of the tax issues faced by middle and low-income taxpayers and give special attention to those age 60 and over.

obituaries

Bill Frerichs

William R. Frerichs, 53, Savanah, Ill., brother of Richard (LaDona) Frerichs of Goodland, died Tuesday, March 22, 2005, at the University of Wisconsin Hospitals in Madison.

He was born March 9, 1952, in Goodland, the son of William H. and Thelma (Biggs) Frerichs. He married Marta Conaway. He later married Linda Dunk Ullrich on Aug. 20, 1994, at the Church of the Open Door in Clinton, Iowa.

Frerichs earned a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from Kansas State University. He began an Army civilian career in July 1975 as an intern in the Army Material Command with the Army Management Engineering Training Agency. He progressed to the position of associate director for logistics engineering with the Army Defense Ammunition Center in McAlester, Okla., during his 29-year career. He earned the Commander’s Award for Civilian Service, the Operation Desert Storm Medal for Civilian Service and Central Command 22nd Support Command Certificate of Achievement.

He was a member of the church and served as usher, greeter, Care Ministry, Servant’s Council, was part of the Men’s Bible Study, 2X2 Couple’s Ministry and the Fulton Small Group. He was also co-leader of the Divorce Recovery Group and a Scoutmaster.

Preceding him in death were his grandparents.

Other survivors include his wife; his parents of Colby; a son, Brian Frerichs of Kansas City, Kansas; and a step-daughter, Cara Ullrich of St. Paul, Minn.

Services were Saturday, March 26, 2005, at the church with the Rev. James Machen officiating. Burial was at the Oakland Cemetery in

Clinton, Iowa. Pallbearers were Jerry Weaver, Pete Fredericksen, Dick Green, Mark Haring, Ken Hartman and Glenn Williams.

Memorials may be made to the church building fund or to the University of Wisconsin for cancer research in care of the Clinton Chapel Snell-Zomig-Dennis A. Lemke Funeral Homes and Crematory, 3023 Ave. S, Clinton, Iowa 52732-4436.

Edward Linville

Edward Linville, 82, Goodland, a retired truck driver, died Monday, March 21, 2005, at his home.

He was born March 28, 1922, at Pittsfield, Ill., the son of Myra Muriel (Gould) and Ralston Ross Linville.

On July 5, 1941, he married Martha Louise Cantwell. He was a driver for Time-D.C. before he retired and later drove the Senior Citizen van in Goodland. He was a member of the Goodland First Baptist Church and Elks Lodge.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his wife; a son, Michael Edward Linville on May 5, 1984; a grandson, Kelly Edward Terry; and a brother, Paul Linville.

Survivors include two daughters, Janet (Rene) Perreault of Colorado Springs and Patricia (Horst) Dietz of Brighton, Colo.; a sister, Elva Lucille Linville of St. Louis; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was private at the Goodland Cemetery. A memorial service will be scheduled at the church.

Memorials may be made to the church’s building fund in care of Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.



Linville

Hotline offers seniors free help with financial aid

Students planning to attend college this fall must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid by Friday for priority consideration for financial aid from the state of Kansas.

Information specialists who staff the toll-free hotline at (866) 897-8111 are available 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, to guide students and parents through the process so they can complete the paperwork correctly and submit it on time. Students and parents can leave voice messages for the hotline 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

USA Funds Career and Education Hotline for Kansas offers free help to Kansas students and parents in completing the form.

“Filing the financial aid form is a critical step in the going-to-college process,” said Valerie Walthall, Kansas customer relations manager. “The hotline provides a valuable service by answering students’ and parents’ specific questions about this financial-aid form.”

USA Funds is the designated guarantor of federal education loans for Kansas. For information, visit www.usafunds.org.

matters of record

Goodland Police

The following crimes have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

March 16 — Gloria Smith reported burglary and criminal damage to property at 825 W. Hwy. 24. The case is under investigation.

March 17 — Sexual battery was

reported at 912 Main. The case was referred to the county attorney.

March 18 — Mike Lewis was arrested on a warrant at 301 Center. The case was referred to the county attorney.

Rape was reported at 2810 Commerce. The case is under investigation.

Joshua Dechant for Goodland City Commission

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