

birthdays

Larry Morgan of Goodland will celebrate his 95th birthday Saturday, Aug. 27, 2005. He lives at 710 Wheat Ridge Circle, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Cleo Beeson will celebrate his 90th birthday on Sunday, Sept. 4, 2005, with an open house from 2:30-4:30 p.m. at his home. No gifts requested. Send cards to him at 280 Rd. 64, Kanorado, Kan. 67741.

anniversary

Robert and Alma Walter will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 4, 2005, with a family dinner at the restaurant at the Howard Johnson Hotel.

After 60 years of farming, the Walters are enjoying their retirement at Wheat Ridge Circle, Apt. 714, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

business news

David J. Branda, Goodland, president of Branda, Inc., is among the members of the Kansas Wesleyan University Board of Trustees who have been re-elected to three-year terms. The re-elections took place during the board's meeting Friday, June 24. The board of trustees has the responsibility to determine general, educational, financial and related policies for the administration and development of the university.

H. David Starkey, Colby, has been elected to serve as president of the Kansas Bar Foundation for a one-year term. The foundation has awarded almost \$950,000 in grants to provide legal services to those who cannot afford them and educational programs in schools. A member of the foundation's board of trustees since 1999, Starkey is a partner in the law firm of Starkey and Gatz.

student news

Brooke Marie Bohme, a 1998 Goodland High School graduate, was on the spring honor roll at the University of Kansas. She is an engineering undergraduate in her senior year. She was among the students omitted from the university's honor roll reported in the Friday, Aug. 12, issue of *The Goodland Star-News*. The omission was due to a clerical error at the university.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. **Wednesday-Monday.**

"Nifty '50s Photograph Collection" is on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. **Monday-Friday and from 9 a.m.-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 Living Room" by Sunni Mercer will be on display through Saturday, Sept. 10.

The **Goodland Public Library** will have **story time** for 3-5-year-olds at 10 a.m. **Wednesdays and Thursdays, starting Sept. 14 and 15. Born to Read** for children birth to age 3, accompanied by an adult, will be at 10 a.m. **Fridays, beginning Sept. 16.**

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 899-5955.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of

the calendar

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The **Flatlander Committee** will meet at **noon on Thursdays** at the Howard Johnson Hotel. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The **Northwest Kansas Astronomical Society Deep Sky Eye Observatory** is having "star-b-que" parties at the Thompson farm on County Road 67. Bring your own picnic or grill, sleeping bag and tent. Call Ron at 899-2053. Dates planned (weather permitting) are **today and Saturday**; and September dates to be announced. Donations to the observatory to build a permanent structure would be appreciated. For all ages; no alcohol.

SHARE sign up for the September distribution of food will be until **Monday, Sept. 12**, at the Sherman County Health Department, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday** for the August distribution.

Cub Scout sign up will be from **7-9 p.m. Monday** at West Elementary School. Cub scouting is for boys ages 7 to 10 and combines outdoor activities, sports and academics in a program that helps families teach honesty, good citizenship and respect. Call Monica Stramel at 890-6480.

The **2005 Rock Chalk Roadshow** will bring the University of Kansas to Goodland **Tuesday**. It will be from **6-7:30 p.m.** at Goodland High School. Students can talk with university representatives, meet the Jayhawk, eat pizza, take home freebies and win prizes, enter a drawing for tickets to a KU football game and have

their questions answered.

The **St. Jude's Annual Bike-a-thon** will be **Saturday, Sept. 10**, weather permitting. Rain date is Saturday, Sept. 17. The money raised is for cancer research. Anything with wheels qualifies, including a mother pushing a child in a stroller. Call Kendall or Aletha Morris at 899-3830.

The **Goodland Public Library** is **enrolling children** wanting to participate in the **Story Hour program** for the 2005-06 year. There will be sessions at 10 a.m. on Wednesday and Thursday each week for children 3-5. The Born to Read group, children under the age of 3 accompanied by an adult, will meet at 10 a.m. Friday. The story hour sessions will begin Sept. 14, 15 and 16 and continued through the school year. They will not meet on days that school is not held. Call Karen Gillihan at 899-5461 to enroll.

school calendar

Today: Gold day. First day of competition for volleyball. Black and Gold Booster Club Membership Barbecue 5 p.m. Football and cross country soap scrimmage 5:30 p.m. Parent meeting for cross country at 6:15.

Saturday: Cross country practice 8 a.m.

Sunday: AIMS conference (FCCLA) 4 p.m. in Hesston.

Monday: Cross country practice 3:40 p.m. AIMS Conference (FCCLA) 4 p.m. in Hesston. Volleyball soap scrimmage 6 p.m.

Tuesday: Gold day. Girls varsity tennis 2 p.m. at Phillipsburg High School. Cross country prac-

tice 3:40 p.m.

Wednesday: Black day. Northwest Kansas League meetings. PDC screening at Central Elementary.

Thursday: Gold day. Spirit safety meeting 8:15 a.m. in Oakley. Girls varsity golf 2 p.m. at Trego Community High School.

Goodland Invitational Cross Country meet 4 p.m. Freshman football 4:30 p.m. here vs. Saint Francis.

Friday, Sept. 2: Black Day. Varsity football 6 p.m. here vs. Hoxie. Back to school dance 9 p.m. at the high school.

Saturday, Sept. 3: Girls varsity tennis 8 a.m. at Colby High School.

school menu

Monday: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, cooked carrots, dinner roll, honey dew/ cantaloupe cup and milk. **Tuesday:** Hot dog on a bun, tater tots, baked beans, fruited Jell-o and milk.

Wednesday: Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, brownie and milk. **Thursday:** Fish, oven-browned potatoes, sliced bread, 1/2 orange and milk. **Friday:** Grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, carrot sticks, apple with peanut butter and milk.

senior center menu
Monday: Mac and cheese with smokies, winter mix vegetables, breaded tomatoes, bread and apricots. **Tuesday:** Chicken fajita salad, watermelon or mandarin oranges, tortilla chips and cherry crisp. **Wednesday:** Smothered steak, Spanish green beans, carrot fruit salad, bread and peach cup.

Colby singles dances will be from 8 p.m. until midnight Fridays, Sept. 2 and 30, Dec. 2 and Jan. 6, at the City Limits Convention Center. Couples are also welcome. There is a charge, which includes line dance lessons, which start at 7 p.m. Call Darline Freytag at 785-890-3243.

Smart Start Northwest Kansas and the Colby Community College Resource and Referral are sponsoring a free **information session** for anyone who is **interested in becoming a licensed child care provider**. It will be from **7-10 p.m. Central Time Thursday, Sept. 8**, in the Colby Community College Library Basement, room 253. Call 888-634-9350 ext. 250 to register.

Admission to the **Prairie Museum of Art and History** will be free from **1-5 p.m. Central Time Sundays** at 1905 S. Franklin in Colby. The museum is also open from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. **Central Time Monday-Friday and 1-5 p.m. Saturday.**

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m.- noon and 1-5 p.m. **Monday-Friday.**

Monday: Scheduled appointments. **Tuesday:** Office closed 8 a.m. to noon for staff CPR recertification. Reopen at 1 p.m. **Wednesday:** Blood pressures 10-11:30 a.m. at the Goodland Senior Center. **Thursday:** Blood pressures 10 a.m. at the Kanorado Senior Center. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

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.

Diabetes Support Group meets at **7 p.m. the last Tuesday** of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center. Patients, family and friends meet each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah Linton at 890-6044.

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

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. Tuesdays** at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

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 Anony-

mous, 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 **8-9 p.m. Tuesdays, open; 8-9 p.m. Thursdays, closed; and 6:30-7:30 p.m. Saturdays, open**, at the Elks Lodge. 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.

area events

The drama department at **Colby Community College** will conduct **auditions for its fall production from 7-9:30 p.m. Central Time Monday and Tuesday** in the Cultural Arts Center located on the college campus. Auditions are open to anyone high school age or older. Rehearsals will begin Monday, Sept. 19. The production is scheduled for Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 3-5. Call Bickner at 785-462-3984.

The **Northwest Kansas Grant Funding Consortium** will present a speaker's forum for organizations seeking grants. It will be from **9:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesday** at the Colby Community Building, 285 East Fifth St., Colby. There is a charge which includes lunch. To register, call the Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development at 785-462-2602.

obituaries

Jack Stewart

John H. Stewart, 96, Goodland, a retired tractor mechanic and locksmith, died Saturday, Aug. 20, 2005, at the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center.

He was born Dec. 23, 1908, in Port Elizabeth, South Africa, the son of Julesie Zingfretta (Hansson) and John Bennett Stewart. On Feb. 8, 1909, he was baptized by John Black, a Presbyterian minister in Port Elizabeth. He attended school at the Shermanville Rural School in Sherman County.

From March 24, 1942, through Sept. 14, 1945, he served in the U.S. Army. He owned a small engine repair shop at 702 Clark in Good-

land. He was a member of the National Rifle Association.

On Aug. 16, 1954, he married Loreon (Volk) Boulrier. She died Jan. 8, 1989.

On Aug. 7, 1989, he married Sheila (Smith) Carson. She died March 7, 1992.

Also preceding him in death were his parents; a son, Ronald Boulrier; and two sisters, Julesie Olsen and Agnes Gemmer.

Survivors include two daughters, Sheila "Boulrier" Lindsey of Oregon and Bonnie "Boulrier" Smith of Puyallup, Wash.; a brother, Rudy (Thelma) Gemmer, and two sisters, Freda House and Katherine Davis, all of Goodland; and grandchildren. Services were Tuesday, Aug. 23,

2005, at the Koons Chapel in Goodland with Dr. Chet Ross officiating. Burial followed in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice in care of the funeral home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Roger Williams

Roger Williams, 58, Palco, brother of Rick Williams of Goodland, died Monday, Aug. 22, 2005, at the Infirmary of Kensington Nursing Home.

He was born Jan. 31, 1947, the son of Lonnie and Eunice (Maddox) Williams. He was a heavy equipment operator for Hereford County, Texas, before he retired for health reasons.

He enjoyed painting, gardening, barbecuing and watching movies.

Survivors include a son, James Williams of Amarillo, Texas; three daughters, Janet Jung and Joanna Williams of Hereford, Texas, and Kristina Williams of LaCrosse; three other brothers, Roy Williams of Plainville, Ray Williams of Liebenal and Art Williams of Loveland, Colo.; two sisters, Ruth Winters of Norton and Rita Brendal of Savannah, Ga.; and eight grandchildren.

Services will be at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 28, at the Redline Church of God, Palco. Inurnment will be in the Stockton Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the church, in care of the Moore-Overlease Funeral Chapel, 409 S. Cochran,

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adult's immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin; family planning; and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 899-4888.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing—The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or 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.

Monday: Mazie Sutton, courtesy.

cell phone drive

Save a Life Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. Phones are also provided to the elderly and others in need of an emergency cell phone. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 813 Main. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426 or Candice 866-448-2366.

recycling

The **Goodland High School library** is **recycling used cell phones, ink jet printer and LaserJet cartridges**. The school receives from nothing to \$2 for cartridges and nothing to \$5 for cell phones. Drop them by the high school library or office. If you have several and would like them picked up, call the library at 899-5656 to make arrangements. The money goes to support National Honor Society, Scholar's Bowl, Science Olympiad, Electric Car and extra library projects.

thrif store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop should call 899-2007 to arrange to meet by the door in the alley and take donations directly from the car to the warehouse.

The store needs zippered bags like those bedding and curtains are sold in, seal-a-meal bags or any bags that can be heat-sealed and jewelry gift boxes.

alateen

A former Alateen member and an Al-Anon member have formed an Alateen support group that will meet from 6-7 p.m. on Mondays at

1275 W. Sixth in Colby. The group is for relatives and friends of alcoholics and is open to anyone 19 years old or under. Call 785-462-8152 or 462-6101.

tiny-k

The Early Intervention Networks has a new name, Tiny-k Early Intervention Services. The program promotes development among infants and toddlers with special needs. The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center in Oakley provides these services free of charge to children in this area.

Services include speech, developmental, vision and hearing screenings to all children and physical/occupational therapy and developmental training to children who qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 115.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education.

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Julie Dautel or Carrie Starns at 899-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

crimestoppers

If you have information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides services day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children. **Support groups** that will be available beginning March 2 are two **women's** domestic violence victims/survivors support groups, one from **9-10 a.m. Central Time on Tuesdays and one from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesdays**; a **men's** domestic violence victims/survivors support group from **noon-1 p.m. Central Time Tuesdays**; and a **youth support group**. All groups will meet in Hays. For information or help, call (800) 794-4624. For time and location of youth support group, ask for Donna Munsch.

tree donations

Many trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them. Contributions for the Goodland Cemetery Memorial Tree Fund can be left at Koons or Bateman funeral homes or sent to the Goodland Cemetery Board, Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

"Happy 50th Anniversary"

Ken and Sandy Filkens

We Love You,

Your children and grandchildren

The annual meeting of the **Sherman County High School Alumni Association** will be held at 7 p.m., on Wednesday, Aug. 31st in the large boardroom of the Goodland Regional Medical Center. All alumni members are encouraged to take part in planning for the 2006 All-School Reunion in Goodland.

Bridal Registry

Richard Golden
and
Kara McLeLan
Sept. 24, 2005



Carnegie Arts Center
Tue. - Fri. 10a.m. - 5 p.m.
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