

birthday

Martha McIntyre will be celebrating her 90th birthday Monday, Oct. 31, 2005. An open house will be held for her from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 30, at the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall. No gifts are requested. Send cards to her at 516 E. Sixth, Apt. 208, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

area events

Back to the Basics Series: Office Management will be from **2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Central Time** on **Wednesday** at the Thomas County Office Complex, 350 S. Range, **Colby**. The seminar is offered by Fort Hays State University's Small Business Development Center. It teaches the best techniques and practices for running a more efficient and effective office. It covers telephone techniques, filing systems, time management, customer service, organizational skills, business etiquette, record keeping, petty cash policy and cross-training. The seminar serves as either a refresher for those already trained or a basic overview for those who are new to formal office management training. There is a registration charge, which will be higher after Wednesday. To pre-register, call 785-628-6786 or e-mail: sbdc@fhsu.edu.

Area adults can learn about foster parenting at the **St. Francis Academy's Fall Harvest Open House** from **6:30-8 p.m. Central Time Thursday** at 180 W. Fifth in **Colby**. There will be free refreshments and candy for children. Call 785-462-6679.

Atwood's Monster Moonlight Madness will be **Friday**. A costume contest will be held at 7 p.m. Central Time at the Jayhawk Theatre, and a pumpkin painting contest will be all day at Brown's True Value. The theatre will be showing a free movie, *Valiant*, at 4 and 8 p.m. Businesses will have sales, and a haunted house will be in the basement of Kastens Photography and Graphic Design. Call Jennifer Kastens at 785-626-3660.

A **book signing** will be held **Saturday** at the Fick Fossil and History Museum in **Oakley**. Two authors, Tom Betz and Mike Everhart, will be signing their books. Betz, editor of *The Goodland Star-News*, will give a talk on his book, **"The Fleagle Gang, Betrayed by a Fingerprint,"** at **3 p.m. Central Time**. He follows Mike Everhart, author of **"Oceans of Kansas, a Natural History of the Western Interior Sea,"** at **2 p.m.** Both authors will be available to sign books. To reserve a copy of either book, call the museum at 785-672-4839.

The **Queen City Jazz Band** will perform at **3 p.m. Central Time Sunday** at the Cheyenne Theatre in **St. Francis**. The band plays New Orleans-style jazz from the 1920s and '30s. Admission is by Western Plains Arts Association season passes or can be paid at the door.

The **Oberlin Holiday Arts and Crafts Show** will be held on **Saturday, Nov. 26**, at The Gateway in Oberlin. There are still a few booth spaces available. For details, call Ella Betts at 785-475-3557 or Mary Henzel 785-475-3329.

Colby singles dances will be from 8 p.m. until midnight **Fridays, 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.

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.

Wednesday: Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 10 a.m. at the Goodland Senior Center. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. Flu shots clinic 8:30 a.m. at the Kanorado Senior Center. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

An **informational meeting on Medicare Plan D** will be held at 2

● Karen Cecil, FSA Farm Loan Program Technician, has announced her retirement. Please join the Sherman County USDA Service Center staff in honoring her more than 28 years of service to USDA. Wednesday October 26, 2005 from 2:00 pm to 4 pm Sherman County USDA Service Center 210 W. 10th Street, Suite 2, Goodland KS.

the calendar

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The **Northwest Kansas Technical College** will celebrate the opening of its **new library** with an open house and dedication from **2-4 p.m. Thursday**.

TNT Singles will meet at **6:30 p.m. Thursday** at Edwards Hall for supper, cards and games. Call 899-2733.

A **Halloween party** will be held from **7-9 p.m. Friday** in the United Methodist Church fellowship hall. Youths 3-10 years old can play games, watch a movie and enjoy treats, prizes and a haunted house. There is a charge.

The **'Tis the Season Club's third annual holiday garage sale** will be from **8 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday** at 323 Harrison. The club is **collecting donations through Friday**. Take slightly used seasonal holiday crafts, collectibles and decorations and bake sale items to 323 Harrison or call Judy McKee at 890-5188 or Linda Knott at 890-6444 for information. Proceeds will go to Sherman County Hospice.

A **hunter education course** will be held from **6:30-8 p.m. Tuesday**, from **6:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesday**, from **6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday**, and from **9 a.m.-2 Saturday**, at the Kansas National Guard Armory, 720 E. Armory Rd. Students must be no younger than 11 and must attend all four days to receive certification. Call Troy Mannis at 890-3380 or Mike Hopper at 899-5199.

The second annual **Dance for Kids Sake** family dance and Halloween costume party will be **Sat-**

urday, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. **Dinner** will be at **7 p.m.**, and the **dance** will be from **8-11 p.m.** Music will be provided by Darren Kannady, Chris Biel and Brennan Clouse. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes. Tickets can be bought ahead or at the door. Call Dennis Daise at 890-3665.

SHARE sign up for the November distribution of food will be until **Monday, Nov. 7**, at the Sherman County Health Department, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday, Nov. 19**, for the November distribution.

The **Music Booster Organization pancake feed** will be from **5 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12**, at the Knights of Columbus, Seventh and Caldwell. Pancakes, sausage, juice and coffee will be served.

Noodle Magic and Bazaar will be from **11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12**, opening weekend of pheasant season, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 13th and Center.

Sherman County Economic Development is holding a seminar, **"How to Get More Customers Who Will Spend More Money, More Often,"** at **5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 14**, in the Harvester Restaurant at the Howard Johnson Hotel. It will be presented by Susan Nickerson of the Small Business Development Center. There is a charge for the seminar, and dinner is extra.

The **Sherman County Economic Development** annual meeting and update will be at

5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 15, at the Elks Lodge, south side.

Tech Expo 2005 will be from **8 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 17**, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. **RSVP by next Tuesday**.

school calendar

Tuesday: Gold day. ITBS testing 8 a.m. AFS Halloween party 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Black day. ITBS testing 8 a.m. KASSP Area V meeting 10 a.m. at Oakley. PDC Screening 3:30 p.m. at Central Elementary. City/county recreation 7:30 p.m.

Thursday: Gold day. ITBS Testing 8 a.m. Varsity football 6 p.m. vs. Colby.

Friday: Varsity volleyball, state tournament. ITBS Testing 8 a.m.

Saturday: Varsity volleyball, state tournament. Varsity cross country, state meet.

school menu

Wednesday: Chili, crackers, peaches, cinnamon roll and milk.

Thursday: Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, tator tots, fruit cocktail and milk. **Friday:** Macaroni and cheese with ham, peas, banana bread, 1/2 apple and milk.

senior center menu

Wednesday: Turkey, sweet potatoes, creamed peas and pearl onions, dinner roll and cranberry apple salad. **Thursday:** Hamburger gravy, Italian blend vegetables, carrot raisin salad, biscuits and peach cup. **Friday:** Ham, scalloped potatoes, cheesy broccoli, bread and pineapple.

obituaries

Frieda Schnee

Frieda Leora Schnee, 96, McDonald, a homemaker, died Sunday, Oct. 23, 2005, at the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center.

She was born Nov. 9, 1908, on a ranch between Atwood and Ludell the daughter of David and Clara (Fiene) Terrell. In 1917, the family moved to McDonald, where she attended school, graduating with the class of 1928.

On Jan. 21, 1931, she married Franklin Schnee in Norton. They made their home around McDonald, where she was a farm wife and raised two children.

She was a member of the Federated Church and the Ladies Guild of McDonald. She enjoyed crocheting, quilting and baking and loved her family. Her family and friends always came first.

Schnee loved the outdoors and liked to garden and raise flowers, her favorites being red roses and peonies. She also enjoyed watching birds and other wildlife.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her husband; four brothers, Irwin (Pat), Guy, Lawrence and Leland; and a sister, Edna.

Survivors include a son, Dr. David (Becky) Schnee of Goodland; a daughter, Doris (Norman) Weaver of Hugoton; a sister, Hazel Goltl of Grants Pass, Ore.; six grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2005, at the church with Pastor Greg Moyer officiating. Burial will follow in the Grace Cemetery in McDonald.

Visitation will be from 1-7 p.m. today at Bateman Funeral Home and at the church before the services.

Memorials may be made to your favorite charity in care of Bateman Funeral Home, Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

George Friedrichs

George Carl Friedrichs, 82, Colorado Springs, father of Dennis (LeAnn) Friedrichs of Goodland, died Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2005, at his home.

He was born June 9, 1923, in Colorado Springs, the son of Lewis and Georgia Friedrichs. On Nov. 27, 1946, he married Enid Hall.

Friedrichs served in the Army and the Air Force and was a veteran of World War II and the Korean War. He was a custodian from School District 11 in Colorado Springs before he retired.

He was a member of the Calhan Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Elks Lodge and an active member of the International Polka Club. He was an avid fisherman and hunter and took time to plant trees to improve his surroundings.

Friedrichs enjoyed traveling the country with his family in his homemade campers and boat. He followed the Army career of his grandson Carl, who is on his second tour in Iraq.

Survivors include another son, Larry (Darlene) Friedrichs of Colorado Springs; a sister, Jean Shirley; two grandchildren; four step-grandchildren, including Sandy (Cleve) Trachsel of Goodland; two great-grandchildren; and three step-great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2005, at the International Polka Club, 2422 Busch Ave., Colorado Springs.

Arrangements were made by Cappadona's Family Services in Colorado Springs.

matters of record

Real Estate

The following real estate transactions were reported by the Sherman County Register of Deeds:

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems to Rusty and Wendy Fritz, Lots 7 and 8, Block 54, Original Town of Goodland.

Norman P. Schwerdtfeger by his attorney Kathy A. Cochrane to Gergory S. and Kathy A. Cochrane, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 44, Second Addition in the city of Goodland.

Augustus Hoyt and Viola M. Tompkins to the secretary of transportation of the state of Kansas a tract in the SW/4, Sec. 6, T9S,

R39W, and a tract in the NW/4, Sec. 6, T9S, R39W.

Daryl Lea Price, trustee of the Daryl Lea Price Trust Agreement, to Curtis O. Bear Estate the SE/4, Sec. 13, T7S, R37W.

Arlea R. Stasser to Arlea R. Stasser, trustee of the Arlea R. Stasser Revocable Trust, a tract in the W/2 of the NW/4, Sec. 31, T8S, R39W.

Frank V. and Sheryl Linden to Ernalea Callahan, Lot 4, Block 13, First Sub-Division of the First Addition in the City of Goodland, and the north 25 feet Lot 1, Block 6, Sharps Addition in the City of Goodland.

Ed Williams

Former Goodland resident Ed Williams, 49, died at his home in Wichita on Friday, October 21, 2005.

He was born February 8, 1956, at Joplin, Missouri.

He graduated from Goodland High School and Northwest Kansas Technical College.

Surviving family includes his grandmother Bernice Chapman, Carthage, Missouri; his parents Lawrence and Barbara Patmon, Goodland; two brothers Ben Williams and his

wife Angie of Plains; Clarence Patmon and his wife Karen of Salina; five sisters Terry Rosin and her husband Keith of Sharon Springs; Rebecca Rubio of Goodland; Lorina Robinson of Salina; Tracy Bishop and her husband Jim of Salina; Janet Nicholas and her husband Stephen of Salina; nephews James Winder and his wife Jackie of Oberlin; Manuel Rubio III and his wife Suelane of Fort Worth, Texas; Vincent Rubio of Wichita; Eric Winder of North Platte, Nebraska; Nicholas Rubio and his wife Kelli of Wichita; Kristofer Rubio of Hays; nieces Amanda Williams of Lawrence; Sarah Higgins and her husband Jake of Plains; Alyce Williams of Plains; Megan Rubio of Goodland; great-nephew Manuel Rubio IV of Fort Worth, Texas; great-nieces Carmen Winder of Oberlin; Sydney Rubio of Topeka; Alexis Williams of Plains.

The graveside service will be Monday, October 24, at 2:00 PM MT, at the Goodland Cemetery, with burial to follow.

Friends may share their respects on Monday, from 10:00 AM MT until 1:00 PM MT, at Koons Chapel in Goodland.

Memorials may be designated to the Ed Williams Memorial, and may be left at or mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 North Main, Goodland, KS 67735-1555.

drop-off point at American Communications, 813 Main. Call Jeanne 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.

thrift 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.

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

Crime Stoppers is working with Sherman County Sheriff Kevin Butts and the Sheriff's office to solve the crime of a stolen all terrain vehicle. The 1998 Polaris ATV was taken from 2298 Road 65 in Rural Sherman County about Sept. 10th.

The Goodland Star-News SUBSCRIBER Wendy Fritz You receive two free passes to see Exorcism of Emily Rose PG-13 Instant Ticket at Box Office Tickets are Non-Transferable Sherman 1203 MAIN - Phone 899-6103



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