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Milton Parish, Jr. of Goodland is in a nursing home and would enjoy hearing from friends and neighbors here. Send letters to him in care of Tender Care Center, Flagler, Colo. 80815.

activities

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

“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.** There is no gallery display this month. Elementary art will be on display starting Sunday, Feb. 5.

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

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at **6 p.m. the second Thursday** of each month at “The Rock House,” 326 E. 6th in Goodland. Call Cora House at 899-2619, Joan Reid at 890-7301 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955.

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

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. Mondays** 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 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 **8-9 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.

The **Pride of the Prairie Orchestra** meets from **7:30-9 p.m. Central Time on Mondays** at the **Colby High School Band Room.** The all-volunteer orchestra does not require auditions and is open to anyone from northwest Kansas and northeast Colorado. The music ranges from classical to popular. Call Dr. David Younger at 899-3421 or e-mail Gail56@hotmail.com.

area events

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

the calendar

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The **Sherman County Health Fair** will be from **8-11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 4,** at the Goodland Activities Center. **Blood profiles** will be done **7-11 a.m. today through Friday** at Goodland Regional Medical Center. There is a charge for blood tests. There will be free blood pressure checks, height/weight, metabolic, posture analysis, colon/rectal hemocult and glucometer testings at the fair. The Kansas Lions mobile unit will provide hearing and vision screening.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from **1-2:15 p.m. Thursday** in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

SHARE sign up for the February distribution of food will be until **Monday, Feb. 13,** at the Sherman County Health Depart-

ment, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday** for the January distribution.

The **Smoky Gardens Archery Club** will meet at **6 p.m. Sunday** in the 4-H Building at the fairgrounds. Call William McKnight at 890-5358 or Chuck Engel at 890-5174.

Girl Scouts will be selling **cookies** until Monday. If no one stops by, call Jackie Buller at 890-6547 to order.

school calendar

Today: Black day. Seminar — STUCO. Varsity scholars bowl 3 p.m. at Scott City.

Wednesday: Gold day. Project Graduation 2006 meeting 6 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. City/county recreation.

Thursday: Black day. Seminar — FCCLA. Red Cross Blood-mobile 8 a.m. at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. Boys/girls varsity basketball 2 p.m. Orange and Black Classic in Colby.

Friday: Gold day. Boys/girls

varsity basketball 2 p.m. Orange and Black Classic. Wrestling 2 p.m. in Hays, Senior Prairie Classic.

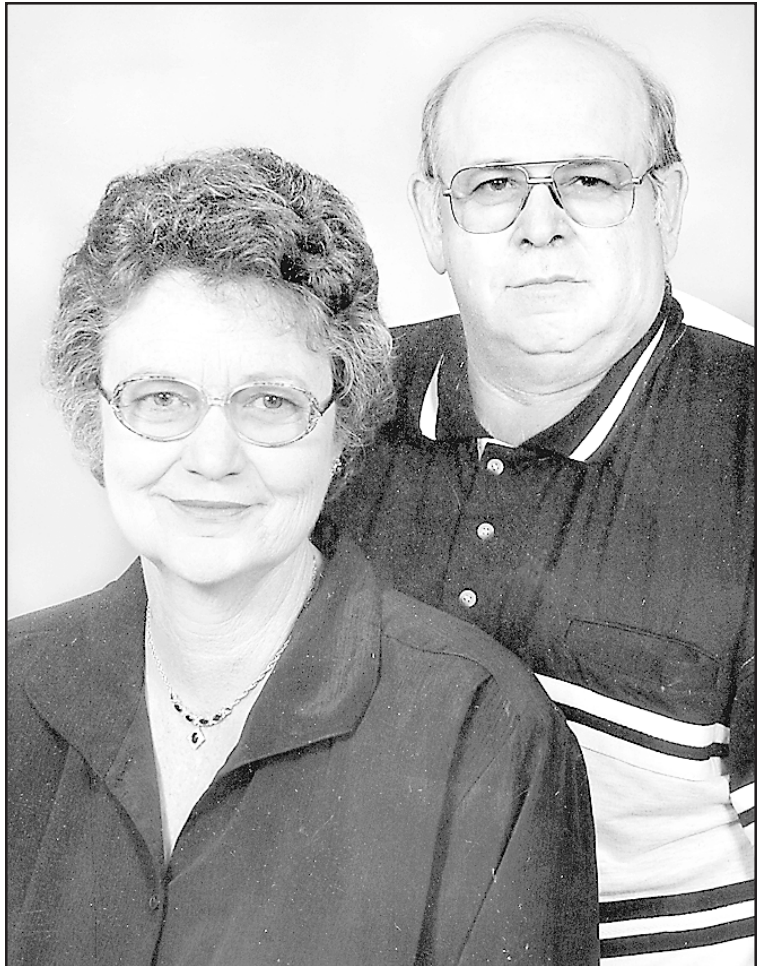
Saturday: Boys/girls varsity basketball Orange and Black Classic. Varsity wrestling 10 a.m. at Hays, Senior Prairie Classic.

school menu

Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, beets, dinner roll, poke cake and milk. **Thursday:** Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, crackers, pineapple and mandarin oranges and milk. **Friday:** Spaghetti, lettuce salad, corn, garlic bread, pudding and milk.

senior center menu

Wednesday: Cook’s choice soup, spinach cheese salad, rosy pears, crackers and fruit crisp. **Thursday:** Roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, applesauce gelatin, bread and birthday cake. **Friday:** Turkey pot pie, winter mix vegetables, biscuit and peaches.



Retta and David Hare

Pair together 40 years

David and Retta Hare of Norcatu will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 28, 2006, with an open house and card shower at the Educational Building in Norcatu.

They were married Jan. 23, 1966, in Edson.

Parents of the couple are Orva and Charles Bateman, Goodland and Lester and Ivalee Barnett, Norcatu.

Mrs. Hare is an employee at

Norton Correctional Facility. Mr. Hare works for the State of Kansas.

Their children Janice Ebner, Norton, Kathy Wilkins, Holdrege, Neb., and Joe Hare, Tribune, are hosting the celebration.

The couple has seven grandchildren.

If you are unable to attend, and would like to send a card, it will reach them at Route 1 Box 11, Norcatu, Kan. 67653.

obituaries

Roger W. Gibson

Roger W. Gibson, 66, Goodland, a retired over-the-road truck driver, died Thursday, Jan. 12, 2006, at his home in Goodland.

He was born March 4, 1939, at Empire Prairie, Mo., the son of Clayton and Beulah (Wall) Gibson. In 1957, he graduated from high school in King City, Mo.

On Dec. 8, 1957, he married Nancy Collier at the Berlin, Mo., Baptist Church. She died on July 3, 1999.

On Jan. 4, 2003, he married Shirley L. Collier Null at Oak Church in Maysville, Mo.

Gibson was a member of the First Baptist Church in Goodland. He enjoyed fishing, target shooting and woodworking. Also preceding him in death were his parents.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Jan (Frederic) Thomson of Robesonia, Pa., Julie (David) Whitsell of Maysville, and Jill (Jeff) Deeds of Goodland; a son, James Gibson of Las Vegas; two sisters, Sharon Hawman of Jefferson City, Mo., and Judy (J.D.) Gay of Savannah, Mo.; and seven grandchildren.

Services were scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 16, 2006, at the Koons Chapel in Goodland and Pastor Bud Chester officiating, and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Services of Sherman County in care of the funeral home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Frances Trail

Frances L. (Linden) Trail, 58, Atwood, daughter of Lewis Linden of Brewster, died Tuesday, Jan. 10,

2006, in an auto accident in Atwood.

Trail was a former resident of Colby and a longtime resident of Atwood.

She was a retired school teacher and was currently an assistant activities director at Good Samaritan Center in Atwood.

Other survivors include two sons, Tim (Tammy) Trail of Topeka and Tom Trail of Atwood; a brother, Michael Linden of Concordia; and two grandchildren.

Preceding her in death was her husband Fay E. Trail on Jan. 1, 2006.

Services were Monday, Jan. 16, 2006, at the Christian Church Disciples of Christ in Atwood with Pastor Christine Edwards officiating. Burial and graveside services followed at Atwood Fairview Cemetery.

Williams Funeral Home, 109 N. Second, Atwood, Kan. 67730, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made in her name. The family will decide their use later.

Bud Wilkinson

Bud Wilkinson, 61, a lifetime Sherman and Cheyenne County resident, died Saturday, Jan. 14, 2006, in Goodland.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 19, 2006, at the Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, with the Rev. Janet Hernandez officiating. Burial will follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3-7 p.m. Wednesday at the chapel.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Services of Sherman County in care of the funeral home.

A full obituary will follow.

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Owner of record is to notify the County Appraiser within 30 days of the acquisition or sale.

Real Estate improvements or structural changes to buildings must also be reported before the deadline.

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