

## student news

**Thomas J. Kimbrell** of Goodland and **Lindsey Gail Arnberger** of Brewster graduated from Wichita State University. Kimbrell earned a Master of Public Administration and Arnberger a Bachelor of Science in medical technology.

**Richard Dean Baum** of Sharon Springs was on the dean's honor roll for fall at Wichita State University. To be included on the dean's honor roll, he had to be enrolled full time (at least 12 credit hours) and earn at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

## birthday

**Erma Blume** is celebrating her 80th birthday Tuesday, April 11, 2006. A card shower has been requested. Send cards to her at Box 473, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

## 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**. Bobbi Kerth, a WaKeeney artist known for her Santa paintings, will display her work through Thursday.

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.

**Breast Cancer Support Group** meets at **5:30 p.m. the first Monday** of the month in the dome at Howard Johnson's. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Cheryl at 890-5528.

**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

## the calendar

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**Eastern Star pancake feed** will be from **7 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday** at the Masonic Lodge.

**Hospice Spring Garage Sale** will be from **8 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday** at 323 Harrison. Donations for the sale can be taken there or call Judy McKee at 890-5188.

**Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS)** will meet at **6 p.m. Monday** at the First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade. The theme this month is fun, and those who attend will learn how to decorate cakes and get a lot of other fun party-throwing tips.

A **fish fry** will be held from **5-7 p.m. next Friday** at the United Methodist Church, 12th and Sherman.

**SHARE sign up** for the April distribution of food will be until **Monday, April 10**, at the Sherman County Health Department, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday, April 22**, for the April distribution.

**City wide cleanup** is scheduled for **Saturday, April 8**, and **highway entrance cleanup** for **Saturday, April 22**, as part of the Chamber of Commerce Beautification Committees, City Commission and County Commission's cleanup month. Businesses, organizations and families are encouraged to form teams of five or six and call Ken Clouse at 890-3641 to be assigned a cleanup route. Several teams are needed on each date. Participants will meet at 8:30 a.m. in the Northwest Kansas Technical College student union to receive final plans. Anyone not able to haul their own trash should have the items at the curb by 9 a.m. on April 8. For help moving the items, call 890-3641, 890-7149 or

890-6692.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Sherman County is planning a **flamingo drop on Saturday, April 17**. People can pay for insurance to prevent plastic flamingos from appearing in their yard or can pay for a flock to be dropped in someone else's yard. Call 890-3665.

**Full Circle, an Aging Expo**, will be held **Thursday, April 27**, at the Goodland First Christian Church. The conference is for older adults, ages 55 and up, and their caregivers. **Early registration** needs to be in by **Wednesday, April 19**. Call the Sherman County Extension office at 899-4880, go to [www.oznet.ksu.edu/nwao/Block2FoodNutritionSafety.htm](http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/nwao/Block2FoodNutritionSafety.htm) or e-mail [twwatts@oznet.ksu.edu](mailto:twwatts@oznet.ksu.edu).

### school calendar

**Today:** Black day. Varsity, junior varsity softball 3 p.m. at Garden City. Varsity baseball 3 p.m. vs. Garden City.

**Saturday:** Regional music contest in Oberlin. State assessment testing window. State Science Olympiad 8 a.m. in Wichita. Boys/girls varsity track 8:30 a.m. at Ogallalah High School.

**Monday:** Boys junior varsity tennis at Garden City. Varsity baseball at Syracuse High School. Varsity, junior varsity softball vs. Liberal. Thornberg basketball practice in the high school gym.

**Tuesday:** Black day. Seminar — FCCLA. League art show in Oberlin.

**Wednesday:** Gold day. Bank Day-all elementary schools. League art show in Oberlin. Northwest Kansas League meetings. QSP magazine sales meeting for juniors 3:45 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Profes-

sional Development Council meeting at Central Elementary. Thornberg basketball practice in the high school gym.

**Thursday:** Black day. Seminar — STUCO and GRACE. League art show in Oberlin. Varsity, junior varsity softball 3 p.m. at Scott City.

**Friday, April 7:** Gold day. State assessment testing window. Boys varsity golf 8 a.m. at Norton. Boys/girls varsity track 2 p.m. at Norton. Varsity baseball 3 p.m. vs. Colby. Varsity, junior varsity softball 3 p.m. at Colby.

**Saturday, April 8:** Touchstone Electric Car Race 8 a.m. at Kansas State University-Salina. ACT Test 8 a.m. Boys varsity golf 8:30 a.m.-Oberlin Invitational Golf Tournament.

### school menu

**Monday:** Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, beets, dinner roll, rosy applesauce and milk. **Tuesday:** Sloppy joes, tator tots, pickle spear, 1/2 apple and milk. **Wednesday:** Enchilada, Spanish rice, lettuce salad, 1/2 orange and milk. **Thursday:** Corn dog, tri-tator, baked beans, pineapple and milk. **Friday:** Macaroni and cheese, broccoli, banana bread, fruit and milk.

### senior center menu

**Monday:** Tator tot casserole, stewed tomatoes, pears, bread and pudding. **Tuesday:** Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, peas, bread and ambrosia fruit salad. **Wednesday:** Barbecue chicken pieces, Spanish green beans, macaroni salad, bread and apricots. **Thursday:** Ham, Yamboree, cauliflower with cheese, dinner roll and cherry crisp. **Friday:** Tuna noodle casserole, Italian blend vegetables, mandarin oranges, bread and cookie.

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### tax help

AARP Tax-Aide, administered through the American Association of Retired Persons with cooperation from the Internal Revenue Service, is providing free tax help from 1-4 p.m. every Friday through April 14 at the Goodland Public Library and the Goodland Senior Center.

They can answer most tax questions for mid- and low-income taxpayers, with special attention to those age 60 and over.

### 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.

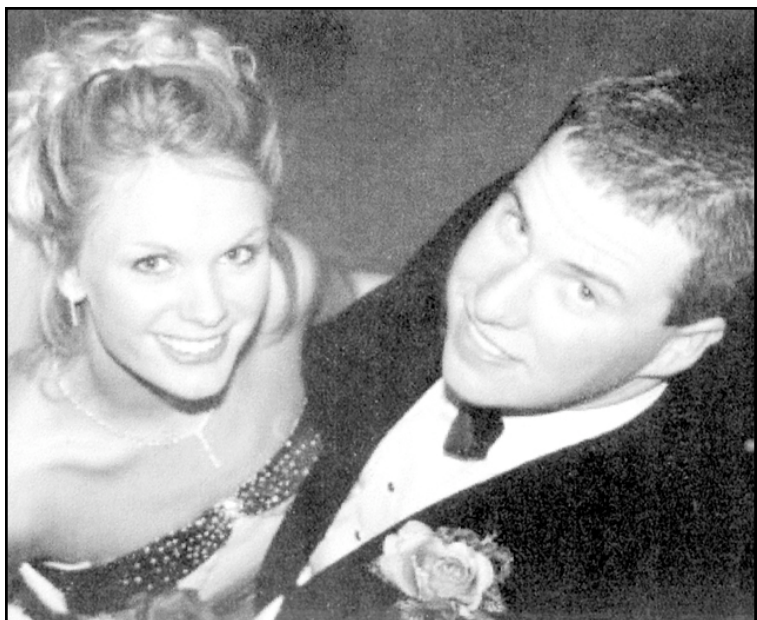
### thrift store

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.

### 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.



Tamera and Beau Larson

## Couple ties knot

Tamera Lynne Weeter and Beau Jace Larson married Saturday, Nov. 5, 2005, at the Sharon Springs United Methodist Church with Pastor Gary Davison and the Rev. Paul McNaull officiating.

Her parents are Jim and DeDe Weeter of Goodland, and his are Dan and Becky Larson of Wallace. Grandparents of the bride are Curt and Karen Walk of Leoti and honorary grandparents Peg and Duane Hanke of Goodland. Grandparents of the groom are Floyd and Helen Larson of Wallace and the late Bob and Winnie Umscheid of Manhattan.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin strapless gown with navy satin encircling the bodice and continuing down the chapel length train.

Rhinestone and crystal beadwork continued down the train in a floral design. The train was adorned with small white satin-covered buttons with three crystal beads sewn on each button. The bride carried a bouquet of navy, cranberry and Tuscany beige flowers made by her grandmother.

The maid of honor was Deanna Bauman of Manhattan. Bridesmaids were Stephanie Fairbanks of Manhattan, Amanda Hopp of Hays and Pamela Weeter of Weskan, sister-in-law of the bride. They wore strapless princess-style floor-length dresses of navy with contrasting tails of Tuscany beige lined and edged in navy.

The best man was Brady Larson, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Bret and Bart Larson, brothers of the groom, all of Sharon Springs, and Tracy Weeter of Weskan, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Jevon Benish, Eric Poe and Brandon Bussen, all of Sharon Springs.

Ringbearer and flower girl were Tayton and Taighe Weeter of Weskan, nephew and niece of the bride. Taighe's dress was of Tuscany beige with navy and beige tails designed to coordinate with the bridesmaids' dresses, and made by the grandmother of the bride.

Candle lighters were Ashley Thurston of Hays, cousin of the bride, and Cassie Cooper of Goodland. They wore matching dresses of cranberry with Tuscany beige tails, lined and edged with cranberry fabric.

The pianist was Deb Griffith of Goodland. Jessica Kannady of Goodland was vocalist. Attending the guest book and distribution of programs were Kendra Billinger of Lawrence and Lindsey Bussen of Hays.

Personal attendant of the bride was Karen Walk of Leoti, grandmother of the bride. Photographer was Darcey Huber from Picture This of Leoti, aunt of the bride.

A reception and dance followed at the Parish Hall in Sharon Springs. The wedding cake was made by Donna Nichols of Mountain View, Ark., aunt of the bride. Mints were made by Helen Larson, grandmother of the groom. Mindy Poe and Wendy Benish of Sharon Springs served the cake. Aubree Thurston, cousin of the bride, Scott City, served the coffee, while Leslie Davignon served the punch.

Donna Nichols and Sam Thurston of Scott City and Sabra Dickey of Sidney, Neb., aunts of the bride, and Becky Larson, Karen Walk and Tim Giesick of Scott City served the reception buffet. The auctioneer was David Dickey of Sidney, uncle of the bride.

After a honeymoon to Nashville, Tenn., the couple is living near the Larson Ranch at Sharon Springs.

## Goodland man named student of year in carpentry

A Goodland man was named student of the year in the Carpentry Department at the Northwest Kansas Technical College.

Wade Taylor, son of Dennis and Leann Taylor of Goodland, was selected by his classmates.

He will be eligible for the college's overall student of the year, who will receive a plaque during a special ceremony at the commencement exercise May 26.

A student of the year is selected for each department, and the over-

all winner is chosen from those 15 candidates.

To be eligible, students must complete a program of study during the year and must maintain a minimum grade average of 2.0. Graduating students in a department are evaluated by all those the department.

Candidates should excel within their program and possess the qualities needed to succeed in their field. Candidates submit their resume and an essay before completing an interview.

*Thank You*

We cannot begin to express our appreciation to our family and friends from coast to coast during the loss of our son and brother. We have been graciously embraced by numerous acts of kindness that will never be forgotten.

*Jack, Kathy & Deke Elliott*

**Internet tonight!**  
**899-2338**

*Bridal Registry*

*Brooke Draper & Justin Lohr*  
*March 18, 2006*

*Anne Hamilton & Pat Selfridge*  
*April 29, 2006*

*Hayley Jarmin & Doug Sederstrom*  
*June 17, 2006*

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