

## 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.** The High School and Junior High Art Show will be on display through Sunday, April 30.

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 anyone from northwestern 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

The **McDonald Springfest** will be held from **9 a.m.-4 p.m. Central Time Saturday, May 6**, on Main St. in downtown McDonald. Outdoor booths will sell crafts and items from stores and in-home businesses and have garage sales. There will be a **mother/daughter tea at 2 p.m.** at the senior center. Reserve seating before Monday, May 1, by calling Johnene Cheney at (785) 538-2526. There will be a **kite design and flying contest** with judging at 3 p.m. by the school yard. Call Iris at Myra’s Fabrics, (785) 538-2475, for registration forms.

## the calendar

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**Kindergarten screening and enrollment registration** will be from **8 a.m.-noon and 1-3 p.m. today** at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 222 W. 13th. It takes about one hour and is for all children who will be attending kindergarten this fall. Appointments are necessary. Call Roberta Pinalto, West Elementary secretary, 890-6163.

**Highway entrance cleanup** will be **Saturday** as part of the Chamber of Commerce Beautification Committee’s, 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. Participants will meet at 8:30 a.m. in the Northwest Kansas Technical College student union to receive final plans. Call 890-3641, 890-7149 or 890-6692.

A **ham and bean feed** will be held from **5-8 p.m. Saturday** at the Masonic Lodge, 519 Center. Donations accepted. Proceeds will go to scholarships for local high school students and the Northwest Kansas Shrine Club programs.

**SHARE** sign up for the May distribution of food will be until Monday, May 8, at the Sherman County Health Department. **Pick up** will be **Saturday** at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the April distribution.

The class of 2007 at Goodland High School is holding the school’s annual **Promenade on Saturday** at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. The fieldhouse will open at 6:30 p.m., and the “prom” will start at **7:30 p.m.**

**Full Circle, an Aging Expo**, will be held **Thursday** at the Goodland First Christian Church. The conference is for older adults, ages 55 and up, and their caregivers. 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 [twatts@oznet.ksu.edu](mailto:twatts@oznet.ksu.edu).

**Karaoke** will begin at 8 p.m. at the Frosty Mug.

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:** WIC in Oberlin. Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** Blood pressures 10 a.m. at the Goodland Senior Center. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

The health department still has flu vaccine.

Assistance is available with comparing prescription drug plans and enrolling in Medicare Part D. Call for an appointment.

Blood pressures; infants’, children’s and adult’s immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; family planning; and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 890-4888.

**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 890-4888.

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 area.

The **Sherman County Good Samaritan Center** is having its **annual volunteer salad supper at 6 p.m. Thursday** at the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, 307 W. 13th. Call 890-7517 by Monday, April 24.

**“Rogue of the Railway or...Should He Free Her or Knot?”** is the Goodland Art Council’s annual dinner theater production. Theater performances will be presented **Friday-Sunday, May 5-7**, in the Veterans of Foreign Wars post, 824 Main. The Friday and Saturday evening performances will be dinner performances, and the Sunday matinee will feature a dessert bar. All will be catered by the Goodland VFW Ladies Auxiliary. All tickets are advanced sales; none will be sold at the door. Seating for the performance is first come, first seated. **Reservations** for the dinner theater and dessert bar need to be made by **Monday, May 1.** Call the Carnegie Arts Center at 890-6442.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Sherman County will do **flamingo drops through Friday, May 12.** 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. The flamingos will be left for a day and then picked up. Call 890-3665.

### school calendar

**Today:** Gold day. Kindergarten screening. Varsity track 2 p.m. at Holcomb. Varsity, junior varsity softball vs. Colby.

**Saturday:** Aquila Electric Car Race at Great Bend. Boys varsity tennis 9 a.m. at Scott City. Goodland High School Prom at 6 p.m.

**Monday:** Freshman and sophomore track 2 p.m. at Rawlins County High School. Varsity baseball 3 p.m. at Scott City. Varsity and junior varsity softball 3 p.m. vs. Scott City. School board meeting 7 p.m.

**Tuesday:** Gold day. Seminar — G-Club. Boys varsity tennis noon at Larned High School. Boys junior varsity golf 2 p.m. at Hoxie. Varsity track 2 p.m. at Norton. Varsity and junior varsity

softball 3 p.m. at Ulysses High School.

**Wednesday:** Black day. Youth volunteers meet with Red Cross at 11:15 a.m. in the ITV room. Professional Development Council screening at Central Elementary.

**Thursday:** Gold day. Seminar — STUCO. Varsity and junior varsity softball 3 p.m. at Holcomb. Varsity baseball 3 p.m. vs. Holcomb.

**Friday, April 28:** Black day. Kansas Pi Eta Sorority concession stand. Mid-term. International DECA Career Development Conference. Boys junior varsity golf 2 p.m. at Oakley. Varsity track 2 p.m., tri-state relays.

**Saturday, April 29:** Kansas Pi Eta Sorority concession stand. International DECA Career Development conference. State music contest at Andover. KLOE Home and Garden Show. Boys varsity golf 8 a.m. in Atwood. Boys varsity tennis 8 a.m. in Colby. High school faculty and staff dinner 6:30 p.m. at Sugar Hills.

**Sunday, April 30:** International DECA Career Development Conference. KLOE Home and Garden Show. Kansas Pi Eta Sorority concession stand.

### school menu

**Monday:** Chicken nuggets, savory rice, green beans, dinner roll, 1/2 orange and milk. **Tuesday:** Cheeseburger, lettuce, pickle, french fries, frosted banana and milk. **Wednesday:** Goulash, peas and carrots, dinner roll, pears and milk. **Thursday:** Cooks’ choice. **Friday:** Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, brownie and milk.

### senior center menu

**Monday:** Sloppy joes, hash brown casserole, winter mix vegetables, bun and fruit mix. **Tuesday:** Lasagna, tossed salad, mandarin oranges, garlic bread and cookie. **Wednesday:** Turkey, candied sweet potatoes, pineapple tidbits, bread and rhubarb cake. **Thursday:** Liver and onions, green bean casserole, rosy pears, bread and cottage cheese. **Friday:** Ham and beans, cantaloupe, cornbread and cook’s choice complement.

### 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:** Fern Heckman, a.m., and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Tuesday:** Anita Coleman, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** Shirley Hayden, a.m.; Chet Ross, p.m.; and Sutton, courtesy. **Thursday:** Faye Paxton, a.m., and Kaitlin Lee, 3:30 p.m. **Friday:** Sutton, courtesy.

### alumni reunion

The High Plains Museum will be displaying school photos during the 2006 alumni reunion. The museum needs photographs from the 1980s and ’90s. Graduates from those decades should call the museum at 890-4595 or stop by if they can provide pictures.

### 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.



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## Couple to marry in May

Tricia Rohr of Goodland and Jacob Meier of Russell plan to marry Saturday, May 6, 2006, at the Sugar Hills Golf Club in Goodland with Pastor Paul McNall officiating.

Tom and Kathy Rohr of Goodland are the bride-elect’s parents, and Judy Becker of Russell and Robbie Meier of Hoxie are the prospective groom’s. John and Donna Klinge of Sharon Springs and Walt and the late Patricia Rohr of Goodland are her grandparents. Bernice and the late Henry Becker of Norton and Flo and the late Bob Meier of Hoxie are his.

The bride-to-be graduated from Goodland High School in 2000 and



Meier and Rohr

attended Kansas State University. She is a real estate appraiser for Hayden Inc. The prospective groom graduated from Russell High School in 2002 and from the Northwest Kansas Technical College communications technology program in 2004. He is the chief technician for Eagle Communications.

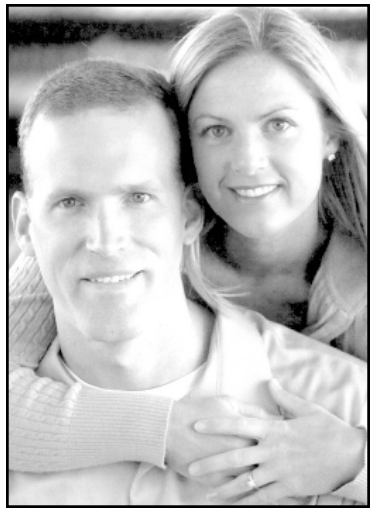
## June wedding planned

Tyge Nielsen of Goodland and Karin Best of Pittsburg plan to marry Saturday, June 3, 2006, at the Pittsburg First United Methodist Church.

The prospective groom is the son of Leon and Donna Nielsen of Goodland, and the bride-elect is the daughter of John and Glenda Best of Pittsburg. She has a daughter, Kylar.

He earned a bachelor’s degree in cellular biology from the University of Kansas in May 2000. He will be graduating from the KU Medical School in May and is a surgical specialist at Midwest Transplant Network in Shawnee.

She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in education from the uni-



Nielsen and Best

versity in December 1999, and a Master of Science in physical therapy from the Medical Center in June 2002. She is a physical therapist at Mount Carmel Medical Center in Pittsburg.

The family plans to move to Jonesboro, Ark., where he will begin a family practice residency.

## obituary

### Ethel Pieper

Ethel Amanda Witzel Pieper, 102, Burlington, aunt of Floyd (Betty) Wegner of Goodland, died Wednesday, April 12, 2006, at the Grace Manor Care Center in Burlington.

She was born June 11, 1903, in West Point, Neb., one of four children of Roy and Susan (Gaster) Ellis. She attended school through the eighth grade. On Jan. 4, 1922, she married Fredrick Herman Albert Witzel in Gurley, Neb. They had six children.

He died in 1961, and she later married Leonard Piper, who died in 1988.

Pieper was a member of the First St. Paul’s Lutheran Church and enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She was a homemaker.

Also preceding her in death were her parents; three daughters, Myrtle Louise Witzel, Darlene Witzel and Marcella Lempp; two sisters; and a brother.

Other survivors include three sons, Wayne and Fred Witzel of Burlington and Darrel Witzel of Colby; seven grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, April 17, 2006, at the Love Funeral Home in Burlington with Pastors Charlie Stoumbaugh and Jeff Hanson officiating. Burial followed in Fairview Cemetery in Burlington.

Memorials may be made to the Grace Manor Care Center in Burlington in care of the Bank of the West, 502 14th St., Burlington, Colo. 80807.

Condolences may be left at [www.lovefuneralhomes.com](http://www.lovefuneralhomes.com).

## matters of record

### Goodland Police

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

**April 7** — 2:55 p.m., 1503 Broadway, arrested Tracy Roberts on warrant for another jurisdiction. Case referred to county attorney.

**April 8** — 11:43 a.m., 618 Broadway, Chanell Peter reported criminal damage to property.

10:08 p.m., 321 E. 9th, Karen Nelson reported violation of a protective order. Case referred to county attorney.

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