

student news

Sondra S. Smith of Goodland was chosen for membership in Kappa Delta Pi at Fort Hays State University. Kappa Delta Pi is an international honor society in education and elects to membership those who exhibit the ideals of scholarship, high personal standards and promise in teaching and allied professions.

Kaitlin Lee has been awarded the \$300 Auxiliary Educational Scholarship from the Goodland Regional Medical Center Auxiliary. The auxiliary and volunteer services award a scholarship each year to a student planning to pursue education in a health-related field. Lee is a dietary aide at the hospital and has been volunteering in its gift shop. Her strong work ethics and commitment to volunteering were considered in choosing her for the scholarship.

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 has been extended for an extra week and will be on display through Sunday.

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 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

The Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging offices will be moving. They will be open through

the calendar

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“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** at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall, 824 Main. Friday and Saturday will be dinner performances, and the Sunday matinee will feature a dessert bar. All will be catered by the Goodland VFW Auxiliary. All tickets are advanced sales; none will be sold at the door. Seating for the performance is first come, first seated. Call the Carnegie Arts Center at 890-6442.

The **Goodland Masonic Lodge** is doing its annual **pin presentation** at **2 p.m. Sunday** at the lodge. The two students who will be in the Masonic All-State High School Marching Band at the Shrine Bowl, a football player from Goodland chosen for the bowl and his coach will be there. Fifty-year pins will go to Vernon Irvin and Ivan Parks, and a 60-year pin will go to Carroll Mogge.

SHARE sign up for the May distribution of food will be **until Monday**, at the Sherman County Health Department. Pick up will be from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 20, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the May distribution.

Commodities distribution will be from **10 a.m.-2 p.m. Tuesday** at the HarvestAmerica office, 109 W. 11th, and at 3 p.m. at the Goodland Housing Authority office. They will distribute canned peaches, pork in natural juices, peanut butter, egg noodles, wheat bran flakes cereal, cranberry juice (concentrated) and whole-kernel corn. Proof of household income or a commodities card is required. Call 899-3878.

The **kindergarten music program** will be at **7 p.m. Tuesday** in the high school auditorium.

Freestyle wrestling practice for kids of any age will be **Wednesday and Friday** at 6 p.m. in the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Call Terry Bahe at 890-6393 or 821-2844.

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.

A **boxing program** will be starting in Burlington. Call Ken Fox at (719) 346-5044.

school calendar

Today: Gold day. Central school parent cookout. Varsity track 2 p.m. at Colby. Varsity baseball, Western Diamond Classic, 3 p.m. at Hays. Varsity, junior varsity softball 3 p.m. at Thomas More Prep-Marian High School.

Saturday: Boys varsity tennis 7:30 a.m. at Garden City. Boys varsity golf 8 a.m. at Ulysses. Boys varsity baseball 3 p.m. at the Western Diamond Classic in Hays.

Monday: Boys junior varsity tennis 1 p.m. at Scott City High School. Boys junior varsity golf 2 p.m. at Hoxie High. High school band concert “Picnic in the Park” 6 p.m. at Gulick Park. School board meeting 7 p.m.

Tuesday: Gold day. Seminar — STUCO. Flagline auditions 7 a.m. in the high school gym. Varsity, junior varsity softball 3 p.m. vs. Scott City. West Site Council 4 p.m. Kindergarten music program 7 p.m.

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: WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. **Thursday:** Office closed from 8-9 a.m. for a staff meeting. WIC in Goodland. 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.

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 890-4888.

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:** Toni Hoss, a.m. **Wednesday:** Leora Jones, a.m.; Beulah McClung, p.m.; and Sutton, courtesy. **Thursday:** Jessie Owens, a.m., and Kaitlin Lee, 3:30 p.m. **Friday:** Faye Paxton, a.m., and Sutton, courtesy.

Wednesday: Black day. Northwest Kansas League meetings. Flagline auditions 7 a.m. in the high school gym. Central Site Council 4 p.m.

Thursday: Gold day. Seminar — FCCLA. Pre-calculus finals. Flagline auditions 7 a.m. in the high school gym. FCCLA banquet 6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 12: Black day. Flagline auditions 7 a.m. in the high school gym. Varsity track 2 p.m., Northwest Kansas League track meet at Quinter. Boys varsity tennis 2 p.m. at Colby. Boys varsity golf 2 p.m., league golf tournament at Hoxie.

Saturday, May 13: Junior varsity baseball 10 a.m. at Colby. X-Presso Guest Night 7 p.m.

school menu

Monday: Creamed chicken over rice, mixed vegetables, dinner roll, half apple and milk. **Tuesday:** Spaghetti, lettuce salad, garlic bread, apple salad and milk. **Wednesday:** Pigs-in-a-blanket, potato wedges, baked beans, pudding and milk. **Thursday:** Chicken nuggets, oven-browned potatoes, broccoli, dinner roll, fruited Jell-o and milk. **Friday:** Pizza lettuce salad, corn, brownie and milk.

senior center menu

Monday: Cook’s choice entree, winter mix vegetables, pears, bread and crisp rice treat. **Tuesday:** Mac and cheese with smokies, peas and carrots, strawberries and bananas, bread and bar cookie. **Wednesday:** Paprika chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, bread and peach cobbler. **Thursday:** Hamburger with tomatoes and lettuce, hash brown casserole, cantaloupe, bun and pudding. **Friday:** Chili, four-fruit compote, crackers and cinnamon roll.

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. 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.

Boy’s adoption final

Benjamin L. Lye was born Thursday, Sept. 1, 2005; his adoption by Andy and Alvina Lye of Ottawa was recently finalized.

His grandparents are John and Diana Nichols of Goodland and Ed and Ruth Lye of Akron, Colo. Great-grandparents are Les and LaVina Perry of Goodland, the late Phillip and Alverta Hargis of Dogwood, Mo., and Betty Eastman of Akron, Colo.

obituary

Jolene Sue Gremmel

Jolene Sue Gremmel, 68, Salina, foster mother of Butch Vandiver of Goodland, died Monday, May 1, 2006.

She was born on May 20, 1937, north of Athol, the daughter of Floyd and Luella Beach. On July 18, 1954, she married Wayne Gremmel in Kensington.

She was a foster parent for the state for many years and also worked at Wells Department Store, the Warehouse Market and was director of housekeeping at College Park, all in Salina. Recently, she had been a home health care provider.

Preceding her in death were her parents; an infant sister, Velda Jean



Benjamin L. Lye

Beach; and her husband in 1992.

Survivors include three sons, Rickie Van Gremmel and Radley Brent Gremmel, both of Salina, and Regan Wayne (Veronica) Gremmel of Tescott; two other foster sons, Bob Vandiver and Larry Vandiver, both of Salina; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be at 10 a.m. Mountain Time today, Friday, May 5, 2006, at Ryan Mortuary, 137 N. Eighth, Salina, Kan. 67401, with Pastor Helen Martin officiating.

A graveside service will be at 3 p.m. today in Myer Cemetery in Athol.

Memorials may be made in care of the funeral home. The family will decide their use later.

There will be no visitation. Condolences can be sent at www.ryanmortuary.com.

Leadership camp planned for teens

Kansas teenagers can develop leadership skills and learn their potential at a camp for middle and high school students this summer.

The Kansas Youth Leadership Academy camps will be in June at the Fort Hays State University campus. The middle school camp is scheduled for Sunday-Tuesday, June 4-6, and the high school camp from Tuesday-Friday, June 20-23.

Campers will receive a \$20 discount by registering early, either online at www.developingleaders.org or at 208 Picken Hall on the Fort Hays campus. Call (785) 628-5399 or e-mail kyla@fhsu.edu for information.

The camps will include hands-on leadership activities, team building, reflection and community service.

“The Kansas Youth Leadership Academy is committed to developing young leaders in the state of Kansas,” said director Kelley Kuhlmann. “We believe that youth development is vital to our Kansas students and communities, and that these camps are a great way to al-

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Divorces Granted

The following divorces have been granted by the Sherman County District Court:

Shawn E. Nelson and Andrea D. Nelson both of Sherman County.

Gregory Whittington of Sherman County and Lorilei Whittington of Tennessee.

Jason D. Peterson of Goodland and Renea A Peterson of Scott City.

Municipal Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

April 19: David B. Erickson, diversion fee \$100, 12 months unsupervised probation. Total fine and costs \$236.

low students the opportunity to develop their leadership potential.”

The camps promote positive and healthy lifestyles, character building and leadership development. Using university teachers, college students, secondary educators and community leaders from around the state as instructors, these camps serve to challenge and seek personal commitment to leadership.

Participants are provided a glimpse of life in the university’s dorms. Students will have opportunities to meet, network and develop lasting relationships with others from across the state of Kansas.

Firm hires Goodland native

April Hall, a Goodland native, has been hired as a consultant in the

farm program services group in the Goodland office of Kennedy and Coe LLC, certified public accountants and consultants.

She has been in farming for over 20 years and has almost 16 years of experience as a district specialist for the U.S. Farm Service Agency.

Kennedy and Coe, headquarters in Salina, 15 offices in Kansas, Oklahoma and Colorado, with 23 members, 21 managers and a staff of over 200.

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