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Developmental Services asks to keep budget same

The Goodland Star-News About 10 people in Sherman County benefit from the money given to Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas, county commissioners heard on Tuesday as they were asked to continue a \$45,000 budget for the agency.

The money comes from the special health care sales tax, said County Clerk Janet Rumpel.

Gerald Michaud, executive director of the agency, gave the commissioners his annual update of ser-

vices provided in the county.

receiving some services, with four on a waiting list.

Michaud said the group has been over 30 years. The group provides ceived some service from the reeducational classes, job placement services, supported living, superfor people with a wide range of dis-

He said there about 10 people are to handle the needs of our people, than covered the needs after the fedand we have to ask the counties to eral and state money is spent. fill the gap."

gional group.

Michaud said the half of a person vised living and training services is someone is receiving partial service. Atotal of \$268,621 was spent on services for the Sherman County "I come asking for support. I residents enrolled in the various come with humility," Michaud said. programs, he said, adding that he "The funding from the federal gov- was happy that the \$45,000 pro-

ernment and the state is not enough vided by Sherman County more

Michaud said some of the money His figures showed that 9.5 is used for training, he said, and reworking with Sherman County for people from Sherman County re- imburses training costs of other developmental services, such as the Golden West Skills Center in Goodland.

> 'Our services run the gambit," Michaud, "from birth to natural death. Our goal is to help each individual do what they can to find employment and reach their full poten-

Michaud said the regional board has worked with Clarence Scheopner, Sherman County representative, who has been on the across the region. Three of those are board for many years. Scheopner receiving some services, Michaud was not at the meeting while said, but would like to have more. Michaud was talking to the commissioners, but did come later.

Commissioner Kevin Rasure next three years. said he was glad to hear Michaud's group was working with Golden West. Rasure said that has been an issue in the past, and was glad to hear the two are working closer to-

Michaud said there are four people on the regional waiting list from Sherman County out of 103

One is on a contact list, he added, and expects to need service in the

Michaud said he was asking the county to continue giving the group the \$45,000 as in the past year.

Rasure said the request would be included in the county budget, which is being prepared.

All-school reunion planned for August

This is the year for old schoolmates to meet and catch up at the all-school reunion for graduates for Edson, Goodland, Kanorado and Ruleton high schools. Held every five years, it will be Thursday to Saturday, Aug. 10 to 12

The Class of 1956, which graduated 50 years ago, will be honored. Members who live in Goodland include Robert Beckner, Diane Workman, Robert Bradshaw, Jack Eklund, Lucy Ackerman, Larry Ihrig, Patsy Van Vleet, Lois Sieck, Conrad Pettijohn, Vickie White and Mac Thompson.

Carroll Mogge will be the alumni king and Mazie Sutton the alumni queen. Both graduated with the

On Thursday, Aug. 10, registration will be at the fairgrounds from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. The first and second sessions of the golf tournament will begin at 7:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Thursday and Friday.

Registration will be open on Friday, Aug. 11, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. A "meet and greet" with former teachers begins at 3 p.m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall, 824 Main.

Various classes will have parties in the evening. There will be a square dance at Edwards Hall, 2431 Walnut, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. and a street dance with beer garden and karoke at the Bankwest parking lot, 10th and Center, from 8 p.m. to midnight.

Saturday, Aug. 12, will start with registration at Max Jones Fieldhouse, 13th and Arcade, at 8 a.m. At 9:30 a.m., am assembly will start with announcements and introductions. At 10 a.m., there will be a performance by the band Three-Ring Circus. Abarbecue at Gulick Park starts at 12:30 p.m., with an alumni concert from 1 to 2:30 p.m. in the park.

Class parties will be held in the afternoon. In the evening at the fairgrounds, there will be dances from 8 p.m. to midnight with the bands Aces & 8s (country), Pomeroy (contemporary) and Three-Ring Circus (oldies). David Fairbanks, Goodland High Class of 1994, is a member of the band Pomeroy.

"I hope everyone attends and has a great time," said Dale Schields, president of the Sherman County High School Alumni Association.

Authors of book trying to make notes easier

By Pat Schiefen

The Goodland Star-News Want to know the secret of great note writing? A 1993 Goodland High School graduate co-authored a book to help, "On a Personal Note."

Keely (Schields) Chace, daughter of Dale and Jacque Schields, is a senior writer

for Hallmark Cards Inc. in Kansas City. Chace and her husband Jason have a 2-yearold daughter Olivia. The other co-

author is Angela Ensminger, an

editorial director for Hallmark. Ensminger said she spent months researching the book before she looked for a writing partner. Ensminger and Chace give

samples of notes for different occasions, such as gratitude, congratulations, important days, love and romance, apology and reconnection, comfort and cheer, sympathy and business.

Chace said she and Ensminger are both real people who need to write and send notes. When faced with a difficult note, neither had been able to find a guide that really worked for them, so they wrote one. than a card. It was a challenge I en-"I was able to take a six-week

break from my regular card writing responsibilities at Hallmark to collaborate with her on the actual writing of the book," Chace said. "Following our collaboration, it took about three more months for the on note-writing for kids," she book to be edited and designed.

nice to take a break from that to try my hand at writing something a little different — and much bigger these days."

The co-authors don't have any plans yet for another book but some chapters could easily expanded,

"It might also be fun to do a book added." I think 'On a Personal Note' "I love writing cards, but it was offers people a great way to take good care of their relationships a way that we tend to forget about

Oberlin Arts selling tickets

The Oberlin Arts and Humanities p.m., Sunday, Aug. 20, Oberlin City Commission has season tickets available for this year's events, allowing ticket holders to enjoy music, theater, art, comedy and a history tour in the schedule from August through April.

instead of eight, for the same price of \$60 for adults, \$125 for family tickets or \$65 for a family with a single adult.

There are nine events this year,

larger donation, patron tickets are \$75, benefactor \$100 and corporate \$500. Single event tickets at the 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 27. door are \$10 for adults or \$5 for el-Programs scheduled:

• The Turpen Tyme Ragsters, 7 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 17.

Park, featuring a grilled hamburger benefit by the Last Indian Raid

• "On Golden Pond," a stage play by the Southwest Nebraska Community Theater, 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 14. • Eli Barsi Western Concert, 7:30

p.m., Saturday, Oct. 28, with dinner commission will include the Holiat 6:30 p.m.

• Ben Ulin, comedy illusionist, nounced.

• Jay Antle, "Mobilizing ementary and high school students. Masses," remembering World War season tickets. For information, call

 $\bullet K\text{-}State\,Singers, 2\,p.m., Sunday,\\$ March 11. • Todd Green, instrumentalist, 2

p.m., Sunday, April 15. • Local History Tour of Traer and Herndon, 2 p.m., Sunday, April 29. All events except the tour will be

at The Gateway in Oberlin. Other events sponsored by the day Arts and Crafts Show on Nov. • Ronnie Kole, world-famous 25, High Plains ArtFest, senior re-For those who want to make a pianist, 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. cital, and a basic drawing workshop by Anna Seeber Shaw, to be an-

> Commission members will be ontacting people about buy II with Home Front Posters, 7:30 Ella Betts at (785) 475-3557 or of northwest Kansas want your old Mary Henzel, 475-3329.

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Frank J. Gilbert, Orlando, Fla.,

June 27: Nathan M. Linin, speed-

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served, six months unsupervised

speeding 55-40, fined \$96.

40, fined \$152.

probation.

Area music group collecting old cell phones and cartidges The Kansas Music Ambassadors All cell phones and inkjet car- formation.

cell phones and inkjet cartridges.

The group is collecting unwanted phones and cartridges through this fall to be recycled or refurbished and reused. It will get money from Phoneraiser, a company that specializes in recycling and refurbishing used technology, to help pay for a summer 2007 European Performance Tour.

"We're very excited about this program," said Deandra Schields, president of the organization. "This recycling program not only benefits Kansas Music Ambassadors but assists in preserving the environment and bringing communications to people who could not otherwise afford it.'

tridges will be accepted — look for green drop boxes — at First National Bank, Western State Bank or Topside Office Products. Donations may be tax deductible. Call for a 16-day, six-country, tour. Schields at (785) 899-2678 for in-

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Municipal Court Kevan T. Taylor, Colby, speeding license, fined \$76. 49-40, fined \$76.

matters of record

These are cases decided by the

Goodland Municipal Court:

June 12: Raymond L. Paul, Manhattan, disobey stop sign, no seat belt, no proof of insurance, total fines \$386.

June 13: Cassandra J. Cooper, speeding in school zone 28-20, fined \$116, diversion fee \$100.

Justin Harris, speeding 53-40, Anthony M. Chaffman, speeding

55-40, fined \$98, diversion fee Merla J. Hartzler, speeding 40-

30, no seat belt, fined \$86. Stephanie M. Heffel, Russell, speeding 40-30, fined \$76.

Frankie J. Avila, Colby, speeding 40-30, fined \$76.

Robert Casey Russell, speeding 53-40, fined \$88, diversion fee

discharge air rifle, fined \$136.

June 14: Stephen Moreland, III, Yomarra Ramirez, improper U-

turn, no driver's license, fined \$176.

rassment, fined \$286.

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Sara D. Ayers, disobey stop sign,

Hannah Morton, no seat belt,

June 15: Jordan M. Albers, ing 51-40, fined \$80.

no seat belt, fined \$86.

fined \$10.

fined \$80. June 19: Amber N. Cowan, improper backing, fined \$76, diver-

sion fee \$100. Dixie A. Schemm, Sharon Springs, speeding 51-40, fined \$80. June 21: Roger D. Enfield, speed-

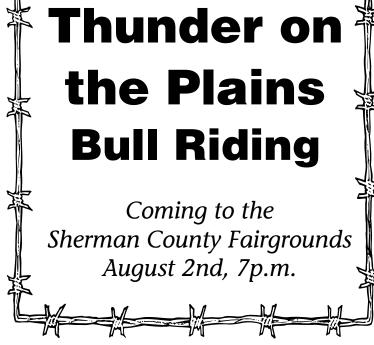
ing 40-30, no seat belt, fined \$86. Theresa L. Gordon, Hoisington, disobey traffic light, fined \$76.

June 22: Susana K. Peters, Seminole, Texas, speeding 49-40, fined

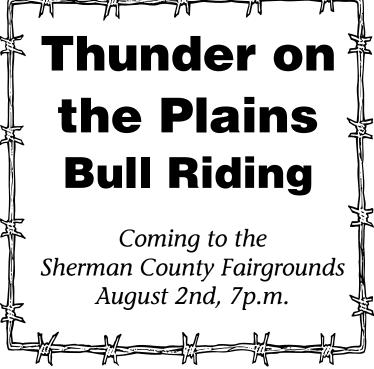
Brent A. Wood, speeding 40-30, fined \$76, diversion fee \$100.

June 23: William M. Jenkins, speeding in school zone 30-20, fined \$76, diversion fee \$100.

June 26: Tyrone Crosby, no dog



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