

relief fund

Dale Samuelson who was the Oakley wrestling coach for many years, is battling cancer. He and his wife Lorraine will be traveling back and forth to Omaha, Neb., for his treatments, which began Friday. They were between insurance policies and need help with medical expenses, travel, motels, meals, etc. A relief fund has been set up at Peoples State Bank. Donations can be taken to the branches in Goodland, McDonald, Colby or Hoxie or mailed to the Samuelson Relief Fund, in care of Peoples State Bank, 610 W. Second, Oakley, Kan. 67748. Samuelson has mantel cell lymphoma and has had surgery to remove a tumor in his throat and has had many tests done in Hays. He is at the cancer center in Omaha for treatment.

birthday

Kenneth Peck is celebrating his 90th birthday Wednesday, Oct. 4, 2006. Send cards to him in care of the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center, 208 W. Second, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from **1 to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Monday.** The **High Plains Museum**, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from **9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.** The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday** at 120 W. 12th. The Flatlander Photography Contest will be on display through Saturday, Sept. 30. An open house will be held during the Flatlander Fall Festival, Sept. 22-24, to celebrate the exhibit. Visitors during September will vote for their favorite photograph, and a People's Choice award will be given to winners in adult and youth categories. The **Goodland Public Library** is enrolling kids for **story hour** for 4 and 5-year-olds at **10 a.m. Wednesdays** and 3 and 4-year-olds **Thursdays, both from 10 to 11 a.m. Born to Read** for children birth to age 3, accompanied by an adult, will be **10 to 10:30 a.m. Fridays.** Story hour begins Wednesday, Sept. 13. Parents are asked to come in and enroll children. Marcy Melia, children's librarian, is in charge of story hour and can be reached at 899-5461.

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. Tuesdays** 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

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The **Leadership Sherman County** class of 2006-2007 will be introduced at a public **reception at 6 p.m. tonight** at the Ennis-Handy House, 202 W. 13th. **TNT Singles** will meet at **6:30 p.m. Thursday** at Edwards Hall for cards and supper. Call 899-2733. **Prairie Land Food** (formerly SHARE) **sign up** for the October distribution of food will be **until Monday, Oct. 9**, at the Sherman County Health Department. **Pick up** will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 21, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the October distribution. **'Tis the Season Collectors Club** will be gathering **donations through Saturday, Oct. 14**, for the fourth annual **Hospice Garage Sale.** The club is asking for slightly used Christmas and other seasonal and holiday crafts, collectibles and home decor. Home-made bake sale items are also welcome. The garage sale will be from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at 323 Harrison. Items can be dropped off at that address anytime. Call Judy McKee at 890-5188 or Linda Knott at 890-6444. The **Community Conversation**, planned by the Sherman County Economic Development Council and a steering committee, will begin with a free meal at **5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17**, at the Goodland Elks Lodge. The conversation is to help decide the future of Sherman County. Fill out a survey from any of the four

banks, the Co-op, the Goodland Family Health Clinic or on-line at www.goodlandchamber.com. **Citywide cleanup day** will be from **8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 25.** Students and teachers from Goodland High School will clean up yards and haul off unwanted objects and trash. Call 890-5656 if you would like their help. The **library is updating patron information** before launching its new web-based automation system this fall. Stop by to update your library card information. **school menu** **Wednesday:** Chicken nuggets, oven-browned potatoes, beets, wheat bread, peaches and milk. **Thursday:** Tatortot casse-role, peas and carrots, wheat roll, pineapple tidbits and mandarin oranges and milk. **Friday:** Grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, 1/2 apple with peanut butter and milk. **school calendar** **Today:** Gold day. Girls varsity golf 9 a.m. at Ulysses. Girls varsity tennis 2 p.m. at Colby. Cross country 4 p.m. at Oberlin. Varsity, junior varsity and freshman volleyball 4:30 p.m.-Goodland Volleyball Quad. **Wednesday:** Black day. AS-VAB Career Exploration Evaluation 8 a.m. **Thursday:** Gold day. Girls junior varsity golf 3 p.m. at Syracuse. Freshman football 4:30 p.m. at Colby.

Friday: Black day. Varsity football 6:30 p.m. at Hays High School. **Saturday:** Varsity, junior varsity volleyball 8 a.m. at Oakley. Girls junior varsity tennis 8 a.m. at Colby. Girls varsity golf 8:30 a.m. at Lakin. Young Guns football 10 a.m. **Monday:** Kids for Kansas solid waste at 8:30 a.m. Junior varsity football 4:30 p.m. vs. Hays High School. Freshman volleyball 4:30 p.m.-Goodland Volleyball Quad. **Tuesday, Oct. 3:** Black day. Varsity, junior varsity and freshman volleyball 2 p.m. at Atwood. **Wednesday, Oct. 4:** Gold day. Topside Tip-off meeting 5 p.m. **Thursday, Oct. 5:** Black day. Girls varsity tennis-regionals. Girls varsity golf noon at Syracuse. Freshman football 3:30 p.m. vs. Hays High. Homecoming parade, bonfire and pep rally at 6:30 p.m. **Friday, Oct. 6:** Gold day. Homecoming-varsity football 6 p.m. vs. Oakley. **Saturday, Oct. 7:** Freshman volleyball 8 a.m. at Hays. Junior varsity volleyball 8 a.m. at Hays. Young Guns football 9 a.m. Varsity cross country 9 a.m. at Lakin. **senior center menu** **Wednesday:** Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, peas, bread and mixed fruit with cherries. **Thursday:** Baked chicken quarters, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, bread and apricots. **Friday:** Barbecue pork sandwich, corn, spinach cheese salad, bun and raspberry applesauce.

obituary

Floyd M. Kemp

Floyd M. Kemp Jr., 72, Liberal, a 1952 Sherman Community High School graduate, died Wednesday, July 5, 2006, at Galichia Heart Hospital in Wichita. Memorial services and inurnment will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, 2006, at the Goodland Cemetery. He was born Nov. 29, 1933, in Sherman County on a farm north of Ruleton, the son of Floyd Maurice Kemp Sr. and Thelma Cleopatra (Lorance) Kemp. He was active in 4-H and Future Farmers of America, winning both local and state awards. During his adult life, he became a life member of the Loyal Order of the Moose. His varied interests included gardening, bird watching, raising exotic poultry, taxidermy and photography. Mr. Kemp worked in various ar-



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eas of farming and construction. He retired from National Beef in Liberal, where he was a heavy equipment operator. Preceding him in death were his parents and a step-granddaughter, Lisa Marie Hickman. Survivors include an aunt, Frances Stephens of Goodland; a sister, Faith Stebbins of Grand Junction, Colo.; former spouse, Betty Hickman Kemp of Goodland; and two step-sons, Charles Hickman of Goodland and Kenneth Hickman of Canon City, Colo.; four step-grandchildren; former spouse Georgina Hoffman of Garden City and her daughters; and his "adopted" family, Charlene Godbey and her sons of Liberal. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Heart Association in care of Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Barbershop groups to hold guest night

Members of the Tumbleweed Barbershop Chorus and the Hi Plains Harmony Chorus of Sweet Adelines are holding a guest night Thursday. Men and women who love to sing are invited to sing barbershop style with the choruses and an ice cream and cake social celebrating the September birthdays of five long-time Tumbleweed Chorus members. The guest night will begin at 6:30 p.m. Mountain Time Thursday at the Colby United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 950 S. Franklin. The guest night will include the men's and ladies' choruses singing separately and together as a mixed chorus. The Lasting Impressions quartet will be on hand as a teaching quartet and will sing a few selections. A 15-minute Barbershop Harmony Society video "Singing is Life" will be shown to everyone and will be

followed by group singing and the ice cream social. The Tumbleweed Chorus has been singing a cappella barbershop music in Colby and surrounding areas for over 25 years. They meet at 6:30 p.m. Mountain Time every Thursday at the Colby United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. The Hi Plains Harmony Chorus was chartered in September 1992 with the mission of providing a cappella harmony ladies barbershop music for the people of north-west Kansas. They meet at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday in the fellowship hall. The Hi Plains Harmony Sweet Adelines Chorus will present their fall performance "Shee Haw!" at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22, at the Colby High School auditorium. Call Sheila Krehbiel at (785) 462-6553 or Marge Miller at (785) 460-7562 for tickets.

Middle school students can enter 'Patriot's Pen'

Middle school students have can express their patriotism and compete for U.S. Savings bonds in the 11th annual "Patriot's Pen Program." The Veterans of Foreign Wars and its auxiliary are seeking entries for this year's program with the theme "Citizenship in America." National prizes totaling \$53,000 will include a first-place prize of a \$10,000 U.S. Savings Bond. The essay competition gives stu-

dents an chance to write essays expressing their views on democracy. All sixth-, seventh- and eighth-grade students in public, parochial, private or home schools can enter. Foreign exchange students and those who placed in the national finals are excluded. Students write an essay of 300 to 400 words and submit the typed essay to the post chair by Wednesday, Nov. 1. The Goodland post is at 824 Main; call 890-3021.

lincoln larks news

The Lincoln Larks Family and Community Education Club met Wednesday at noon for lunch and then at the assembly room at the courthouse. Nila Been, Colleen Duell and Arbutus Topliff were present. Karen Vandiver and Cinda Hatcher are members who were not able to be there. Officers were elected: Arbutus, president; Nila, vice president; Karen, secretary; and Colleen, treasurer. Members paid their dues and filled out the 2007 reports. The lesson was discussed, and Colleen talked about the State Fair. The group plans to meet in October. A date to remember is the lesson "Holiday Harvest" by the agents at the United Methodist Church. It will be at 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 20 at the church. A small fee will be charged. Submitted by Arbutus Topliff.

matters of record

District Traffic The following fines were paid in the Sherman County District Court: **Aug. 13** — Hunter Y. McDaniel,

\$219 for speeding and \$60 for unlawful acts with a vehicle. Adam S. Palau, \$138 for speeding.

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