

business news

**John G. Kite** of the Kite and Day law firm in St. Francis is among 17 members of the Kansas Bar Association who will be sworn in before the U.S. Supreme Court in Washington at 10 a.m. Monday.

Bar Association President David J. Rebein will present the lawyers to the court for admission. Following the ceremony, the bar association plans a reception to honor the lawyers in the west conference room of the U.S. Supreme Court building. All Supreme Court justices, as well as family and guests of the lawyers, have been invited to the reception.

birthdays

**Gladys (Zimbelman) Lampe**, formerly of Goodland, will celebrate her 85th birthday on Tuesday, Oct. 10, 2006. Her family requests a card shower to 1055 Robbia Dr., Sunnyvale, Calif. 94087.

**Ann Krayca** will mark her 90th birthday on Monday, Oct. 16, 2006. A come-and-go reception is planned from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 7, poolside at the Howard Johnson Hotel. No gifts are requested, but cards are welcome.

**Robert Daise** will be celebrating his 80th birthday on Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2006. The Farm Service Agency is having a card shower for him; send cards in care of the agency, 210 W. 10th, 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. Trompe L'oeil, the art of creating an illusion of reality, by Goodland artist Shirley Houston will be on exhibit at the Carnegie Arts Center during October.

**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.

**Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS)** will meet from 6 to 7:30 p.m. **the first Monday of the month** at the First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade.

**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

the calendar

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The Goodland Ambassadors' reception honoring **Michael Smith, national Family, Career and Community Leaders of America president**, has been postponed because he is in Washington. See Page 1.

**Ronald Radford, flamenco guitarist**, will perform at 7 p.m. **tonight** at the Carnegie Arts Center. Proceeds benefit the Goodland Arts Council.

The **Goodland After School Program** for first- through fourth-grade students will begin Monday. An **open house** will be held from 5 to 6:30 p.m. **Thursday** in the Central Elementary gym. Call the Sherman County Extension office at 890-4880.

**TNT Singles** will meet at 6:30 p.m. **Thursday** at Edwards Hall for cards and supper. Call 899-2733.

The **Goodland Senior Center**, 208 W. 15th, is having its 17th annual **pancake breakfast and bake sale** from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. **Saturday.** They will be serving pancakes, sausage, coffee and juice.

'Tis the **Season Collectors Club** will be gathering **donations through Saturday** 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. Homemade bake sale items are also welcome. **The garage sale will be from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday** 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 **Goodland Lions Club** will have the Kansas Lions Sight Bus at Wal-Mart from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. **Saturday** to do **free eye and hearing tests** as part of the Wal-Mart safety month program. Dr. Mark Wahlmeier will help in the morning. Bring old eyeglasses and hearing aids to donate.

**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 to 9 p.m. **Tuesdays, open; 8 to 9 p.m. Thursdays, closed; and 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Saturdays, open**, at the Elks Lodge. Call 890-8369.

**Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group** meets from 6:30 to 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.

area events

The **Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development** annual meeting will be at 6 p.m. **Central Time Thursday** at the Riverside Recreation clubhouse on U.S. 36 one mile west of St. Francis. Entertainment will be provided by the Once Again Sound and St. Francis Singers. Call Western Prairie at (785) 462-2602.

An **open house** to celebrate the opening of the **Interstate Dialysis Center** will be from 1 to 5 p.m. **Mountain Time Saturday** at 334 S. 13th St., Burlington. Call (719) 346-6080.

**Prayer Passion**, an all-night prayer conference, will be from 7 p.m. **Friday, Oct. 27, through 7 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 28**, at the Gateway in Oberlin. It's a night of worship, music and prayer with

"**A Magical Evening**," featuring a spaghetti dinner and the **magic and illusion of Eric Vaughn** will begin at 6:30 p.m. **Saturday** at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Proceeds will benefit the Goodland Arts Council. Tickets are on sale at the Carnegie Arts Center or from any board member.

**Line-dancing** will be held from 6 to 7 p.m. **Mondays** at Grant Junior High. No charge; everyone is welcome.

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. **next Tuesday** at the Goodland Elks Lodge. The conversation is to help decide the future of Sherman County.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. **Thursday, Oct. 19**, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

**Prairie Land Food** (formerly SHARE) sign up for the November distribution of food will be until Monday, Nov. 6, 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.

**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.

**Operation Flamingo Drop** will run through **Saturday, Oct. 28.** Call Big Brothers Big Sisters of Sherman County at 890-3665 to order a flock for your friend's, family member's or neighbor's

yard or to buy insurance to keep the flock from your yard. Flocks must be paid for in advance at 330 W. 17th.

school menu

**Wednesday:** Open-faced pizza burger, lettuce salad, french fries, pears and milk. **Thursday:** Ham and cheese wrap, broccoli, baby carrots, strawberry and banana cup and milk. **Friday:** Tacos, lettuce, cheese, hash browns, fruit cup and milk.

school calendar

**Today:** Gold day. Flamenco guitarist 8:30 a.m. for Grant Junior High and at high school auditorium. Flamenco guitarist 10:45 a.m. and 1 p.m. Varsity, junior varsity and freshman volleyball 2 p.m.

**Wednesday:** Black day. FCCLA Fall Leadership Academy 8 a.m. at WaKeeney. Little cheerleader practice 4 p.m. Basketball and wrestling rules meeting 6:30 p.m. at Oakley.

**Thursday:** Gold day. Freshman volleyball 3 p.m. at Colby. Little cheerleaders practice 4 p.m. Freshman football 5 p.m. at Garden City High School.

**Friday:** Black day. Girls varsity tennis-state. Varsity football 6 p.m. vs. Ulysses. Little cheerleaders performance 7 p.m. at half-time.

**Saturday:** Girls varsity tennis-state. Varsity volleyball 9 a.m. at Atwood-Northwest Kansas League tournament. Young Guns football 9 a.m. Varsity cross country 10 a.m. at Oakley-Northwest Kansas League.

senior center menu

**Wednesday:** Baked chicken quarters, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, roll and cook's choice fruit. **Thursday:** Chef salad, mixed fruit with cherries, crackers and bread pudding with sauce. **Friday:** Polish sausage with kraut, mashed potatoes, seasoned carrots, bread and applesauce.

Woman celebrates 90th year



Myrna Kelley

Myrna Kelley will celebrate her 90th birthday on Friday, Oct. 13, 2006, with an open house from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22, at the home of Eddie and Terri Anderson, 608 Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Cards can be sent to her in care of

obituaries

Bob Soellner

Robert L. Soellner, 69, Goodland, a retired railroad engineer and mental health worker, died Saturday, Oct. 7, 2006, at his home.

He was born Dec. 23, 1936, in Willowdale, the son of James Frank and Coletta (Arensdorf) Soellner. He attended school in Willowdale until the family moved to Sherman County, where he graduated from Kanorado High School.

Mr. Soellner had several jobs before making the Rock Island Railroad his career, and he served as an engineer for 20 years. After the railroad shut down, he moved his family to Larned, where he was mental health technician at the Larned State Hospital until his retirement.

He has served in the Army and the National Guard of both Kansas and Colorado. His memberships included Our Lady Of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and Knights of Columbus, both of Goodland.

On June 6, 1959, he married Janis Hodges. After their divorce, he married Shirley Daniels on Sept. 4, 1976.

Preceding him in death were his father; a brother, Jerry; a sister, Janice; his father-in-law, Ora Daniels; and a niece, Dayna Soellner.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Sharyl (Tony) Cyphers of Larned, Katrina (Lynn) Froets-

chner of Round Lake Beach, Ill., and Dottie (Weldon) Swearingen of Waxahachie, Texas; three sons, Bobby Soellner of Granby, Colo., Roger (Janie) Soellner of Canyon Lake, Texas, and Stacy "Tater" (Jessica) Brackney of Prairie View; his mother, Coletta Soellner of Goodland; his mother-in-law, Martha Daniels of Hays; two brothers, Kenny (Connie) Soellner of Goodland and Jim (Sally) Soellner of National City, Calif.; a sister, Mary (Tom) Butler of Goodland; two sisters-in-law, Della Soellner of Goodland and Leanna (Jerry) Fross of Hays; seven grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2006, at the church in Goodland with Father Norbert Dlabal presiding and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 7 p.m. tonight at Koons Chapel and before the service at the church. A vigil will begin at 5:30 p.m. tonight at the funeral home.

In place flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Father Flanagan's Boys and Girls Town, or a charity of the donor's choice in care of the funeral home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Richard Eugene Dunn

Richard Eugene Dunn, 56, rural Lane, Kan., a 1968 Sherman Community High School graduate, died Thursday, Oct. 5, 2006, at the Overland Park Regional Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 7, 1950, at Cherokee, Okla., the youngest of four children, to Glen Beauford and Charlotte Virginia (Stout) Dunn. The family moved to Goodland when he was in the fourth grade.

Mr. Dunn worked in Goodland for a few years for the railroad and also drove a truck out of Goodland. He worked at Taylor Forge as a welder from 1974 until 2000 and owned a farm. He raised black angus cattle on his farm near Lane and harvested wheat for many years on his father's farm in Oklahoma.

On Oct. 2, 1976, he married Patricia Newport at the Nazarene Church in Osawatomie. They had four children.

Preceding him in death were his parents and two granddaughters, Harlee and Hayden Mitchell.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Michael (Tracey) of Osawatomie, and Montana and Marc, both of the home; a daughter, Megan (Nick) Mitchell of Osawatomie; two brothers, Charles L. Dunn of Emporia and James A. Dunn of Colorado; a sister, Glenda L. Bair of Emporia; two grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Oct. 9, 2006, at the Eddy-Birchard Funeral Home in Osawatomie. Burial was in the Lane Cemetery. Pall bearers were Corky Mills, Montana Dunn, Michael Dunn, Marc Dunn, Sean Ward, Freeman Thomas, Jerry Sommers and Jeff Baldwin.

Memorials may be made to the Montana Dunn Education Fund in care of the funeral home, 203 Main St., Osawatomie, Kan. 66064.

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Central Elementary Gym  
October 12, 2006  
5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.  
**Food ~ Fun ~ Drawings ~ Information**

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