# **riends**

### 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. Joan Smith of Tribune will display oil and acrylic paintings, silversmithing works, pencil drawings and pottery in November. Her exhibit will open with a reception from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday and her work will be on display through Thursday, Nov. 30.

The Goodland Public Library holding **story hour** for 4 and 5year-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. 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 Pre**schoolers (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 p.m. (instead of 5:30) 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

### the calendar

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**Community Emergency Re**sponse Team training will be Friday-Sunday, Nov. 10-12. It is a 20hour training course. Registration deadline is Thursday. Call Judy McKee at 890-5188 for information. Applications are available at www.sherman.kansas. com.

Prairie Land Food (formerly SHARE) sign up for the November distribution of food will be until Monday at the Sherman County Health Department. Pick up will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 18, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the November distribution.

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

The Goodland American Legion will hold a **meeting for vet**erans and their families who would like to learn more about Veterans Administration benefits

at **4 p.m. Tuesday** at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall, 824 Main. E-mail Tips and Tricks will be

from 1:30-2:30 p.m. and from 4 to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, in the Northwest Kansas Technical College Library. Jo Ann Wahrman will explain how to add contacts, send attachments, make file folders, block junk mail, reply to sender only, forward, arrange screen design and instant mes-

Northwest Kansas Planning and **Development Commission and** Pioneer Country Development Inc. will be Wednesday at the American Legion, 235 Main, Grainfield. Registration will begin at 6:30 p.m. Central Time with dinner being served at 7 p.m., followed by the speaker, Angela Kreps, president of the Kansas BioScience Organization. A Power Point presentation will show the past year's business loan, grant and housing activity for northwest Kansas. For reservations, call Kathie Terry at (785) 421-2151 or e-mail nwkpdc@ruraltel.net by today.

Kansas State University Research and Extension is offering an agricultural conference, "Kansas Income Tax Institute," Wednesday and Thursday in Colby. Call the Sunflower Extension office at 890-4880 or call (785) 532-1504 for information.

The Pride of the Prairie Orchestra will present Handel's Messiah" at 3:30 p.m. Central Time Sunday, Dec. 17, at the Colby High School auditorium under the direction of Dr. Phil Shuman, vocal director at Colby Community College. The orchestra will perform "The Blue Jeans Concert" at 3:30 p.m. Central Time Sunday, Feb. 11, at the Colby Community College auditorium under the direction of Andrew Salvador, band director at Burlington schools. They will perform "Strings in Spring" at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 22, in the college's auditorium with Brad Herndon, director of bands and Colby Community College conductor, conducting. There is a charge for admission at each performance.

sage. Call 890-7631.

The Stroke and Aphasia Support Group will meet at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, at the Goodland Regional Medical Center's small board room. Stroke survivors and those with aphasia are welcome. Call Lisa Paxton, speech pathologist, at 890-3625, ext. 6313.

### school menu

Monday: Burrito, cheese, lettuce, tomato, refried beans, half orange and milk. Tuesday: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, whole wheat dinner roll, apple salad and milk. Wednesday: Macaroni and cheese with meat, broccoli, whole wheat dinner roll, spiced pear and milk. Thursday: Sloppy joe, french fries, pickle spear, frosted banana and milk. Friday: Turkey fritter, broccoli, whole wheat dinner roll, half orange and milk.

### school calendar

Today: Musical practice. Parent/teacher conferences 8 a.m.

Saturday: Musical practice. Varsity football-regional. Kansas Music Educators Association junior high band and choir contest 8 a.m. at Hays High School.

Sunday: Musical practice. Monday: Fall athletic buffer week. Musical practice. FCCLA wiffleball tournament.

Tuesday: Gold day. Musical practice. FCCLA wiffleball tour-

Monday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday.

#### health department The Sherman County Health De-

partment at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Monday: Scheduled appointments. Tuesday: Scheduled appointments. Wednesday: WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Thursday: Office closed 8 to 9 a.m. for a staff meeting. WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Friday: Office closed for Veteran's Day.

Medicare Plan D annual enrollment is from Wednesday, Nov. 15, through Sunday, Dec. 31. Senior citizens can change plans during this time.

Assistance given for Medicare Plan D, Benefits for Seniors and application for Patients Assistance Drug Program. 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.

nament. Fall athletic buffer week. Varsity scholars bowl 3 p.m. at Oberlin. Herb Swartzkoff Basketball Clinic 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Black day. Musical practice. FCCLA wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. AVAB explanation 10:40 a.m. during seminar, room 223. Lifetouch second chance picture day 1 p.m. at the high school. City/ county recreation sports 7 p.m.

Thursday: Gold day. Musical practice. FCCLA wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Math relays 7:30 a.m. at Fort Hays State University.

Friday, Nov. 10: Black day. FCCLA wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Varsity football-sectional. Goodland High School musical 7 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 11: Fall athletic buffer week. Musical 7 p.m.

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Monday: Tuna and noodle casserole, broccoli, mixed fruit, bread and pudding. Tuesday: Pork roast, au gratin potatoes, green beans, bread and apricot halves. Wednesday: Hamburger gravy, seasoned carrots, fruit cup No. 1, biscuits and cookie. Thursday: Oven-baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, rolls and applesauce gelatin. Friday: Bierock casserole, creamed peas, fourfruit compote and brownies with walnuts.



VanVleet, courtesy. Friday: Faye Paxton, a.m., and Sutton, courtesy. 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 at 866-448-2366.

### 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



Lisa and Jeremiah Jorgensen

# Couple ties knot

Jeremiah Jorgensen and Lisa Bates of Wichita. Bates of Wichita married Friday, Sept. 22, 2006, on the beach at Cocoa Beach, Fla., in a double-ring on the beach with the ocean in the

The groom is the son of Rick and Mary Kay Jorgensen of Goodland, and the bride is the daughter of Lori

# Couple welcomes grandchild

A Goodland couple is excited to have their first grandchild.

Madison Jean Austin was born Thursday, Sept. 21, 2006, at the Cassia Regional Hospital in Burley, Idaho, weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces, and at 18 inches long.

Her parents are Jason Austin and Sandy Saunders.

Her grandparents are Brian and Rippe of Oberlin, Nephi and Betty Kelly Rippe of Goodland, Wyatt Simmons of Heyburn, Idaho, and

Sherman County, the daughter of

Gladys Emaline and Richard Rob-

She graduated from Sherman

Community High School in 1946

and attended Fort Hays State Col-

lege. She taught at a country school

in Sherman County and has many

stories of dust storms, snow storms

Bill Luckert in Goodland They

farmed for several years and later

lived in Goodland, where she was

a department manager in dry goods

and health and beauty aids at Boo-

and carrying in wood and water.

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obituary

The bride's daughter Ashley was the flower girl in a simple ceremony

background and parents attending. The groom is an engineer at

Raytheon, and the bride has her own business.



**Madison Jean Austin** 

Her great-grandparents are Glenda and the late Robert Seibert and Dr. and the late Rogene Austin, all of Goodland, LaVerne and Colleen and Saundra Saunders of Heyburn, Mary and the late Frank Saunders

Senter, Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711 or Dave at 890-2858.

**Goodland Alcoholics Anony**mous 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 p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays at the Goodland 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 30th annual meeting of the

Admission to the **Prairie Mu**seum of Art and History will be unteers are in the gift shop. free from **1 to 5 p.m. Central Time** Sundays at 1905 S. Franklin in and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. Tues-Colby. The museum is also open day: Anita Coleman, a.m., and

### hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. vol-

Monday: Shelby Miller, a.m., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Emma VanVleet, courtesy.

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.

### crimestoppers

If you have information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

### animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 890-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 821-4142 or 821-4146.

Idaho, and Craig Austin of Salina. of Jerome, Idaho.

### G. Iona Luckert

Gladys Iona Luckert, 79, Topeka, peka to spend time with their fama former Goodland grocery departily and life-long friends, including ment manager, died Saturday, Oct. Twyla and Glen Middleton and the 28, 2006, at Midland Hospice Cencongregation of the Community of ter after a battle with cancer. Christ Church. She was born Oct. 15, 1927, in

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Cheryl (Kelvin) Hohner of Minneapolis, Kan., and Marla (Ken) Morse of Topeka; a son, Richard (Laura) Luckert of Prairie Village; a brother, Richard Rohr; a sister, Carolyn Sawyer; five grandchildren; and four greatgrandchildren.

Services were Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2006, at Penwell-Gabel Mid On May 25, 1949, she married Town Chapel.

> Memorials may be made to the church, 5252 S.W. 19th, Topeka, Kan. 66614, or Midland Hospice Care, 200 S.W. Frazier Circle, Topeka, Kan. 66606.

Condolences can be left on-line After retiring, they moved to To- at www.PenwellGabel.com.



### Goodland student to be in Colby play this weekend

stage this weekend at the Northwest Kansas Cultural Arts Center at Colby Community College.

Corey Grantz, Goodland, is in the cast of "Dearly Departed," the college's fall play, which will be presented at 6:30 p.m. Mountain Time tonight and Saturday. Tickets will be available at the door.

The play is set in the Baptist backwoods of the Bible Belt, where the beleaguered Turpin family proves that living and dying in the South are seldom tidy and always hilari-

A Goodland student will be on ous, said theater department direc- self silly as the funeral bills mount. don't tell nobody. Just bury me in tor Terrilyn Fleming.

> family keels over dead in the first scene, the struggle to get him buried involves the entire clan, includ- car. ing the not-so-grieving widow, who wants to put "Mean and Surly" on the tombstone.

pull themselves together for their father's funeral, the Turpins' other problems keep overshadowing the solemn occasion.

Firstborn Ray-Bud drinks him-

Junior, the younger son, is juggling When the patriarch of the Turpin financial ruin, a pack of no-neck monster kids and a wife who suspects him of infidelity in the family

Their younger sister, Delightful, copes with death as she does life, by devouring junk food. In addition, all Despite their earnest efforts to the neighbors add more than their two cents' worth.

> with mishap, Ray-Bud says to his ten by David Bottrell and Jessie long-suffering wife, "When I die, Jones.

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garts. the back yard and tell everybody I left you.'

In the midst of the chaos, the Turpins turn for comfort to their friends and neighbors, an eccentric community of misfits who just manage to pull together and help each other through their hours of need and, finally, the funeral.

A 2001 movie, "Kingdom As the situation becomes fraught Come," was based on the play, writ-



There are no words that can express how thankful we are for the benefit that was given in the honor of my family and me. We would like to thank everyone for their support and friendship during a time for needed support and assistance. Everyone has gone above and beyond anything that would have been expected.

A very special thank you to everyone who gave his or her time and donations which made the benefit a wonderful event. A special thank you to Becky Hargadine for hosting this benefit.

Kim Knox & Family

