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Hailey Renee Bolyard was born Sunday, Oct. 23, 2006, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. She weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces, and was 20 inches long. Lance and Dana Bolyard of Colby are her parents.

Grandparents are Dewey and Pam Augustine of Colby and Vertie Bolyard of Bird City. Great-grandparents are Floriene Whisnant of Colby, Freda Beckus of Ogallalah, Neb., and Leonard and Tillie Augustine of Ellis. Hailey was welcomed home by a brother, Heath.

Corey Mason Crumrine was born Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2006, at Newton Medical Center. He weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces, and was 21 inches long. Darren and Sarah Crumrine of Sedgwick are his parents.

Grandparents are Mason and Betty Crumrine of Brewster and Mike and Mary Hull of Sedgwick. He was welcomed home by a brother, Nolan Michael Crumrine, 3.

Carson Andrew Poe was born Thursday, Sept. 7, 2006, at the Hutchinson Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds and was 20 1/2 inches long. Chad and Jessica Poe of Great Bend are his parents.

Maternal grandparents are James and Sandra Gaede of Colby; paternal grandparents are Edward and Valerie Poe of Sharon Springs. He was welcomed home by a brother, Jade, 3.

student news

Erinn Abernathy of Goodland is on the staff of *Silhouette*, the campus newspaper at Garden City Community College, which was named No. 2 on-site Best of Show among all non-weekly broad sheet newspapers at two-year colleges in the United States. The paper received the award from the 2006 National College Media Conference in St. Louis, which Abernathy attended. The first-place paper was *The Sun* of Southwestern College in Chula Vista, Calif. Third went to another Kansas contender, *Crusader* of Seward County Community College in Liberal. Papers from Texas and Washington received honorable mention.

Larry Johnston of Goodland, a senior in vocational-technical education, was on the All-A summer honor roll at Pittsburg State University.

activities

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.

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.

area events

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.

TurpinTyme Ragsters ragtime band will perform at **3 p.m. Central Time Sunday at the St. Francis High School** auditorium. Admission is by Western Plains Arts Association season pass or can be paid at the door. The seven-piece ragtime band performs diverse songs from the ragtime era of the turn of the century. Reminding their audience of the days of concerts in the park, they include historical information and humor with authentic music.

The **Sacred Heart Parish of Colby** is having its second annual **Holiday Celebration Concert at 2:30 p.m. Central Time Sunday,**

the calendar

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The Goodland American Legion will hold a **meeting for veterans and their families** who would like to learn more about Veterans Administration benefits at **4 p.m. today** at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall, 824 Main.

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

The St. Paul's Episcopal Church women are having their **annual chicken noodle dinner and Aunt Fannie's Social Emporium Bazaar from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday** at the church, 13th and Center. Dinner includes slaw, biscuits, pumpkin pie and drink. Dine in, carry out or delivery. Call 890-2115 before 11 a.m. Saturday for best delivery service.

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

E-mail Tips and Tricks will be from **1:30-2:30 p.m. and from 4 to 5 p.m. next Tuesday** 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 message. Call 890-7631.

The **Stroke and Aphasia Support Group** will meet at **3 p.m.**

next Tuesday 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.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from **1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 16**, 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. Tubbs will be in Goodland on the first and third Thursday of each month.

The **Nu Phi Mu 12th Annual Arts, Crafts and Home-based Business Fair** will be from **9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 18**, at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

Prairie Land Food (formerly SHARE) sign up for the December distribution of food will be until Monday, Dec. 4, 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.

school menu

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: Gold day. Musical practice. FCCLA wiffleball tournament. 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: Black day. FCCLA wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Varsity football-sectional. Goodland High School musical 7 p.m.

Saturday: Fall athletic buffer week. Musical 7 p.m.

senior center menu

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, four-fruit compote and brownies with walnuts.

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 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.

alateen

A former Alateen member and an Al-Anon member have formed an Alateen support group that will meet from 6 to 7 p.m. on Mondays at 1275 W. Sixth in Colby. The group is for relatives and friends of alcoholics and is open to anyone 19 years old or under. Call 785-462-8152 or 462-6101.

tiny-k

Tiny-k Early Intervention Services, formerly the Early Intervention Networks, promotes development among infants and toddlers with special needs. The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center in Oakley provides these services free of charge to children in this area.

Services include speech, developmental, vision and hearing screenings to all children and physical/occupational therapy and developmental training to children who qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 115.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and par-

ents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Julie Dautel or Carrie Starns at 899-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

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.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter in Hays has changed its name to Northwest Kansas Domestic and Sexual Violence Services and provides help day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available in Hays. **Support group for women's** domestic violence victims/survivors is from **3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesdays; a men's** domestic violence victims/survivors support group from **noon to 1 p.m. Central Time Tuesdays; and a youth support group is available by appointment.** A sexual violence victims/survivors support group in Hays and a domestic violence support group to meet in Colby are being formed. If interested in joining or for information or help, call (800) 794-4624. For time and location of youth support group, ask for Donna Munsch.

tree donations

Many trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them. Contributions for the Goodland Cemetery Memorial Tree Fund can be left at Koons or Bateman funeral homes or sent to the Goodland Cemetery Board, Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

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.

obituaries

Delores Hilda Schirmer

Delores Hilda (Neitzel) Schirmer, 83, a St. Francis homemaker, died Tuesday, Oct. 31, 2006, at Good Samaritan Village in St. Francis.

She was born Sept. 23, 1923, in Cheyenne County.

Survivors include her husband, Henry Schirmer; a daughter, Relda Galli of Colby; and a sister, Mildred Edwards of St. Francis.

Services were Saturday, Nov. 4, 2006, at Peace Lutheran Church in St. Francis, with burial in the St. Francis Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to Peace Lutheran Church, Cheyenne County Hospital or Good Samaritan Village, all of St. Francis. Knodel Funeral Home, 202 S. Benton, St. Francis, Kan. 67756, handled the arrangements.

Bonnie Gail Kilcoyne

Bonnie Gail (Owens) Kilcoyne, 66, a Goodland homemaker and craft artist, died Thursday, Nov. 2, 2006, at her home.

She was born Nov. 29, 1939, in Colorado Springs, where she lived until 1982.

In December 1981, she married Patrick H. Kilcoyne. He was in the Air Force and was stationed in many places. They moved to Goodland in December 2000.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Dennis Stutzman and

Darrel (Kimberly) Stutzman, and a daughter, Cheryl (Doyle) Robbins, all of Colorado Springs; a stepson, Patrick C. Kilcoyne of Chattanooga, Tenn.; a step-daughter, Heather Kerley of Harriman, Tenn.; a sister, Jayne (Darrell) Melstrom of Goodland; six grandchildren; six step-grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday, Nov. 6, 2006, at Evergreen Cemetery in Colorado Springs.

Jean Elizabeth Lenz

Jean Elizabeth Lenz, 90, Lawrence, mother of Marilyn (Terry) Imel of Goodland, died Thursday, Nov. 2, 2006, at Brandon Woods Retirement Community in Lawrence.

She was born Aug. 5, 1916, in St. Joseph, Mo., the daughter of Edgar and Opal (Pepper) Kirby. On Jan. 9, 1937, she married Robert C. Lenz in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Lenz was an avid bridge player and was known as an excellent hostess. She loved spending time with her family. She was a member of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Lawrence, and before that, Christ Episcopal Church in Overland Park, the Linwood Boulevard First Baptist Church in Kansas City, Mo., and the Carriage Club in Kansas City.

Preceding her in death were her

parents, her husband, a brother and two sisters.

Other survivors include two other daughters, Johanna Fusco of Durango, Colo., and Carolyn Crawford of Lawrence; a son, Robert C. Lenz Jr. of Tacoma, Wash.; 13 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

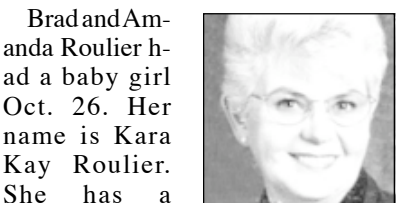
Memorial services will be at 9 a.m. Mountain Time Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2006, at the church in Lawrence, with private inurnment later.

Visitation will be from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. today at the church.

Memorials may be made to the Children's Center for the Visually Impaired or Midland Hospice Care in care of Warren-McElwain Mortuary, 120 W. 13th St., Lawrence, Kan. 66044-3402.

Condolences can be sent at www.warrenmcelwain.com.

Brewster family welcomes baby girl



betty jo baird

• brewster news

Brad and Amanda Roulrier had a baby girl Oct. 26. Her name is Kara Kay Roulrier. She has a brother Brett and sister Dara to welcome her home.

Darci (Rall) and Adam Schamberger had a baby boy born Oct. 23. They live in Thornton, Colo. Grandparents are Colleen and Albert Rall and Loyce and Earl Schamberger of Morland.

It sounds like everyone that had surgeries and illnesses are all doing well. We pray they will all be going full speed real soon.

The volleyball girls lost at state, but a big "Congratulations" goes out to you all for a great season.

The football boys are playing Victoria tonight (last Tuesday) in the first round. Good luck, boys.

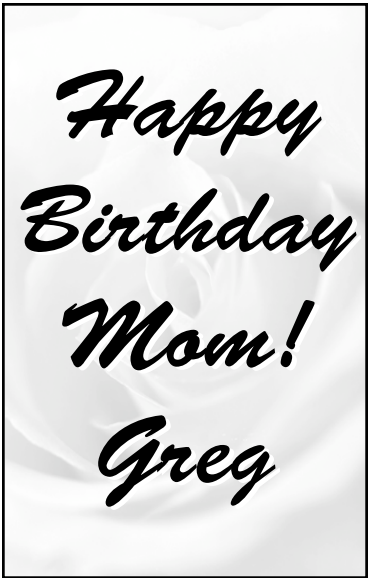
God, the Spirit of life, will always meet you where you are. Never pushing, never forcing, but always reflecting back to you the level of your own understanding.

If you believe in a harsh, punishing God, that is who you will meet in your time of need. If you believe in a loving, compassionate God, He will be your guide. If you believe in a partial, unjust God, you will experience the outgrowth of that belief if and when you turn to God for support.

When you believe in a powerless or limited God, who only hears when He wants to hear, you will have experiences which will con-

firm exactly what you believe. Your beliefs and perceptions don't change the true nature of God, but they do determine the experience you will have when you seek God. One of the most important principles to remember in life is, you always get exactly what you expect!

Don't forget to get out and vote today. Your vote does count.



Thank You!

I would like to Thank all that made my birthday so special. To my friends who came and sent cards. To my family who helped me make another memory. To Good Samaritan for hosting my party, especially Dorothy, Sharon, Mary Ann and Sherry. May you all be as BLESSED as I am.

Eunice Witman

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