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Golf team places eighth

The Goodland High School girls golf team came in eighth at their first competition of the season at Cimmaron on Tuesday.

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weather report

70°

10 a.m.

Thursday



Today

• Sunset, 7:11 p.m.

Saturday

• Sunrise, 6:20 a.m.

• Sunset, 7:09 p.m.

Midday Conditions

- Soil temperature 71 degrees
- Humidity 45 percent
- Sky sunny
- Winds north 20-33 mph
- Barometer 29.94 inches and rising
- Record High today 104° (1931)
- Record Low today 40° (1961)

Last 24 Hours*

High Wednesday	100°
Low Wednesday	66°
Precipitation	none
This month	none
Year to date	13.90
Below normal	2.15 inches

The Topside Forecast

Today: Cloudy with a 60 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 p.m., a high near 62, winds out of the northeast at 5 to 10 mph and a low around 47. Saturday: Partly sunny with a high near 71, winds out of the southeast at 5 to 10 mph and a low around 51.

Extended Forecast

Sunday: Mostly sunny with a high near 79 and a low around 59. Monday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of showers, a high near 87 and a low around 61. Tuesday: Mostly sunny with a high near 84 and a low around 57.

(National Weather Service)

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local markets



10 a.m.

Wheat — \$5.70 bushel
Posted county price — \$5.74
Corn — \$3.58 bushel
Posted county price — \$3.40
Milo — \$3.05 bushel
Soybeans — \$10.36 bushel
Posted county price — \$11.70
Millet — no bid
Sunflowers
Oil current crop — \$15.85 cwt.
Confection — no bid
Pinto beans — \$32 (new crop)
(Markets by Scoular Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)



Goodland canines get their day at the pool



Dogs of all shapes and sizes got to have a day at the pool on Saturday for the annual Pooch Plunge. Each year after the last day the pool is open to the public, the City of Goodland allows residents to come and swim with their dogs.

Photo by Pat Schiefen
The Goodland Star-News

First Baptists Church gets new pastor

By Pat Schiefen

The Goodland Star-News

The new pastor Rich Blanchette at First Baptist Church, 1121 Main, is enthusiastic about wanting to share the Gospel of Christ.

Blanchette served as a junior pastor at the Highland Park Baptist Church in Colorado Springs for three years before coming to Goodland. With his experience with inner city issues he expected to end up working in a large urban area. He said that he did not have any urban areas respond to his inquiries for a position but he kept getting ones from Kansas. Blanchette said that he realized that he was meant to come to Kansas.



Rich Blanchette

He said that he really feels called to this church.

Blanchette said that there is a lot

more responsibility in being the lead pastor than in being a junior pastor. Luckily he said he has great deacons here.

Before becoming a pastor he served 13 years in the Air Force as a trained counselor with two deployments in Afghanistan and Iraq.

While serving at field hospitals he said, “I saw the surgeons do miracles.”

“We need to do a better job of taking care of veterans,” he said referring to the recent revelations concerning the VA. Veterans deserve good care.

Blanchette said he became a Christian late when he was 19. He

said the emptiness he felt that could not be filled was filled when he came to Christ.

To become a pastor in the Baptist Church, he said, First you have to feel the call of God. Then the denomination likes the person to have some professional training such as seminary. Ordination is at the local church of the person.

He has been married to Casey for 15 years. “We got married young,” he said.

They have two children, Hailey, a freshman in high school and Richie, 9, a fourth grader.

Blanchette said he would like to see all the churches in town work together to help people.

Sentencing delayed in murder, arson case

William Andrew Shank’s sentencing in the murder of his former girlfriend, Teri Morris of Colby, will have to wait a few months for a mental health evaluation, a judge ruled Tuesday, following a suicide attempt over the weekend.

Shank pleaded guilty in June to charges stemming from the February 2013 death of Morris and burning of her home, but his sentencing will be delayed while experts attempt to determine whether Shank is legally competent to participate in the process.

At a hearing Tuesday afternoon, Shank’s attorney, Jerry Fairbanks, said the defendant had tried to

commit suicide on Saturday at the Thomas County Jail. Jailers took him to Citizens Medical Center for treatment, and he is now on suicide watch, Fairbanks said.

Fairbanks told District Judge Glenn Schiffner he would like to have Shank evaluated for competency before proceeding.

Prosecutor Jessica Domme, an assistant attorney general from Topeka, said she had no objection because state law says a defendant must have an evaluation if he requests it. Domme said she had visited with Morris’ family about the situation.

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Registration available for women’s conference

There’s still time to register for the fifth annual Women in Denim event “Pour Your Heart Into Life” on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3 and 4, at the Mount Sunflower Bed and Breakfast in Sharon Springs.

To attend, call Bev Elder at (785) 852-4262 or Sandy Rogers at (785) 899-3070. The registration deadline is Monday. Cost is \$100 for a Friday overnight stay, or \$40 for Saturday only. Space is limited.

Northwest Kansas Conservation and Environmental Alliance are putting on the event. It will include speakers and topics such as “Ageitude” by Jen Schoenfeld, “Who

Gets Grandma’s Yellow Pie Plate” by Amy Lorenzen, as well as hands on crafts and other things.

One speaker will be Julie Clark, an award-winning author, speaker, trainer and founder of the Inspirational Coffee Club. Through the club, she shares strategies that teach others how to pour their hearts into a life that overflows with happiness and fulfillment.

Registration at the bed and breakfast will be the evening of Oct. 3. There will be a meal that evening at the Pond Creek Diner in Wallace, a 1950s themed diner. The main conference will be Oct. 4.

Impressive growth



Jo Anne Busse Scott watered her sunflowers at the end of a wing at Wheat Ridge Acres, 707 Wheat Ridge Circle. Scott said she takes a pitcher of water out every morning to water it. She said she planted it in May. While she was sick her son watered the sunflower for her. Scott has been a resident of Wheat Ridge for several years.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

Truck convoy to depart Saturday

Goodland residents are encouraged to turn out along the parade route for the Eighth Annual Northwest Kansas World’s Largest Truck Convoy on Saturday to help support the truckers as they make their way out of town toward the rendezvous in Colby.

The yearly event helps raise awareness and money for Special Olympics Kansas. Registration starts at 7:45 a.m. at Wilken’s Truck and Trailer for the western leg, and at 7:30 at Mitten TA Travel Plaza on Oakley for the eastern leg. Both legs will set off at 9 a.m. In Goodland, the trucks will travel through town to I-70 and then continue to Colby, where both legs of the convoy converge.

After parading through Colby, drivers will park their rigs for the truck show. There will be a lunch, provided by Quizno’s and Schwan Food Company, served under the big tent. It will be open to the public for a donation.

An auction will start at 12:30 p.m. with bidding on items donated by local businesses, and awards for the truck show will be given out starting at 1 p.m. Vehicles will be judged for the best bobtail, or semi-tractor without the trailer rig, and for athlete’s choice.

Several activities are taking place in Colby today, including pre-registration for the convoy and a community supper provided by Montana Mike’s and Heartland Foods of Hill City, available for a donation. It will be served under the big tents in the Oasis-Petrol Travel Center parking lot.

At 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) there will be a basketball scrimmage between local Special Olympics athletes and players from the Colby Community College men’s and women’s teams. At dusk drivers will light up the night with a truck and light show, with a fireworks display by Taz’s Fireworks to wrap up the activities for the evening.

There will be additional registration before the convoy Saturday morning. The registration fees are \$100 for a semi-rig, and \$25 for car, motorcycle or pickup.

obituary

Adolfo Marez

Adolfo Marez, 64, Goodland truck driver, died Friday, Aug. 29, 2014.

He was born on Nov. 12, 1950, to Cesario and Consuelo Marez. The family moved to Goodland in 1970. Preceding him in death were his father, brother Antonio and sister Ninfa.

Survivors include his mother of Denver; children, Alberto Marez of Centennial, Colo., Adolfo Marez of San Diego, Calif., Alfredo Marez of Denver and Rosanna Bernal of Phoenix, Ariz.; three brothers, Cesario Marez Jr. and Alonzo Marez,

both of Denver and Fernando Barez of Joplin, Mo.; four sisters, Marcelina Stroupe and Theressa Hoots, both of Gunnison, Colo., Maricela Haugland of Oregon and Angelica Barton of Denver; 12 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 6, 2014, at Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th, Goodland with inurnment to follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials to be designated by the family may be sent to the funeral home, Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Successful lawn seeding explained

The keys to successful lawn seeding are: proper rates, even dispersal; good seed to soil contact; and proper watering.

Evenness is best achieved by carefully calibrating the seeder or by adjusting the seeder to a low setting and making several passes to ensure even distribution.

Seeding a little on the heavy side with close overlapping is better than missing areas altogether, especially for the bunch-type tall fescue, which does not spread. Multiple seeder passes in opposite directions should help avoid this problem.

A more serious error in seeding is using the improper rate. For tall fescue, aim for six to eight pounds of seed per 1,000 square feet for new areas and about half as much for overseeding or seeding areas in the shade. Using too much seed, results in a lawn more prone to disease and damage from stress. The best way to avoid such a mistake is to determine the square footage of the yard first, and then calculate the amount of seed. Using too little seed can also be detrimental and result in clumpy turf that is not as visually pleasing.

Establishing good seed to soil contact is essential for good germination rates. Slit seeders achieve good contact at the time of seeding by dropping seed directly behind the blade that slices a furrow into the soil. Packing wheels then follow to close the furrow. The same result can be accomplished by using a verticut before broadcasting the seed,



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• ag notebook

and then verticutting a second time.

Core aerators can also be used to seed grass. Go over an area at least three times in different directions, and then broadcast the seed.

Germination will occur in the aeration holes. Because those holes stay moister than a traditional seedbed, this method requires less watering.

If seeding worked soil, use light hand raking to mix the seed into the soil. A leaf rake often works better than a garden rake because it mixes seed more shallowly.

Water newly planted areas lightly, but often. Keep soil constantly moist but not waterlogged. During hot days, a new lawn may need to be watered three times a day. If watered less, germination will be slowed. Cool, calm days may require watering only every couple of days. As the grass plants come up, gradually decrease watering to once a week if there is no rain. Let the plants tell you when to water. If you can push the blades down and they don't spring back up quickly, the lawn needs water.

Once seed sprouts, try to minimize how much traffic (foot, mower, dog, etc.) seeded areas receive until the seedlings are a little more robust and ready to be mowed. Begin mowing once seedlings reach three to four inches tall.

matters of record

Municipal Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

July 14: Hector, I. Munoz, no seatbelt 14-14 years of age, fined \$60.

Jennifer A. Pennington, dog at large, fined \$90.

Crystal Sarianna, speeding 11 mph over limit, fined \$111.

Einan B. Smartt, no seat belt, fined \$10.

July 17: Shannon Marie Bryce, dog at large, fined \$90.

July 19: Hal F. Bandom, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$185.

Kevin Neil Jones, disobey traffic control device, fined \$135.

July 20: Nicholas A. Davis, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$105.

July 21: Ted L. Brigham, breed specific ban, vicious animal and no animal license, fined \$540.

Teresa H. Jimerson, battery - domestic battery, fined \$260.

July 24: Jennifer A. Roberts, speeding 12 mph over limit, fined \$117.

July 28: Abraham T. Singer, speeding 13 mph over limit, fined \$123.

July 30: Tobi J. Steggall, minor in possession of tobacco, fined \$85.

August 1: Billy Martin Curry, expired or no drivers license and no seat belt, fined \$170.

Jacob D. Gibson, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

Andrew I. Klein, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$111.

genesis and salvation army

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. Call (785) 890-2299 to speak to a volunteer.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian Ennis-Handy House at 202 W. 13th are from **1 to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Monday**. Closed on Tuesday. The Board of Trustees of the Sherman County Historical Society is seeking donations to help pay for the repainting of the house through Dec. 31.

The **High Plains Museum**, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from **9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday through Saturday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday**. Closed Tuesdays.

The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday** at 120 W. 12th. The center has new monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

The **Goodland Public Library** is open from **10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday** and from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday**. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

The **Good Sam Family Support Council** meets at **7 p.m.** the second Thursday of every month at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Meetings are open to all interested people. For information call 890-3117 or 890-5936.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at **5:30 p.m. the second Monday** of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

The **Goodland Activities Center** has the daily activities. For information call 890-7242. Memberships options for everyone including day passes for \$5. Visit goodlandcac.com or stop by 808 Main. The hours are 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday through Thursday, Friday 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. **Aerobics** are at 5:30 a.m. on Monday and Wednesday. **Insanity class** meets at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. **Taekwondo** with Wayne Luckert call for times and dates.

Weight Watchers meets at **5:30 p.m. for weigh in** and 6 p.m. for the meeting every **Tuesday** at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church, 521 E. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-6423.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous, 1013 Center. If you drink alcohol, that's your business. If you want to stop, we can help. Call 821-3826 or 728-7491.

Goodland Al-Anon Family Group meets at **6 p.m. on Fridays** at First Christian Church, 711 Arcade. For information call Alice or Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862. They also meet at Mondays at 6:30 p.m.

The "Freedom Today" group of **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and 8 p.m. on Sundays** at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays** at the Senior Center on 4th Street.

Narcotics Anonymous meets at **6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays** at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.

thrift store

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calendar

The **Pride of the Prairie Orchestra** will start up its fall rehearsals at **6:30 (Mountain Time) on Monday** at the Colby Community College band room in the Frahm Theatre Building on the campus of Colby Community College. Anyone interested in playing is welcome. For questions call Mary Shoaff (785) 462-2159 or Janet Hopson (785) 462-5102.

The next **Goodland blood drive** will be from **9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 18**, at Goodland Regional Medical Center, 220 W. 2nd. to make an appointment call Mary Ann Elliott at 899-3625.

There will be a **Scholarship Luncheon** for the Northwest Kansas Technical College featuring Governor Sam Brownback at noon on **Tuesday, Sept. 16**, at the Memorial Union of the college. For information call (785) 890-1530.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until **Monday, Sept. 15**. Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 27. at Cat's TnT, 115 E. 9th, or at the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 899-2338, 821-1275, 890-2287, 821-1827, 890-3793 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have whole boneless ham, chicken nuggets, bacon, meat balls, diced chicken and a variety of seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables. The specials are beef burgers, steak box, smoked half

Shop, 1002 Main, is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday through Friday. Donations welcome. The **daily specials** are 50 percent off men's department on Monday, 50 percent off housewares, furniture, electronics and crafts on Tuesday, 10 cent books on Wednesday, 50 percent off children's department on Thursday and 50 percent of ladies' department on Friday. For information call 890-2007.

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adults' immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; and family planning available by appointment. Sharps containers are available for a fee. WIC program available. Call 890-4888 or go to www.sherman.kansas.com.

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.

early head start

Early Head Start is a state funded program for income eligible families with prenatal mothers and children up to age three. Families participate in a variety of educational activities and receive free medical and dental care.

Services include special needs of children with disabilities. If you have a family member with a special

chickens, salmon fillets and white velvet vanilla cupcakes.

The **Family History Center**, 1200 N. 15th, Burlington, run by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, will be open from **9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m. on Wednesdays**. Everyone is welcome to do free family history research.

senior menu

Today: Chef salad, strawberries and banana, bread stick, and pudding. **Monday:** Sloppy joe, potato triangles or tots, winter mix vegetables, bun and apricots. **Tuesday:** Cook's choice entree, green bean casserole, beets, bread and ambrosia fruit salad. **Wednesday:** Ham and beans, coleslaw, corn bread and cantaloupe. **Thursday:** Roast beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread and strawberry shortcake. **Friday:** Tater tot casserole, peas and carrots, bread and gelatin with fruit.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - Cinnamon roll, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit and milk. **Monday:** Breakfast - Cereal, yogurt cup, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Hamburger with lettuce and tomato, sweet potato fries, fruit, rice crispy bar and milk. **Tuesday:** Breakfast - Biscuit and gravy, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, fresh broccoli, fruit and

milk. **Wednesday:** Breakfast - Scrumptious coffee cake, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Chili, corn chips, celery and cucumbers, cinnamon roll, fruit and milk. **Thursday:** Breakfast - Western omelet quesadilla with salsa, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Baked ham, two potato mash, green beans, biscuit and jelly, fruit and milk. **Friday:** Breakfast - French toast sticks with syrup, fruit cup, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Mac and cheese, meat balls, seasoned peas, fresh carrots, bread and jelly, fruit and milk.

school calendar

Today: 6 p.m. varsity football against Wray at Cowboy Stadium. **Saturday:** Varsity volleyball at Machebeuf. 8 a.m. eight grade volleyball A/B at Lakin Tournament. 8 a.m. junior high cross country at Thomas More Prep-Marian Invitation. 9 a.m. seventh volleyball A/B triangular at Colby. **Monday:** 4:30 p.m. junior varsity football at Wray. 7 p.m. board of education meeting at the Administration Building. **Tuesday:** 2 p.m. girls varsity and junior varsity golf Goodland Invitational at Sugar Hills. 3 p.m. varsity, junior varsity, c team volleyball quad at Max Jones Fieldhouse. **Wednesday:** 5:30 p.m. multicultural potluck at West School. **Thursday:** 3 p.m. seventh grade football at Holcomb. 4:30 p.m. eighth grade football at Holcomb. **Friday:** 6 p.m. varsity football at Holcomb.

problem, such as drug or alcohol abuse, job loss or other family crisis, your family can qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 187.

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 parents

music club

The 2014-15 year for the Goodland Federated Music Club began with a pot luck on Sunday, Aug. 24, at the First Christian Church. Birkley Barnes, Mary Beth Akers and Kendra Akers served as the hostesses.

The meeting began with President Barnes giving an orientation for the 10 members and four guests present. The yearbook chairman Linda Koons gave her report as the new year books were passed out.

The local and state songs were sung and the Federation Collect recited. The song of the mon "In the Good Old Summer Time" by Shields and Evans was sung with Virginia Warakowski accompanying.

A Beautiful Collection of Music was the program for this month. The name of each piece or the composer's name had to begin with A, B or C. Mezzo soprano Becky McCurdy led off the program singing "Love Has Eyes" by Sir Henry Bishop. She was accompanied by Koons. Martha Gunderson played on the piano "The Home Road" by John Alden Carpenter. The alto recorder duet of Barnes and Pat Schiefen played

are encouraged to get involved in their children's education. For information call 890-2552.

mops

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) meets the first Monday of every month October thru May. Meeting time: 6 p.m. -7:30 p.m. at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church; 521 E Highway 24; Goodland. For more information email goodlandmops@gmail.com or call (785) 890-6423.

"Babioli," "Contradance" and "Bouree" by Jean Jacques Naudot.

Linda Lucas sang and accompanied herself on the guitar "Cathy's Clown" by the Everly Brothers. The course of study on composer Frederic Chopin was given by Mary Beth Akers. She then played an excerpt from "Etude in E Major, Op. 10, #3." Warakowski played "Adagio" from "Four Short Pieces" by Franz Liszt on the piano.

The minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report were approved as read. The checking has \$210.48 in it and the saving account has \$470.88. Treasurer Schiefen reported that a donation in the memory of Marilyn Melia of \$240 had been deposited. A thank you note had been sent to her family.

The rest of the meeting was devoted to the plans for the District Meeting on Saturday, Sept. 20, at the First Christian Church in Goodland. The planning committee had developed a tentative schedule, subject to the District President's approval. Special music has been included. Member were asked to contribute dishes for a salad luncheon.

Martha Gunderson, secretary

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Hays professor impacts lives

By Ron Wilson

Director

Huck Boyd National Institute for Rural Development at Kansas State University

From track and field to the farming field. Today we'll meet a young Kansan who has made the transition between those two. In doing so, he is positively impacting the lives of young people in rural Kansas.

Craig Smith is assistant professor of agribusiness at Fort Hays State University. He grew up on a small farm near Yoder where his dad also had a construction business. Yoder is rural – but there's more.

"My interest in ag really got sparked when I worked for a neighboring farmer," Craig said.

He was also interested in sports and was an outstanding three-sport athlete at Haven High School. By graduation, however, he felt rather burned out on sports and decided not to pursue sports in college.

He went to Kansas State and majored in agricultural technology management. By his sophomore year, however, he was feeling bored. He decided to give athletics a try again.

"I became a walk-on for the track team," Craig said. In high school, he had done well with the javelin, so he became a thrower for Kansas State. He had lots of success.

"It was quite an experience," Craig said. "I traveled with the team, and it was the first time I ever flew on a plane." As he trained with the Kansas State coaches, he continued to improve.

In 2001, he set the school record for the javelin throw. He even qualified for the NCAA and USA Nationals before suffering an injury.

"I think everything happens for a reason," Craig said. "God had a hand in it." In this case, Craig spent time in the training room after his injury. There he got acquainted with some of the girls on the Big 12 champion Kansas State volleyball team, including Cari Jensen. The two hit it off and ultimately were married.

Craig went on to get a master's degree in agricultural economics. He then became an ag extension agent and natural resource engineering specialist in Missouri before moving back to Kansas and earning his Ph.D. in ag economics from Kansas State.

In 2011, he joined Fort Hays State

as an assistant professor of agribusiness. His wife Cari is from Colorado so Hays was in a great location, situated between where their families are located.

"I teach five classes a semester," Craig said. He has taught classes such as Marketing Farm Products, Technology in Agriculture, Advanced Farm Management, Agriculture Finance, Agricultural Resource Valuation (rural appraising), Agribusiness Firms Management and Marketing, and Current Issues and Ideas in Economics (online), and more.

Craig and Cari made their home on a small farm southwest of Hays. The farm is south of Ellis, near the unincorporated town of Antonino which has a population of perhaps 30 people. Now, that's rural.

"We wanted to raise our kids in a rural atmosphere like the kind that we grew up in," Craig said. He and Cari have four children: Jett, age five; Colt, age three; Shaylen, age two, and Remy who is four months old. The family raises Texas longhorns which are crossed with a Charolais bull. "The kids love it out here," Craig said.

Craig values his teaching. "Our classes are small so we really get to know the students and their home farms and ranches," he said. "I can tailor my lectures or homework assignments to their farming operations."

In 2013, Craig won the university-wide outstanding research award. Even though he has not been at the university long enough to qualify for the university outstanding teaching award, he has been nominated for it twice. In 2014, he won the Faculty Member of the Year award, the university's second highest honor. But the awards are not what motivates Craig.

"The biggest reward is when students come back and thank me for what I might have contributed to their success," Craig said. "I want to have a positive impact, both academically and personally, on the lives of these young ag students."

From track and field to the farming field, Craig Smith has made this transition and is now making a difference in the lives of students.

And there's more. His sister is making her mark in the field of entertainment. We'll learn about that next week.

Learning Center starts



By today all the schools in town have started up for the fall. Kindergarten was the last to start on Thursday morning. Pictured above is the Goodland Community Learning, 1207 Main, which actually started up before the Goodland Schools. The Learning Center helps people of any age to get their high school diploma.

Elementary students and high school freshman started on Tuesday. The rest of the returning high school students started on Wednesday.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

Oakley to have corn husking contest

The Buffalo Bill Cultural Center invites all of Kansas to come out and enjoy Oakley's 43rd annual cornhusking contest and festival on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 10 and 11, and be part of a public television program about how Oakley celebrates and shares the heritage of hand husking each year with a contest and festival that showcases our town.

The festival kicks off downtown Center Avenue on Friday with the VIP Corn Cook-Off. Look for the Hometown Team VIP Corn Cook-Off sticker in business windows and come on in and taste and vote for your favorite from 10 a.m. to noon (Mountain Time).

Friday afternoon huskers from all over the state are welcomed as they get into town and register at the center for Saturday's contest. The reception begins at 2 p.m.

(Mountain Time). Kansans of any age can enter the contest. If anyone has never shucked corn before, now's the time to learn. There will be cornhusking training in the field on Friday beginning at 3 p.m. (Mountain Time). Veteran huskers will teach new novice huskers the husking technique. Huskers can enter in individual and three person team contest classes. This year, the challenge was issued locally to the John Deere (American Implement) and Case IH (Oakley AG) dealers in Oakley and they have both accepted the challenge to husk off toe to toe in the field. We invite business, school, group and family teams from all over the state come out and participate.

On Saturday, the Kansas State Cornhusking Contest takes place in the cornfield next to the Buffalo Bill Cultural Center. The contest begins

at 7:30 a.m. (Mountain Time). The whole family will enjoy the contest and all the festivities throughout the day. There will be old time tractors and engines on display. Everyone can compete in the corn toss and kids dig for money in the corn pile money dig. And, don't forget to enter your pumpkin in the biggest and oddest contest. A \$5 entry fee gets you an entry for one or both contests. Weavers BBQ will have a great selection of barbeque for sale. Inside the center are rural life demonstrations. See how fleece is prepared and dyed, learn how to make a corn doll or a wheat star. Kids 5-12 can take part in the pumpkin decorating contest. After the contest, the winning huskers in each class are recognized at the Huskers Awards Banquet hosted at the Colonial Steak House.

Admission to the festival is free.

Contest registration fee is \$18 and includes a ticket to the Saturday evening awards banquet. Exhibition three person teams who do not want to register individually in a competitive class, register for free. If you have questions about the contest or festival events, or would like to register for the contest, contact Kylee or Laurie at (785) 671-1000. If you are an old time huskers who would like come out and take part in our filming project by sharing your past contest stories, please call and we will arrange an interview time.

The Buffalo Bill Cultural Center is located at 3083 US Hwy 83 - four miles south of I-70 at exit 70 on US Hwy 83 at Second Street in Oakley, Kansas. For more information about the festival, visit <http://discoveroakley.com/visitors/events/kansas-state-cornhusking-contest>.

Hansen Foundation increases amounts

The Dane G. Hansen Foundation announced that there would be a significant increase in the amount of its scholarships for the 2014-15 school year.

The foundation has 280 scholarships available in five categories to student in 26 northwest Kansas counties. Students must be from an accredited high school, registered independent, private or home school in one of these counties: Cheyenne, Cloud, Decatur, Ellis, Ellsworth, Gove, Graham, Jewell, Lincoln, Logan, Mitchell, Norton, Osborne, Ottawa, Phillips, Rawlins, Republic, Rooks, Russell, Saline, Sheridan, Sherman, Smith, Thomas, Trego and Wallace.

Ten Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarships will be awarded with an increase from \$6,500 to \$10,000, renewable for three additional years if conditions are met. Recipients must attend an accredited four-year public, private or church related Kansas college or university.

Fifty Hansen Scholar Scholarships will be awarded with an increase from \$4,000 to \$6,500 renewable for one additional year. Recipients must have at least a 3.0 grade point average at

the college level. They must attend an accredited four-year public, private or church related Kansas college or university.

One hundred Hansen Student Scholarships will be awarded with an increase from \$3,000 to \$4,000, renewable for one additional year. Recipients must have a 3.0 grade point average at the college level and must attend an accredited community, public, private or church related college or university in Kansas.

To qualify for the scholarships, a student must have taken the ACT Test and have a composite score of 21 or higher and have at least a 3.5 grade point average. They should be an active participant in extracurricular school and community activities, display good citizenship, leadership and moral integrity.

Students competing for Leaders of Tomorrow, Hansen Scholar or Hansen Student scholarships must register at their school and take the qualifying test at locations to be announced. Information on the scholarships has been sent to qualifying area schools. Tentative test dates have been set for Sept. 10 and 11.

One hundred Hansen Career and Technical

Education Scholarships will be given with an increase from \$2,000 (non-renewable) to \$4,000 renewable for an additional year. The student must have at least a 3.0 grade point average at the college level. Applicants for the Career and Technical Education scholarships must complete an application form that is available from the high school counselor or it can be downloaded from our website at www.danehansenfoundation.org. The scholarship committee is interested in the student's character, activities and goals. Applicants are not required to take a qualifying test and may enroll in any career and technical education program, in any Kansas school, as long as it does not lead to a four-year degree.

In addition to the scholarships offered to high school seniors the foundation will also award 10 Community or Technical College Transfer Scholarships. They have increased from \$3,000 to \$4,000 and may be renewed for one year upon completion of satisfactory work as evaluated by the committee. For information go to www.danehansenfoundation.org.

Kansas students outperform nation in scores

The percentage of Kansas high school graduates meeting college readiness benchmarks in all areas measured on the ACT college entrance exam, increased for the fourth year in a row, and the average composite score recorded its largest increase since 2011.

Seventy-five percent of Kansas high school graduating seniors participated in the 2014 ACT test compared to 57 percent nationally. Of those students, 31 percent met college readiness benchmarks in English, reading, math and science, (up from 30 percent in 2013, 29 percent in 2012 and 28 percent in 2011 and 2010), well above the national average of 26 percent.

The ACT college readiness benchmarks represent scores that would indicate a level of preparation needed to have at least a 50

percent chance of achieving a grade of B or above in entry-level college coursework.

The percentage of 2014 Kansas graduating students taking the ACT who met college readiness benchmarks in English and Reading held steady from 2013 at 72 percent and 52 percent, respectively. The percentage of graduating students meeting college readiness benchmarks in Math declined for the second year in a row (50 percent in 2014 versus 51 percent in 2013 and 52 percent in 2012). Kansas once again experienced the most significant increase in the percentage of students reported to be meeting science benchmarks (44 percent in 2014 versus 42 percent in 2013 and 35 percent in 2012).

Kansas ACT scores remained the same in math (21.7), but increased

in English (21.4 in 2014 from 21.2 in 2013, reading (22.5 in 2014 from 22.3 in 2013) and science (21.8 in 2014 from 21.7 in 2013).

"We are pleased with the increased number of Kansas high school graduates now taking the ACT," said interim education commissioner Brad Neuenswander. "This gives us a more complete picture of the college readiness of our students and helps inform state and local education decisions in Kansas. Our students continue to score ahead of the national average and our goal is to continue to increase the number of children meeting and exceeding established benchmarks."

The average score for Kansas high school graduates in English was 21.2, well above the benchmark of 18. Kansas' average reading

score remained unchanged at 22.3 (three tenths of a percent above the new benchmark). In math, Kansas students' average score was 21.7, just .03 percentage point below the benchmark of 22, and in science, Kansas students' average score remained unchanged at 21.7, 1.3 percentage points below the new benchmark of 23.

Overall, the average composite score in the state was 22, up two-tenths of a percent from 21.8 in 2013. The national composite score increased to 21 in 2014 from 20.9 in 2013.

In comparing Kansas' 2014 ACT college readiness scores with those states that also have 75 percent or more of its graduating high school students taking the ACT exam, Kansas' average composite score of 22 ranked second highest.

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True belief is only half the answer

An Associated Press reporter interviewing demonstrators in Ferguson, Mo., found a common thread that linked both sides of the street: an unwavering belief in their cause that sometimes defied the facts.

This says a lot about how we define public policy in our country – perhaps the whole world – and why, no matter how the election turns out, we always seem to be so sharply divided.

Demonstrators on one side wore shirts that said “Officer Wilson, I stand by you.” On the other side, “Darren Wilson is a Murderer.”

The guiding rule for both sides was an unshakable belief that each was right. Both put forth “facts” that contradicted what little is known about the shooting of 18-year-old Michael Brown – for instance, he was shot in the back, supporters say, while the autopsies agree he was shot in the front. But why let facts get in the way of true belief?

A psychologist called it “confirmation bias,” the process we all undertake of finding “facts” that support whatever it is that we believe, of conforming the case to our own guiding principles. It’s a way of thinking that leaves little room for thought, truth or negotiation.

And it says a lot about American political life today in Washington, Topeka and even your hometown, whether it’s the instant controversy, as in Ferguson, or the debate over raising the minimum wage. Basic beliefs get in the way of facts and compromise. True believers – including the conservatives running the government in Topeka as well as many of the public employees and big-government backers on the other side – want a whole loaf, not a deal that will focus on what works.

It’s either break the public employee unions, or give schools another billion, but nothing in between. But that’s not how government works when it works best.

It’s not that we don’t need the true believers on both sides. The Tea Party has its place, as do the bleeding hearts on the left who want more and more public services. They push us to action.

The question has to be, “What works? What spending actually produces a return for the taxpayer, and what’s just throwing money at a problem?” And, when is a problem best left alone?

But those are questions true believers can’t be bothered with. The process is much the same in Washington or at the City Council. Some people never saw a public project they liked – think of the group that forced a second election on a swimming pool after it passed the first time by a 2-to-1 margin – while others never saw one they didn’t back.

And let’s not even get started on Global Warming, or “climate change,” as it’s called on cold days.

Raise the minimum wage? Both sides have their facts. Supporters say a family can’t make it on the current minimum of \$7.35 an hour, opponents claim a big increase will leave many job holders unemployed, and both may be right.

But in looking over the last century, the era of strong labor unions and middle-of-the-road minimum wages seemed to bring the country some of its greatest prosperity in the 1950s to the 1970s. After that, unions became so powerful they were choking the nation’s basic industries – steel, railroads, textiles, autos – forcing thousands of jobs overseas.

True believers on either side will stand in the way of any reform, but sometimes we need to ask just what will work best for America. Often, that’s half a loaf, a little action and a lot of self-examination. Which never satisfies either side. – *Steve Haynes*



Regulation overreach

If the EPA’s proposed rule to redefine waters of the United States becomes law, farming and ranching as we know it today may end.

“This is one of the most egregious oversteps of Congressional intent that has happened in modern times,” says Ryan Flickner, Kansas Farm Bureau public policy senior director. “Certainly since the Clean Water Act of 1972.”

Under the proposed rule, the Environmental Protection Agency intends to wield much more authority than Congress wrote into this law.

EPA published its proposal in the *Federal Register* April 21. It contends the new rule clarifies the scope of the Clean Water Act. In reality it provides more confusion and less clarity for farm and ranch families and could classify most water and some land features as waters of the United States.

Ordinary field work and everyday chores like moving cattle across a wet pasture, planting crops and even harvest may one day require a federal permit if this proposal becomes final.

Clean water is important to all of us, but this issue is not about water quality – it’s about federal agencies attempting to gain regulatory control over land use.

Throughout this republic’s history, Congress, not federal agencies, has written the laws of the land. Two Supreme Court rulings have affirmed the federal government is limited to regulating navigable waters. EPA’s recent proposal sends conflicting messages and would



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extend the agency’s reach.

Also at stake here are the roles of state and federal government, Flickner says – where that line is drawn and where it may be crossed.

Congress initially said the EPA and Army Corps of Engineers could only regulate “navigable” waters.

Farmers and ranchers are straight-forward people who believe words mean something. Agricultural producers believe the authors (Congress) of the Clean Water Act included the term navigable for a reason.

Is a small ditch navigable?
Is a stock pond navigable?
Ever see any maritime barges trying to navigate a southwestern Kansas gully during a cloud burst?

Because a farmer’s field, a homeowner’s lawn, a golf course or a playground collects water after a rain does not mean they should be regulated under waters of the United States. The new regulatory proposals could do exactly that.

What about the EPA claims that agricultural exemptions currently provided under the fed-

eral Clean Water Act should relieve farmer and ranchers of any need to worry about the proposed rule?

Exemptions provided in the act are mostly limited to plowing and earth moving activities. They do not apply to farm and ranch tasks like building a fence across a ditch, applying fertilizers or other forms of pest and weed control. Nor do they offer protection from land that has entered agricultural production since the 1970s.

If EPA’s proposed rule becomes law, many farming practices would require government approval through a complex process of federal permitting.

EPA’s so-called exemptions will not protect farmers and ranchers from the proposed waters rule. If farmlands are regulated as waters, farming and ranching will be difficult, if not impossible.

Public comment will be accepted until Oct. 20. Contact the EPA and Corps and let them know your opinion on this critical issue.

“Enough is enough,” Flickner says. “Kansas farmers and ranchers have worked with our state agencies including the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Kansas Department of Agriculture and our elected officials. Let’s continue to work with these people who are more knowledgeable about our state.”

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The cost of education

Today’s hot topic is: college costs too much!

Much anger is focused on public university tuition that has risen faster than health care costs. It might seem that, similar to the medical establishment, higher public education can charge as much tuition as they want and nobody can do anything about it.

So what are the major causes of exorbitant tuition? Legislatures. Visionaries. And student customers.

State legislatures have switched from viewing education as a public good to a private good. Some states cut all higher education funding. When the 2007 recession dramatically trimmed many states’ tax revenues, their “public” universities were unaffected. They had already moved to “state in name only” and student tuition was underwriting all of the costs.

The second guilty party are the national and state “visionaries” that insist that everyone is college-able. From President Obama and Governor Brownback wanting 60 percent of citizens to have higher education degrees, to the Kansas Board of Regents insisting on growth in retention and graduation, the myth that everyone should go to college is printed on banners hanging in many high school hallways.

In the mid-1980s, 42 percent of the Kansas high school graduates went on to higher education. Today, twice that percent enter post-secondary schools. Most do not finish. Nationwide, about three-fourths of students who enter the private elite schools graduate, half who enter public universities graduate, and only one-fourth of those who enter com-



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munity college graduate.

So even if the state legislatures supported higher education as a public, not private, good, there would be twice as many students to subsidize. Figures confirm this: in the 1980s the state provided two dollars for each one dollar the student paid in tuition. Today the state pays 92 cents in instructional costs for each dollar the student pays. Every non-college-able student in college draws money away from the college able. And now, KBOR pressure to grow and retain and graduate merely pushes public universities to inflate grades and devalue degrees.

But there is a third major factor contributing to the inflation in college costs: competition.

A feature article in the August 1 Chronicle of Higher Education describes the growing competition to attract students by campus beautification. The title says it all: “Spending Shifts as Colleges Compete on Students’ Comfort.” Substantial amounts of money are going into remodeling classrooms and student unions and dormitories that were perfectly functional. Spending on these “student services” is going

up faster than spending on instruction.

The problem is simple: you can’t spend your educational dollars twice. Any commonsense Kansas farmer knows that having that reliable and productive green-and-yellow tractor working behind the house is more important than having a nice brick entrance to the front driveway. But college presidents are not Kansas farmers.

Many universities are shifting money to housing frills and expensive renovations of the campus and grounds to the detriment of the teaching force. “Instructional technology” using the latest fad equipment is obsolete in a few years, becoming another money pit. Higher administrators feel that it is more important to look techie than to actually provide professors with the facilities that they request.

Where techie gadgets are required, it drives up student costs and distances students from the remaining good faculty. Every dollar spent on “campus enhancements” is a dollar diverted from academics. Low salaries for new faculty then fail to recruit the best academics. More and more faculty are hired who are adjuncts. Fewer professor doors are open between classes.

It becomes a paradox: students are paying more but getting “cheaper” faculty, “cheaper” courses, and “cheaper” degrees.

Public universities are “lookin’ purty” and delivering less for more.

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Sentencing delayed in court case

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Schiffner agreed with her legal interpretation but emphasized that the delay cannot be longer than 120 days. Both sides agreed to a telephone status conference to discuss the case in early October unless a report is received sooner.

The courtroom was packed by more than 50 observers for this hearing, including family and friends of Morris and Shank, law officers and others. Unlike his behavior at previous court proceedings, when he fully participated with his attorney, Shank was somber and seemed to be paying little attention.

Judge Schiffner's order said Shank is to be evaluated by High Plains Mental Health or a state facility.

K-State develops online approach to disasters

Consider this scenario: You live where straight-line winds, occasional flooding, and fire are ever-present threats. Oh, wait, that's not just a scenario. That's reality for the almost 2.9 million people who call Kansas home.

"Flooded basements or devastating fires – we can't always control what happens, but we can prepare. In the chaos of the moment, advance preparation can make recovery easier," said Kansas State University assistant professor Elizabeth Kiss. "One of the ways we can prepare is to take inven-

tory of what we have and record it. We can also check our insurance options and make copies of important documents that can be accessed on short notice."

Prepare Kansas is a new K-State Research and Extension online financial challenge designed to help individuals and families be better prepared ahead of disasters which can ease recovery. The program focuses on a few activities every week during September, including: Developing a Household Inventory; Reviewing Your Insurance Coverage; Putting Together a

Grab-and-Go Box; and Tips for After the Disaster.

September has been declared National Preparedness Month by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

"Think of it as preventive maintenance," said Kiss, who is a family financial specialist with K-State Research and Extension. "We have the oil changed in our cars. We rotate the tires and check the belts and hoses. By doing that, we're working to keep ourselves and families safe. We also can take steps to keep our financial life in

order – even if life takes a wrong turn."

Working on each activity provides Kansans ways to be better prepared, but can also spark discussions about preparedness in general and the best ways to handle future emergencies, Kiss said. Accomplishing the weekly activities also serves a more general purpose by providing participants a closer look at their overall financial picture.

To register for Prepare Kansas, go to bit.ly/1pwiiFE or read the blog at blogs.k-state.edu/preparekansas/.

Governor proclaims 'Campus Fire Safety Month'

Governor Sam Brownback will sign a proclamation on Friday declaring September as Campus Fire Safety Month.

As college students settle into dormitories, residence halls and off-campus housing, State Fire Marshal Doug Jorgensen urges students to take the threat of fire seriously. "Many students are living away from home for the first time and simply don't realize the fire risk," said Jorgensen. "Awareness and fire safety education of our

college students are essential in reducing the number of fires, and are lessons that last a lifetime."

Now in its tenth year, National Campus Fire Safety Month has provided an opportunity for schools and communities across the nation during September to educate students about the dangers of fire and their role in creating a fire-safe environment.

The Office of the State Fire Marshal offers the following safety tips for students:

- Make yourself familiar with college or university policy on improper use of appliances, decorations, smoking, and candles.
- Familiarize yourself with what your response will be in the event of a fire and practice your response.
- Do not obstruct or disable smoke alarms or any other fire protection devices.
- Do not play jokes with fire alarms. False alarms get people hurt.
- Never neglect a fire alarm signal as a

false alarm. Respond to every alarm as an actual fire event.

- Alcohol use has been strongly associated with fire fatalities.
- Take personal responsibility for your safety.

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Farm and Ranch News

Crop specialist shares research results electronically

Ignacio Ciampitti is a long way from the Buenos Aires neighborhood of his childhood, but remembers his grandmother's influence on his early decision to work outdoors with plants and solve production problems. The Kansas State University agronomist spent summers working in the fields with her in a small town outside the city.

"Helping farmers to produce more food for our challenging world is my greatest passion," said Ciampitti, who is a crop production specialist with K-State Research and Extension.

That focus on working through production problems and reaching out to producers has resulted in two electronic publications (ePublications), both available free for downloading at www.agronomy.k-state.edu/extension/crop-production/corn/.

"Diagnosing Corn Production Problems in Kansas" (publication \$54 for tablets and smartphones) is an electronic version of a publication written by several K-State

specialists, previously available only in printed booklet form.

"Abnormal Corn Ears iBook" is interactive and includes a test that growers can use to help in identifying problems with their crop. Currently, it is only available on iPads, not on iPhones, but Ciampitti believes the technology will change enough to allow that soon.

Both ePublications are also available as pdf documents.

"Now producers don't have to take along a book or other paper guide as they are scouting fields and trying to determine what pest or disease may be affecting their crop," Ciampitti said, noting that many producers have their smart phones or tablets with them much of the time. "If I'm a producer and I find a problem in my corn field, I can search on my tablet for corn topics. I can search for pictures, I can search for names, right there in the field." He is planning to produce more ePublications for soybean, sorghum, and canola, and Spanish

versions, as well.

The Kansas Corn Commission supported the development of both ePublications.

"The commissioners share my view that the information was needed in an electronic, easy to share, and searchable format," Ciampitti said.

"The advantage of this is that we can develop such publications as this ePub that are portable, easy to be obtained, shared, handled, more searchable than a traditional publication and can change it as new information comes in," Ciampitti said. "The extension audience is evolving and new generations demand more effective and up-to-the-minute information available via iBook, ePub, Twitter, Facebook, and website related-sources."

The agronomist also uses Facebook (Ignacio Ciampitti/KSUCROPS) and Twitter (Ignacio A Ciampitti @KSUCROPS) to communicate crop information, but believes that because the audience on Facebook is limited to a selected group of people

("friends"), Twitter is more dynamic and interactive. Less than a year after he started tweeting, he has more than 1,000 followers.

"You can go to a meeting and speak to 10 people, and after the meeting you can also tweet the presentation and reach 500 people," he said, noting that while there is still a place for traditional communications, social media is another way to convey messages. "You can view everything from plant problems to announcements and it can be interactive."

He recently summarized his experiences on the use of Social Media and how this tool is revolutionizing the agricultural communication outlets in a very broad and high impact magazine from the American Society of Agronomy, Soil Science and Crop Science Society of America (ASA, SSSA, CSSA), CSA News. This paper can be found at the following link: twl.sh/1k0wSjY.

Ciampitti is careful about what he tweets, however, and tries to ensure that people

learn something with every message he sends out. Generally he sends no more than two a day and those typically go out around noon and later in the evening.

"People often check Facebook and Twitter before they go to bed," he said.

Ciampitti, who recently gave a presentation on using social media at a precision agriculture conference, InfoAg 2014 in St. Louis (with more than 1400 registrants), summarized some of his favorite mobile apps for agriculture at webapp.agron.ksu.edu/agr_social/eu_article.throck?article_id=176.

An article summarizing useful apps for agriculture by Ciampitti was published recently in the K-State Agronomy eUpdate newsletter at webapp.agron.ksu.edu/agr_social/eu_article.throck?article_id=176.

Researchers examine effects of temperament in cattle

As a new load of weaned calves enters the feedlot, workers prepare to process the calves upon arrival. Processing would likely include vaccinating these calves to prevent respiratory disease and treating them for parasites, among other regular processing procedures. Many handlers would acknowledge that the calves with more docile, or calm, temperaments are much easier and safer to process.

Cattle producers of all types – from the cow-calf, stocker and feedlot sectors – historically have selected for and preferred to manage calmer animals not only because they are safer for handlers to be around, but they also seem to gain weight faster and have fewer health issues.

Recent research involving many universities, including Kansas State, examined the genetics of bovine temperament and how it relates to two important aspects of production: immune function, specifically animals' susceptibility to bovine respiratory disease, and carcass merit. It found, as previous research has also indicated, that temperament is a moderately heritable trait producers can select for in their herds.

Bob Weaber, beef breeding and genetics specialist for K-State Research and Extension and one of the researchers on the project, said this study showed that animals with a more favorable temperament gained better on feed compared to more excitable animals. Because of this, they were overall more mature at harvest and seemed to have carcass fat, which is desirable to an extent for better quality grades. But, at extreme levels, the extra fat is undesirable for both quality and yield grades.

Temperament and its relation to the disease component of the study was a little harder for the researchers to separate, he said, and yielded some somewhat surprising findings.

The researchers measured temperament in two ways: chute score and exit velocity. The chute score scale defined by the Beef Improvement Federation (www.bifconference.com/bif2012/proceedings-pdf/05randel.pdf) ranges from 1 to 6, where calmer animals are at the lower end and most aggravated cattle, the ones Weaber said "test every weld on the squeeze chute," are at the higher end.

"In this case, most of the animals scored 2, 3 and 4, which is typical of beef cattle categorization in the United States," he said.

Exit velocity was calculated based on the time it took an animal to cover a defined distance of 6 feet, after it was released from the chute.

Additionally, a blood sample from each animal was taken to examine concentrations of cortisol and interleukin-8 (IL-8). High levels of cortisol indicate stress in cattle, while high levels of IL-8 show a more active or functional immune system, Weaber said.

Health component's surprising results

At first thought, producers might desire low levels of cortisol and high levels of IL-8 in their cattle, Weaber said, as these cattle would likely be calmer and have stronger immune responses. However, this study found that concentrations of IL-8 had a positive relationship with animals classified with respiratory disease, while concentrations of cortisol had a strong negative genetic relationship with respiratory disease – an interesting and unexpected finding of this study.

Weaber said he understands this finding to mean that a strong immune response could cost an animal a lot of energy. Animals with strong immune responses, and higher levels of IL-8, might generate fevers and have other negative responses that could affect performance.

Carcass merit somewhat expected

The researchers found that animals with genetics to be more temperamental, based on chute scores, typically had genetic merit for slightly heavier carcass weights, slightly larger ribeye areas, numerically lower, more favorable yield grades, but slightly worse marbling scores compared to calmer cattle. Those were all relatively weak relationships though, Weaber said.

IL-8 concentration from a genetics standpoint, he said, was positively associated with hot carcass weight and marbling score, meaning those cattle with higher immune response had the genetic potential to be heavier and fatter. IL-8 concentration did not have a relationship with ribeye area and had a slight positive genetic association with yield grade, meaning it related to less desirable, higher yield grades.

More information is available in the 2014 Cattle-men's Day publication (www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/SRP1101.pdf), available online through the K-State Research and Extension Bookstore. Beef Quality Assurance training can be completed online at www.animalcaretraining.org.

Livestock water and fencing workshop set for Tuesday

Mark Green, NRCS specialist from Missouri, will return to Kansas to offer his popular workshop on electric fencing and livestock watering options for all species of livestock September 9 in Topeka, KS. The workshop will be held at the Topeka Ramada, 420 SE 6th Ave., with registration beginning at 8:30 AM. The workshop is scheduled to last until 4:00 PM.

Green's workshop, which includes additional information for producers who have sheep and goats, is part of "Amazing Grazing II: For Ruminants Great and Small," an evolution of the Amazing Grazing: Enhancing Risk Management Education for Kansas Graziers and Livestock Producers Project, which started July 1, 2014 and concludes June 30, 2015. For a complete list of events and workshops, go to www.AmazingGrazingKansas.com.

Water availability is the number one limiting factor for grazing possibilities. The addition of electric

fencing will increase grazing options that can in-turn benefit range health, the soil, as well as improve production and profitability. Green will explain electric fence products, the pros and cons of various materials used in electric fence construction, and installation techniques. He will also cover livestock watering topics, water distribution for improved grazing distribution, permanent and portable tanks, above and below ground pipeline, and water sources-wells, streams, springs, and ponds. Fencing and watering needs for sheep and goats will also be included in the workshop.

Producers always enjoy Green's cowboy humor and expertise from years of experience. He states, "I believe that folks in my line of work should gather information that works and pass it on to the ranchers I work with. What makes me different is that I am not selling anything; I am sharing the ideas I have seen visiting many ranches. Even little things can

make a big difference. I will relay what works; as well as things to avoid in water and fencing."

Cost for the workshop is \$30.00, which includes lunch and two hand-outs on electric fencing and water development. An early-bird registration savings of \$5.00 is available to those who register before August 31. Please register online at www.kansasgraziers.blogspot.com or contact Mary Howell by email at kfu.mary@gmail.com or call 785-562-8726.

Amazing Grazing project collaborators include Kansas Grazing Lands Coalition, National Resources Conservation Service, Kansas State Research and Extension, and Kansas Center for Sustainable Agriculture and Alternative Crops, Farm Credit Services and Kansas Graziers Association. Visit the Amazing Grazing blog, www.AmazingGrazingKansas.com, for project information, event details, or to sign-up for the e-newsletter.

Record your input on water vision plan

In response to Kansans wanting a simple way to provide feedback on the Preliminary Discussion Draft on the Future of Water in Kansas, an online survey has been developed and can be found on the Kansas Water Office website, www.kwo.org/50_Year_Vision/50_Year_Vision.htm.

To date more than 200 vision meetings with more than 10,000 attendees have been held to receive input to help establish priorities to ensure a reliable water

supply for our state. The deadline for this round of input and feedback is October 15.

For more information or to view the Preliminary Discussion Draft of the Vision for the Future of Water in Kansas, visit www.kwo.org. The final discussion draft will be shared later this fall at the Governor's Conference on the Future of Water in Kansas, November 12-13, in Manhattan, Ks.

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ORDINANCE NO. 1659
SUMMARY

On September 2nd 2014 the City of Goodland, Kansas adopted Ordinance No. 1659, incorporating by reference the Standard Traffic Ordinance for Kansas Cities, 2014 Edition, for the purpose of regulating traffic within the corporate limits of the City of Goodland, Kansas. A complete copy of this ordinance is available at www.cityofgoodland.org or at Goodland City Hall. This summary was certified by Jerry Fairbanks, City Attorney.

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ORDINANCE NO. 1660
SUMMARY

On September 2nd, 2014 the City of Goodland, Kansas adopted Ordinance No. 1660, incorporating by reference the Uniform Public Offense Code, 2014 Edition, for the purpose of regulating public offenses within the corporate limits of the City of Goodland, Kansas. A complete copy of this ordinance is available at www.cityofgoodland.org or at Goodland City Hall. This summary was certified by Jerry Fairbanks, City Attorney.

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RESOLUTION NO. 1419

A RESOLUTION FIXING A TIME AND PLACE AND PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF A HEARING BEFORE THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GOODLAND, KANSAS, AT WHICH THE OWNER, HIS OR HER AGENT, LIENHOLDERS OF RECORD, OCCUPANTS AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST OF STRUCTURES LOCATED WITHIN SAID CITY AND DESCRIBED HEREIN MAY APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY SUCH STRUCTURE SHOULD NOT BE CONDEMNED AND ORDERED REPAIRED OR DEMOLISHED AS AN UNSAFE OR DANGEROUS STRUCTURE.

WHEREAS, the enforcing officer of the City of Goodland, Kansas, did on the 2nd day of September 2014, file with the governing body of said city, a statement in writing that the structure, hereinafter described, is unsafe and dangerous.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GOODLAND, KANSAS:

That a hearing will be held on the **20th day of October 2014**, before the governing body of the city at **5:00 o'clock p.m. MST** at the City Commission Chambers, 204 W 11th, 2nd Floor; Goodland, Kansas, at which the owner, his or her agent, any lien holders of record, any occupant and any other parties in interest, as that term is defined by law, of the structure located at:

Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), Block Sixty-seven (67), Original Town, Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 223 W. 11th Street

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

Adopted this 2nd day of September, 2014.

Annette Fairbanks,
Mayor

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk,
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 1420

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Lots Twenty-three (23) and Twenty-four (24), Block Twelve (12), Third Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 1001 Caldwell Avenue.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

Adopted this 2nd day of September, 2014.

Annette Fairbanks,
Mayor

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk,
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 1421

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Lots one (1), Two (2) and Three (3), Block Thirty-seven (37), Second Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 602 Sherman Avenue.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

Adopted this 2nd day of September, 2014.

Annette Fairbanks,
Mayor

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk,
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 1422

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Lots Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23) and Twenty-four (24), Block Two (2), First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 602 West 9th Street.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

Adopted this 2nd day of September, 2014.

Annette Fairbanks,
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Lots Five (5) and Six (6), Block Nine (9), Subdivision to First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. AND The North Five Feet and Ten Inches (N5'10") of Lot Fourteen (14), Block Two (2), Sharps Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 1503 Syracuse Avenue.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

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Annette Fairbanks,
Mayor

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RESOLUTION NO. 1424

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Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in the Sub-Division of Block Seventy-five (75), in the Original Town of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 1201 Broadway Avenue.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

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Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11), Block 12, First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 513

West 9th Street.

may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned as an unsafe or dangerous structure and ordered repaired or demolished.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this resolution to be published two consecutive weeks in the official city paper and shall give notice of the aforesaid hearing in the manner provided by law.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of Grace I. Ihrig,
Deceased

Case No. 14PR16

NOTICE OF HEARING THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by Charles A. Ihrig, an heir of the decedent, Grace I. Ihrig, praying that:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Sherman County, Kansas:

Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Seven (7) South, Range Forty (40), West of the 6th P.M

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death. Further, that such property and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before September 15, 2014, at 10:00 a.m., in the District Court, Sherman County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgement and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Charles A. Ihrig
Petitioner

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1002 Broadway Ste B.
P. O. Box 968
Goodland, Kansas 67735-0968
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Activities center holds night golf tournament

The Goodland Activities Center held its 13th annual Night Golf Fundraising Tournament on Aug. 23. Seventy-two golfers turned out for the "Scotch Scramble" style tournament. Each team of four was made up of two men and two women.

In the first flight, Team Daise/Howard placed first with 62. Team Cole/Archer was second with 73. In the second flight, Team Taylor/Livengood placed first with 79. Team Hillman-Hawks/Hill-Drennan was second with 79.

The Horse Race winner was Team Daise/Howard with a time of 33.46.

Several other prizes were awarded on different holes:

- On Hole 11, the prize for getting closest to the pin after the second shot was won by Alex Howard.
- On Hole 12, the longest put award went to Greg Cure.
- On Hole 14, the closest shot to an object was won by Doug Sederstrom.
- On Hole 15, the shortest drive by a woman was won by Amy Schick.
- On Hole 16, the longest drive by a man was won by Tyson Livengood.
- On Hole 17, the longest drive by a woman was won by Jessica Osborn.
- On Hole 18, the shortest drive by a man was won by Brandon Rome.

For the tournament, the GAC was helped out by several local businesses including Farm Credit of Western Kansas, American Implement, The Insurance Agency, First National Bank, American Family Insurance, The Scoular Grain Company, Goodland Dental Arts and S&T Communications.



Junior Dani Mangus (above) and freshman Angela Cristelli (right) competed at the Cimmaron Tournament on Tuesday. Mangus was the top scorer for the Cowgirls, placing eighth with a score of 52.
Photos by Coach Connie Livengood/Goodland High School

Cowgirls place sixth at first outing of the year

The Goodland High School girls golf team placed sixth in their first outing of the year at Cimmaron on Tuesday.

Cimmaron won their home match, winning a tie with Ulysses. The team score is the combined scores of the top four girls on the team. In the event of a tie, the fifth girl's score is added.

The Cowgirls had two medalists. Dani Mangus placed highest – eighth with a score of 52. Dayne Webring placed 10th with 54. Cienna Brannick shot a 63. Emily Whisnant, in her first tournament

with the Cowgirls, also shot a 63. Also new to the team are Angela Cristelli, who shot a 76; and Savannah Brighton, who shot an 81.

"I feel that all the girls did very well today," said Coach Connie Livengood. "Dani and Dayne shot well today for the first tournament of the year. Medaling is always a good feeling and a great way to the start the year to sit the pace for the rest of the year."

The golf team will have its home invitational tournament at noon Tuesday at Sugar Hills Golf Course.



Brewster girls beat rivals at Winona

Triplains-Brewster found a perfect way to deliver its first volleyball varsity of the season Tuesday evening at Winona.

The Titans (1-3 record) rallied from a 26-24 defeat to knock off nearby rival Golden Plains 25-14 and 25-23 to cap their home triangular.

Senior Shayna Rogge's 13 kills powered the comeback victory while classmate Dara Roulier finished with four and an awesome eight stuff blocks.

It was a sweet win considering Golden Plains won every volleyball meeting last season, then also topped the Titans in their substate basketball championship game earlier this year. Golden Plains has to replace several departed several athletes from those excellent teams.

Yet none of that takes away from the Titans' terrific all-around victory on Tuesday.

Freshman Taryn Stramel stepped into another key defensive position and made a team-high 13 digs.

Senior Alicia Barrie joined Stramel in protecting the floor with 11

more digs. Roulier added nine and junior Taylyr Cheatum made seven.

The Titans also featured five different players serving one ace apiece: Roulier, Cheatum, Stramel, Rogge and senior exchange student Ana Gligorijevic.

Triplains-Brewster also showed great toughness and resiliency after losing a three-set opener to visiting Logan. After a 25-13 opener, the Titans prevailed 25-23 before losing another 25-23 finale.

Rogge's eight kills powered this effort again while Barrie (five)

and Roulier (four) knocked down another nine.

Roulier was a stuff-blocking force again in this match. Her three led the Titans, though Rogge (two) and senior Kelly Lamb (one) combined for another three.

Roggie's digs led the flour defense with Roulier making three.

Triplains-Brewster had lost 2-0 to Palco at its tournament on Friday, and then later in the tournament lost 2-1 to Cheylin.

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Please remember that we attempt to include something for everyone within the pages of our newspaper. We realize that some folks enjoy finding fault and for those readers we thoughtfully include a socially acceptable number of errors within our publication.



Crossword Puzzle

Across

- 1 Worries
- 6 Unemotional
- 11 Work on pants
- 14 Set aside
- 15 Go-getter's attitude
- 16 Kind of poem
- 17 "9 to 5" singer
- 19 Ignited
- 20 Olympics sword
- 21 "___ the Woods"
- 22 Electrical units
- 24 Lion's home
- 25 Animals at home
- 26 Say it didn't happen
- 27 Douglas ___ (kind of tree)
- 28 Got more issues
- 31 Absorb, like gravy
- 34 FBI employee
- 36 "Bravo!"
- 37 Norse god
- 38 "Trick or ___!"
- 39 "No way, ___!"
- 40 Word after sesame
- 41 Turned (away from)
- 42 Having seen it all
- 43 Kept a sharp eye on
- 45 Dad's lady
- 46 Knitter's need
- 47 Random guess
- 49 Important message to cops
- 52 "The Golden Girls" city
- 54 "___ thing!"
- 55 "American ___"
- 56 "A League of Their ___"
- 57 Spoil
- 60 Actor Chaney
- 61 Show to be true
- 62 Soup vegetables

Down

- 1 Became less loud
- 2 Run away to marry
- 3 Director Woody
- 4 Part in a movie
- 5 Pig's home
- 6 Hard to find
- 7 Pastries with fruit
- 8 "I'm ___ you!"
- 9 Wedding words
- 10 Home to nuns
- 11 Movie capital
- 12 Make changes to an article
- 13 New York baseball team
- 18 Dock
- 23 Number after zero
- 25 Dot on dice
- 26 Fender-bender result
- 27 Cat's cover
- 28 Enjoy a book
- 29 "What ___ can I say?"
- 30 Act
- 31 Octagonal road sign
- 32 Dayton's state
- 33 Optimistic person
- 34 Hot and dry
- 35 "Wowzers!"
- 38 Next
- 39 Jelly cousin
- 41 Pinches pennies
- 42 Occupation
- 44 "___ the Walrus"
- 45 Painter Chagall
- 47 Work, as a crossword
- 48 Played (around with)
- 49 Did some math
- 50 ___ dots
- 51 "God ___ America"
- 52 Bad sign on bread
- 53 Victor's shout
- 54 Farmer's item
- 55 Concept
- 58 Valuable rock
- 59 "___ King Cole"

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Back row: Manager Austin Keim, Coach Donald Raymer, Coach Brice Kesler, Head Coach Josh Stephenson, Coach Chase Topliff, Coach Jeremy Stefan, Manager Matthew Wood. Fourth row: Jonathan Webster, Koal Artzer, Peyton Fenner, Nash Jarrett, Gabe Biermann, Justin Weese, Jacob Burian, Rafael Macias, Reyes Bustillos, Blaine Sederstrom, Wence Hendrich, Hagan Hoss. Third row: Brandt Mull, Lucas Wood, Tucker Harkins, Dawson Ensign, Dawson Raymer, Levi Archer, Evan Peter, Luis Ledesma, Jake Frisbie, Josh Smith, Dillon Gillming. Second row: Zane Bateman, Simon Bassett, Kasey Stramel, Darian Kent, Nolan Deeds, Tate Withington, Tanner Gastineau, Luke Avila, Jacob Stasser, Drew House, Austin Hernandez. Front row: Kyle Amthor, James Dinkel, D.J. Glassman, Hiram Hendrich, Kolt Trachsel, Tanner Schmidt, Aaron Avelar, Gerell Miller, Levi Klemm, Brandon Verlinden, Ricky Milke. Not pictured: Jose Herrera.

Football Varsity/Junior Varsity schedule

9/4: Junior Varsity at McCook 4 p.m.	10/10: Varsity at Russell 6 p.m.
9/5: Varsity here vs. Wray 6 p.m.	10/13: Junior Varsity at Burlington 4 p.m.
9/8: Junior Varsity at Wray 4:30 p.m.	10/17: Varsity here vs. Clay Center 6 p.m.
9/12: Varsity at Holcomb 6 p.m.	10/20: Junior Varsity here vs. Colby 4 p.m.
9/15: Junior Varsity here vs. Holcomb 4 p.m.	10/24: Varsity at Concordia 6 p.m.
9/19: Varsity here vs. Scott City 6 p.m.	10/31: Varsity here vs. Colby 6 p.m.
9/22: Junior Varsity at Scott City 4 p.m.	11/7: Regionals
9/24: Varsity at Hugoton 6 p.m.	11/14: Sectionals
9/29: Junior Varsity here vs. Hugoton 4 p.m.	11/21: Sub-state
10/3: Varsity here vs. Ulysses 6 p.m.	11/29: State
10/6: Junior Varsity at Ulysses 4 p.m.	

High School/Junior High Cross Country schedule

9/4: High School/Junior High here 4 p.m.	10/25: Regionals
9/6: Junior High at TMP-Marian 8 a.m.	11/1: State
9/13: High School/Junior High at Tribune 9 a.m.	
9/18: Junior High at Hays 1:30 p.m.	
High School at Hays 2:45 p.m.	
9/23: High School/Junior High at Ulysses 3 p.m.	
10/7: High School/Junior High at Ellsworth 2:30 p.m.	
10/11: Junior High at Lakin 8 a.m.	
High School at Lakin 9 a.m.	
10/16: High School GWAC at Holcomb 3 p.m.	



Cowboy & Cowgirl Cross Country

Back left to right: Coach James Myers, Braxton Redlin, Andrew Elliott, Rheagan Hageman, Lindsey Geeseka. Coach Tracy Waugh. Middle left to right: Jacob Coleman, Yidam Mendoza, Arron Arteaga, Mario Lazo, Parker Nemechek. Front left to right: Kameron Snyder, Brooke Keim, Andy Windell, Lacie Siruta, Sarah Bieker, Erin Floyd.

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Cowgirl Volleyball

Back left to right: Margaux Thompson, Jovanna Nunez, Kaitlyn Daise, Jamie Nemechek, Norelia Ordonez-Castillo, Hannah Ferguson, Kyndell King, Renae Hageman, Alinexis Castillo, Sianna Miller, Kelsey White. Middle left to right: Grace Cole, Faith Biermann, Kate-Lynn King, Cheyenne Ortner, Carlee Cooper, Kegan Nothdurft, Selena Acosta, Telanie Reicks, Kaitlynn Raile, Saige Vandiver. Front left to right: Chelsea Phillips, Shawna Goodman, Christina Jefferson, Hannah Eslinger, Hannah Frandy, Kit Boyington, Destiny Liester, Emily Smith, Demi Mitchek

Cowgirl Volleyball schedule

9/2: Varsity/Junior Varsity at Hoxie 3:30 p.m.
9/6: Varsity at Machebeuf
9/9: Varsity/Junior Varsity/C Quad here 3 p.m.
9/16: Varsity/Junior Varsity Quad at Lakin 4 p.m.
9/18: C Quad at Hays 3 p.m.
Varsity/Junior Varsity at Dundy County 3:30 p.m.
9/25: Varsity/Junior Varsity/C Quad at Holcomb 3 p.m.
9/27: C Quad at Atwood 8 a.m.
9/30: Varsity/Junior Varsity/C Quad here 3 p.m.

10/4: Varsity at Oakley 8 a.m.
Junior Varsity at Colby 8 a.m.
10/7: Varsity/Junior Varsity/C Quad here 3:30 p.m.
10/11: Junior Varsity/C at Hays 7 a.m.
10/14: Varsity/Junior Varsity/C at Oakley 3:30 p.m.
10/16: C Quad at Colby 3 p.m.
10/18: Varsity GWAC Tournament at Scott City 9 a.m.
10/25: Sub-state
10/31-11/1: State

Cowgirl Golf schedule

9/2: Varsity at Cimarron 12 p.m.
9/4: Varsity/Junior Varsity at Hugoton 2 p.m.
9/9: Varsity/Junior Varsity here 12 p.m.
9/16: Junior Varsity at Ulysses 2 p.m.
9/18: Varsity/Junior Varsity at Garden City 12 p.m.
Junior Varsity at Lakin 2 p.m.
9/22: Varsity/Junior Varsity at Colby 12 p.m.
Varsity at Russell 2 p.m.
9/25: Varsity/Junior Varsity at Holcomb 12 p.m.

9/30: Varsity at Ulysses 9 a.m.
10/2: Junior Varsity at Syracuse 2 p.m.
10/4: Varsity at Lakin 9 a.m.
10/6: Varsity GWAC at Colby 12 p.m.
Junior Varsity at TMP-Marian 12 p.m.
10/9: Varsity at Syracuse 12 p.m.
10/13: Regionals
10/20: State

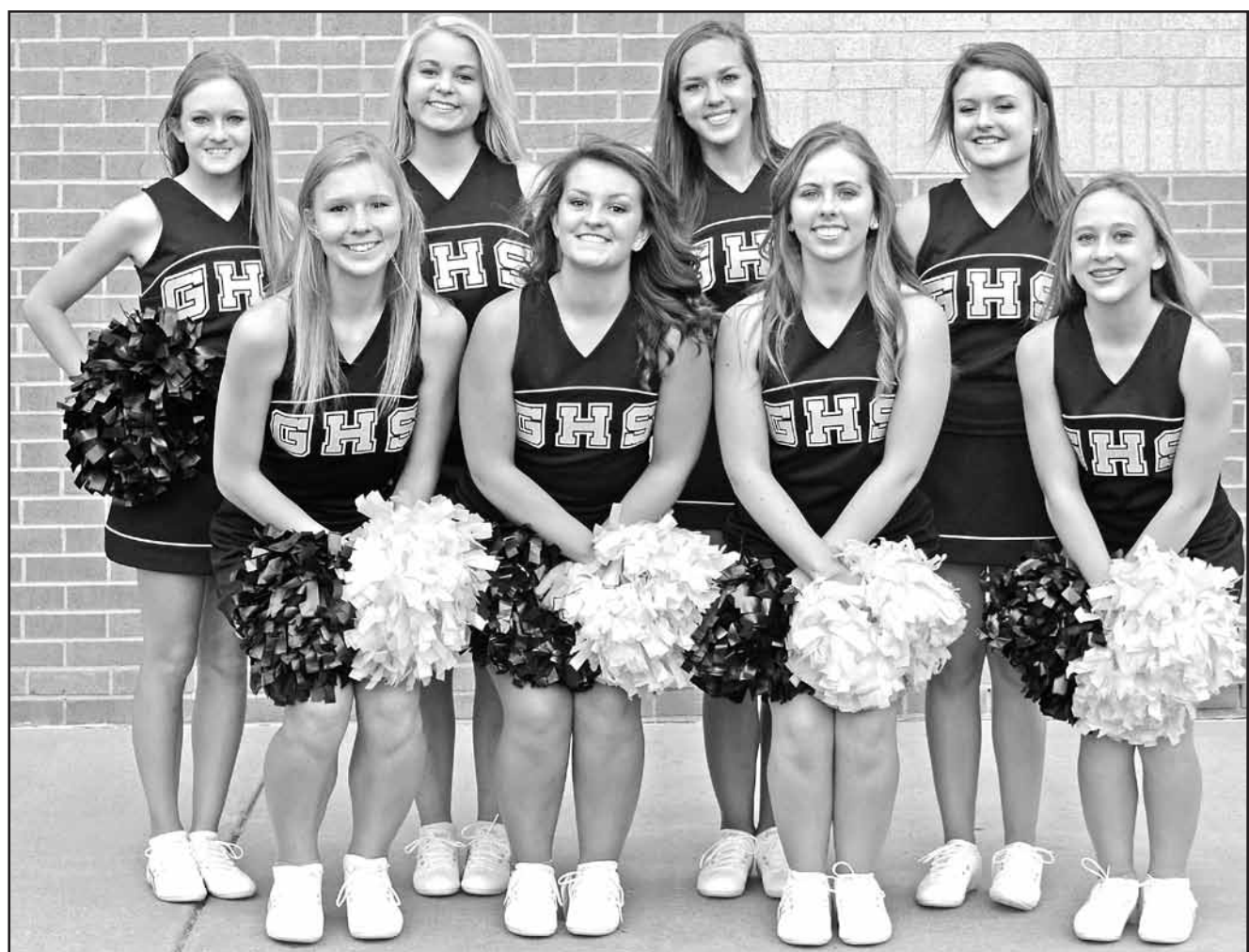



Cowgirl Golf

Back Row (from left): Coach Amy Cebula, Emily Whisnant, Katie Purvis, Angela Cristelli, Ellee McDaniel, Savannah Brighton, Ashley Anderson, Coach Connie Livengood. Front Row: Quynnalynn Meyer, Logan Perryman, Emily Purvis, Cienna Brannick, Dayne Webring, Dani Mangus, Katie Hays, Braelyn Hoelting.

Cheerleaders


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Front row, left to right: Kaitlin Thompson, Kaylee Gill-Shaw, Jaque Diaz, Jessi Duell, Bram Perryman and Jade Artzer

Seventh grade Volleyball team

Back row, left to right: Danielle Black, Leona Anderson, Peri Sieck, Ella Ihrig, Katelynn Frazier, Halie Weese and Taitum Ketter

Front row, left to right: Kaitlin Thompson, Kaylee Gill-Shaw, Jaque Diaz, Jessi Duell, Bram Perryman and Jade Artzer

Editor's note: Due to scheduling issues, we were not able to get team pictures of the Mustang Cross Country team, and the Mustang Cheerleaders. We will publish these pictures in The Goodland Star-News when we received them.



Mustang football schedule

9/4: 7th here vs. Colby 3:30 p.m.
8th here vs. Colby 5 p.m.
9/11: 7th at Holcomb 3 p.m.
8th at Holcomb 4:30 p.m.
9/18: 7th at Wray 4 p.m.
8th at Wray 5:30 p.m.
9/25: 7th here vs. Ulysses 3:30 p.m.
8th here vs. Ulysses 5 p.m.
10/2: 7th at Burlington 4 p.m.
8th at Burlington 5:30 p.m.
10/9: 7th at Hays 2:30 p.m.
8th at Hays 4 p.m.
10/16: 7th here vs. Scott City 3:30 p.m.
8th here vs. Scott City 5 p.m.

Mustang volleyball schedule

9/6: 8th A/B at Lakin 8 a.m.
7th A/B at Colby Triangular 9 a.m.
9/20: A Quad at Oakley 8 a.m.
9/23: A/B Triangular at Colby 3:30 p.m.
9/29: A/B Quad at Colby 3 p.m.
10/2: A/B Triangular here 3:30 p.m.
10/7: A/B Triangular at Scott City 3 p.m.
10/11: AGWAC Tournament here 8 a.m.

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Grant Junior High

Seventh grade football

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Eighth grade football

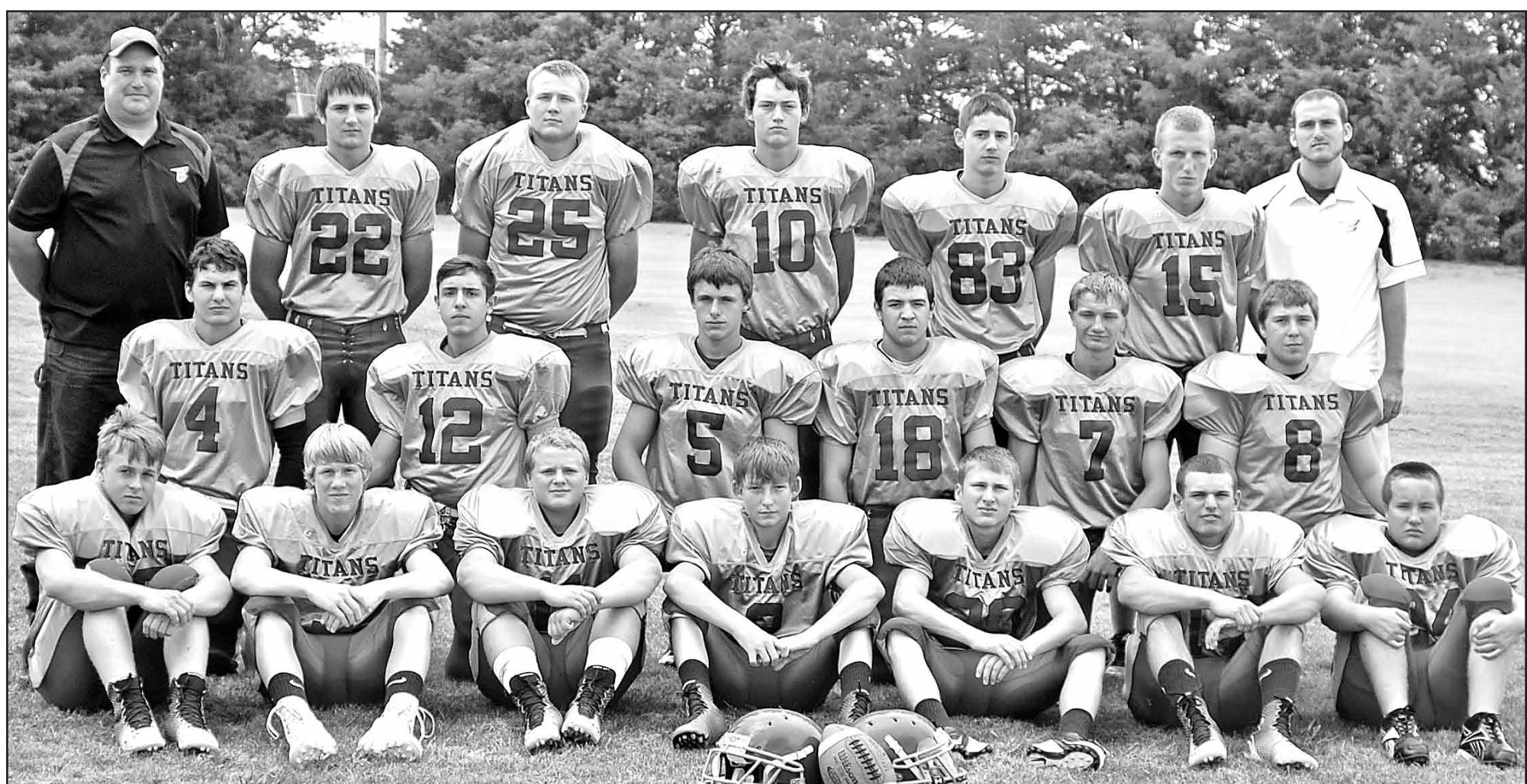
Back row, from left: Duncan Kroskey, Landon Reicks, Champ King, Chris Berls, Ryan Volk, Josh Smith, Brandon Tooms, Zachary Werner, Blayne Waters, Dakota Enslow, Peyton Ortnier, Mark Rodriguez, Tavis Vrbka, Robbie Lawson, Garin Ihrig, Chase Johnson.



Triplains-Brewster

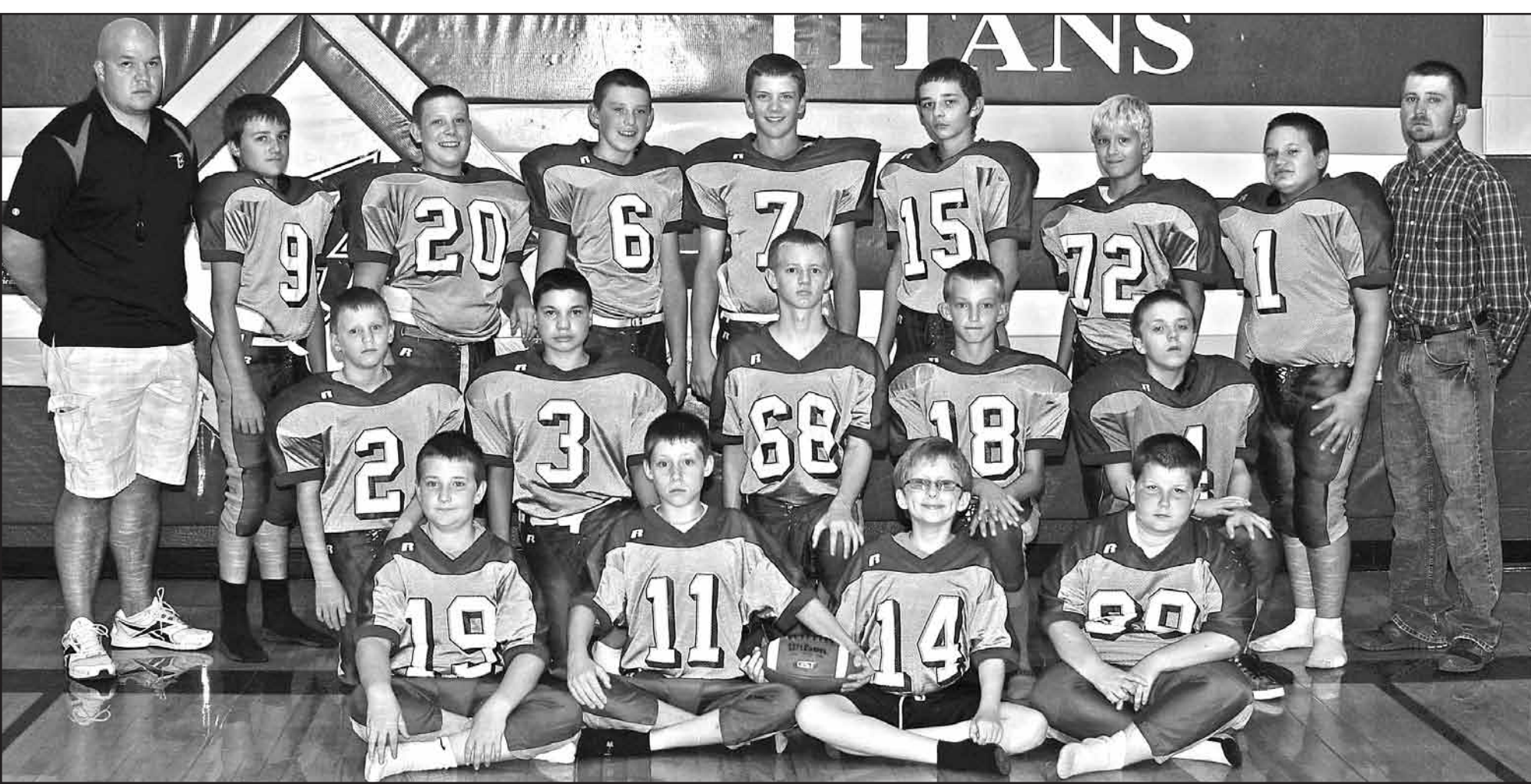
High School football

Front row: J.D. Draper, Tad Holm, Verlen Plummer, J.B. Felzien, Austin Bear, Jaden Schmidt and Austin Burkholder. Middle row: Ryan Gfeller, Miguel Reza, Jace Jorgensen, Fred Schertz, Justin Schmidt and Hudson Stramel. Back row: head coach Tony Stramel, Skylor Hansen, Taylor Stramel, C.J. Felzien, Coleton Rogge, Takoda Turner and assistant coach Michael Collett.



Junior High football

From left, front row: Chad Zerr, Kasey Felzien, Nathaniel Nichols and Tayler Fryback. Middle row: Jacson Clymer, Thomas Martinez, Justin Kellogg, Weston Schmdit and Cameron Ford-Gillen. Back row: head coach Andrew Korte, Brett Roulier, Silas Smith, Hunter House, Jess Schertz, Lane Chatum, Desmond Purvis Nick Casper and assistant coach Corey Wilson.



Triplains-Brewster



Titans High School Volleyball

From left, front row: Jatana Hurd, Rose Smith, Shannon Drury, Autumn Mays, Carlota Guillen, Wakana Soejima and Katelynn Barnes. Middle row: Lily Mays, Taylyr Cheatum, Ana Gligorijevic, Jessi Williams, Kylee Cheatum, Alicia Barrie, Taryn Stramel and Maia Carter. Back row: assistant coach Baylee Collett, T-aera Abbott, Rachel Friess, Maddie Lamb, Dara Roulier, Shayna Rogge, Katie Hillery, Paige Fryback and coach Audrey Hoyt.

Titans Junior High Volleyball

From left, kneeling: Kedzie Clymer, Ariana Martinez, Brianna Hanson, Genesis Aguilar, Elizabeth Hemken and Morgan Bryant. Standing: assistant coach Sherri Mackley, Autumn O'Brien, Karlee Brown, Sarah Meyers, Maddie Carter, Erica Cullens, Regan Stramel and head coach Tamara Clymer.



Brewster Cross Country

From left: Layton Werth and Takoda Turner. Back row: Jacob Benham, Austin Bear, Quinn Clymer and coach Shea Rotchild.

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Maverick Soccer team

Coneil Beckford, Manchester, Jamaica; Miguel Caballero, Denver, Colorado; Cyler Cain, Livingston, Montana; Jose Chavez , Denver, Colorado; Julio Chavez, Denver, Colorado; Ayrton Del Mazo, Aurora, Colorado; Ernesto Almodovar, Denver, Colorado; Daniel Jacobsen, Big Timber, Montana; Alvaro Macias, Spain; Eduardo Martinez, Denver, Colorado; Cody McCormick, Helena, Montana; Chase Miyamoto, Grant, Nebraska; Tom Short, Livingston, Montana; Karim Soumah, Denver, Colorado; Marquise Spinuzzi, Aurora, Colorado; Missael Tovar, Denver, Colorado; Armando Valenton, Yuma, Colorado; Tevin Yen, Cayman Islands.



Maverick Cross Country team

Team roster includes: Heavenly Alexander, Nashville, TN; Jordan Ball, Bolivar, MO; Jameslee Banning, Burden, KS; Patrick Brown, Freeport, Bahamas; Jason Lang, Melbourne, Australia; and Randall Thomas, Leonarville, KS.

Maverick Cross Country schedule

September 6: at Wichita State University, Augusta, KS 9 a.m. CT
September 13: at Hutchinson CC, Hutchinson, KS, TBA
September 20: at Colorado College, Colorado Springs, CO, 10 a.m. MT
September 27: at Tabor College, Hillsboro, KS, TBA
October 4: at Metro State College, Denver, CO, 10 a.m. MT
October 18: at Sand Plum Nature Trail, Victoria, KS, TBA
October 25: NJCAA Region VI Championships, Colby, KS, TBA
November 18: NJCAA National Championships, Lubbock, TX, TBA

Maverick Dance team performances

September 27: Flatlander's, 9 a.m. MST
September 27: Men's Soccer here, 3 p.m.
October 14: Men's Soccer here, 5 p.m.
October 25: Men's Soccer here, 1 p.m.
October 31: Men's Basketball here, 7 p.m.
November 1: Men's Basketball here, 7 p.m.
November 11: Men's Basketball here, 6 p.m.
November 21: Men's Basketball here, 7 p.m.
November 22: Men's Basketball here, 4 p.m.
December 6: Men's Wrestling here, time TBD

January 13: Men's Basketball here, 7 p.m.
January 31: Men's Basketball here, 3 p.m.
February 3: Men's Basketball here, 7 p.m.
February 7: Men's Basketball here, 3 p.m.
February 14: Men's Basketball here, 3 p.m.
February 21: Men's Basketball here, 1 p.m.

Men's Soccer schedule

September 6: Denver University, 1 p.m.
September 8: at Northeastern Junior College, 1 p.m.
September 13: at University of Colorado, 9 a.m.
September 23: at Cloud County Community College, 4 p.m.
September 27: Adams State University, 3 p.m.
October 3: Dodge City Community College, 5 p.m.
October 11: Northeastern Junior College, 9 a.m.
October 18: at Hesston College, 6 p.m.
October 25: University of Colorado, 1 p.m.

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