# about our riends

### student news

Melissa Schritter of Goodland is on the Garden City Community College meats team that competed in Dallas and Houston recently. The team was third in the Houston Livestock Show Meats Contest Saturday, March 3, and competed in the Southwestern Exposition Intercollegiate Meats Contest Saturday, Feb. 3, in Dallas.

Kayla M. Rasure of Goodland and **Richard D. Baum** of Sharon Springs were on the Wichita State University dean's honor roll for the fall semester. To qualify, they had to earn a 3.5 or higher grade average and be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours.

Jodie G. Beeson of Goodland graduated from Wichita State University at the end of the fall semester with a Master of Arts in psychology

Megan Stephan and Melissa Swager, both of Goodland, and Jill Ritchie of Bird City received scholarships at Emporia State University. Stephan received a Presidential Academic Award Scholarship, Swager the Grace Smith Rearwin/ Helen Smith Cophenhaver Scholarship and a Presidential Academic Awards Scholarship and Richie the Walter E. Myer Memorial Scholarship.

### patient news

Margie Albers fell and broke her leg near the hip. She is recovering from surgery at Torrington, Wyo., and will be there about four weeks. Send cards to her in care of Kevin Albers, Box 402, Torrington, Wyo. 82240.

### card shower

**Glen Neitzel** of Goodland is celebrating his 90th birthday Sunday, March 18,2007.

His family is requesting a card shower sent

to him at 707 Wheat Ridge

Circle, Room 103, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

### activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1 to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Mon-

The High Plains Museum, 1717 Quilts by the Prairie Piecemakers

# the calendar

### calendar

Storm spotter training will be at 5:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) Tuesday at St. Francis High School and at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at the National Guard Armory in Goodland.

Change-Over Ceremonies for Dorinda Krueger, new administrator at the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the center. Randy Fitzgerald, Regional Director for Kansas and Colorado, will conduct; refreshments and introductions will follow.

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

The Kansas Wesleyan University Philharmonic Choir will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the First United Methodist Church,

**Breast Cancer Support Group** meets at 5 p.m. (instead of 5:30) the first Monday of the month in the dome at Howard Johnson's. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Cheryl at 890-5528.

**Emotions Anonymous** meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Toregister, call the Thomas County Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Aerobics Classes - 5:30 and 7:30 a.m. aerobics classes are offered Monday, Wednesday and **Friday** at the Goodland Activities Center. Yoga is offered at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday. Call 890-7242.

**TOPS Meetings -** Take Off School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m. A new group may be started and meet at a different time. Call Norma Mullen, area captain, at (785) 689-4362.

**Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S.** Group holds open meetings at 7 **p.m. Monday** at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Seventh and Senter, Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711 or Dave at 890-2858. **Goodland Alcoholics Anony**mous meets at 8 p.m. Monday, a closed meeting with Al-Anon, Wednesday, the book meeting, and **Saturday,** an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anony-

1120 Sherman. Each spring, the 70-member choir, made up of students from a variety of majors, performs at churches and schools throughout the Midwest.

The First Baptist Church will have children's and adults' services at 9:30 and regular church services at 10:30 a.m. Sundays at Bateman Funeral Home. 11th and Broadway, while they are in the process of moving from the church at Fifth and Center to the one at 12th and Main.

The Harvest Evangelical Free Church is asking **community** singers to meet at 2 p.m. Sunday afternoons at 104 E. Business U.S. 24 (across from the Social and Rehabilitation Services building) to practice for an Easter Cantata, "Forsaken." Call Randy Berls at 890-0082 for information.

Prairie Land Food (formerly SHARE) sign up for the April distribution of food will be until Monday, April 9, at the Sherman County Health Department. Pick **up** will be from **10:30 to 11:30** a.m. Saturday, March 24, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the March distribution.

begin at 7:30 a.m. Mountain Time

Wednesday, April 4, at the Gate-

way Convention Center in **Oberlin**.

Extension office at (785) 460-4582

or the Western Prairie Resource

Conservation and Development at

(785) 462-2602. There is a charge.

chestra will perform "Strings in

The Pride of the Prairie Or-

humor thrown in.

### school menu

Wednesday: Taco, cheese, lettuce, tomato, potato square, frosted apple and milk. Thursday: Chicken nuggets, french fries, whole wheat roll, fruit cocktail and milk. Friday: No school.

### school calendar

Today: Gold day. Third grade music program 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Black day. Goodland Wrestling Club 5:30 p.m. City/county recreation 7 p.m. Thursday: Gold day. End of third nine weeks. First day of com-

petition for baseball, softball, track and boys' golf. Goodland Wrestling Club 5:30 p.m.

Friday: Teacher professional day. No School.

### senior center menu

Wednesday: Ham and beans, pea salad, cornbread and rosy applesauce. Thursday: Meat loaf, Scandinavian vegetables, peaches, bread and birthday cake. Friday: Cook's choice entree, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, strawberries and bananas, bread and bar cookie.

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

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

### crimestoppers

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

### family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter in Hays has changed its name to Northwest Kansas Domestic and Sexual Violence Services and provides help day or night to victims of domestic violence and

## obituaries

Mark J. Flanders, 34, formerly of Blake (Risa) Flanders of Topeka Brewster and a safety operations and Damon Willis; sisters, Fawn manager for an oil company, died Friday, March 9, 2007, in Strasburg,

Colo. He was born on Feb. 18, 1973, the son of Jim and Janis (Meier) Flanders in Kansas City, Mo. He Thursday, March 15, 2007, at the graduated from Goodland High

School in 1991. Mr. Flanders is survived by his wife, Jamie; three sons, Christian, Chandler and Major; and two daughters, Jaded and Jancee, all of the home. Other survivors include his father, Jim of Edson; brothers, Brent (Diana) Flanders of Edson, left at the funeral home.

Edward L. Temple

Edward L. Temple, 91, Loveland, Colo., father of Robert P. (Aurelia) other sons, Edward J. Temple of

Temple of Fairplay, Mo., formerly of Goodland, died Thursday, March 8, 2007.

He was born on Sept. 27, 1915, the son of Frank and Sarah (Oneill) Temple in Parochial School in

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

### tree donations

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

### animal shelter

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

# Mark J. Flanders

ber Willis of Buffalo, Miss. Preceding him in death was his mother

(Charlie) Faulk of Olathe and Am-

Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Colby United Methodist Church with burial in the Brewster Cemetery. Pastor Scott Bottoms of Strasburg, Colo., will officiate.

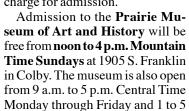
Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 2007, at Harrison Chapel, 190 S. Franklin, Colby. Memorials may be

Other survivors include three

Loveland and Michael F. Temple and Daniel E. Temple, both of Ft. Collins, Colo.; three daughters, Judy M. (Larry) McDonald of Loveland, Jackie J. Waterman of Estes Park, Colo., and Sue R. Boyle of Harlan, Iowa; 24







### 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.

Wednesday: WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. Thursday: WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 9:30 a.m. at Sparks Towers. Friday: Scheduled appointments.

timental favorites with lighthearted Sutton, courtesy. Thursday: Jessie Owens, a.m.; Shelby Miller, p.m.; Northwest Kansas Rural Expeand Emma VanVleet, courtesy. Fririence: Agri-tourism Part 2 will day: Fern Hawks, a.m., and Sutton,

### courtesy. tax help

Free tax help for middle and low income tax payers will be available at the Goodland Public Library and the Goodland Senior Center from 1 to 4 p.m. Fridays until April 15. Special help will be available for those 60 and over.

### cell phone drive

Save a Life-Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. Phones are also provided to the elderly and others in need of an emergency cell phone. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 726 W Hwy 24. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426 or Candice at 866-448-2366.

### thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop should call 899-2007 to arrange to meet by the door in the alley and Emerson, Neb. He gradutake donations directly from the car ated from Scared Heart to the warehouse. The store needs zippered bags like those bedding and curtains are sold in, seal-a-meal bags or any bags that can be heat-sealed, and jewelry gift boxes.



day.

Cherry Ave., is open from **9 a.m. to** 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. A temporary exhibit on Goodland Dentist Dr. Harry M. Steever is on display. It features an 1870 foot-treadle-driven dental engine.



Pounds Sensibly meets at **5:30 p.m. Tuesdays** at North Elementary

Spring" at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 22, in the Colby Community College's auditorium with Brad Herndon, director of bands and Colby Community College conductor, conducting. There is a charge for admission.

p.m. Saturday.

mous call Rob at 890-3023 or

are also on display.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday at 120 W. 12th. Paintings by Doug Huscher, a former Goodland resident and instructor at the Northwest Kansas Technical College, are on display in March.

The Goodland Public Library holding **story hour** for 4 and 5year-olds at **10 a.m. Wednesdays** and 3 and 4-year-olds Thursdays, both from 10 to 11 a.m. Born to **Read** for children birth to age 3, accompanied by an adult, will be **10** to 10:30 a.m. Fridays. Marcy Melia, children's librarian, is in charge of story hour and can be reached at 899-5461.

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

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

**Diabetes Support Group** meets at **4 p.m. the last Tuesday** of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center. Patients, family and friends meet each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah country, gospel, bluegrass and sen-Linton at 890-6044.

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The "Freedom Today" group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Call 890-8369.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from **6:30 to 8:30 p.m. the** third Wednesday of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

### area events

Braschler Music Show from Branson, Mo., will perform at 7 p.m. Friday, March 23, in the high school gym at Tribune. A soup supper will begin at 4:30 p.m., and there will be concessions available and drawings before the concert and during intermission. Tickets are available by calling or e-mailing (620) 376-4842, nckoehn@wbs net.org, or (620) 376-4745, dingram@sunflowertelco.com, or writing to the Greeley County Community Foundation Inc., Box 605, Tribune, Kan. 67879, or available at the door. Tribune native Cortlandt Ingarm has been a member of the group since 2001. They will perform classic and contemporary

Bridal

Goodland, Kan. 67735

(785) 899-6100

The health department has flu vaccine.

Benefits for Seniors, including Medicare and application for Patients Assistance Drug Program. Blood pressures; infants', children's and adult's immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; family planning; and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 890-4888.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 890-4888

### hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.

Wednesday: Leora Jones, a.m.; Faye Paxton, p.m.; and Mazie

### alateen

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

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

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

Emerson.

On July 27, 1936, he married Patricia C. Ryan in Omaha. great-great-grandchildren. She died on Jan. 17, 1996.

Mr. Temple was a resident engineer for C.H. Gurnsey in Oklahoma City, working all over the United States. He was a member of St. John's Catholic Church. He enjoyed woodworking and gardening.

Also preceding him in death were his parents, five brothers and two sisters.

IIs for vocal and piano solos and Is

for two ensembles she was a mem-

ber of, along with Is for the junior

Katie Glading, niece of Nancy

Shores of Goodland, is an eighth

grader at Decatur Community Jun-

ior/Senior High School. She plays

the trombone, saxophone and piano

and received Is for solos on the

trombone and saxophone at the con-

test Friday, Feb. 16, at Colby Com-

trombone and "Chartreuse" on

saxophone. She also took piano and

vocal solos to the festival, earning

Her solos were "Isabella" on

munity College.

high band and choir in Oberlin.

# Music student earns I's

eighth grade mixed vocal ensemble

Glading is also a member of a saxophone ensemble, a brass ensemble and the junior high choir and band. All of those groups earned I ratings.

She was the first Oberlin student to perform, beginning with her vocal solo at 8:07 a.m. and the last with the brass ensemble at 4:17 p.m. She had seven performances between the two.

Wedding Registry LaShawn Sampson & Marc Fenner March 24, 2007 SK. The Almond Tree

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### grandchildren, 43 greatgrandchildren and four

Mass of Christian burial was scheduled for 10 a.m. today, Tuesday, March 13, 2007, at the church. Burial was in the Resthaven Memory Gardens. Arrangements were handled by the Allnutt Hunter Chapel, 2100 N. Lincoln Ave., Loveland, Colo. 80538.

Send condolences at www.all nutt.com.

A Goodland woman's niece aII+oneach. She is a member of the earned I ratings for solos on two instruments at the Northwest Kansas which earned a II. League Music Festival and earned