

activities

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

The High Plains Museum, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. A temporary exhibit of military uniforms from World War I and the Korean War is 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. An exhibit of miniature replicas of various vehicles and military aircraft, ships and artillery made by members of the Northwest Kansas Scale Modelers Society are on display.

The Goodland Public Library is open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. The library is holding its annual book sale through Saturday, Aug. 25.

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 Linton at 890-6044.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5 p.m. the first Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Cheryl at 890-5528 for more information.

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

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

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m. 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 Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Monday, a closed meeting with Al-Anon, Wednesday, the book meeting, and Saturday, an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023.

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

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

area events

The Northwest Research and Extension Center in Colby will have a horticulture tour Thursday and fall field day Wednesday, Aug. 29. Call (785) 462-6281.

Admission to the Prairie Museum of Art and History will be free from noon to 4 p.m. Mountain Time Sundays at 1905 S. Franklin

the calendar

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TNT Singles will meet at 5:30 p.m. Thursday at Edwards Hall for food, cards and fun. Call 899-3323.

The Goodland Community Learning Center, 1209 Main, has begun enrollment and is open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. School will begin Wednesday. Adults can complete their high school diploma free of charge, and English as a second language classes will be offered.

The Northwest Kansas Technical College will have a ribbon cutting and open house for the remodeled diesel technology department Wednesday at the new south entrance. Introductions will be 10 a.m., ribbon cutting at 10:15 and tours at 10:30, and refreshments will be served.

The Goodland Public Library's annual book sale will run through Saturday. Sack sale — everything that fits in a sack — will be \$1. It will be from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Hardbacks, paperbacks, magazines, videos, audio cassettes and other items will be sold.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday, Sept. 10, for the September food package. Pick up will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Saturday, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the August distribution. Anyone who wants to see what is in the packages can stop by the Elks Lodge.

The Goodland Library, Goodland Arts Council and Moonlight Entertainment are holding summer outdoor movies at Eighth and Main on the side of the Veterans of Foreign Wars building with seating between the Goodland Activities Center and the VFW. Movies begin at sundown with a family-oriented movie. The final movie, "Space Balls" will show during the Flatlander Fall Festival. There is no admission charge, but bring a lawn chair or blanket to spread out and enjoy the movies under the stars.

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 moving from Fifth and Center to 12th and Main.

school calendar

Today: Teacher professional day. Goodland Activities Center flag football 5 p.m. at North.

Wednesday: First day of school. Monday schedule. All-kids theater rehearsal 11 a.m. in the high school auditorium.

Thursday: Black day. Girls

varsity tennis 2 p.m. at Cimarron. Goodland Activities Center flag football 5 p.m. at North.

Friday: Gold day. First day of competition for volleyball. Goodland High School fall sports pictures with Lifetouch 3:30 p.m. Football and cross country soap scrimmage 6 p.m. Cross country parent meeting and pot luck 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: All-kids theater performance in high school auditorium. 2 p.m.

school menu

Wednesday: Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, pudding and milk.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets, french fries, green beans, fruited Jell-o, whole wheat roll and milk.

Friday: Hot dog, pork and beans, sliced cucumbers with ranch dressing, apple and milk.

senior center menu

Today: Meat loaf, baked potato, creamed corn, bread and apricots.

Wednesday: Cook's choice entree, California blend vegetables, Jell-o with fruit, bread and lemon bars. Thursday: Barbecue chicken sandwich, hash brown casserole, watermelon, bun and pudding. Friday: Pasta, beef and tomato casserole, spinach cheese salad, green beans, garlic bread and peaches.

obituary

Pearl Parish

Pearl Marie (Gernhart) Parish, 94, a longtime Sherman County resident and former cook, died Thursday, Aug. 16, 2007 at the Good Samaritan Society-Sherman County.



Parish

She was born July 4, 1913, at Ruleton, the daughter of John and Mary (Thompson) Gernhart. Her parents raised her and her sister, Rubie Middleton, along with Violet Thompson, on the family farm.

Mrs. Parish graduated from Ruleton High School in 1931. She married Oren fifty years and seven days before her death. After 62 years on the farm, she moved to town in 1996.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and served on several committees, was funeral dinner coordinator and received a special award for her dedication.

She was a member of the Homebuilder Sunday School Class, Circle III and the United Methodist Quilters, for which she served as coordinator. She was a 50-year member of the Lincoln Larks extension group.

Mrs. Parish made irrigation socks commercially for 10 years for six

area dealers. She also made and sold Bible covers, purses and diaper bags and cooked at the sale barn cafe for four years.

Preceding her in death were her parents, sisters and husband; a daughter, Lila Mary Davis; a son, Lewis Oren Parish; a son-in-law Ray Sieck; a grandson Todd Sieck; brothers-in-law Reuben and Milton Parish; and sisters-in-law Bertha and Lyle Parish.

Survivors include a daughter, Lois Sieck of Goodland; a son-in-law, Lee Davis of Clinton, Ark.; a brother-in-law, Bob (Reva) Parish of Adona, Ark.; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two step-great-grandchildren; and three step-great-great-grandchildren.

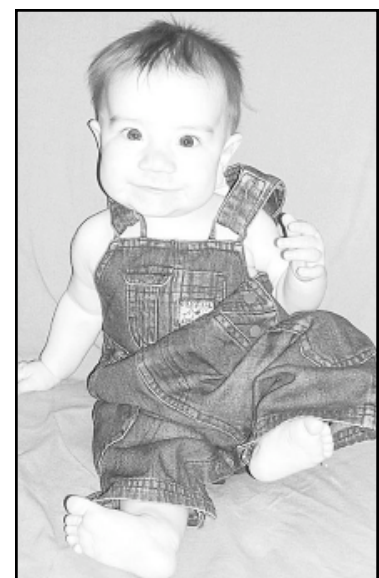
Services were to be Monday, Aug. 20, 2007, at the church in Goodland, with Pastor Kasey Crosby officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation was on Sunday, Aug. 19, 2007, at the Koons Chapel in Goodland.

Memorials may be made to the church, in care of the funeral home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Couple brings son home to Tribune

Bodie Dane Selfridge was born Friday, April 6, 2007, at the Hays Medical Center in Hays. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19.25 inches long. Pat and Anne Selfridge of Tribune are his parents.



Bodie Dane Selfridge

Anne was an advertising representative for The Goodland Star-News and Pat graduated from the Northwest Kansas Technical College and worked for Wendys before moving to Tribune.

Grandparents are Brad and Sue Mann of Dighton, Janis Selfridge of LaCrosse and Kent Selfridge of Hays. Great grandparents are Darrell and Sharon Mann of Goodland, Lila Selfridge of Dighton and Ralph Reinert of Ness City. The great great grandmother is Anne Mann of Goodland.

Aea college student interns for congressman

Goodland High School graduate Brock Abbey served as a summer intern for Congressman Adrian Smith, a Republican from Nebraska, at his Grand Island district office.



Abbey

Abbey, a political science major at the University of Nebraska at Kearney, did office tasks including research, data entry, news gathering and attending meetings with Smith and other staff members.

At Kearney, Abbey is the chairman of the College Republicans and has worked as a book associate and guest service manager at Hastings Entertainment.

He is the son of Mike and Lorie Abbey of Goodland.



in Colby. The museum is also open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Monday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday.

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.

Tuesday: WIC in St. Francis. Scheduled appointments.

Wednesday: WIC in Atwood. Scheduled appointments.

Thursday: WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. 11 a.m. "Take Care of Your Health" at Goodland Senior Center.

Friday: Scheduled appointments.

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: Shirley Hayden, a.m., and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. Thursday: Avis Alcorn, a.m., and Emma Van Vleet, courtesy. Friday: Debbie Lucas, a.m., and Sutton, courtesy.

cell phone drive

Save a Life-Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. Phones are also provided to the elderly and others in need of an emer-

gency cell phone. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 726 W. Business U.S. 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 take donations directly from the car to the warehouse.

The store needs zippered bags like those bedding and curtains are sold in, seal-a-meal bags or any bags that can be heat-sealed, and jewelry gift boxes.

alateen

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

tiny-k

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

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

preschool

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

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Stephanie Jo Darby

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We miss you

The Darby Family

Always on Our Mind

(Author unknown)

We do not need a special day To bring you to our minds. The days we do not think of you Are very hard to find. Each morning when we wake, We know that you are gone. And no one knows the heartache As we try to carry on. Our hearts still ache with sadness And secret tears still flow. What it meant to lose you No one will ever know. Our thoughts are always with you, Your place no one can fill. In life we loved you dearly: In death we love you still. There will always be a heartache, And often a silent tear. But always a precious memory Of the days when you were here.