

card showers

**Mazie Sutton** will turn 90 on Sunday, April 13, 2008. Her family is asking for cards to be sent to her at 902 College, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

**Billy Towns** is celebrating his 60th birthday on Friday, April 11, 2008. His family is requesting cards be sent to 1107 N. Iowa, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80909.

**Melba Beeson** will turn 90 on Wednesday, April 16, 2008. Her family is requesting a card shower to be sent to her at Wheat Ridge Acres, 707 Wheat Ridge Circle, Room 133, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

**Albert (Bud) Enfield** is celebrating his 80th birthday on Saturday, April 19, 2008. His family is asking for cards to be sent to him at 2473 Caldwell, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

**Leslie Watkins** will turn 91 on Wednesday, May 7, 2008 and his wife, **Alice**, will turn 90 on Friday, May 16, 2008. Their family is requesting cards be sent to 403 Cherry, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

activities

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

**The High Plains Museum**, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

**The Carnegie Arts Center** is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 120 W. 12th. The new exhibit is the art from Grant Junior High students and Keith Baker, Connie Hatcher, Shirley Houston and Elwyn Vatcher.

**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. Story Hour on Wednesdays will be a group at 10 to 11 a.m. and one at 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Thursday group will meet at 10 to 11 a.m. These groups are for children ages three to five. On Friday's we will have Born to Read for infants and toddlers ages zero to three, accompanied by a parent or caregiver. For questions call Marcy Melia 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 Linton at 890-6044.

**Breast Cancer Support Group** meets at 5:30 p.m. the first Tuesday 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 a.m.** aerobics classes are offered Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the Goodland Activities Center. 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, closed meeting, 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.

**Goodland Al-Anon Serenity Seekers** group meets at 5:30 on Wednesdays at 1013 Center. For information call Cheryl at 890-3023. The "Freedom Today" group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8

the calendar

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**Grant Junior High** students and staff will be raking yards for senior citizens on Friday, April 25 as a community service. To get your name on the list call 890-7561.

**Jodie 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.

**Prairie Land Food sign up** will be until Monday and pick up will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, April 26, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the April distribution. Anyone who wants to see what is in the packages can stop in on distribution day.

**AARP Tax-Aide counseling.**

preparation, e-filing and teaching service will help you file your 2007 Tax Return on Friday afternoons through today at Goodland Public Library, 8th and Broadway, or Senior Adult Center, 15th and Center. Call (785) 890-7245 for information.

**The Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter still has 2008 calendars** for sale at \$15. Call (785) 899-3502 evenings.

**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:** Gold Day. 7:15 p.m., track at KT Woodman. **Saturday:** 8:30 a.m., boys varsity golf at Oberlin. 9 a.m., junior high track at Goodland Invitational. **ACT test. Monday:** 7 p.m., board of education

meeting, 2 p.m., boys varsity golf at Hays High. 3 and 5 p.m., varsity and junior varsity softball at Hays High. **Tuesday:** Gold Day: 7 p.m., Sixth grade music program in high school auditorium. 8:30 a.m., varsity track at Scott City. 1 p.m., boys junior varsity golf. 2 p.m., boys junior varsity tennis at Colby.

school menu

**Today:** Spaghetti, lettuce salad, corn, garlic sticks, cookies and milk. **Monday:** Enchiladas, Spanish rice, lettuce salad, grapes and milk. **Tuesday:** Hamburger, lettuce and onion, French fries, rosy applesauce and milk.

senior menu

**Today:** Hamburger stew, fruit cup, crackers and cinnamon rolls. **Monday:** Salmon patties, parslid potatoes, creamed peas, bread and pears. **Tuesday:** Bierock casserole, seasoned carrots, mandarin oranges and cook's choice complement.

**p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays** at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Call 890-8369.

**Stratton "AA by the Book" Alcoholics Anonymous** group meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays for a beginners open meeting. Families and young people welcome. Call (719) 348-5398 for men and (719) 346-8553 for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go to Statton and it is the second house on the left, 513 Iola Street.

**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

**Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas, Inc.** is having a sports and celebrity auction. Go to www.dsnwk.org for information.

**Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging** is having a **Seniors Celebration** from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, April 26, at The Mall in Hays.

**The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program Annual Recognition Banquet and Dance** will Wednesday at the City Limits Convention Center in Colby. Dance from 6 to 8 is open to all senior citizens. For information call (785) 462-6744.

**Lucy Wood from Wycliffe Associates** will talk about getting Bible translations in Indonesia and the world at 6 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, April 26, at City Limits, 2227 S. Range, Colby.

**The Dane G. Hansen Museum and Plaza**, 110 W. Main, in Logan will have "You'll Never Walk Alone: The Public and Private Life of Bob Dole" for two weeks from Friday to Sunday, April 20.

**The Huntington's Disease Support Group** of Hill City will meet at 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 20, at the Graham County Hospital Conference Center, 204 Main, Hill City. For information call (785) 421-2804 or (785) 216-0627.

**The 42nd Annual Butterfield Trail Ride** will start on Saturday, May 31, at Russell Springs. On Sunday, June 1, there will be a ranch rodeo. For information call (785) 751-4296, (785) 852-4622, (785) 672-3591 and (785) 846-7602.

Training for new **Client Assessment, Referral and Evaluation (CARE)** assessors in northwest Kansas will be from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Tuesday, April 29, 2008, at Commerce Bank, 718 Main, Hays. For information call Tammy Gerhardt at (800) 432-7422 or (785) 625-2037.

**Prairie Museum of Art and History**, 1905 S. Franklin, in Colby is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

**The USS Hollister Destroyer Reunion (DD-788)** will be from Wednesday to Sunday, Sept. 17 to 21, at Branson, Mo. For information contact Mrs. Nelda Rupp, 2118 15440 SE Hartnell Ave., Portland, Ore. 97267, (503) 656-4949 or hnrupp@comcast.net.

**The 82d Airborne Division Association** is planning a full division parade and dinner during All American Week of Monday to Sunday, May 19 to 25, at Ft. Bragg, N.C. For information contact Airborne -2008, 5459 Northcutt Place, Dayton, Ohio 45414, (937) 898-5977 or srgabn@aol.com.

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 adult's 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 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.

**Today:** Miller, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Monday:** Fern Heckman, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. **Tuesday:** Debbie Lucas, a.m. and Emma Van Vleet, courtesy.

cell phone drive

**Save a Life-Give a Phone** collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. Phones are also provided to the elderly and others in need of an emergency cell phone. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 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.

early head start

**Early Head Start** is a state funded program for income eligible families with prenatal mothers and children up to 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 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 are encouraged to get involved in their children's education.

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Carrie Starns at 890-2552 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

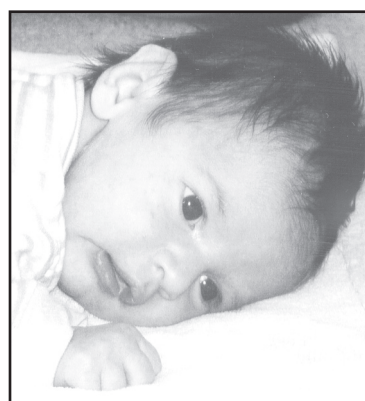
The Northwest Kansas Domestic and Sexual Violence Services provides help day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available in Hays. **Support group for women's domestic violence victims/survivors** is from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. **Central Time on Wednesdays; 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.** 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.

New baby brother joins family

Andrew Thomas Hipp was born on Thursday, Jan. 31, 2008, at Salina Regional Health Center. He weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces and was 21 inches long. His parents are Scott and Carey Hipp of Salina.

Grandparents are Gary and Reta Brouillette of Goodland and Janet and the late Tom Hipp of Claflin. His great grandparents are Marilyn Cooper of Goodland and Don and Virginia Elliott of Petaluma, Calif.

Andrew was welcomed home by a sister, Elizabeth, 4, and a brother, Benjamin, 2.



Andrew Hipp

Oberlin couple plans June wedding

Jolene Elizabeth Bremenkamp and Daniel Thomas Dempewolf of Oberlin plan to be married at 1 p.m. (Mountain Time) Saturday, June 7, 2008, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Leoville.

A reception will follow at 5 p.m. at the Oberlin American Legion Hall.

Parents of the couple are Tony and Pam Bremenkamp, Brewster, and Mike Dempewolf and LeAnna Helm, Oberlin.

The bride-to-be, a graduate of Brewster High School, works at the Decatur County Good Samaritan Center.

Her fiance graduated from Decatur Community High School and Northwest Kansas Technical College, where he earned an Associate's Degree in auto body. He works at Bus and Coach International in Jennings.



Bremenkamp and Dempewolf

Wheat has potential for leaf rust in state

When we are dealing with the potential for wheat rusts, we start listening to reports to the south on the amount of and severity of the disease. Since these diseases move on the wind and infect wheat from Texas and north, reports from that area are important. This is an update on leaf rust.

There have been significant developments in the status of leaf rust during the first week of April. Reports from fields near San Antonio, Texas indicate that leaf rust is now approaching 20 percent severity on susceptible wheat varieties, and that the disease was also present at low to moderate levels north of Dallas near the Oklahoma border. Stripe rust was also detected at trace levels in this same area.

The top three wheat varieties in the state (Jagalene, Overley, and Jagger) are known to be susceptible to leaf rust. The susceptibility of these varieties, increasing leaf rust pressure in Texas, and the delay in crop maturity all increase the risk of severe disease problems in Kansas this year.

According to Erick DeWolf, K-

State wheat plant pathologist, no immediate management actions are necessary, but growers should monitor the leaf rust situation carefully during the next few weeks. Research has demonstrated the most effective time to apply a foliar fungicide to wheat is between flag leaf emergence through heading. The average yield response for foliar fungicides in Kansas is 10 percent. Wheat prices have fallen slightly this past week, but are still around \$9 bushel. The costs of fungicides have also increased recently, with the average cost now approaching \$25 per acre for product plus application costs. Fields planted to susceptible varieties and having a yield potential of more than 35 bushels per acre are strong candidates for a fungicide application this year.

If you are not sure if your variety is susceptible, please visit the extension office and we can determine that for you.



jeanne falk

• extension district

Got News?  
Call 899-2338

In Memory of Gertrude E. Baker  
January 31, 1919-April 10, 2005

This may be an Anniversary of sorrow,  
This may be an Anniversary of tears,  
We honor the woman, our mother, our hero  
and thank her for memories of past years!  
Remembrance and Respect.



In our Hearts Always,  
Jean Ann Reid,  
Dr. James Baker,  
and John Baker

NORTHWEST KANSAS TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Get Out 2 Get In!

Spring Open House  
and Free Barbecue  
(11 am to 1 pm)

April 16, 2008  
8 am - 3 pm MT

- Classic Car Show
- Giveaways
- Tours, Exhibits
- Scholarship Drawings



800.316.4127

1209 Harrison St. Goodland

www.nwktc.edu

A Meeting Everyone Should Attend

Facilitated by the USD 352 Task Force

This meeting will address future concerns of our schools.

April 17, 2008 at 7:00 PM

GHS Cafeteria

