friends

card showers

The children of Arnold and Edna (Gramm) Warren are planning a card shower in honor their parents' 50th Anniversary on Saturday. They were married on Aug. 2, 1958, in Bethune, Colo. Cards may be sent to them at 6215 Road 1, Kanorado, Kan. 67741.

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, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday at 120 W. 12th. Carriage rides are available on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and cost \$5. Jeanie Gustafson's "Tethered Alliances" will be on display in August. She uses innovative methods in clay art in two and three-dimension styles. The opening will be from 1 to 3 p.m. on Saturday at the center.

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.

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt **Guild** will meet at 6 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Wheatridge Acres in Goodland. The Piecemakers will have open sewing from 8 to 11 a.m. on the fourth Saturday of the month at Wheatridge. For information call Cora House at 899-2619, Joan Reid at 890-7301.

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

Goodland Mothers of Pre-

obituaries

the calendar

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The United States Department of Agriculture Commodity Distribution for residents of Sherman County will be from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on **Monday** at the First Christian Church, 8th and Arcade. Foods include grapefruit juice, corn flakes, chicken, peanut butter, orange juice, green beans and beef stew. For information call (785) 890-2299.

Hospice Services is having the Heartland Lions Eye Bank speak about organ donation at its August volunteer meeting at 6 p.m. on **Tuesday** at the Goodland Regional Medical Center small boardroom. Anyone may attend. For information call (800) 315-5122.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday, Aug. 11. Distribution is from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 23, at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. Anyone interested in seeing the food may stop in on distribution day.

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas **Commission on Veterans Affairs**

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 second

will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday, August 7, 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 Sherman County Economic Development will have a "Community Economic Development **Strategic Planning Session**" from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 21, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College Student Union. For information call (785) 890-3743.

Wonders of Art of Kansas will be announced on Monday, Aug. **25**. From then until Wednesday, Oct. 15, people will be able to vote and the eight winners will be announced on Friday, Oct. 31. Voting or nomination is done online at http://kansassampler. org/8wonders/page.php?id=281.

The Goodland Public Library's book sale runs till Sat-

schoolers (MOPS) will meet from 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. 5:30 p.m. aerobics classes are offered Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Call 890-7242.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off

urday, Aug. 16. On Mondays to Thursdays the sale will run from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Fridays and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 812 Broadway.

The Sherman Theatre summer matinee is at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday. The movie is "Horton Hears a Who."

Moonlight Entertainment, Goodland Public Library and the Goodland Arts Council will have Movies on Main at the VFW north wall parking lot between the VFW and the GAC on Thursdays every other week. Showing will be "Rocketman" on Thursday, Aug. 14. Movies will start at sunset (8:30 to 9 p.m.) Bring lawn The 24 finalists for the Eight chairs, blankets and snacks. There is no charge.

senior menu

Today: Pasta beef and tomato casserole, carrot raisin salad, mandarin oranges, bread and cookie. Monday: Scalloped potatoes and ham, mixed fruit, bread and cook's choice complement. Tuesday: Taco salad, apricots, tortilla chips and spice cake.

p.m. Tuesdays at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m. A new group may be started and meet at a

Goodland Alcoholics Anonybook 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 Monday of the month. Any woman Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 Wednesdays at 1013 Center. For in-

formation 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.

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

An informational meeting for **Smoky Hills Public Television** travel club on its 12-day rail and cruise to Alaska will be at 1 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday, Aug. 14, at Prairie Museum, 1902 S. Franklin.

Bead International will be at the Dane G. Hansen Museum at Logan till Sunday, Sept. 7. Hours are Monday to Friday 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time).

"The purse and the person, a century of women's purses" will be at the Dane G. Hansen Museum at Logan until Sunday, Sept. 28.

Training for volunteer health insurance counselors by the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging will be Wednesday and Thursday, and Tuesday, Aug. 19, in Garden City. The staff of Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas Program will do the training. The counselors help Medicare beneficiaries who have questions and problems regarding their health insurance. For information call Glenna Clingingsmith at (800) 432-

7422 or (785) 628-8204. 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.

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. WIC program available.

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: Faye Paxton, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. Monday: Paxton, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. Tuesday: Anita Coleman, a.m. and Emma VanVleet, courtesy. Wednesday: Shelby Miller, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. Thursday: Virginia Bell, a.m., Shelby Miller, p.m. and VanVleet, courtesy. Friday: Avis Alcorn, 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. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 726 W. Business U.S. 24. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426.

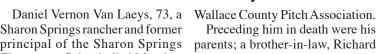
Kenneth D. Austin, M.D.

Kenneth D. Austin, M.D., 74, longtime Goodland physi-

cian, died Sunday July 27, 2008 at St. Anthony Central in Denver, Colorado, following a year long battle with cancer. Ken was born Aug. 8, 1933 in Ainsworth, Neb. to Jack and Fern Ausin, where he helped in their bowling ally and NAPA business and attended school. He attended college in Kearney and medical school at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln and Omaha, Neb.. He served four years in the United States Army and stationed at Ft. Carson, Colo.. He married Rogene Lowe on August 8, 1953 in Ainsworth, Neb.. The family lived in Burlington, Colo., Cozadd, Neb. and moved to Goodland in 1968. He was an avid golfer, belonged to Sugar Hills Golf Club and the Goodland Elks. He enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren and planting trees

his parents, first wife Rogene, who died in 1998, and granddaughter Jordan

Phillips. Dr. Austin is survived by his son Craig Austin of Salina, Kan. and daughter Lori (Dave) Phillips of Goodland, Kan.; grandchildren



principal of the Sharon Springs Elementary School, died Monday, July 28, 2008, at Goodland Regional Medical Center. He was born on Dec. 14, 1934, to Joe and Florence (Hays) Van Laeys

Daniel Van Laeys

in rural Wallace County, attended Western Star School and graduated from Kanorado High School in 1952.

On Aug. 14, 1955, he and Barbara Studer married at the Kanorado Methodist Church. He later completed his education at Fort Hays State University, and in 1959, they 2008, at the Sharon Springs United farmed. Mrs. Burk remained on a.m. (Mountain Time) Saturday, moved to Sharon Springs. Harrison Flats School in rural Wallace County. In 1969, he became principal. He retired in 1992 and continued to ranch and farm.

Preceding him in death were his long time Brewster resident, died Burk; a daughter, Shirley Lantz, parents; a brother-in-law, Richard Pfortmiller; and a sister-in-law, Colorado Medical Center LuAnn Van Laeys

Survivors include his wife, of the home; four sons, Joe (Kim) Van Laeys and Dave Van Laeys of Sharon Springs, Tim (Robin) Van gusta (Kauffman) Wan-Laeys of Logan and Dana Van Laeys of Mission; a daughter, Lori (Bob) attended school there. On Bolen of Sharon Springs; a brother, Nov. 28, 1934, she mar-Frank (Marlene) Van Laeys of Wes- ried Warren W. Burk in kan; a sister, Janice Pfortmiller of Bird City. Topeka; and 12 grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, July 31

Wilma Elizabeth Burk

Tuesday, July 29, 2008, at North a sister, Martha Wandersee; and a

in Greeley, where she had been a patient three days.

She was born on Aug. 22, 1913, to Henry and Audersee at Bird City and

The family moved

to Brewster in 1940, where they

Wilma Elizabeth Burk, 94, a parents; her husband; a son, Jerry

grandson, Todd Lantz.



ley of Goodland and Janice Seligman of McCook, Neb.; a son, Wesley (Do-

lores) Burk of Los Ala-

daughters, Beverly Frai-

Survivors include two

mos, N.M.; a sister, Alma Wandersee of Goodland; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and a great great-grandchild. Services are at 10:30

different time. Call Norma Mullen, area captain, at (785) 689-4362. mous meets at 8 p.m. Monday, closed meeting, Wednesday, the

Mr. Van Laeys was a member of Goodland, Kan. 67735. the Goodland Elks Lodge and the

Dalynn Peter

Peter

Goodland, died Sunday, July 27, 2008, at her home after a battle with cancer.

She was born on Dec. 15, 1961, to W.D. and Mary (Moses) Bates in Dillon, Mont., and attended Lima Elementary School in Lima, Mont., and Shoshoni High School

in Shoshoni, Wyo. On Oct. 2, 1981, she

and Dave Allan Peter married in eanor Peter of Goodland. Lander, Wyo. She enjoyed riding horses, roping and rodeoing with her children.

Preceding her in death was her father; a father-in-law, Raymond H. Peter; a daughter, Kasie Rae Peter; and her grandparents, Ruben and Wanita Moses and Dan and Thelma Bates.

the home, a former Goodland resi-



Methodist Church with the Rev. the farm until 2007 when she went Aug. 2, 2008, at the Bateman Fu-From 1959 to 1969 he taught at Paul McNall and the Rev. David to live at Sarah Hester Home Care neral Home, 211E. 11th, Goodland, Jenkins officiating and burial in the Center in Benkleman, Neb. Sharon Springs Cemetery.

Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Community Education club and

Dalynn Peter, 46, Lander, Wyo., dent; a daughter, Tara Lynn Peter sister of Kim (Don) Newell of of Riverton, Wyo.; a son, Todd Ru-

ben Peter of Lander; her mother, Lander; five other sisters, Debbie (Allan) Fitch of Evanston, Wyo., DaJuana (Ken) Crichton, Darla (John) Griffin and Diane (Steve) Hampton of Riverton, and Chyrl the ticket. (Dick) Spurlock of Big Piney, Wyo.; a brother, Dan Bates of Big Piney, and a mother-in-law, El-

Services will be at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 6, 2008, at the Lander Community Center, 950 Buena Vista Dr., Lander, Wyo., with Phil Wilson officiating.

A memorial has been established at the Atlantic City Federal Credit Union, 704 Main, Lander, Wyo.

Wind Dancer Funeral Home on Survivors include her husband, of the Wind River Indian Reservation for speeding, 84/70. is in charge of the arrangements.

She was a member of the TOB Memorials may be sent to the social club, the Llanos Family and the Beaver Garden Social Club in Brewster. She enjoyed crafts of all kinds, fishing, camping, traveling to Texas and Arizona, bingo and bowling.

Preceding her in death were her

matters of record

District Traffic

The following fines have been paid in the Sherman County District Court. All ages are at the time of

May 29: Michael K. Wangombe, 45, Cherry Valley, Mass., \$166 for violating motor carrier safety rules Thornton, Colo., \$165 for speedand regulations, not paying United ing, 91/70. Carrier fees.

Randall E. Zimmerman, 51, Goodland, \$144 for speeding, 83/65.

May 31: Kevin M. Murray, 32, Westminster, Colo., \$126 for not stopping at a stop or yield sign.

Norma L. Ramirez, 23, Goodland, \$144 for speeding.

James D. Smith, 19, Denver, \$120

Shine on Sherman County

Government Service Alliance Action Team

June 1: Jerline Jackson, 70,

Let Your Voice Be Heard **Public Forum** At-Large Voting for County Commissioner Forum This is an educational forum to discuss what "At-Large Voting for County Commissioner" means. We are asking for personal feedback from as many county citizens as possible. We will be explaining the issues with the at-large voting bill and sharing with everyone the procedures that are required prior to being able to vote on the bill. We look forward to hearing from all county citizens. Monday, August 4th Location: Midway Stage @ 5:45 pm

Sherman County Fairgrounds

with Pastor George Matthews officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

> Visitation will be from 1 to 6 p.m. today, Friday, Aug. 1, 2008, at the funeral home.

Memorials may be left at the funeral home in Mrs. Burk's name and the family will decide on their use.

Grand Cane, La., \$138.20 for speeding, 87/70.

Steven W. Johnson, 40, Pamplico, S.C., \$120 for speeding, 84/70.

Kayle A. Martin, 30, Boulder, Colo., \$144 for speeding, 88/70. June 2: Charles D. Hemm, 78,

He married Sheryl Davis in Deadwood, South Ďakota on July 3, 2001.

He is preceded in death by

Jason Austin of Idaho, Erica Austin of Goodland. Kan., Paige and Chelsea Phillips of Goodland, Shyanne and

Tyden Austin of Salina, Kan., brother Neil (Connie) Austin of Ainsworth, Nebr., and sister Jeannie Bussinger of Mesa, Arizona.

A memorial service will be held at Bateman Funeral Home on Thursday, July 31, 2008, at 11:30 a.m. MT. Burial will be private.

Visitation will be Wednesday, July 30, 2008 from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Funeral Home. According to his wishes the casket will remain closed.

Memorials will be directed to the Sherman County Animal Shelter and may be mailed to Bateman Funeral Home, P.O. Box 278, Goodland, Kan., 67735.

[⊥] August 5th ***VOTE* SCOTT SHOWALTER DISTRICT JUDGE** REPUBLICAN Position 2-Residing in Sherman County

• Life-long resident of Northwest Kansas.

• Graduate of Goodland High School, Fort Hays State University and Washburn Law School.

• Successfully practiced law in Northwest Kansas for the past 25 vears.

- Sherman County Attorney for 10 years. Current Kanorado Judge.
- Court Trustee for the 15th Judicial District for the past 14 years.

If elected I would provide a strong and dedicated voice for the people of the 15th Judicial District. With over 70 jury trials and numerous appellant court and Supreme Court appearances, I have the experience to handle the job in a fair an impartial way. My family has been residents of Northwest Kansas since homesteading in Thomas County in 1882. We have watched and helped this area grow for the past 126 years.



Please support and vote for me in the August 5th Republican Primary for District Judge, Position 2. This position is for the entire judicial district but the judge must reside in Sherman County. I have been a resident of Sherman County for the past 33 years.

"EXPERIENCE MATTERS"

Paid for by Showalter for Judge-Tom Palmer, Treasurer

