

card showers

The family of **Betty Kemp** is requesting get well cards be sent to her at 1600 W. 8th Street, Wellington, Kan. 67152.

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. 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. For those who need to use the new elevator, the key used to operate the life can be obtained inside the arts 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 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 second 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 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 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.

**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 p.m. Tuesdays and 8 p.m. Fridays** at 1013 Center. 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**

the calendar

calendar

Jodie Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. **Thursday, Aug. 21,** 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 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.

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.

**The 24 finalists for the Eight 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 sack sale** runs till **Saturday.** All you can get in a sack or box for \$1. 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.

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. Showing will be "**Rocketman**" on **Thursday.** Movies will bring at sunset (8:30 to 9 p.m.) Start lawn chairs, blankets and snacks. There is no charge.

senior menu

**Today:** Barbecue pork sandwich, tater tots, broccoli cauliflower salad, bun and blushing pears. **Wednesday:** Macaroni and cheese with smokies, tomatoes and cucumbers, mixed vegetables, bread and plums. **Thursday:** Chicken fajita salad, five cup salad, bread sticks and cherry crisp. **Friday:** Bierock casserole, creamed peas, cottage cheese with pineapple, strawberries and bananas. **Monday:** Hamburger,

over browned potatoes, creamed corn, bun and applesauce. **Tuesday:** Turkey slice, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, bread and cranberry sauce.

school calendar

**Today:** 7:30 a.m., band camp. 5 p.m., football rules meeting at Oakley. 6:30 p.m., volleyball rules meeting at Oakley. School Enrollment. **Wednesday:** 7:30 a.m., band camp. New teacher professional day. 9 a.m., eighth grade football checkout. 10 a.m., seventh grade football checkout. 1 p.m., eighth grade volleyball checkout. 1:30 p.m., seventh grade volleyball checkout. 4 p.m., Little City Theater rehearsal in high school auditorium. Professional Development Committee training. 5:30 p.m., Family, Career and Community Leaders of America barbecue for freshman. Noon, marching band exhibition at Max Jones Fieldhouse parking lot. **Thursday:** Teacher professional day. **Friday:** Teacher professional day. Relay for Life at high school track. **Monday:** Teacher professional day. Beginning practice date for fall sports. 4 p.m., Little City Theater rehearsal in high school auditorium. **Tuesday:** Teacher professional day.

obituaries

E. Wayne Hilton

E. Wayne Hilton, 85, former Goodland City commissioner, died Sunday, Aug. 10, 2008, at Swedish Medical Center in Denver.

He was born on June 15, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hilton at Chanute. He graduated from the University of Kansas and was a naval aviator in World War II and Korea.

He and Ann Nafe were married in 1953 in Topeka.

Mr. Hilton worked as an accountant for thirty year for Kennedy & Coe, L.L.C. in Goodland. He had served on several committees of the Kansas Society of Certified Public Accountants and was an honorary member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He served on the Goodland City

Commission for April 1989 to December 1990.

He was a past member of the Rotary Club in Goodland.

Preceding him in death were his parents and a brother, Bob Hilton.

Survivors include his wife of the home; a son, Chris (Elda) Hilton of Hilo, Hawaii; a daughter, Jeanne (Robert) Snyder of Holts Summit, Mo.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 14, 2008, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland, with Dr. Chet Ross officiating and military honors by the Navy. Burial will be at a later date.

Memorials to the Center for Basic Cancer Research can be left at the funeral home.



Hilton

Marie A. Day

Marie A. Day, 82, Ogallala, Neb., died Saturday, Aug. 9, 2008, at Indian Hills Manor in Ogallala.

She was born on April 7, 1926, to Charles and Geneva (Bachelor) Hobbs in Goodland. On Nov. 16, 1945, she and Claude F. Day were married and they made their home in Atwood.

In 1967 the couple moved to Holyoke, Colo., where she worked at Regent Park Nursing Home. In 1984, she moved to Ogallala where she worked for TRW and then for Hill Top Inn, retiring in 1995.

Preceding her in death were her husband in 1977; a son, a sister,

Rosetta Patterson of Vincennes, Ind.; and her parents.

Survivors include three daughters, Claudette (Dale) Hornkohl of Ogallala, Constance (Riky) Rogers of Dodge City and Pamela (John) Erickson of Holyoke; eight grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; two great great-grandchildren; and a sister Theora (Bud) Williams of Paso, Wash.

Visitation is Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2008, at the Draucker Funeral Home in Ogallala and inurnment is at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 13, 2008, at the Goodland Cemetery.

Kenneth Royce Hitchcock

Kenneth Royce Hitchcock, 65, owner of Hitchcock Inc. in Burlington, died at his home on Friday, Aug. 1, 2008, after being injured in a motorcycle accident on Sunday, July 20, 2008, near Norton.

Mr. Hitchcock was riding his Harley Davidson motorcycle west on K383 near Norton didn't make a curve, ran into the west ditch and rolled his motorcycle. He was taken to the Norton County Hospital and then to Wichita by LifeFlight. His daughter and brother flew him home from Wichita so he could die at home.

He was born Nov. 12, 1942, to Okley Kenneth and Betty Lee (Pelstrom) Hitchcock in Santa Monica, Calif. He spent his first years in California, moving to Bird City in 1944 when his dad went overseas for World War II. In the spring of 1950, the family moved to the Beverage Ranch south of Burlington. Mr. Hitchcock attended Smoky Hill School to the seventh grade, when his family moved to Burlington, and graduated from Burlington High School in 1962.

He worked at the Martin Marietta missile factory in Denver until he was drafted into the Army in July 1964. He took basic and advanced infantry training at Fort Benning, Ga., and served a year in Vietnam. He was discharged in 1966 and returned to Burlington to work on the

family farm and began manufacturing farm machinery with his father and brother, Duane Hitchcock. By the early 1970s, the manufacturing business had grown enough that the brothers gave up farming.

Mr. Hitchcock enjoyed cars, dirt-bike racing, motorcycles, airplanes, race cars, model trains and remote-control airplanes. He and his long-time companion, Susie Richards, spent a lot of time traveling, camping and riding their Harleys.

Mr. Hitchcock served on the Burlington City Council for 12 years and had been a member of the Burlington Volunteer Fire Department. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Preceding him in death was his father.

Other survivors include a daughter, Michelle (Tom) Kriss of Emporia; a son, Jonathan Hitchcock of Burlington; his mother of Burlington; and two grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday, Aug. 6, 2008, at Outback Park in Burlington with the Rev. Tom Peacock officiating and inurnment in the columbarium at the Fairview Cemetery in Burlington. There was no visitation.

Memorials to the Wounded Warrior Project can be sent to the Bank of Burlington, 410 14th, Burlington, Colo. 80807.

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, 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.

**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 Emma VanVleet, courtesy. **Wednesday:** Leora Jones, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Thursday:** Jessie Owens, a.m. and VanVleet, courtesy. **Friday:** Avis Alcorn, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. **Monday:** Ramona Livengood, a.m., Jan Lambertz, p.m. and Sutton, courtesy. **Tuesday:** Alcorn, a.m. and VanVleet, 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



Leonard and Betty Calkins then



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Couple to celebrate 50 years

The family of Leonard and Betty Calkins plans a come-and-goreception for their 50th anniversary from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 16, 2008, at the Howard Johnson's dome.

Leonard and Betty Smoot married on Aug. 16, 1958, at Reno, Nev. Their children are Steve and Alana Calkins of Bakersfield, Calif., Shawn Calkins and finance

Janae Wize of Larned, Jo Ann Matthews of Goodland and the late Janice Calkins.

lions club

Goodland Lion Wallace "Wally" Hansen has been selected to serve as Lions Zone Chairman for 2008-09 with District Governor John Lee of Kismet. Hansen will attend the first District Cabinet meeting of the year at Rush Center on Saturday, Aug.

16. Hansen will be accompanied by PDG Don Keihl who served as the district Retention Chairman.

Lions Club is the largest community service organization in the world numbering 1.4 million members in over 45,000 clubs.

**Help Me! I'm Lost! REWARD!**

**Name: Baxter**  
**Type: Black Toy Poodle**  
**Age: 6 months**

If found please call (785) 821-0094.

I miss my family!

**Card Shower**

The children of Elaine Thompson would like to have a card shower for Elaine's 95th birthday. Elaine's birthday is August 19. Send cards to:

Elaine Thompson  
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