friends

card showers

The family of **Dale and Ethelyn** (Jones) Cloyd are celebrating their 60th Anniversary on Thursday, Sept. 4, 2008, They were married on Sept. 4, 1948. They have a son, Darrel and Becky Cloyd of Kanorado; a daughter, Dennice and C.T. Farr of Weskan; five grandchildren; one step-son; eight great-grandchildren; and two step great-grandsons. Cards may be mailed to 734 Granview, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

patient news

The family of **Betty Kemp** is requesting get well cards be sent to her at 1600 W. 8th Street, Wellington, Kan. 67152. She has broken a hip and will be in bed for another eight weeks.

student news

Christopher Irvin, son of Jeanne and Doug Irvin of Goodland, has been inducted into the 2007/2008 National Honor Roll. He attends Goodland High School.

Ryan Irvin, son of Jeanne and Doug Irvin of Goodland, has been inducted into the 2007/2008 National Honor Roll. He attends Goodland High School.

Joshua A. Baden of Colby has been inducted into the 2007/2008 National Honor Roll. He attends Colby High School.

Kayla A. Cozza of Colby has been inducted into the 2007/2008 National Honor Roll. She attends Rawlins High School.

Randa L. Lewis of Colby has been inducted into the 2007/2008 National Honor Roll. She attends Golden Plains High School.

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. 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 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday after Labor Day. Story hour for preschool children ages 3 to 5 is Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. or Wednesdays 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. or Thursdays 10 to 11 a.m. Story hour will start on Wednesday, Sept. 10 and Thursday, Sept. 11.Born to Read for children ages 0 to 3 on Fridays 10 to 10:30 a.m. starting Friday, Sept. 12. Children need to be accompanied by a parent or caregiver for the Born to Read group. For information call Marcy Melia at (785) 899-5461. 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.

the calendar

calendar

The Sherman County Alumni Association Annual meeting will be at 5 p.m. tonight at Gambi-

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

Sign up for Scouting Night will be **Thursday** at 6:30 p.m. The Girl Scouts will be at the First United Methodist Church, Cub Scout sign up will be at West Element School.

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 3, 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.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday, Sept. 15. Distribution is from 10:30 to 11:30

each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah Linton at 890-6044.

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 Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Aerobics Classes - 5:30 a.m. to 4 p.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 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

a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 27, at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. Anyone interested in seeing the food may stop in on distribution day. For information call (785) 899-3631.

Story Hour Sign Up is going on at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Bradway. The program will start on Wednesday, Sept. 10.

senior menu

Today: Polish sausage with kraut, mashed potatoes, mixed melon, bread and choice complement. Wednesday: Lasagna, mixed vegetables, pears, garlic bread and pudding. Thursday: Chicken vegetable casserole, stewed tomatoes, biscuit and Ambrosia fruit salad. Friday: Pork roast, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasoned carrots, bread and gelatin with fruit. Monday: Holiday. No meal. Tuesday: Lemon baked fish, cheesy broccoli, cranberry sauce, bread and crisp rice bar.

school menu

shop will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. starting on Tuesday, Oct. 7 at the Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum Breast Cancer Support Group at Logan. For more information call (785) 689-4846.

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 at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time). Saturday 8 to 11a.m. and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday and Holidays noon

The 35th Annual Hansen Arts and Crafts Fair will be Saturday, Sept. 20 on Main Street, Logan. The fair will open at 9 a.m. (Mountain Time). and end at 3 p.m.

'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 open meeting, at 1013 Center. For 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 Monday through Friday

Today: Hoagie sandwich, lettuce, pickle, tomato, carrot sticks, fresh fruit cup and milk. Wednesday: Burrito, lettuce and cheese, refried beans, half banana and milk. Thursday: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, whole wheat roll, cookies and milk. Friday: Pigs-in-a-blanket, tator totos, beets, half orange and milk. Monday: No school. Labor Day.

school calendar

Today: Black Day. Wednesday: Gold Day. Thursday: Black Day. 7:30 p.m., varsity tennis at Cimarron. Spirit Safety Meeting at Oakley High School. Friday: Gold Day. 9 p.m., Back to School Dance. 3:40 p.m., Lifetouch fall sports pictures. Earliest Date for volleyball competition. 6 p.m., high school football and cross county soap scrimmage. Monday: No School. Labor Day. Tuesday: Black Day. 2 p.m., varsity tennis at Phillipsburg. 6 p.m., Volleyball soap scrimmage.

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.

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.

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

Goodland Regional Medical ber of the alliance, which supports from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. a free preschool for eligible 3 and Center will host a three-part series community cancer care professionutiea "Celebrate Survivorship!

Wallace F. Gattshall, 95, retired County Farm Bureau board, elec-Sherman County farmer, died tion board, township trustee and Wednesday, Aug. 20, 2008, at Chey- 4-H leader.

> Mr. Gattshall belonged to the Goodland American Legion Post and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and the Neville Methodist Church.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his wife; a sister, Laveta Loutzenhiser; and a brother,

Survivors include

school in St. Francis. On June 8, his two sons, Robert W. (Kathy) 1943, he and Vera Marie Livingston Gattshall of Shawnee and William Q. (Diane) Gattshall of Goodland; three granddaughters; three grandsons; and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 26, 2008, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland with Pastor Chad DeJong officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery with military honors.

Visitation will be from 3 to 7 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 25, 2008, at Koons Chapel.

County Hospital may be left at the

Mary Ann Sramek

the home; three other sons, Christopher Ivan Sramek of Atwood, Aaron Edward (Lacy) Sramek and Carey Joseph (Jessica) Sramek; two daughters, Jolene (Karl) Singhateh and Jennifer Ann Sramek; three sisters, Kathy Tomlin and Nancy Friffiths and Erin Atteberry; stepmother, Beth Cummin Millan, and 11 grandchildren.

Services were on Saturday, Aug. 23, 2008, at St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church in rural Atwood with the Rev. Daniel Scheetz officiating and burial in the St. John's Cemetery in Atwood. Visitation was Friday, Aug. 22, 2008, at the church where a vigil and rosary were also held.

A memorial to be designated at a later date can be sent to Williams Funeral Home, 109 N. 2nd, Atwood, Kan. 67730.

Hospital hosting series on survivorship

als, helping keep patients closer

car. Dr. Gary Doolittle, a cancer

specialist from the University of

Kansas Cancer Center, conducts the

oncology clinic in Goodland with

both personal consultations once

a month and weekly consults via

tinue on Monday, Sept. 15, with the

second program titled "Survivors:

I Don't Want to Bother the Doctor,

But..." and conclude on Monday,

Sept. 29, with the program "Survi-

For information, call Tina Good-

vors: Looking Ahead."

The three-part series will con-

telemedicine.

ashore at the Battle of Leyte Gulf and saw the atomic cinders of Hiroshima while stationed in Japan. Mr. Gattshall returned home from the Army in 1945 and he and his wife settled on the farmstead in Grant Township in Sherman County. He continued farming until he was 84.

He served on the school board of District 6, ASCS board, Sherman funeral home.

obituary

enne County Hospital in

He was born on June

15, 1913, to Frank Quincy

and Millie B. (Hartzler)

Gattshall in a homestead

sod house in Kit Carson

County. Mr. Gattshall grew

up in the Flagler, Colo.,

area and started school in a

sod house north of Flagler

and graduated from high

were married at Goodland.

During World War II he was an

Army cryptographer attached to

Mac Arthur's headquarters, seeing

St. Francis.

Mary Ann Sramek, 58, Atwood, mother of Goodland High School teacher and coach Joseph Sramek, died on Wednesday, Aug. 20, 2008, of cancer.

She was born on Dec. 25, 1949 to Elaine and Manuel Millan Jr. in Bangor, Maine. She attended Jefferson Street Grade School in Old Town, Maine. In 1963 her family moved to Northglenn, Colo. and then to Norton in 1964. She graduated from Norton High School in 1968 and attended Colby Community College for a year.

On Oct. 20, 1970 she and Ivan Sramek were married in Norton. She began cooking for the Atwood Good Samaritan Center on Sept. 19, 1991.

Preceding her in death were her father and mother, who died of cancer at 48.

Survivors include her husband of



Memorials to the Cheyenne



Gattshall

Wallace F. Gattshall

Wayne Gattshall.

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

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 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 National Director of Priests for Life, Father Frank Pavone, will be coming to the Salina Catholic Diocese in Salina to speak at a banquet and conference on Friday, Sept. 5 and Saturday, Sept. 6. For information call (785) 625-9356 or (877) 447-4383. The events are open to people of all religious denominations.

Training for Client Assessment, **Referral and Evaluation (CARE)** assessors in northwest Kansas will be held from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday, Sept. 11 at the Kansas Highway Patrol building, 1821 Frontier Road. For information call (800) 432-7422 or (785) 625-2037.

A seven-week quilting work-

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: Avis Alcorn, a.m., Jan Lambertz, p.m. and Emma VanVleet, courtesy. Wednesday: Shirley Hayden, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. Thursday: Debbie Lucas, a.m. and VanVleet, courtesy. Friday: 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

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.

tamily 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.

beginning at 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. to home while enhancing cancer 1, in the large boardroom of the hospital

The sessions, developed by the Midwest Cancer Alliance, will be free to cancer survivors, caregivers or anyone interested in learning more about cancer-fighting resources available in our area.

The series will be presented by Janna Eisenbart, a cancer nurse at the hospital. Although each session will focus on a topic, participants will have a chance to ask questions, share stories and network with other cancer survivors.

The hospital is a founding mem- win at (785) 890-6036.

matters of record

Accidents

The following accidents were investigated by the Goodland Police Department.

Aug. 13 – 3:20 p.m., 100 E. 10th, a 1997 Mercury was packing to the east and a 2003 Ford driven by Megan A. Murray had pulled in to park going south when the Mercury hit the Ford in the right front passenger door.

Aug. 15 – 4:11 p.m., 2160 Commerce, sometime between the hours of noon and 4 p.m. an unknown vehicle hit the rear passenger corner of a 1994 Chevrolet owned by Robert 97/70. Handle.

District Traffic

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

July 3: Tharold G. Cottrell, 39, Glenwood, Ark., \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, not paying United Carrier fees.

Juan R. Galdo, 35, Arlington, Va., \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations.

July 4: Hossein S. Alapour, 53, Las Vegas, \$228 for speeding,



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