Former residents Les and Alice Watkins will be celebrating the 71st Wedding Anniversary on Thursday, Feb. 24. Cards may be sent to them at Wel Life, 1610 N. Spruce Street Room 226, Ogallala, Neb. 69153.

reception

Friends and family are invited to a farewell reception for Frances An**derson** from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday at the Handy Tower activity room, 516 E. 6th. Frances will be moving

student news

Josh William Doke, son of Fritz and Susan Doke of Edson, a senior in art was on fall 2010 honor roll at the University of Kansas at Law-

Lea Acuff, daughter of Mark Acuff, a pharmacy student was on the fall 2010 honor roll at the University of Kansas at Lawrence.

Julie Leiker, graduate of Goodland High School, a senior in Liberal Arts and Sciences was on the fall 2010 honor roll at the University of Kansas at Lawrence.

Courtney Sheldon, daughter of Penny and Shad Sheldon, a junior in Liberal Arts and Science was on the fall 2010 honor roll at the University of Kansas at Lawrence.

Michael Wade Smith, son of Celia Smith, a senior in Liberal Arts and Science was on the fall 2010 honor roll at the University of Kansas at Lawrence.

Morgan Renae Whitmore, daughter of Lori Titus, a pharmacy student was on the fall 2010 honor roll at University of Kansas at Law-

activities

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

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. Tuesday through Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday at 120 W. 12th. The center is always in need of hosts and hostesses from on Sundays. New monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

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.** Story Hour for preschool kids, ages 3 to 5, are Wednesday mornings 10 to 11 a.m., Wednesday afternoon 3 to 4 p.m. and Thursday morning 10 to 11 a.m. Born to Read for kids aged 0 to 3 years and their parents or caregiver will meet from 10 to 10:30 a.m. on Friday mornings. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library. The local High Plains Consti-

tutional Society will meet the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Rock House, 6th and Caldwell, Goodland. They will use the book "The 5000 Year Leap" by Cleon Skousen Skousen as the framework for the studies.

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 from October through May at the First Baptist Church, 12th and Main.

The Good Sam Family Support Council meets at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Meetings are open to all interested people. The council is working with the Good Samaritan Center to raise \$4,500 to remodel their beauty shop including adding an adjustable sink to allow wheelchair resident easier access

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on Saturday, Feb. 28. They will do marble painting. The cost is \$3 per student. Hannah Schlosser will

The Kanorado Senior Center will have a Sweetheart Spaghetti Supper from 5 to 8 p.m. on Saturday. Adults will cost \$5 and kids \$3.

Non-denominational Bible talks will at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays in February at the Carnegie Arts Center, 121 W. 10th. No collections will be taken. All are welcome!

The Storm Spotter and Safety Class offered by the National Weather Service in Goodland and Sherman County Emergency Management is **6:30 p.m. on** Monday, March 13, at the Northwest Tech Murray Center, 1315 Eustis. For information call (785)

Tuesday Flicks are at 1:30 p.m. at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. Call the library for the title of the movie at 899-5461.

ring and to purchase a portable hair

dryer. For information call 890-

Diabetes Support Group meets

month in the large board room at

Goodland Regional Medical Center.

Patients, family and friends meet

each month for a speaker and edu-

cational program. Call Sarah Linton

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.

p.m. on the third Thursday of each

month at the Goodland Regional

Medical in the large board room.

Group open to any cancer patient,

survivor, caregiver and family

members. Call Tina Goodland at

Emotions Anonymous meets

at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the

Goodland Regional Medical Center

The Goodland Activities Center

has the following activities. Mon-

day: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena

Tompkins and 5 p.m. taekwando.

Tuesday: 5:30 a.m., workout with

Grady Bonsall. Wednesday: 5:30

a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins,

9 a.m., starting at 4 p.m. taekwando

classes and 5:30 p.m. aerobics with

Lisa Malsom. Thursday: 5:30 a.m.,

workout with Grady Bonsall. Fri-

day: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena

Tompkins and starting at 5 p.m.

taekwondo classes. For information

Goodland Alcoholics Anony-

mous meets at 8 p.m. Monday,

closed meeting, Wednesday, the

book meeting, and Saturday, an

open meeting, at 1013 Center. For

Alcoholics Anonymous, call Pat T.

at 890-3915 or Laura at 821-4277.

Goodland Al-Anon Serenity

Goodland Adult Children of Al-

coholics meets at 6 p.m. on Fridays

at 1013 Center. For information call

Laura or Marilyn at 821-4277 or

The "Freedom Today" group of

Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8

p.m.Tuesdays,8 p.m.Fridays and

8 p.m. on Sundays at 1013 Center.

Bird City Alcoholics Anony-

Seekers group meets at 6 p.m. on

Mondays at 1013 Center. For infor-

mation call Cheryl at 890-3023.

all 890-7242.

821-2862.

Call 890-8369.

785) 890-6036.

Cancer Support Group meets at 6

3117 or 890-5936.

at 890-6044.

senior menu

Today: Liver and onions with bution is 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on gravy, green bean casserole, man-**Saturday, Feb. 19**, at the Knights darin oranges, bread and pudding. Monday: Hot dog, macaroni and cheese, mixed vegetables, bun and strawberries. Tuesday: Baked fish, parslied potatoes, cauliflower The Carnegie Arts Center art with cheese, bread and cook's class will be from 10 to 11 a.m. choice fruit. Wednesday: Ground beef stew, orange pineapple salad, crackers and brownies. **Thursday**: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, peas, bread, applesauce and cake with frosting. **Friday**: Sausage gravy, green beans, broccoli salad, biscuit and plums.

school menu Today: Burrito with lettuce and cheese, potato square, spiced pears and milk. **Monday**: Chicken nuggets, tri-tator, wheat roll and valentine cake. Tuesday: Barbecue rib sandwich, french fries, pickle spear, half an orange and milk. **Wednesday**: Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, pudding and milk. Thursday: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, cooked carrots, wheat roll, half an apple and milk. **Friday**: Grilled cheese, tomato soup, crackers, half a banana and

school calendar

Today: Black day. 3:45 p.m. c team basketball at Colby. 5:30 p.m. junior varsity basketball at Colby. 7 p.m. varsity basketball at

(Mountain Time) on Fridays at the

Senior Center on 4th Street. Nar-

cotics Anonymous meets at 6:30

(Mountain Time) on Tuesdays at

Stratton "AA by the Book" **Al**-

coholics Anonymous group meets

at 7 p.m. Thursdays for a beginners

people welcome. Call (719) 348-

5398 for men and (719) 346-8553

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 Burling-

ton. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

ABottoms Up, a 5K Walk/Run,

promoting awareness of colorec-

tal cancer screening will be held

on Saturday, March 5. Registra-

tion starts at 7:30 a.m. (Mountain

Time) and the run begins at 8 a.m.

(Mountain Time) at the Center for

Health Improvement at HaysMed,

2220 Canterbury, Hays. The 3.1

mile walk/run will wind through

areas near the hospital. Registration

deadline is Friday, Feb. 25. The fee

is \$20 for those 14 and older and a

free will donation is encouraged for

those 13 and under. For information

Art Exhibit will be from Friday

The 34th Annual High School

call (785) 623-5900.

call (785) 689-4846.

tory, 1905 S. Franklin, in Colby is

Time Tuesday through Friday and 1

to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

2734 for more information.

on the left, 513 Iola Street.

area events

to wash their hair without transfermous group meets at 6:30 p.m.

at 4 p.m. the last Tuesday of each the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-

varsity wrestling against Oakley. National Family, Community and Career Leaders of America week. Saturday: National Family, Community and Career Leaders of America week. ACT test. State Scholars' Bowl. 8 a.m. junior varsity wrestling at the Bill Voss Novice at Colby. 7 p.m. X-Pressos Valentine Banquet. Monday: Black day. 7 p.m. board of education meeting. 3 p.m. junior high scholars' bowl at Oberlin. 3:30 p.m. boys eighth grade basketball at Colby. 3:30 p.m. boys seventh grade basketball against Colby at Max Jones. Tuesday: Gold day. Kindergarten screening. 6:30 a.m. Goodland High School site council. 3:45 p.m. c-team basketball against Atwood. 5:30 p.m. junior varsity basketball against Atwood and varsity basketball against Atwood. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America Flag ceremony and money grab. Wednesday: Black day. 7 a.m. Great West Activity Conference Music Festival. 7:30 a.m. professional learning communities. Kindergarten screening. Thursday: Gold day. 7 p.m. National Honor Society Installation. Friday: Black day. Regional wrestling. 3:45 p.m. c team basketball at Hugoton. 5:30 p.m. junior varsity basketball at Hugoton. 7 p.m. varsity basketball

Colby. 5:30 p.m. varsity and junior

black and gold booster club

The Black and Gold Booster Club has black and gold spirit flags for sale. Contact Jill Deeds at (785) 899-7230 or Steve and Colleen Duell at (785) 899-5888.

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at Hugoton.

open meeting. Families and young for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go to Statton and it is the second house should make an appointment.

health department

partment at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

dren'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 available. Call 890-4888 or go to

If you have questions, concerns 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-

hospital volunteers

to Sunday, March 13, at the Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum, Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to 110 W. Main, Logan. High school noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. students invited to participate are volunteers are in the gift shop. Tofrom Norton, Palco, Stockton, day: a.m. Avis Alcorn, p.m. Shelby Smith Center, Logan, Phillipsburg, Miller and courtesy Linda Woods. Hill City, Grainfield, Ellis, Osborne, Monday: a.m. Judy Siruta, p.m. Plainville and WaKeeney. Museum LaVonne Lage and courtesy Woods. hours are Monday through Friday 8 Tuesday: a.m. Gorda Aldegren to 11 (Mountain Time) and noon to and courtesy Emma VanVleet. 3 p.m. (Mountain Time), Saturday 8 Wednesday: a.m. Jan Lambertz a.m. to 11 a.m. (Mountain Time) and and courtesy Woods. Thursday: Noon to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time), a.m. Faye Paxton and courtesy Sunday and holidays noon to 4 p.m. VanVleet. Friday: a.m. Alcorn and (Mountain Time). For information courtesy Woods.

early head start Prairie Museum of Art and His-

Early Head Start is a state fundopen from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central families with prenatal mothers and children up to three. Call 785-672-3125,.ext. 187.

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, should call 890-2007. Accepting clean clothing donations one bag at a time. Large donations

The Sherman County Health De-

Blood pressures; infants', chilwww.sherman.kansas.com.

or complaints about child care, call

obituaries

Bethel Amerine

Bethel Amerine, 98, Scott City, former Sherman County school (Darla) Amerine of Scott City; six teacher for over 20 years, died Tuesgrandsons; a granddaughter; 18 day, Feb. 8, 2011 at the Scott City great grandchildren; and seven great Hospital at Scott City.

She was born on Dec. 5, 1912, to Thomas and Bessie (Frizell) Burton at Lafontaine.

Mrs. Amerine taught at Goodland High School from 1963 to 1971. She had been living in Scott City since 2010 after moving from Sun City, Ariz.

On Jan. 26, 1935, she and Woodrow Amerine were married in Lafontaine. Her memberships include the

and Sun City and she attended the funeral home. First Christian Church at Scott

husband on Jan. 3, 1994 in Sun City; Christian Church at Goodland may her parents; a son, Tom Amerine Sr.; four sisters; and three brothers.

Survivors include a son, Ron great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 9:30 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Friday, Feb. 11, 2011, at Price and Sons Funeral Home, 401 South Washington Street, Scott City with the Rev. Robert Nuckolls officiating and burial at 2 p.m. in the Goodland Cemetery.

Amerine

Visitation was from 1 to 7 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2011 and from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Mountain Time) First Christian Church of Goodland on Thursday, Feb. 10, 2011, at the

Memorials to the First Christian Church at Scott City, Scott County Preceding her in death were her Hospital CATS Channel or the First be sent to the funeral home.

Carlene Ann Passell

rence, former Goodland nurse, died Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011, at Lawrence Memorial Hospital. She was born on April 29, 1948,

to Samuel Carr and Signa Joyce (Ewing) Passell. Ms. Passell graduated from St.

Francis High School in 1966. She moved to Colby where she received her degree as a registered nurse. She worked many years as an nurse in area hospitals and nursing homes. In 1999 she moved to Lawrence. She enjoyed cooking and read-

Preceding her in death were her parents and grandparents. Survivors include her long time funeral home.

companion David Davis of the

Carlene Ann Passell, 62, Law-home; two sons, Chad (Amy) Wahrman of Laurens, Iowa and Christopher (Amber) Chisholm of Pratt; two sisters, Patricia (Dale) Crabtree of St. Francis and Sue Ellen (Troy) Stimbert of Hays; and four grand-

> Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Friday, Feb. 11,2011, at Oak Hill Cemetery at Lawrence. Visitation was from 8 a.m. to 7

p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday, Feb. 10, 2011, at Rumsey-Yost Funeral Home, 601 Indiana Street. Lawrence, Kan. 66044.

Memorials to the Lawrence Humane Society may be sent to the

Sometimes the customer isn't right

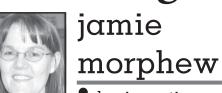
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matters of record

Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department: **Jan. 8** – 1:45 p.m., 1605 Clark

Ave., Joshua Harenberg reported Jan. 12 - 8:27 p.m., 1417 Cherry

Ave., Kayla Brooks reported criminal threat and harassment.

8:32 p.m., 1402 Walnut Ave., juvenile reported harassment. Case

referred to county attorney. 11:04 p.m., 1417 Cherry Ave., Kayla Brooks reported criminal

damage to property. **Jan. 18** – 5:44 p.m., 2219 Enterprise Rd., arrested Gary Searle, jr., for domestic battery against Monica

Bankruptcies

Cases filed in the U.S. District ed program for income eligible Bankruptcy Court, 167 United States Courthouse, 401 N. Market Street, Wichita. Definitions:

Chapter 7, liquidation, business or personal; Chapter 11, business reorganization; Chapter 12, farmer reorganization; Chapter 13, personal reorganization. Dba: doing business

as; aka: also known as. **Brewster**

Garcia, Johnny Joe, liabilities \$126,424, assets \$112,423.

Municipal Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

Dec. 16: Marcela Dominguez, driving on suspended, cancelled or revoked license, diversion, \$310.

Dec.20: Jarvis E. Young, inattentive driving, fined, \$135.

Dec.22: Roger D. Enfield, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined, \$105. Joel L. Linin, failed to yield at stop or yield sign, fined \$135.

Skylar Gale Williams, fireworks

violation, fined, \$560.

Jan. 4: Kathi Sue Jardine, inattentive driving, fined, \$135.

NOTICE OF OWNERS OF TAXABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY

All owners of taxable personal property (including boats, jet skis, mobile homes, campers, snowmobiles, golf carts, mopeds, dirt bikes, trucks, non-highway vehicles, trailers, airplanes, business equipment and fixtures) MUST come to the appraiser's office to report ownership of such property. **ALL** Personal Property **MUST** be listed by **March 15**. Any questions concerning personal property items call 890-4825 Sherman County Appraiser's Office.

WE NOW PRORATE WATERCRAFT. Owner of record is to notify the County Appraiser within 30 days of the acquisition or sale.

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Kindergarten Round-Up

