



Artist Frank Eli was on hand for his exhibit's opening at the Carnegie Arts Center on Sunday. His works include a variety of art with pencil, pen, digital color, colored pencil and 3-dimensional modeling. The eagle was drawn when he was 17.

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Exhibit shows until June 26 by Denver artist

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A former Goodland resident is the featured artist at the Carnegie Art Center this month, and his exhibit has a variety of contemporary art.

Frank Eli, formerly of Goodland, lives in Denver with his wife Elsie and his three children.

He said Sunday he enjoys doing a variety of art with pencil, pen,

digital color, colored pencil and 3-dimensional modeling.

Eli has been working in art for 30 years and credits his mother, Gloria, as his inspiration as a young boy.

He has a bachelor of arts degree in animation and media arts from the Art Institute of Colorado.

He has been working at a number of different types of art over the years, but currently is doing free-

lance work.

In the show he has included a series of drawings to show how as an artist he takes a specific scene and develops it into a complex finished project.

One of the more colorful items is a color logo he has designed for a band in Albuquerque to use on an upcoming CD cover.

He said he started with a simple

drawing and scanned it into the computer and continued to add layers of color until he was satisfied. He said the finished one has more than 90 layers.

He has a beautiful eagle he drew back when he was 17, and a number of 3-D art for a housing complex being built in Aurora. The images show the planned buildings, exercise room and example of the

apartments.

One special piece was made for a woman in Goodland who likes the combination of frogs and Kenworth trucks. Frank said he made the KW logo green to go with the frog.

He said he enjoys working with people and can do almost anything they come up with. He has one of a dragonfly with two clown faces, and one has a tear.

In each piece of art Eli has included his name in the art as well as signing the work. The ELI is easy to spot in some, and can be found in most once a person knows what to look for.

The exhibit will be open through June 26.

Babysitting clinic



Head of the Goodland's ambulance service Bruce Gleason taught Girl Scouts how to do CPR on young children if they need to in an emergency at a Babysitting Clinic they had recently at the Goodland Public Library.

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Two new faces join paper advertising staff

Two new faces are out contacting businesses and selling advertising for The Goodland Star-News beginning this week.

Jeff Dreiling and Jordan Snow have joined the Star-News staff and have been meeting business people and handing out letters for the upcoming Progress Edition.

Jeff is a Goodland native who grew up and graduated from Goodland High School in 1986. His parents are Raymond and Loretta. His father had Goodland Motor Company for about 40 years.

He moved away for about 10 years and attended the Al Collins

Graphic Arts School in Tempe, Ariz. He moved back to the area and Goodland more than two years ago. He has a 12-year old son, Jared, who will be a seventh grader this fall.

Jordan is originally from Indianapolis, Ind., but when he was in second grade his father moved to Colorado to attend a lineman school. Jordan graduated from Keenesburg, Colo., High School in 2009. He worked as a mechanic for Brighton, Colo., for a year before moving to Goodland to attend classes at Northwest Tech.

The two have split the town into territories, but any business person looking for assistance can call The

Goodland Star-News at 899-2338.

The two men are an addition to the advertising staff including Anne Selfridge, who has been working for the paper selling advertising for more than a year. She will continue to work with the paper and coordinate several upcoming special projects.

"We are pleased to add Jeff and Jordan to our staff," said Editor Tom Betz. "We know they will compliment and add to the sales efforts and better help businesses get their important news about the market place to our readers."

"We look forward to the exciting events coming up and with our larger team we will better serve the business community."



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