



One of the canvas shade shelters at Steever Water Park at the home swimming meet over the 4th of July weekend. The shelters were the community project for Brendan Fulcher's Eagle Badge.

Photo by Tom Betz  
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# Trumpeter earns highest scouting rank

Brendan Thomas Fulcher was awarded his Eagle Scout Badge by a Court of Honor on Saturday afternoon at the Goodland United Methodist Church. Becoming an Eagle Scout is the highest rank anyone can receive in Boy Scouts. Brendan started in Boy Scouts in Tiger Scouts at age six and has been in scouting for 11 years.

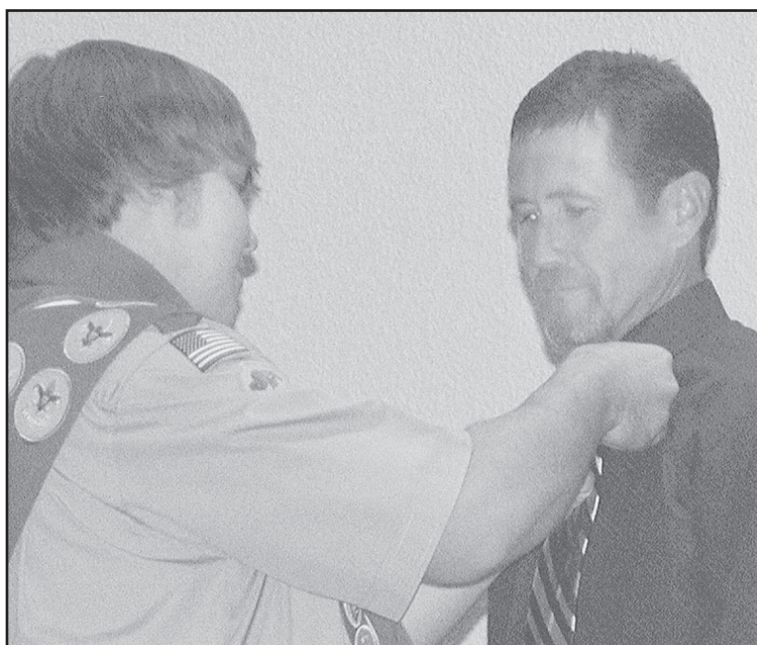
Fulcher will be a senior in Goodland High School next year. His mother Dana was given the Eagle badge to pin on Brendan. Scoutmaster Gary McClung gave the box that held the badge to his father Bill and charged him that if at anytime he did not think Brendan lived up to the standards of an Eagle Scout. Bill Fulcher was to retrieve the badge and place it back in the box. Brendan's father also placed the Eagle Scout kerchief on his son.

Brendan pinned on a miniature copy of his Eagle pin on his mother and he gave his father a pin for his collar. He also received a plaque, a letter from district scout leader, a letter from State Rep. Rick Billinger and a letter from State Sen. Ralph Ostmeyer. Ron Barkley representing the Goodland Elks Lodge gave him a U.S. Flag and a plaque.

Brendan also gave a mentor pin to a member of the Court of Honor, Brian Luther.

Other members of the Honor Court were Jeff Mason, Jon Felver, Ron Harding, McClung, Jim Ross and Patrick Gleason. Gordon Pettibone gave the invocation.

To earn an Eagle Scout rank a person must be active in his troop for at least six months as a Life Scout. Demonstrate Scout spirit by living the Scout Oath and Scout Law in your everyday life and give a list of names of individuals who would be willing to provide a recommendation. Earn a total of 21 merit badges including 10 more than the person had before and including First Aid, Citizenship in the Community, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the World, Communication, Per-



Brendan Fulcher pins the mentor pin on Brian Luther.

sonal Fitness, Emergency Preparedness or Lifesaving, Environmental Science, Personal Management, Swimming or Hiking or Cycling, Camping and Family Life.

The scout must have been in a position of leadership in the troop.

A large part is to plan, develop and lead in a service project for another entity other than Boy Scouts. Brendan was responsible for three new canvas shade shelters at Steever Water Park.

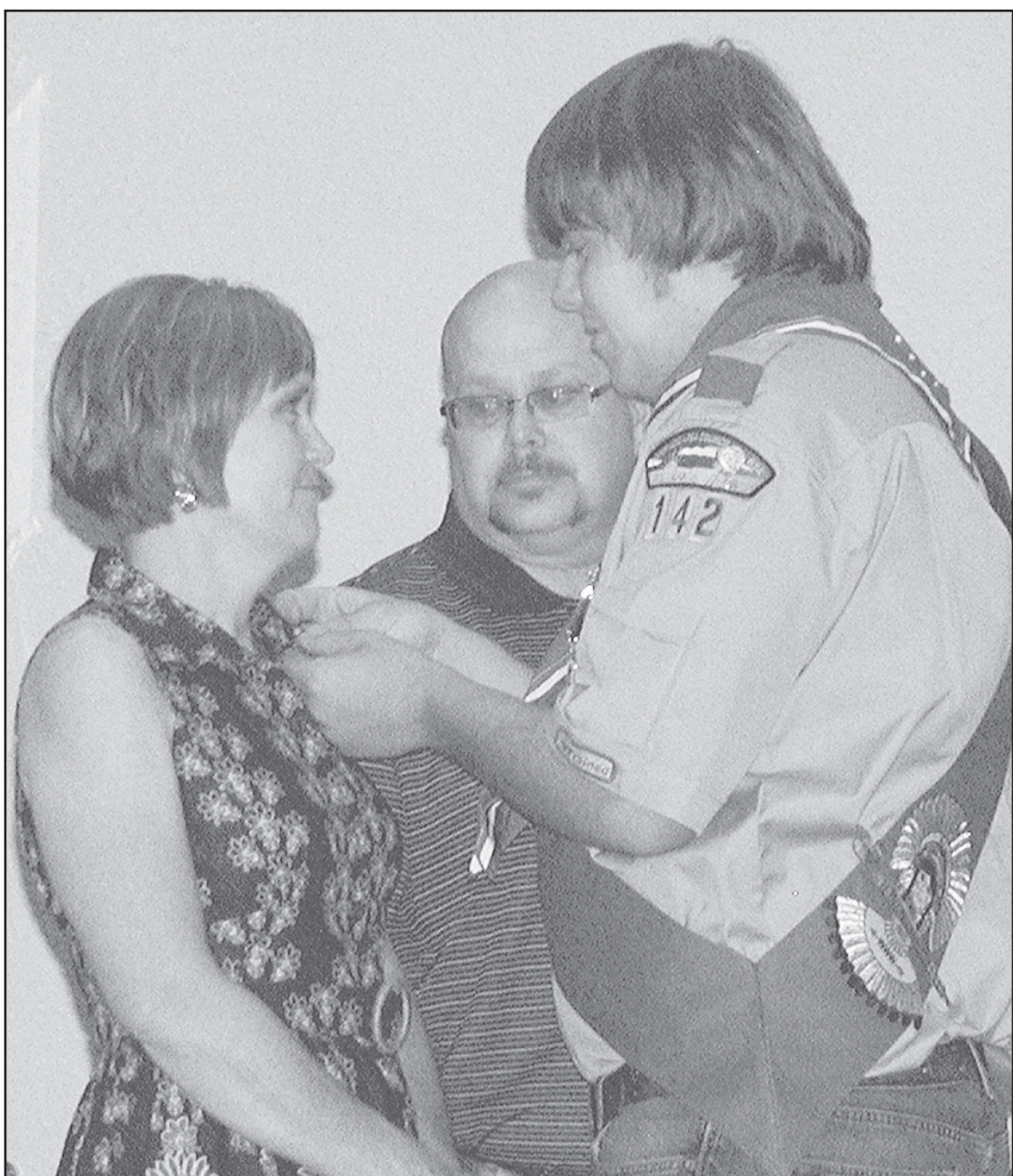
Brendan started giving presentations and raising money in August for the other three structures. The structures arrived in November.

He helped with the welding on the project but the City of Goodland employees erected the shelters.

Finally took part in a Scoutmaster conference and completed an Eagle Scout board of review.

"This weekend was the culmination of 11 years of scouting," said Brendan Fulcher. "It feels great to have accomplished what I have worked to hard to achieve."

He said he plans on attending college after graduating from Goodland High School and wants to major in music performance on the trumpet.



Fulcher pinned his mother's copy of his Eagle pin on Dana Fulcher with his father Bill Fulcher watching on Saturday afternoon at the Goodland United Methodist Church.

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- Write down as many words (at least 3 letters) that you can think of using the word "Asteraceae"
- Do not use proper names

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*Winners will be announced September 9!*

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**Large Household and Antique Auction for Janis Still**  
**Saturday, July 16th at 107 Western, Kanorado, Kan.**  
**Starting at 10 a.m.**

NOTE: For health reasons Janis has had to sell her property and move to Stratton. Her and her late husband, Jerry, collected antiques for many years. The garage is FULL so this will just be a partial list. We have put several pictures on the web site however I know there will be lots of surprises. We will be selling a lot of it a box full at a time so this will be one you won't want to miss.

**PARTIAL LIST ONLY**

3-8' large glass show cases from hardware store; Small glass show case; Oak buffet with mirror; Oak buffet; China hutch; Oak arm chair; Victoria; Large safe; Oak wash basin; Singer sewing machine; Several large trunks; 20, 10, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 gal crocks; Crock bowls; Cast iron kettles & skillets; Ant. lamps; Horlicks Maltco Milk jars; Ant jars of all sizes; Arrow cutter; Several scales; Cream & milk cans; Dog collection; Salt & Pepper collection; Ant toaster; Sad irons; Army hats; Ruby Red glassware; Pink Depression glassware; Green Depression glassware; Hobnail glassware; Boxes of ant. plates, cups, bowls, glassware; Refrigerator glass; Oil lamps; Ant. skates; Pop bottles; Butter churn Plymouth mantel clock; Horse hames; Several saws; Oval picture frames; Several ant pictures; Ice tongs; Cookie jars; Meat grinder; Ant bottles of all kinds; MUCH, MUCH, MUCH. more.

HOUSEHOLD; Portable TV; Game table; Extension ladder; Cutoff saw; Round glass top end tables; 2 end tables; Rocker/recliner; Several more items.

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