

'Break the Broncs' parade, rally theme

Homecoming at Goodland High School is about two weeks away, and planning for the parade and pep rally are underway with selection of the theme "Break the Broncs."

The homecoming parade, organized by the Sherman County High School Alumni Association, will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 29, beginning at Eighth and Main proceeding to 13th where the procession turns east to Cowboy Stadium for the annual pep rally and bonfire.

The theme "Break the Broncs" will be prominently featured in the parade, pep rally and decorations at Goodland High School during the

week, said Linda Rumpel, alumni association president.

The parade will be highlighted by the traditional appearance of the homecoming king and queen candidates riding in convertibles and the Goodland High School fall sports teams on flatbed trailers.

The parade will feature the always popular Jumpin' Junior's, senior parents, cheerleaders and members of the Black and Gold Booster club.

The Class of 1961 of Goodland High School along with those from Edson and Kanorado will be the honored class. The Class of 1961 has a rich history and members

will be recognized at this year's homecoming activities both at the pep rally and Friday night's football game at 6:30 p.m. with Lakin High School.

Another traditional parade highlight will be former homecoming queens and attendants riding in convertibles as a link to past Goodland homecomings, Rumpel said.

The Alumni Association will award a prize of \$50 to all Goodland High School organizations or classes with parade entries. Entries from other groups or individuals are welcome to participate and are encouraged to take part. The Alumni Association asks Goodland

boosters to decorate their entries in black and gold for the homecoming parade.

Parade participants are asked to assemble around 6 p.m. in the these locations: convertibles, classic cars and motorcycles in front of the library and courthouse on Broadway Ave., flatbed trailers and organizational entries on Eighth Street alongside the courthouse and Gulick Park. The high school band will assemble near the intersection of Eighth and Main and lead the parade along with the Goodland Police and Sherman County Sheriff Departments and color guard.

The Goodland Police and Pub-

lic Works Department will block off Eighth Street from Main to Caldwell, as well as, Broadway from Eighth to Ninth Street between 5:45 and 6:30 pm.

It is requested only parade participants enter this area during those times to assist the alumni association in safely staging the parade.

After the parade turns from Main at 13th, parade participants will proceed to Cowboy Stadium and enter the south gate with parking available in the west end zone. After parade dignitaries have been seated, they will be recognized at various intervals during the pep rally.

The rally will feature skits by the

senior parents and senior members of the football team, routines from the cheerleaders, and the annual presentation from the "Jumpin' Juniors" and music from the high school band.

The alumni association encourage people to turn out at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 29, for the Homecoming parade, pep rally and bonfire, Rumpel said, as the Cowboys prepare to meet the Lakin High School Broncs at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 30 in the annual homecoming football game at Cowboy Stadium.

Police make arrests in string of burglaries

Goodland Police officers arrested four people last week for possession of stolen property that appears to relate to a recent string of vehicle and home burglaries including the one at Northwest Kansas Technical College.

Police Chief Cliff Couch said last week the police department determined a home probably contained recently stolen property, and a search warrant was obtained and the home searched.

Officers found several stolen items at the home, and three arrests were made as a result of the search warrant.

Chris Joseph Castenada, 20, Goodland was arrested for possession of stolen property and remains in the Sherman County Bastille on \$100,000 bond.

Others arrested included Hector Sarinana, 20, and Crystal Bueno,



Castenada Sarinana Valdez

all of Goodland who were arrested on possession of stolen property. Sarinana and Bueno have been released.

Couch said the officers were aware there might be stolen property at the Northwest Technical College dorms. College officials conducted a room search and located several stolen items, and notified the police.

Officers obtained a search warrant for this dorm room and seized

these items.

Maverick student Ricardo Valdez, 19, was arrested following the search warrant for possession of stolen property. Valdez, a heavyweight wrestler, has bonded out.

The property recovered during the investigation is related to recent vehicle and home burglaries, Couch said. Some of the recovered property may be related to the recent burglary at Northwest Technical College.

Chief Couch said the investigation is ongoing, and hopes to have further details available once the investigation is closed.

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Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

Aug. 12 - 6:56 p.m., 1622 Arcade Ave., Mary Volk reported theft.

Aug. 13 - 2:12 a.m., 200 E. 11th, arrested Kelly S. Fogo for driving under influence and refusal to take preliminary breath test. Case referred to county attorney.

7:44 a.m., 315 E. 13th, Donald Eugene Baker reports vehicle burglary and theft.

9:19 a.m., 1304 Harrison Ave., Terry Bahe reported vehicle burglary and theft.

10:03 a.m., 2218 Commerce Rd., James M. Morgan reports burglary and theft.

10:43 a.m., 516 E. Sixth, Apt. 310, Alan Davis taken into protective custody. Case referred to county attorney.

11:08 a.m., 1420 Walnut Ave., Stuart L. Bassett reports vehicle burglary and theft.

5:23 p.m., 413 W. 12th, Kobi Shakier O'Neil reported burglary and theft.

8:51 p.m., 800 Broadway Ave., pedestrian under the influence and disorderly conduct. Victim William E. Flucher, Jr. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 14 - 12:42 a.m., 1209 Harrison Ave., arrested Jonathan Staten on warrant arrest for another jurisdiction. Case referred to county attorney.

2:01 p.m., 1209 Harrison Ave., Northwest Kansas Technical College reports burglary and theft.

8:01 p.m., 1007 E. business U.S. 24, Charles Redlin reports burglary and theft.

Aug. 15 - 6:48 a.m., Northwest Kansas Technical College and First National Bank report burglary and theft.

12:49 p.m., 198 E. 19th, Blake B. Fritsch reported burglary and theft.

Aug. 16 - 8:15 p.m., 1015 Caldwell Ave., Cody Fry reports theft.

Aug. 17 - 2:14 a.m., 790 D'Lao Dr., Apt. 5, Ashley Dawn Rachelle McDonald reports rape. Case referred to county attorney.

8:12 p.m., 824 W. business U.S. 24, Bruce Colton Shafer reports theft.

Aug. 19 - 9:02 a.m., 1020 W. 14th, Travis Morris reports burglary and theft.

Aug. 20 - 2:05 a.m., 1209 Harrison Ave., Tyler Lohman reported motor vehicle burglary and theft.

Aug. 21 - 3:01 a.m., 1308 Cherry Ave., arrested Elena Maria Lilly for domestic battery and disorderly conduct against Roy D. Newman. Case referred to city attorney.

6:16 p.m., 1301 Texas Ave., arrested Dax Webring for domestic battery against Pamela Homer. Case referred to city attorney.

9:34 p.m., 2160 Commerce Rd., arrested Louann Medrano on warrant and no driver's license. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 22 - 10:27 a.m., 1202 W. business U.S. 24, Brandon Wayne

Barber reported burglary and theft.

Aug. 25 - 12:48 a.m., 204 W. 11th, arrested Alan Coy Davis on warrant from another jurisdiction in Missouri. Case referred to county attorney.

3:10 a.m., 706 W. 15th, juvenile reported rape, aggravated indecent liberties with a child and aggravated indecent solicitation of a child. Case referred to county attorney.

3:12 a.m., 825 W. business U.S. 24, juvenile reported rape, aggravated indecent liberties with a child and aggravated indecent solicitation of a child. Case referred to county attorney.

1:57 p.m., 790 D'Lao Dr., Apt. 8, arrested William Brent Hensley for disorderly conduct against Debra Lynn Hummingbird. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 26 - 4:52 p.m., 411 Center Ave., Elias Flores reported criminal damage.

Aug. 27 - 11:38 a.m., 224 E. First, Christopher Castaneada reports criminal damage to property.

Aug. 28 - 9:27 a.m., 2510 Commerce Rd., Presto Convenience Store reports theft of motor fuel.

Aug. 29 - 3:53 p.m., 611 W. 11th, Lois Wolfach reported burglary and theft. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 30 - 6:54 p.m., 825 W. business U.S. 24, Apt. C5, David Warren Curry reported burglary and theft.

Aug. 31 - 2:07 p.m., 204 W. 11th, arrested Kitty Kat Miller on warrant from Georgia. Case referred to county attorney.

Sept. 1 - 4:38 p.m., 2160 Commerce Rd., arrested Michael John Weissinger on warrant from Arkansas.

arrested by city police on a warrant.

Aug. 15: Michael Fieger, 24, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy on arrest and detain for probation violation.

Miguel Hernandez, 31, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy on warrant for rape and aggravated indecent liberties with a child.

Aug. 21: Elena Lilly, 20, Goodland, arrested by city police for domestic battery.

Timothy Scheck, 45, Goodland, sheriff's office journal entry - 48 hours.

Dax Webring, 38, Goodland, arrested by city police for domestic battery.

Louann Medrano, 24, Goodland, arrested by city police on warrant for driving while suspended.

Aug. 23: Avery Pena, 37, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy on arrest and detain.

Adam Ford, 23, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for possession of hallucinogenic drugs and transporting open container.

Whitney Licano, 21, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for possession of hallucinogenic drugs and transporting open container.

Aug. 24: Allen Davis, 18, Oronogo, Mo., arrested by city police on warrant.

Aug. 28: Jason Storbeck, 31, Sharon Springs, arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving while suspended x3.

Aug. 29: Kendral Nyce, 30, Columbus, Ohio, arrested by state trooper for driving while suspended x1, no proof of insurance x2 and speeding.

Aug. 30: Karla Schaller, 45, Phillipsburg, arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving under influence.

Aug. 31: Kitty Miller, 29, Phoenix, Ariz., warrant arrest by city police.

Sept. 1: Michael Weissinger, 43, Jonesboro, Ariz., warrant arrest by city police.

Alexander Dell West, 43, Goodland, taken in to protective custody by sheriff's deputy.

Fort Larned plans annual candlelight tours

Special candlelight tour "Connecting to the Human Experience" will be held at Fort Larned on Saturday, Oct. 8, and reservations are required for this popular event.

The tour commemorates those famous people who were at Fort Larned or became famous after being at the Fort. Scenes will introduce visitors to George Custer, "Buffalo" Bill Cody, J.E.B. "Jeb" Stuart, Kit Carson, and many others who were here.

Visitors will have the opportunity to step back in time to see them in everyday life much as it might

have taken place while Fort Larned was an active post. Details of the scenes are gleaned from the actual post records, letters and diaries.

Numerous volunteer positions are available to assist with the tours, and if you are interested volunteering please call the park staff and discuss current opportunities.

The tours are free but reservations are required for the tour and each tour is limited to 20 people. The first tour will leave the visitor center at 7:30 p.m. and the last tour will begin at 10:15 p.m.

Reservations can be made beginning Monday, Sept. 26 in person or by calling the Fort at (620) 285-6911 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. This annual program is the most popular event held at the Fort and the tours fill quickly.

Fort Larned National Historic Site is located six miles west of Larned on Kansas Highway 156. Information on visiting is on the internet at www.nps.gov/fols, or by calling (620) 285-6911, or email to fols_superintendent@nps.gov.

Service academy nomination applications being accepted

U.S. Senator Jerry Moran (R-KS) is accepting applications for nominations to the United States Service Academies.

The academies include the U.S. Military Academy in West Point, N.Y.; the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md.; the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo.; and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, N.Y.

Those selected will enter the academies in June 2012.

Selections are based on SAT or ACT test scores, class rank, grade point average, school records, ex-

tracurricular activities, leadership potential, motivation, recommendations and interview evaluations.

Applicants must meet the individual admission requirements of each academy in order to receive Sen. Moran's nomination: applicants must be legal residents of the state of Kansas, at least 17 years of age but not past their 23rd birthday on July 1 of the year of admission, citizens of the United States, unmarried, not pregnant and without legal obligation to support children or other dependents.

The application deadline is Oct.

1. Applicants will be required to interview with Sen. Moran's Service Academy Selection Board on Saturday, Nov. 19, at the K-State Student Union in Manhattan.

The academies will make the final decision on who will receive an appointment of admission in early 2012.

Interested applicants can request application materials on Sen. Moran's website at www.moran.senate.gov under the "Services" menu, or by calling Sen. Moran's Olathe office at (913) 393-0711.

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