

Diners treated to cruise; shown rural Spain

By Ava Betz
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Goodland residents hopped aboard the USS Goodland Arts Council Saturday night for a trip to many ports of call and an evening with master flamenco guitarist Ron Radford.

The evening was launched in Italy with a spaghetti supper cooked by Chef Bill Petersen and served by nautically attired Arts Council members. Decorations at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall were suitably travel inspired from the ocean view circling the hall to passports, postcards and seashells scattered on the candle-lit tables.

Radford, a Fulbright Scholar in flamenco guitar and protege of legendary guitarist Carlos Montoya, carried the audience to Spain, where he revealed secrets of Spanish gypsy culture and shared rhythms of flamenco, jazz, bluegrass and a little rock and roll. He recounted music-filled days and star-lit jam sessions, bringing the audience with him into a journey of rural Spain far off the usual cruise routes. There were many shouts of "ole" and clapping - both rhythmic and not - as the passengers journeyed through the night.

As the evening's cruise steamed back toward home, passengers lined up for a cheesecake buffet and one last visit to the ship's gift shop before disembarking.



Flamenco guitarist Ron Radford entertained the audience at the Arts Council Spaghetti Supper on Saturday night at the Goodland Methodist Church Hall.

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Van Gogh traveling exhibit coming to local museum

High Plains Museum will be displaying a Teacher's Discovery Traveling Exhibit - beginning on Monday - featuring the fascinating paintings of Vincent van Gogh, including a giant reproduction of Starry Night.

Area communities can enjoy the spectacular reproductions from Monday, Oct. 31 through Dec. 16.

The exhibits celebrate art, French

language and French and Dutch culture and history, said Karen Anderson, museum director.

In coordination with the exhibit, the High Plains Museum will have several activities for the public to enjoy beginning with the "Goodland's First Week" events.

Come to the museum on Saturday, Nov. 5 to paint your own version of Goodland's Van Gogh on a t-shirt,

she said.

The High Plains Museum is proud to bring the works of Van Gogh to Northwest Kansas, Anderson said.

For more information call (785) 890-4595. Stay connected to what's happening at the High Plains Museum on Facebook, Twitter, and the Museum's blog: highplainsmuseum.org.

Santa plans special visit to Goodland in November

Santa Claus is coming to town, and the Goodland Ambassadors are planning a parade to mark his special visit on Saturday, Nov. 19.

The Ambassadors are inviting clubs and organizations that would like to parade with Santa to show their festive spirit to participate.

The parade will start at 4 p.m. - with participants asked to arrive at 3:45 p.m. - at 17th and Main. The parade will travel up to Eighth

and Main where Santa will stop at the Goodland Activities Center for refreshments and to visit with children.

Linda Rumpel said the Ambassadors have received a special donation and cash prizes will be awarded to the top parade participants.

At the GAC photos will be taken by Amy's Photography for \$5 if parents are interested in having that special moment captured with

Santa. Kids can bring their lists and stop by and visit with Santa at the GAC after the parade.

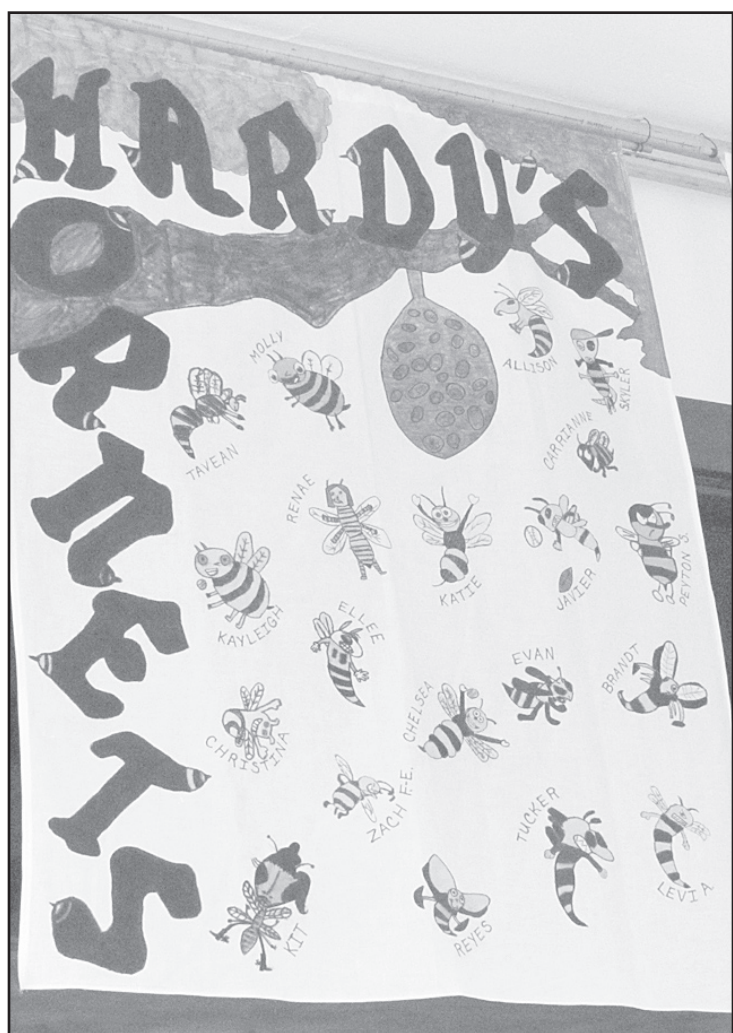
If you have any questions please contact Michael Solomon at (785) 890-3743.

Refreshments and cookies will be served by the Goodland Ambassadors.

Junior high art

Artistic creations done by the students of Grant Junior High were shown at an exhibit on Tuesday afternoon at the school. Nancy Farris was the art instructor.

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Tech College diesel department receives master accreditation

Northwest Kansas Tech's Institute of Diesel Technology program received the complete evaluation results from the National Automotive Technician Education Foundation on Sept. 30.

All eight areas met the strict industry standards required for the Master Accreditation, which is the highest level of achievement recog-

nized by this organization.

Although many educational institutions strive for it, only a small percentage achieves this accreditation. Both the education and automotive communities should be proud of this commitment to quality in training Northwest Tech offers, said Dr. Ed Mills, college president.

"It's really great to be involved

with a highly developed program," said Lester Cress, Diesel Service Writer. "This is a great accomplishment for the Diesel Department and it's students."

For more information about Northwest Tech programs, visit the college website at www.nwktc.edu or call 1 (800) 316-4127.

matters of record

Municipal Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

July 13: Darrell G. Garner, Jr., inattentive driving, fined \$135.

Nicholas J. Gary, battery - domestic violence, fined \$360.

Penny B. Lake, no proof of insurance, fined \$360.

Barbara L. Ornelas, criminal trespass and disorderly conduct, fined \$260.

Zachary T. Severance, minor consuming alcohol, fined \$260.

July 21: Daniel L. Lee, speeding 14 mph over limit, fined \$129.

July 25: Mielani L. Gould, no tag or illegal tag, fined \$135.

July 26: Iris N. Clemons, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$105.

Chanell J. Peter, dog at large x2, fined \$120.

July 27: Joann M. Brigham, dog at large, fined \$60.

Nicholas J. Gary, battery - simple and criminal damage to property, fined \$360.

Maria J. Garza, dog at large, fined \$60 and vicious animal, diversion.

Jesus O. Gil, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$105.

Heidi D. Lawson, theft, diversion

\$210.

Jeanine L. Peter, theft, fined \$191.

July 28: James Lee Mosbarger, no parking zone, fined \$155.

Clifford E. Smith, dog at large, fined \$90.

July 30: Danielle A. Johnson, battery - domestic violence, diversion \$360.

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Friday, October 28: 1-8 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Sunday: 2-4:30 p.m.
Monday: 3:45-8:30 p.m.

Come trick or treat with Kelsi at 103 W. 11th for some "Spooktacular" and "Old Fashion" deals such as \$10 haircuts and waxing bargains! Enjoy some Halloween refreshments, also!

Regular hours will be: Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri.: 3:45-8 p.m., Sat.: 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday by appointment only. Emily Simon will soon be joining!

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