

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, Wednesday through Saturday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. Closed Tuesdays.

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 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. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.

The local High Plains Constitutional 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.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

The Good Sam Family Support Council meets at 7 p.m. the second Thursday of every month at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Meetings are open to all interested people. For information call 890-3117 or 890-5936.

Diabetes Support Group meets at 4 p.m. the last Tuesday of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center. Patients, family and friends meet each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah Linton at 890-6044.

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.

Cancer Support Group meets at 6 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 Goodwin at (785) 890-6036.

The Goodland Activities Center has the following activities. Monday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins and 5 p.m. taekwondo. Tuesday: 5:30 a.m., workout with Grady Bonsall. Wednesday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, 9:45 a.m. finding fitness class, 4 p.m. taekwondo classes and 5:30 p.m. aerobics with Lisa Malsom. Thursday: 5:30 a.m., workout with Grady Bonsall and 9:45 a.m. finding fitness class. Friday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins and starting at 5 p.m. taekwondo classes. For information call 890-7242.

Weight Watchers meets at 5:30 p.m. for weigh in and 6 p.m. for the meeting every Tuesday at the Right Combination Dance Studio, 902 W. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-3285 or visit rightcombinationdance.com.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous 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 Seekers group meets at 8 p.m. on Mondays at 1013 Center. Contact Cheryl at (785) 890-3023, Shelly at (785) 890-3915 or Twila at (785) 332-2078 for more information.

Goodland Al-Anon AFG meets at 6 p.m. on Fridays at First Christian Church, 711 Arcade. For information call Alice or Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862.

The Incognito Group. If alcohol has made your life unmanageable and you find yourself powerless. Our group meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in

the calendar

calendar

The Fourth Annual Craft Fair will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday at the Kanorado Senior Center. Lunch will be served.

The Carnegie Arts Center, 120 W. 12, will have its annual bake sale and open house from 1 to 3 p.m. on Sunday. There will be an assortment of goodies and gifts for sale.

The Pride of the Prairie Orchestra will present "A Cozy Christmas with the POP" conducted by Andrew Salvador of Burlington. The concert will be at 2:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Sunday at the Frahm Theatre/Cultural Arts Center on the Colby Community College campus. Admission is \$10 for adults, \$5 for seniors and \$3 for students.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday. Distribution is 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 17, at the Knights of Columbus, 7th and Caldwell. For information call 821-1827, 821-1275, 821-0120 or 728-7196 or order online at www.prairie-landfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have one pound lean ground beef, breaded salmon nuggets, all beef meatballs, fully cooked grilled hibachi seasoned chicken, fully cooked turkey and pork sausage patties and a variety of seasonal fresh fruits. The specials are Christmas Tyme with ham steak, boneless turkey breast, beef

stew meat, boneless pork roast and sliced peaches; Home Sweet Home with two New York style cheesecakes with peach topping and a pecan pie; Santa's Meat and Cheese with two all beef summer sausage, pork and beef summer sausage, mild cheddar cheese, block medium cheddar cheese and a block Monterey Jack cheese; and a spiral ham.

The annual open enrollment for Plan D of Medicare has changed to last until Wednesday. Senior Health Insurance Counselors of Kansas will be at the Goodland Public Library. For appointments call (785) 890-5908, (785) 821-1626 or (785) 399-8019.

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.

school calendar

Today: Gold day. 7 p.m. varsity basketball against Scott City at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Saturday: Kansas Music Educators Association high school honor concert with band and vocal at Fort Hays State University at Hays. 8:30 varsity wrestling at St. Francis. 9 a.m. junior varsity wrestling tournament at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 9 a.m. junior high wrestling at Great West Activities Conference at 9 a.m. Monday: Black day. 7 p.m. Seventh, eighth and high school choir concert at the Goodland

High School Auditorium. 3 p.m. girls seventh basketball at Scott City. 3:30 p.m. girls eighth basketball against Scott City at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Tuesday: Gold day. 5:30 p.m. West Elementary second grade music program. 7 p.m. Fifth grade music program at the Goodland High School Auditorium. Wednesday: Black day. Thursday: 3:30 p.m. girls eighth grade basketball against Colby at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 3:30 p.m. girls seventh grade basketball at Colby. Topside Tip-Off Basketball Tournament at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Friday: Black day. 1 p.m. varsity wrestling at Colby. Topside Tip-Off Basketball Tournament at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Saturday: 8 a.m. varsity wrestling at Colby. 8 a.m. ACT test. Topside Tip-Off Basketball Tournament at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

senior menu

Today: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, bread and cherry crisp. Monday: Cook's choice entree, hash brown casserole, seasoned carrots, bread and plums. Tuesday: Ham and beans, ambrosia fruit salad, cornbread and cake. Wednesday: Taco salad, citrus slices, chips and brownies. Thursday: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, bread and apricots. Friday: Baked fish, green bean casserole, coleslaw with carrots, bread and applesauce.

Goodland. Talking about it is the first step. Call for our meeting place (303) 905-3817, (785) 728-7022 and (785) 728-2120. Leave a message and number and we will get back to you.

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. Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays at the Senior Center on 4th Street. Narcotics Anonymous meets at 6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.

Stratton "AA by the Book" Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays for a beginners open meeting. Filies and young people welcome. Call (719) 348-5398 for men and (719) 346-8553 for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go to Statton and it is the second house on the left, 513 Iola Street.

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 Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

area events

Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1905 S. Franklin, Colby is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, should call 890-2007. The store is open 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. on Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday.

There is a sack sale till Saturday. The store is closed for restock from Sunday to Wednesday. The Kids Christmas Shoppe for kids aged three to 15 will be from 9 a.m. to 1 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 10.

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m.

Monday through Friday.

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adults' immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; and family planning available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. WIC program available. Call 890-4888 or go to www.sherman.kansas.com.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call 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 890-4888.

hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.

early head start

Early Head Start is a state funded program for income eligible families with prenatal mothers and children up to age three. Families participate in a variety of educational activities and receive free medical and dental care.

Services include special needs of children with disabilities. If you have a family member with a special problem, such as drug or alcohol abuse, job loss or other family crisis, your family can qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 187.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education.

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Colleen Wagner at 890-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

crimestoppers

If you have information about

any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

The Goodland Police Department is currently investigating a rash of vehicle vandalisms that occurred sometime during the even or night of Saturday, Nov. 12, or the early morning of Sunday, Nov. 13. A number of vehicles were damaged by an unknown person or persons. These offenses occurred on the east side of the city.

The police department can also be called at 890-4570.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Domestic and Sexual Violence Services provides help day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available in Hays. Support group for women's domestic violence victims/survivors is from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesdays; a men's domestic violence victims/survivors support group from noon to 1 p.m. Central Time Tuesdays; and a youth support group is available by appointment. A sexual violence victims/survivors support group in Hays and a domestic violence support group to meet in Colby are being formed. If interested in joining or for information or help, call (800) 794-4624. In the Colby area, call (785) 443-1130 ask for Becky. For time and location of youth support group, ask for Jennifer Follis.

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call 890-4575 or go to www.petfinder.com and be sure to enter the Goodland zip code 67735. You can also call the Goodland Police Department at 890-4570 or Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-4398 or 821-2144. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the animal shelter or go to the website www.nwkasgoodland.webs.com.

obituaries

Carroll A. Mogge

Carroll A. Mogge, 93, longtime Sherman County farmer, died Wednesday, Nov. 30, 2011 at Wheat Ridge Acres Retirement Community of Goodland.

Funeral services are pending. Memorials to Sherman County 4-H Council may be left or mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Eldon Ray Boeve

Eldon Ray Boeve, 69, Wallace County auto mechanic, died Friday, Nov. 25, 2011 at Greeley County Hospital at Tribune.

He was born March 30, 1942, to Lottie Viven (Bradley) and Oliver Leon Boeve at Fort Collins, Colo. Mr. Boeve attended schools at Haxtun, Colo.

On Oct. 19, 1973, he and Wanda Louise Estep were married and they lived in Wallace County. Mr. Boeve was a ranch hand on the Stover Ranch for Jim Withers, then an automotive mechanic for Herl Chevrolet at Goodland and later at Heyl Motor Company at Sharon Springs.

Mr. Boeve enjoyed working on old cars.

Preceding him in death were his parents and a brother, Jerry Boeve.

Survivors include his wife of the home; their children, Christine Goodall and Michael Boeve, all of Sharon Springs; his daughters, Debbie Johnson and Barbara Maldonado, both of Indianapolis, Ind.; and eight grandchildren.

A memorial service will be at a later date.

Memorials for the Eldon Boeve Memorial may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Elmer Franklin Woodard

Elmer (Bear) Franklin Woodard, 81, Aurora, Colo., roofer for many years in northwest Kansas and eastern Colorado, went into the hospital on Sept. 19, 2011 and died in his sleep on Sunday, Nov. 20, 2011 at Summit Rehabilitation and Nursing Home at Aurora, Colo.

He was born Sept. 29, 1930, to Harvey and Sylva (Patton) Woodard.

Mary Ann Hershberger and he were married in 1960 or 1961 in Burlington, Colo. He served in the Navy.

Since 1965 Mr. Woodard lived in and around the Goodland area. Later he moved to Arriba, Colo., to lived

closer to his daughter.

He loved to hunt, fish and camp.

Preceding him in death were his parents and his wife in 1990.

Survivors include two daughters, Susie (Kenny) Mills of Arriba, Colo. and Sarah Ellen (Eric) Graf-fam of Kansas City, Mo.; a brother, Alvan Woodard of Arizona; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

There will be a family memorial in the spring.

All-States Crematorium, 3200 Wadsworth Blvd., Wheat Ridge, Colo., is handling the arrangements.

Budget doesn't have to bad word

I hate to do this, but I'm going to use the "B" word — BUDGET. Don't leave... keep reading... Budget doesn't have to be bad word. And it doesn't have to be complicated.



jamie morphew

• business tips

A budget is simply you telling your money what to do.

If you use QuickBooks, you can enter your budget into the program by clicking on the Company menu, Planning and Budgeting, and Set Up Budgets.

You can choose to create your budget from scratch or have it created from the previous year's data. Once created, QuickBooks has several budget reports to help you stay on track and make decisions.

Don't let budgets scare you. Let

them help you take control of your money.

This tip was brought to you by Western Kansas Business Consulting, sponsored in part by Sherman County. We offer free and confidential business consulting to Kearny, Scott, Sherman, and Wichita counties.

For more information or to set up an appointment, contact Jamie Morphew at (620) 874-0771 or e-mail wkbc@wbsnet.org.

Goodland man to celebrate birthday



Ron Weber

Paul Weber of Goodland, Steve Merica, Grace and Emma Weber from Gardner are requesting a card shower for longtime Goodland resident Ron Weber for his 65th birthday on Saturday.

Cards may be sent to him at 611 Sherman, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

matters of record

Real Estate

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds. Joanne E. Petrachich, trustee of the Joanne E. Petrachich Family Trust dated March 22, 2001, to Marion

Langley and Cindy England, Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 33, First Addition to City of Goodland.

Rita M. Billinger IRA, First National Bank, conveys and warrants to Timothy Poling, an undivided 1/2 interest in the N/2 of tract of land

described as SW/4 and S53 acres of NW/4 of Sec. 11, T6S, R40W.

Colorado

Lincoln County: 3729± acres grass. 25 miles south of Punkin Center. Improvements: home & small shop. Good water, good fencing. \$1,062,765

Burlington: 6 Lots 17th & Rose \$145,000 and 4 Lots 17th & Rose \$60,000

Kansas

South of Ruleton: 40± acres with home, shop, misc buildings. \$99,000

Hamilton County: 960± acres. All 27-255-42. E2 28-255-42. \$1,344,000

320± acres CRP. 2 contracts expire 2012. S2 9-265-41. \$448,000

160± acres expired CRP. NW4 7-215-39. \$192,000

Sherman County: New...160± acres dry land. SE4 14-7-39. \$320,000

NEW...160± acres grass. NW4 14-7-39. \$112,000



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