

Plane does training exercises



This National Guard KC-130 was seen circling Renner Field on Friday. It was conducting instrument landing training and needed an area with little air-traffic. As the Goodland airport has one of

the only Instrument Landing Systems in the area, aircraft often perform training exercises here, though rarely aircraft this large. KC-130s are a modified version of the Lockheed Martin C-130

Hercules used for mid-air refueling. Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News

Goodland school to refurbish track in August

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The Goodland School Board accepted the bid from Track Renovations to repair the high school track. They would remove the latex surface, seal the surface with a polyurethane seal and lay a urethane surface for \$97,500. To put a sealing top on would be another \$47,750 for a total of \$145,000. The surface would go from curb to curb. They will use the existing foundation for the track. The work will be tentatively done in August. Superintendent Bill Biermann

said they won't know the shape of the foundation until surface is removed. There are some water issues with the track. The company did Colby High School's track and would be in the area doing more tracks and that may have been a factor in why their bid was \$25,000 cheaper than the bid by MAC out of Uniontown in southeast Kansas. The bid from MAC to remove the latex surface was \$129,985 with an additional \$41,000 for the retop for a total of \$170,000. The board decided to seek bids

for a replacement of West Elementary School's Topside Territory. The playground has been a topic of discussion for the board for several years as the wood has been vandalized with graffiti as well as rotting wood falling off. Several of the board members remarked that the site council has been concerned about the playground for at least 10 years. The playground was erected in 1991. Board member Gennifer House made the motion and Jessica Cole seconded. The board was also going to take bids for a 14-person passenger bus and a replacement vehicle for Bier-

mann. The Explorer he was driving has transmission problems and it was decided to trade it off. Goodland High School will have a new principal next year as Mike Hubka has resigned. This was his first year at the high school. The board hired the following personnel:
• Valerie Harris as a fifth grade teacher at Central Elementary School.
• Brandt Bartick as a Goodland High School custodian.
• Cindy Bowman as Grant Junior High library tech. The following supplemental

contracts were awarded for the junior high.
• Emily Luckert as the head eighth grade volleyball coach.
• Andy Scheopner as the head seventh grade volleyball coach with Tiffani Post as the assistant.
• Jeremy Stefan as the head eighth grade football coach with Josh Simon as the assistant.
• Chase Topliff as the head seventh grade football coach.
• Jim Myers as the head cross country coach with Traci Price-Waugh as the assistant.
• Connie Bergquist as the scholars bowl coach.

• Emily Luckert as the head eighth grade girls basketball coach.
• Julie Dautel as the head seventh grade girls basketball coach with Tiffani Post as the assistant.
• Gary Winter as the head wrestling coach with Jim Myers as the assistant.
• Rachel Curry as the cheer sponsor.
• Jim Myers as the head eighth grade basketball coach.
• Jerry McKee as the head seventh grade basketball coach with Josh Simon as the assistant.

Omaha nurse receives award

Nurse Nicholle Bruhn, granddaughter of John (Jack) and Joan Beal of Goodland, was recently awarded the Daisy Award for Extraordinary Nurses in May. She was chosen out of 1200 registered nurses. The Daisy Award is a nationally recognized award among nurses for their outstanding work. The nurse has to be recommended by a patient first before they can be considered. She works at the Women's Hospital in Omaha, Neb., in the emergency room. The Daisy award was started by

the family of Patrick Barnes to express their appreciation to nurses for the compassionate and skillful care they give their patients every day. Daisy stands for diseases attacking the immune system. Barnes died in late 1999 from Idiopathic Thrombocytopenia Purpura just two months after the birth of his first child with his wife Tena. He had survived Hodgkins Disease twice. Her family and grandparents were at the award ceremony.

matters of record

Real Estate
The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds.
Sharon K. Hall, Trustee of the Restatement of the Billie E. Gannon Revocable Trust dated 1/8/2005 and Trustee of the Restatement of the Geraldine F. Gannon Revocable Trust dated 1/8/2005, to Judith D. Ventsam, the NE/ of Sec.10, T9S, R41W; NW/4 of Sec.11, T9S, R41W; SW/4 of Sec.1, T9S, R41W; SW/4 of Sec.36, T8S, R41W.
Sharon K. Hall, Trustee of the Restatement of the Billie E. Gannon Revocable Trust dated 1/8/2005 and Trustee of the Restatement of the Geraldine F. Gannon Revocable Trust dated 1/8/2005, to Richard G. Gannon, the S/2 of Sec.10, T9S, R41W.
Augustus H. Tompkins and Viola M. Tompkins convey and warrant an undivided 1/2 interest to the Trustees of the Augustus Hoyt Tompkins Revocable Inter Vivos Trust dated 4/7/2005 and an undivided 1/2 interest to the Trustees of the Viola M. Tompkins Revocable Inter Vivos Trust dated 4/7/2005, 30' W of SE corner of SW/4 of Sec.18, T8S, R39W; beginning at NW corner of SW/4 of Sec.18, T8S, R39W.

Sherman County Bastille
The following people were booked into the Sherman County Bastille:
June 8: Crystal Garner, 33, Goodland, arrested by sheriff deputy on a warrant arrest - failure to appear.
Holly Schuler, 19, Kearney, Neb., arrested by sheriff deputy for sale of marijuana x3, distribution of controlled substance using a communication device x2, no drug tax stamp x2, possession of marijuana with intent to distribute and possession of drug paraphernalia for manufacture, distribution and cultivate.
June 10: James Ornales, 57, Goodland, arrest by city police for assault.
June 13: Donnie Binder, 23, Goodland, was taken into protective custody by city police.
Kevin Wolbach, 47, Yuma, Colo., was arrested by sheriff deputy for failure to appear - burglary.

Colby College names honor roll

Colby Community College has announced the Spring 2012 Honor Roll.
President's Honor Roll
Goodland: Ashley Archer, Ismael Garcia, Jessica Gittinger, Courtney Lopez, Megan Smithson. Brewster: Rose Bear. St. Francis: Jodie Hilt, Shayla Hilt. Sharon Springs: Taylor Weinland.

Dean's Honor Roll
Goodland: Erika Fyfe. St. Francis: Christina Hilt.
To earn a place on the honor roll, students must earn 15 or more credit hours and have no failing grades. The Dean's Honor Roll includes students with grade averages of 3.75 to 3.99. The President's Honor Roll includes only students with a perfect 4.0 average.

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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT
With the 2012 Wheat Harvest in full swing the Northwest Kansas tiny-k program is once again encouraging everyone to remember they can support the program through their Bushels for Babies Campaign.
Research has shown that significant brain development occurs in the first 3 years of life. Early intervention for infants and toddlers with disabilities improves many conditions and can minimize the need for services after the age of 3. In fact certain conditions cannot improve unless treated at an early age. Specific Federal and State funds earmarked for Early Intervention Services are available and help provide services to eligible families regardless of income. However the funding is not developed to provide the widest level of services for all eligible families. Federal and state grants require community agencies to provide local funding including private sources. The ability for our programs to best meet the challenge of providing needed services at the highest level depends on help from you.
The Bushels for Babies campaign allows farmers to donate grain to help us better serve children with special needs and their families in Northwest Kansas. To participate is easy! Simply notify the grain merchandiser at settlement time that you want to donate "x" number of bushels to the Northwest Kansas tiny-k network housed at the Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center (NKESC a not-for-profit organization committed to quality services for children and families). All donations are tax deductible.
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