

Severe heat not hurting garden crops

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At this ripe old age, I don't go outside very much when the thermometer registers 100 degrees or better. It shot up to 110 the other day as I ventured out to retrieve my mail. It's only about 130 steps out and back from my mailbox out in the driveway, but I swear I was sorry I didn't have my affairs in order when that shot of super-charged heat hit me in the face! Today, I will wait until the mercury settles down to about 95 before I venture out there to rescue my bills and other junk mail. Most of us have never witnessed



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such an onslaught of heat! In most of the communities where these words are printed, we have had 7 or 8 consecutive days when the temperature has exceeded 100 degrees, and there doesn't seem to be a whole lot of relief in sight, as they say down at the coffee shop. It's not a pretty sight, but we'll probably survive, just as they did last summer in Southwest Kansas when residents

there witnessed over 30 days of at least 100 degrees. So I'm sitting here in air conditioned comfort, trying to assess the damage in my approximately 3,500 square foot garden after I went out there very early this morning to apply the daily dose of precipitation to just about everything. You know what? I couldn't see any serious deterioration. Sure, the cabbage wasn't in very good shape due to the cabbage worms. A large cucumber vine had mysteriously died almost overnight, and the sweet corn was hurting,

which is a problem that haunts me almost every year, heat or not. But the tomatoes look great, despite the lack of fruit set when daytime temperatures are over 90 degrees and it never gets below 70 at night. The plants are doing well as they reach for the tops of their cages. The green beans are setting on nicely, as are the cucumbers, cantaloupes and watermelon. The potato vines are beginning to show some brownness, right on schedule, and the beets and carrots look good. The earliest of the big slicing onions are flopping, just as they are supposed to, and the zucchini, unfortunately, is extremely fruitful.

I'm amazed at the steady growth of nearly everything, despite the searing heat. It just goes to show you what happens, even under adverse conditions, when you tend, on a timely basis, the necessities of a vegetable garden. Those requirements include constant water application, a careful and complete mulching program, instant awareness of those troublesome little (or big) insects, and a forced desire to keep the garden as weed free as possible. I remember the the indescribable summers of 1935, 1936 and 1937. Everyday, nearly all summer, saw temperatures over a hundred.

There were scarcely any crops because there was no irrigation and very little rain. There was no air conditioning, and no money to buy some even if it had been available. There were few cattle on the farm, because pastures were incapable of producing forage and there wasn't any grain to feed them. But EVERY family had a garden, usually a large well-tended garden that produced most of the year-around family food supply. It may be too hot this summer, but if you have a productive vegetable garden, life seems just a little cooler.

rotary

The Goodland Rotary Club met for their annual end of the year picnic on Thursday, June 28, in the Rotary Shelter at Gulick Park. A great turnout of Goodland Rotarians and their spouses and kids, as well as members of the Sharon Springs Rotary Club, enjoyed a great meal and fellowship. Several awards were presented during the evening program. Jeff Deeds was recognized as the club's

newest Paul Harris Fellow, receiving his Paul Harris Fellowship pin from President Marty Melia. The annual Rotary Citizen of the Year award was presented to Dick Hayden. Hayden was recognized by the Rotary Club for his countless hours of community service, including coordinating the Salvation Army activities during the holiday season, as well as his involvement with Genesis, Sherman County

Community services and other organizations. The annual Rotarian of The Year award was presented to Fred Hall. Hall is a devoted Rotarian who epitomizes the Rotary slogan "Service above Self." He is equally involved

in many other community activities, and gives generously of his time. President Melia gave a brief review of some of the Club's successes for the past year, including increases in membership, the Ringneck Roundup and the club's

involvement with the Run For The Wall event this year. Melia then passed the Rotary gavel on to incoming Rotary President Jenifer Sanderson, who's term began July 1. The next regular Rotary Club

meeting will be Friday, July 6, in the meeting room at the Northwest Tech Student Union. Visitors, and those interested in joining Rotary are always welcome to attend. Marty Melia, Club President

public notice

RESOLUTION NO. 1373

A RESOLUTION FINDING THAT THE STRUCTURE LOCATED Lots Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21), Block Thirty-three (33), First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas according to the recorded plat thereof. Also known as 816 W 14th, GOODLAND, KANSAS, IS UNSAFE OR DANGEROUS AND DIRECTING THAT THE STRUCTURE BE REPAIRED OR REMOVED AND THE PREMISES BE MADE SAFE AND SECURE.

WHEREAS, the Enforcing Officer of the City of Goodland, Kansas, did on the 21st day of May 2012, file with the governing body of said city, a statement in writing that the structure, hereinafter described, was unsafe and dangerous; and,

WHEREAS, the governing body did by Resolution No. 1366, dated the 21st day of May, 2012, fix the time and place of a hearing at which the owner, his or her agent, and lienholders, any occupants and all other parties of interest of such structure could appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned and ordered repaired or demolished, and provided for giving notice thereof as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 1366 was published in the official city paper on the 25th day of May, 2012, and on the 1st day of June, 2012, and a copy of said resolution was served upon all persons entitled thereto as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of July, 2012, the governing body did conduct the hearing scheduled in Resolution No. 1366 and took evidence from the following: the Enforcing Officer on behalf of the City and the Owner.

property.

If the owner fails to commence the repair of the structure within the time stated, or any additional time granted by the governing body, or fails to diligently prosecute the same until the work is completed, the governing body will cause the structure to be razed and removed and the costs of razing and removing, less salvage, if any, shall be collected in the manner provided by K.S.A. 12-1,1115, and amendments thereto or shall be assessed as special assessments against the lot or parcel of land upon which the structure is located or both, all as provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the owner fails to commence the repair of the structure within the time provided herein or fails to diligently prosecute the same, the governing body may take such further action as it deems necessary to raise and remove the structure without further notice to the owner or other parties in interest.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this Resolution to be published once in the official city paper and mail a copy to the owners, agents, lienholders, occupants and other parties in interest.

Adopted this 2nd day of July, 2012.

John Garcia,
Mayor
(SEAL)

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk,
City Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is given that Kevin Butts, Sheriff of Sherman County, Kansas has declared the following described animal as a stray.

Aged 1300lbs Female Angus, with Powder Horn brand.

Animal was found at large in the N.E. part of Sherman County, December 2011.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 47-239 if ownership is not established, the said animal will be delivered to public livestock market, and shall sell or cause said animal to be sold at such market, to the highest bidder for cash.

Kevin Butts
Sherman County Sheriff
785-890-4835

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Worship warms the heart



Calvary Gospel Church
Pastor: Randy and Mary Payne
Fourth & College • 890-3605
Sunday: Kid's Church: 10 am
Morning Service: 8:30 and 10:30 am
Prayer and Praise: 5:00 p.m. except last Sunday of the month
Wednesday: Royal Rangers, Missionettes 6:30 p.m. during school year
Youth @ the Rock House, Sixth & Caldwell: 6:30 p.m.
Life Groups - Call for information
Join us on Facebook
www.calvarygospel.net

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Celebrant: Father Norbert Dlabal
307 W. 13th • 890-7205
Sacrament of Reconciliation: 5-5:45 p.m. Saturday or by appointment
Mass Schedule:
Saturday: 6 pm, Sunday: 10:30 am
Spanish Mass: Sunday: 12:30 pm

Goodland United Methodist Church
1116 Sherman 899-3631
Pastors: Dustin and Shelly Petz
Saturday: Worship: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: Adult Classes: 9:15 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday: Wednesday Nite Live 5:45 - 6:45 p.m. Simple Supper "Free will Offering 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Classes for all ages

Pleasant Home Church
Serving the rural community
Celebrating 125 years of God's gracious blessings!
Rt. 1, Box 180 • 3190 Road 70
(785) 694-2807
Pastor: Perry Baird
Sunday: Worship Service: 9 a.m.
Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Promiseland Baptist Church
Pastor: Rick Holmes • 890-7082
225 W. 16th
(785) 890-7944
Sunday: Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
Morning Service: 11:30 a.m.
Evening Service: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study Service 6:30 p.m.

Bible Baptist Church
Pastor: Clifford Middlebrooks
Fifth & Broadway
890-7368
Sunday: Sunday School: 9 a.m.
Morning Service: 10 a.m.
Evening Service: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Evening Bible Study: 7 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
1200 15th Street • Burlington, CO
(719) 346-7984
Sacrament Meeting: 10 a.m.
Sunday School: 11:15 a.m.
Priesthood/Relief Society: 12 a.m.

Iglesia Del Dios Vivo
La Luz Del Mundo
Spanish Speaking Church
Minister: Esteban Ortiz B.
1601 Texas • 899-5275
Daily Prayer: Sunday thru Saturday: 5a.m. & 6 p.m.
Sunday: Sunday School: 10 a.m.

United Methodist Church Brewster:
Pastor: Mike Baughn
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. CST
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. CST
Winona:
Minister: Sheryl Johnson
Worship Service: 9 a.m. CST
Sunday School: 10:15 am CST

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Pastor: Rev. Carol Edling Jolly
Eighth & Arcade • 890-5233
Sunday: Church School - All ages 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Youth Group: 1st and 3rd Sundays 5-7 p.m.
Thursday: Prayer Class - Noon
Pastor Carol's Class 5:30 p.m.
www.goodlandfccdoc.org

Kanorado United Methodist Church
Pastor: Leonard Cox
399-2468
Sunday: Sunday School: 9 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:15 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene
Pastor: Bob Willis
Third & Caldwell
899-2080 or 899-3797
Sunday: Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:50 a.m.
Evening Service: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Evening Service: 7 p.m.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Celebrant: Father Don Martin
13th & Center
Church 890-2115 or 890-7245
Services: 5 p.m. Saturday evening
Bible Study: 4 p.m. the first and third Saturday of the month

Goodland Bible Church
109 Willow Road • 899-6400
Pastor: Chad DeJong
Sunday: Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:45 a.m.
6 p.m. AWANA during school
Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 youth group
Growth groups call for information
www.goodlandbible.org

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Travis Blake
1121 Main
890-3450
Sunday:
Coffee fellowship: 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10 a.m.
Sunday School: 11:15 a.m.
Thursday: Bible study 9:30 a.m.
Wheatridge Center

H2O Church.TV
Pastor: Craig Groeschel
1022 Main
(785) 728-0123
Experience Time
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Harvest Evangelical Free Church
521 E. Hwy. 24 • 890-6423
Pastor: Brian Fugleberg
Sunday: Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday school: 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday:
Senior High: 6:30 p.m. at the church
Junior High: 6:30 p.m. at the church
www.goodlandefree.com

Seventh Day Adventist Church
1160 Cattletrail
Pastor: Jerry Nowack
Saturday: Sabbath School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service: 11 a.m.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church
13th & Sherman • 890-6161
Pastor: Darian Hybl
Sunday: Christian education/fellowship: 10:15 a.m.
Worship Service: 9 a.m.

Church of Christ
401 Caldwell
890-6185
Sunday: Bible Study: 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study: 7 p.m.

The following sponsors urge YOU to attend your chosen House of Worship this Sabbath:

Short & Son Trucking
Hwy. 24

Koons Funeral Chapel
North Main

Good Samaritan Center
208 W. 2nd

Goodland Star-News
1205 Main St.

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