

## A special message for a Star-News reader

Marilyn Hefner, would you do me the honor and marry me?

Love,  
Your favorite lieutenant

## weather report

**47°**

**10 a.m.  
Monday**



### Today

- Sunset, 5:03 p.m.
- Wednesday**
- Sunrise, 6:56 a.m.
- Sunset, 5:04 p.m.

### Midday Conditions

- Soil temperature 32 degrees
- Humidity 74 percent
- Sky partly sunny
- Winds south 10 mph
- Barometer 29.65 inches and falling
- Record High today 69° (1976)
- Record Low today -13° (1951)

### Last 24 Hours\*

High Sunday	56°
Low Sunday	30°
Precipitation	none
This month	0.06
Year to date	0.06
Below normal	0.26 inches

### The Topside Forecast

Today: Mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of snow before 11 a.m., a high near 37, winds breezy northwest at 15 to 30 mph and a low around 15. Accumulation of new snow less than half an inch. Wednesday: Partly sunny with a chance of scattered flurries, a high near 36, winds breezy out of northwest at 15 to 30 mph and a low around 18.

### Extended Forecast

Thursday: Mostly sunny with a high near 40 and a low around 20. Friday: Mostly sunny with a high near 48 and a low around 26. (National Weather Service)

Get 24-hour weather info. at 162.400 MHz.

## local markets



### 10 a.m.

Wheat — \$7.73 bushel  
Posted county price — \$7.67  
Corn — \$7.31 bushel  
Posted county price — \$7.26  
Milo — \$6.86 bushel  
Soybeans — \$13.69 bushel  
Posted county price — \$14.05  
Millet — no bid  
Sunflowers  
Oil current crop — \$24.10 cwt.  
Confection — no bid  
Pinto beans — \$28  
(Markets by Scouler Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)

## inside today

More local news, views from your Goodland Star-News



## Cowboys beat Cougars

The Goodland High School boys basketball team beat Burlington on Saturday.

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# Goodland clinic gets new doctor



**Van Marel**

Goodland Regional Medical Center has a new doctor joining its clinic staff.

Douglas Van Marel, M.D. began work in Goodland on Monday and will begin seeing patients after a few days of office orientation.

To schedule an appointment with Dr. Van Marel, please contact Goodland Family Health Center at (785) 890-6075.

Dr. Van Marel is certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine and practices with an emphasis on critical care, geriatrics and adult medicine. He and his family moved to Goodland from Spearfish, S.D., where he worked at the Queen City Regional Medical Clinic.

He attended the University of Minnesota where he earned a Bachelor's De-

gree in chemistry and biology. He graduated medical school at the University of South Dakota and fulfilled his residency at Michigan State University.

Dr. Van Marel and his wife, Esther, have four young daughters ranging in age from 6 to 12. Prior to practicing in Spearfish, he also worked in Miles City, Mont., and Huron, S.D.

D.r Van Marel said he and his family

enjoy living and working in small rural communities and concentrated their career search on communities of less than 10,000 people. He grew up on a dairy farm in the small town of Beaver Creek, Minn., and his family owned a farm when they lived in Montana. His hobbies include hunting and fishing.

## Concert contest open for local bands

The Smoky Hill River Festival and Rocking M Radio have launched a series of regional concerts, The High Plains Showcase, and starting this week are putting out a call for local bands to compete for the opportunity to perform on the main stage at a June music festival in Salina.

There will be four concerts for regional bands, the nearest being at the City Limits Convention Center in Colby on Saturday, April 27. At each concert, a winner will be chosen to perform at the Smoky Hill River Festival on Sunday, June 9, as well as cash and prizes. The concerts are open-genre, so any music group can enter. The judges will be local music-scene veterans and festival representatives.

The concerts are aimed at getting more out-of-town interest in the Salina music festival.

The Call for Entries for all interested regional bands was scheduled to go live on Monday at TodayInKansas.com, and interested bands can also call (785) 827-2100. Cost to enter is \$20.

At each local Showcase concert event, the bands and their families and fans will be able to take stage pictures, enter prize drawings and get their weekend-long Festival Buttons at \$5 off.

The other concerts will be in Great Bend on March 23, Hays on March 30 and Garden City on April 13.

Rocking M Radio owns 20 radio stations, including 102.5 KKCI in Goodland. The Smoky Hill River Festival is put on each year by the Salina Arts and Humanities Council.

## Lecturer to talk about death penalty

Dr. Scott Phillips, associate professor and chair of the Sociology and Criminology Department at the University of Denver, will be the featured speaker at the Dr. Max Pickerill Lecture Series at 6 p.m. (Mountain Time) Tuesday, Feb. 26, in the Northwest Kansas Cultural Arts Center.

Dr. Phillips received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in History from Texas Christian University; his Master of Arts Degree in Sociology from Louisiana State University; and his Doctoral Degree in Sociology from the University of Georgia in 2000. His areas of interest are criminology and sociology of law.

The topic for the lecture series will be, "Is the Death Penalty an Effective Public Policy?"

Dr. Phillips' research examines conflict management, police use of force and capital punishment. His research has been published in several journals including Law and Society Review, Criminology, Social Forces, and the American Sociological Review.

Dr. Phillips taught at the University of Houston and Rice prior to his tenure at the University of Denver. He currently teaches a class on wrongful convictions. Many of his students start the semester believing



## Health Fair draws crowd to tech college

The Sherman County Health Fair was held Saturday morning at the Northwest Tech student union. Booths had an assortment of screenings including bone density and skin cancer plus information for raising children, different state health insurances, wellness and nutrition. Above a girl tries to see how many ping pong balls she can sink at one time to check dexterity. Small inside picture is Kenny Corke having his blood pressure checked by the Sherman County Emergency Medical Service. Paige Harper gives a back massage to someone. The line of people (below) that waited to talk to doctors from Goodland Regional Medical Center about their blood test results.

Photos by Pat Schiefen  
The Goodland Star-News





genesis and salvation army

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. Please call 785-890-2299 to speak to a volunteer.

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 5 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.

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.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

The Goodland Activities Center has the daily activities. For information call 890-7242. Memberships options for everyone including day passes for \$5. Visit goodland-gac.com or stop by 808 Main.

Aerobics with Tena Thompkins at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. Aerobics with Lisa Malsom at 5:30 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday. High Impact Workouts with Grady Bonsall at 5:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. Taekwondo with Wayne Luckert on Tuesday at 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers, 5:30 to 7 Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7 p.m. adult. Wednesdays 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. adults. Weight Watchers meets at 5:30 p.m. for weigh in and 6 p.m. for the meeting every Tuesday at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church, 521 E. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-6423.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous, 1013 Center. If you drink alcohol, that's your business. If you want to stop, we can help. Call 821-3826 pr 728-7491.

Goodland Al-Anon Family Group 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. Our group meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday and Friday at the First Christian Church, 711 Arcade, Goodland West entrance. Talking about it is the first step. (785) 728-7022 and (785) 501-8282.

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 Anony-

the calendar

calendar

The Goodland Federated Music Club will celebrate the birthday of Kansas at 7:30 p.m. on Monday at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. Entertainment will include a guessing game for all with dulcimers, vocal, piano and recorder music.

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

A discussion on the book "The House of the Spirits" by Isabel Allende will be at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 7, at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. For information call (785) 899-5461 or gpl@goodlandlibrary.org.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday, Feb. 11. Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 23. at Cat's TnT, 1018 Main, or at the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 899-2338, 821-1275, 890-2287, 821-1827 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have fish sticks, breaded chicken tenders, lean ground beef,

hickory smoked bacon, chicken breast fillet, seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables. The specials are chicken breast fritters, the grillers with four sirloin steak, four boneless pork chops, chicken breast filets and ground beef, Hillshire Farms pulled pork sandwiches and supertime entrees.

Come watch the Big Game on the Theatre Screen at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main, on Sunday. Admission is food or a \$1 donation to Genesis. Goodland Soup BoL will be operating a food stand to help raise money for the program.

AARP Tax-Aide counseling, preparation, e-filing and teaching service will help you file your 2012 Tax Return through April 15. Call (785) 890-2287 or (785) 821-1827 to make an appointment.

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.

senior menu

Today: Chili, gelatin with carrots and crushed pineapple, crackers and cinnamon roll. Wednesday: Chop stick tuna casserole, stewed tomatoes, green beans, bread and apricots. Thursday: Cook's choice entree, hash brown casserole, corn, bread and pineapple upside down cake. Friday: Chicken pasta salad, Mandarin

oranges, breadstick and pudding.

Monday: Harvest turkey soup, watergate salad, crackers and no bake cookie. Tuesday: Hamburger patti with onion, tomato and pickle, potato salad, bun and blueberry crisp.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - starspangled pancakes, sausage, juice and milk. Lunch - pork rib on a bun, lettuce and tomato, tri-tater, green beans, fresh kiwi, cherry crisp and milk. Wednesday: Breakfast - whole wheat bagel with toppings, fresh oranges and milk. Lunch - lasagna, spinach salad, whole grain garlic bread, apple wedges and milk. Thursday: Breakfast - breakfast pita with salsa, hash browns, kiwi and milk. Lunch - baked chicken drumstick, savory rice, fresh broccoli, corn, oatmeal roll, sliced peaches and milk.

school calendar

Today: Black day. Wednesday: Gold day. 7:30 a.m. professional learning communities. Family Career and Community Leaders of America Star Events in Goodland. Thursday: Regional scholars' bowl. 3 p.m. boys junior high basketball A/B at Holcomb. 5:30 p.m. varsity and junior varsity wrestling, Senior Night, against Atwood at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Junior varsity basketball at Colby Junior Varsity Basketball Tournament.

are encouraged to get involved in their children's education. For information call 890-2552.

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 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.

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.

obituaries

Ronald Eugene Lester

Ronald Eugene Lester, 72, retired Golden West Skill Center employee, died Friday, Jan. 25, 2013, at the Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

He was born on Dec. 1, 1940, to Delbert and Allene Lester in Denver. Mr. Lester attended school and graduated at Brighton, Colo.

In 1999 he and his wife Joyce moved to Goodland.

He was in charge of vehicle maintenance for Golden West Skill Center.

The couple belonged to the First Baptist Church.

Preceding him in death were his wife on Jan. 7, 2013, and a sister, Darlene.

Survivors include three daugh-

ters, Rhonda Lester, Christine Lester and Barbara Lester; two sons, Buddy (Bridget) Lester of Colorado Springs and Doug (Judy) Lester of Denver; three sisters, Sharon (John) Stasser of Greeley, Colo., Sandy (Ed) Monroe of Longmont, Colo. and Patty (Ed) Kercher of Lakewood, Colo.; and many grandchildren.

Cremation was chosen and his remains will be joined with his wife's. There will not be a service at this time.

Memorials will be directed by the family at a later time and may be sent to Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11, Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Robert Lee Langdon

Robert Lee Langdon, 64, Colby, former employee of the Kansas Department of Transportation, died Friday, Jan. 25, 2013, at the Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby.

He was born June 29, 1948, to Cleo Elizabeth (Kyner) and Emerson Harmond Langdon at Boothroy Memorial Hospital in Goodland. In 1965 he graduated from Winona High School. While in school he enjoyed woodworking projects.

Mr. Langdon also worked at the Bean plant and working for various farmers. He especially was fond of livestock.

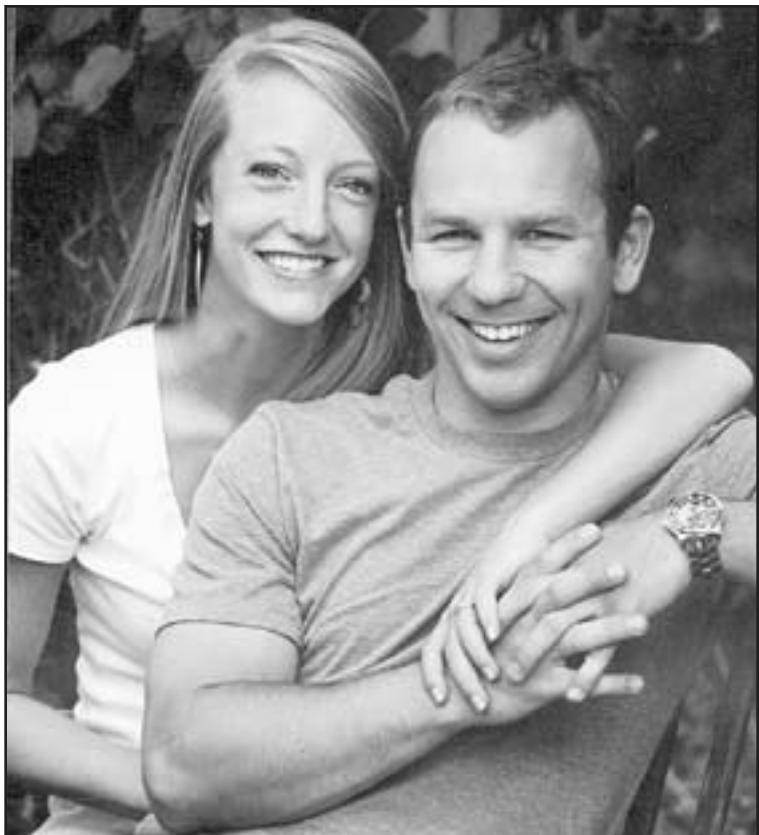
Preceding him in death were his parents and a brother, Gerald Langdon.

Survivors include a brother, Everett (Rona) Langdon of Sharon Springs and five sisters, Lucinda (Bill) Schurr of Sharon Springs, Pauline (Lee) Lock of Wallace, Reta (David) Brown of Atwood, Regina (Jerry) Neitzel of Murfreesboro, Tenn. and Melinda Richardson of Oakley.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 31, 2013 at Koons Funeral Home in Sharon Springs with the Rev. Paul McNall officiating and burial in the Sharon Springs Cemetery.

Memorials to the Prairie Senior Living Center may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

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Stephanie Haggard and Jake Kling

Manhattan wedding planned by couple

Stephanie Haggard of Overland Park and Jake Kling of Charlotte, N.C., plan to marry on June 15, 2013, in Manhattan.

Her parents are Dr. Kent and Lori Haggard of Overland Park and his parents are Brian and Rochelle Kling of Goodland.

The bride to be is a 2012 Kansas State University graduate with a bachelor's degree in elementary education. She is currently teaching

at the Goddard School in Olathe.

The future groom is a 2012 Kansas State University graduate with a bachelor's degrees in criminology and political science and a 2008 graduate of Goodland High School. He is currently a first year law student at the Charlotte School of Law in Charlotte, N.C.

The couple plan to live in Charlotte.

sunflower 4-h

The Sunflower 4-H Club met on January 21, 2013 at Edwards Hall. President Kinsey Volk called the meeting to order and Vice President Christopher Berls led the club in the flag salute and 4-H Pledge. Roll call of "How do you like your hotdog?" was answered by 17 members, 11 parents, one leader and two guests. Brayden Smith led the club in singing "You Are My Sunshine."

Following a short business meeting, Ryan Berls demonstrated how to make Outrageous Chocolate Chip

Cookies. Kinsey Volk, assisted by Dillion Gillming and Dusty Johnson, presented a project talk on domestic violence. Makayla Fitzgibbons presented a reading entitled "The Show Goes On" and Mason Berls shared a 4-H fact. A short recess was called for recreation and Joey Myers led the club in playing "Simon Says."

The Berls family served refreshments. The next club meeting will be Monday, Feb. 18.

Ryan Berls, Reporter

matters of record

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds.

Gladys R. Cloyd and Darrel O. Cloyd, Trustees of the Revocable Inter Vivos Trust of Gladys R. Cloyd dated 2/19/2002, to Dawn M. James and Greg J. James, an undivided 1/2 interest in SW/4 of Sec.33, T9S, R42W.

Peter J. Kinen and Alice F. Kinen convey and warrant to Alice F. Ki-

nen, Trustees of the Alice F. Kinen Revocable Trust dated December 19, 2012, an undivided 1/2 interest in and to W/2 of NW/4 of Sec.6, T6S, R41W.

Peter F. Kinen and Alice F. Kinen convey and warrant to Peter J. Kinen, Trustee of the Peter J. Kinen Revocable Trust dated December 19, 2012, an undivided 1/2 interest in W/2 of NW/4 of Sec.6, T6S, R41W.

John H. Golden and Gennifer G. House, as trustees of the John Holister Golden Trust dated July 11, 2006, to G.G. House Trust dated February 11, 2009, the SW/4 of Sec.6, T8S, R38W; S/2 of Sec.32, T8S, R37W.

John H. Golden and Marcia L. Golden, as trustees of the Marcia L. Golden Trust dated July 11, 2006, to G.G. House Trust dated February 11, 2009, the SW/4 of Sec.6, T8S,

R38W; S/2 of Sec.32, T8S, R37W.

Jim Flanders Trust Number 2 dated July 1, 1998, to Sharmis Blake Revocable Trust UTD 11/6/2012, a tract of land in NW/4 of Sec.21, T6S, R38W.

JMCLand Co., LLC conveys and warrants to Bruce A. Livengood and Kelly J. Livengood, a tract of land in N/2 of SE/4 of Sec.21, T8S, R40W.

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## Health fair



Goodland High School Senior Amy Floyd manned the table for the Girl Scouts at the health fair on Saturday morning at the

Northwest Kansas Techical College student union.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

## Landscape class to be offered

The Sunflower Extension District/Goodland office is offering a three day class in landscape design given by Jamie Hancock, horticulture agent for Shawnee County and Dr.Alan Stevens,extension specialist with Kansas State University. Both have extensive backgrounds in teaching landscape design. The classes will be at 6 p.m. on Mondays, Feb. 25, March 4, and March 11. The classes will finish by 8:30 p.m. All classes will be held at the Goodland Public Library meeting room.

Homeowners will come away from this hands-on approach with

a fresh idea of landscape design based on architectural and interior design methods. This course is an overall design of the yard and not a flower garden design class. Be prepared for an enlightening and refreshing experience in landscape design. There will be one-on-one instruction and homework. Cost of the three night class is \$40 for tools and supplies. Previous skills or experience are not required but, sign-up is. Class size will be limited to 15. For more information or to register please call the Extension office (785) 890-4880.

## Control grass under new trees

Research from Kansas State’s John C. Pair Horticultural Center has quantified the effect of controlling grasses around newly planted trees.

Jason Griffin, William Reid, and Dale Bremer conducted a study to investigate the inhibition of growth of transplanted, seedling trees when lawn grasses were allowed to grow up to the trunk. There were five treatments, including three with different species of grass:

Bare soil maintained with herbicides.

Area under tree mulched three inches deep.

Tall fescue allowed to grow under tree.

Bermudagrass allowed to grow under tree.

Kentucky bluegrass allowed to grow under tree.

All treatments were applied to Eastern redbud seedlings as well as to pecan seedlings. All trees were fertilized according to recommendations and watered during the growing season with up to one inch of water if rainfall was deficient. At the end of two years, trees were measured and harvested. Data was taken on caliper (diameter) six inches above the ground, weight of above ground portions of the tree, leaf area and leaf weight.

There were no differences in any measure between the mulched treatment and the bare soil treatment for either tree species. All measures

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• ag notebook

showed significant growth increases if lawn grasses were controlled around the tree. Results include the following:

Caliper: Caliper measures six inches above the soil surface were twice as large for plots without grass, than for those with either fescue or bluegrass, but only 50 percent larger when compared to the bermuda grass plots.

Top growth weight: Redbuds showed a 300 percent weight advantage for plots with grasses controlled than those without. Pecans showed a significant 200 percent increase.

Leaf area and leaf weight: Leaf areas were 200 percent larger in plots without grass competition and leaf weight showed a 300 percent increase.

The obvious conclusion from this study is that grasses must be controlled under a newly transplanted tree to get the best possible growth. Though there were no differences in growth whether mulch was used or not, you may still wish to mulch for aesthetic reasons or to help control weed growth. How far from the trunk should the grasses be controlled? Try a minimum of three feet.

## matters of record

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds.

JoAnne Vaughn Family Limited Partnership conveys and warrants to Stephen L. Bear and Debra L. Bear, the SE/4 of Sec.2, T9S, R38W, excepting and reserving unto grantor an undivided 1/2 of oil, gas and minerals for 10 years.

Augustus Hoyt Tompkins and Viola M. Tompkins, Trustees of the Revocable Inter Vivos Trust of Augustus Hoyt Tompkins dated April 7, 2005, and Viola M. Tompkins and Augustus Hoyt Tompkins, Trustees of the Revocable Inter Vivos Trust of Viola M. Tompkins dated April 7, 2005, to Michael L. Ruhs and Chandra L. Ruhs, a tract of land in NE/4 of Sec.6, T9S, R39W, AKA 6190 Road 20, Goodland.

Margaret Weir conveys and warrants to Ricky D. Rogers Revocable Trust and Linda R. Rogers Revocable Trust, the NE/4 of SEc.1, T6S, R42W.

Randy R. Olson and Sharon D. Olson quit claim to Randy R. Olson and Sharon D. Olson, trustees of the Randy and Sharon Olson Trust dated March 13, 2012, the NE/4 of Sec. 3, T6S, R41W.

William A. Cockey and Linda M. Cockey to Jorge Mendiola, Lots 16, 17 and 18, Block 35, Second Addition to City of Goodland, AKA 408 W. 6th.

James L. Daniels and Peggy J. Daniels, to David J. and Judith C. Daniels, Lots 10, 11, 12, Block 40, Second Addition to City of Goodland, AKA 122 E. 7th.

Larry W. Bacon and Susan M. Mayer quit claim to Larry W. Bacon and Susan A. Mayer, the NW/4 of Sec.9, T8S, R38W.

Allegra C. Adolf conveys and warrants to Lois L. Adolf, Lots 12, 13 and 14, Block 36, Second Addition to City of Goodland, AKA 406 W. 7th.

Sharmis Blake and Rod Blake convey and warrant to Sharmis Blake Revocable Trust dated 11/6/2012, Lots 16, 17 and 18 and W15’ of S93.33’ of Lot 19, Block 77, Original Town of Goodland.

Tara B. Schultz, Tess B. Flanders and Paul Flanders, Tatum B. Gabel and Benjamin Gabel quit claim to Sharmis Blake, Lots 16, 17, 18 and W15’ of S93.33’ of Lot 19, Block 77, Original Town of Goodland.

Western State Bank to James Clinton Gillespie, the 22’ of N side of Lot 21, all of Lots 22, 23 and 24, Block 51, Original Town of Goodland.

Craig A. Good and Amy L. Good convey and warrant to Amy L. Good and Craig A. Good, Trustees of the

Amy L. Good Trust dated November 30, 2012, an undivided 1/2 interest in Sec.29, T10S, R40W.

Craig A. Good and Amy L. Good convey and warrant to Craig A. Good and Amy L. Good, Trustees of the Craig A. Good Trust dated November 30, 2012, an undivided 1/2 interest in Sec.29, T10S, R40W.

Darrell L. Schrader and Judith D. Schrader to VLI, Inc., Lots 6 and 7, Block 9, Sharp’s Addition to City of Goodland.

Curtis L. Hurd and Beverly E. Hurd, Trustees of the Curtis L. and Beverly E. Hurd Revocable Inter Vivos Trust dated November 6, 2000, to Patrick J. Fitzgibbons and Denise A. Fitzgibbons, all of Lots 19 and 20, and S20’ of Lot 21, Block 43, Second Addition to City of Goodland.

Donald A. Caldwell and Jeanne M. Caldwell to Donald A. Caldwell 2011 Revocable Trust and the Jeanne M. Caldwell Revocable Trust both dated November 29, 2012, the SE/4 of Sec.31, T9S, R40W; NE/4 of Sec.6, T10S, R40W; SE/4 of Sec.7, T10S, R40W; W/2 of Sec.32, T8S, R40W.

Mary A. Ohmes to Kristen Matheson, Lot 2 and N25’ of Lot 3, Block 2, Sharp’s Addition to City of Goodland.

Shirley A. Gray Revocable Trust

dated March 16, 2000 and Richard C. Whitmore to Eric J. Ohnoutka and Katie Ohnoutka, Lot 1, Block 6, Westmoor Acres Subdivision to City of Goodland.

Tri-State Properties, LLP, to Roy E. Lawrence, Lots 13 and 14, Block 5, First Addition to City of Goodland.

Robert Yost Enterprises, Inc. to Hitchcock Incorporated, a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.19, T8S, R39W; a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.19, T8S, R39W; two tracts of land in SE/4 of Sec.19, T8S, R39W.

Hitchcock Incorporated to Robert Yost Enterprises, a tract of land in NW/4 of Sec.30, T8S, r39W.

Robin R. Deeds and Carol A. Deeds convey and warrant to Carol A. Deeds, trustee and any successor trustees of the Carol A. Deeds Revocable Trust dated December 14, 2012, the SE/4 of Sec.36, T7S, R40W; N/2 of SE/4 of Sec.12, T9S, R40W; an undivided 1/2 interest in NW/4 of Sec.13, T7S, R38W; W/2 of Sec.18, T7S, R37W; NW/4 of Sec.28, T7S, R38W; NE/4 of Sec.28, T7S, R38W; NE/4 of Sec.24, T7S, R38W; NW/4 of Sec.24, T7S, R38W; NW/4 of Sec.27, T7S, R38W; SW/4 and E/2 of Sec.34, T7S, R38W; Lots 4,5 and 6, Block 1, Third Addition to City of Goodland.



### corrections

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We believe that news should be fair and factual. We want to keep an accurate record and appreciate you calling to our attention any failure to live up to this standard.

In accordance with the Kansas Petroleum Education & Marketing Act, the Kansas Oil & Gas Resources Board does hereby promulgate the refund opportunity for assessments levied on gross revenues of oil and gas produced in Kansas which was withheld from distributions or billed on invoices dated from January 2012 through December 2012. The refund opportunity is for working interest owners who do not wish to participate in the industry-funded energy education effort. Refund requests must be made during the first quarter of the calendar year following the assessment year on properly executed refund application forms. Applications cannot be accepted after March 31, 2013. Refund application forms can be obtained by request from the Kansas Oil & Gas Resources Board, P.O. Box 757, Wichita, Kansas 67201-0757. For more information, please contact the Kansas Oil & Gas Resources Board at 316-771-7167.

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## Library to discussion on Chilean book


Brenda Craven of Fort Hays State University will lead a discussion of “The House of the Spirits” by Isabel Allende at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 7, at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway.

This is the second book in a four-part “Women Around the World” series. This is the epic tale of the proud Trueba family: stubborn patriarch Esteban, sweet but rebellious daughter Blanca and

Alba, the granddaughter who is part of both the old aristocratic order and the turbulent new Chile.

This discussion is part of Talk About Literature in Kansas provided by the Kansas Humanities Council. The council promotes understanding of the history and ideas that shape our lives and build community.

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from our viewpoint...

## Encouraging news from the Senate

We'd like to congratulate the U.S. Senate on getting bipartisan support for reforming the filibuster.

A filibuster is a political obstruction tactic in which a piece of legislation can be blocked by a senator or series of senators speaking continuously on any topic they choose. They keep the floor as long as they hold the floor, and no other business can be conducted as long as they do. Only a two-thirds majority vote can put it to an end. For many years, neither party has held enough of a majority to end a filibuster on its own.

The filibuster actually dates back to ancient Rome, where it was used to obstruct Julius Caesar, though perhaps that is a more positive example, as Caesar's imperial ambitions needed obstructing.

In the Senate, it is more often used as a threat so legislation that the minority doesn't support will never come to the floor.

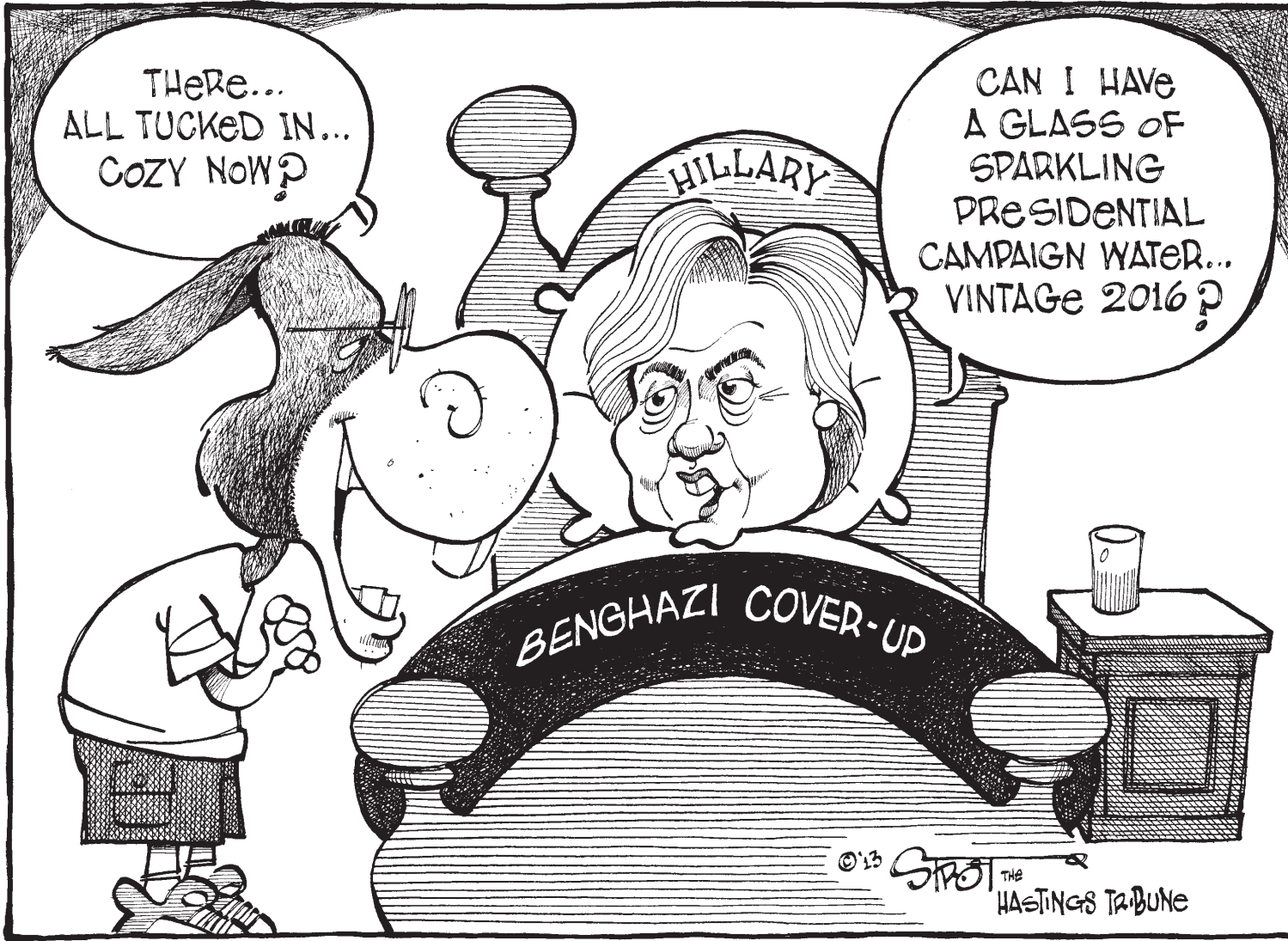
Last week, Democrats and Republicans came together and approved new language for Senate rules that will, if passed, avoid filibusters. The Democrats pushed for broader reforms, such as changing the two-thirds majority rule to a simple 51 out of 100 majority. Republicans argued that as the minority party, the filibuster was the only thing granting them leverage. What came out of the leadership's negotiations was a compromise.

The measures includes shortening the time delay for cloture motions to be filed. Another provision says that if amendments offered aren't relevant to the legislation at hand, that majority vote isn't required to end a filibuster. It also limits debate on some presidential nominations.

This kind of bipartisan compromise is an encouraging sign from a government that has been mired in obstructionism for decades. On Monday there was more encouraging news, that a bipartisan group in the Senate got together and created a framework for how they want to handle immigration reform for the coming year.

Not every senator is happy with these deals, of course. But isn't that the definition of a compromise, when no one goes home entirely happy, but something still gets accomplished?

Politicians always talk about ending the political gridlock in Washington. Perhaps this is finally a step in the right direction. Perhaps our leaders have finally got the message. Divided government is good, unless the important work goes by the wayside while the two sides fight. We can only hope they will keep up the good work. —Kevin Bottrell



## State Legislature will fight for gun rights

The correspondence I have been receiving this year is weighted heavily toward gun control and Medicaid. There are going to be many controversial and passionate matters that will be addressed in the 2013 legislature. This week, I will address gun control.

The core goal of legislation Kansas is looking at is to insure that personally responsible citizens have an avenue to protect themselves without infringing on the safety and freedom of others.

In 2006, Kansas passed its first concealed-carry bill, and since then tens of thousands of law-abiding Kansans have applied and been granted a permit. To obtain the permit, Kansans must complete a certified firearms safety training class and fill-out an application, which is reviewed by law enforcement. I myself have concealed carry.

The motivation behind this type of legislation was the notion that we should not treat law-abiding citizens like criminals. Those who take the time to go to the training and fill-out the necessary paperwork are not the citizens who cause trouble. In fact, to date, only 51



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licenses have been revoked out of the more than 55,000 issued.

Many have said that guns should have no place in public buildings and we should keep these areas gun-free. It is a point of view that many share. Last year, I received many communications saying that our courthouses, schools, hospitals could not afford the security necessary if the conceal-carry signs were taken down. The problem is without adequate security to ensure no one has a gun in a public building, it becomes irresponsible to prevent law-abiding citizens from protecting themselves. Most people can agree that a sign with a gun and a line through it does not provide adequate security.

I was a high school principal when the Columbine incident took place. Several of our area

schools received threats, shortly thereafter, that we would be attacked. After careful consideration, I took measures to ensure that our school would be safe and that, if necessary, force would be met with force. We followed this plan until I retired several years later. My thought – I would do anything to protect my students and staff.

At this time, I can only see the Kansas Legislature fighting to preserve the rights given to us in the 2nd Amendment.

On a fun note, I had the opportunity to give the Oberlin eighth grade students and their sponsors a tour of the capitol on Martin Luther King Day. We were the only people in the capitol building and the students had time to ask questions and go places normal tours don't get to go. They returned the next day for a picture with the Governor.

Every time I have a group from northwest Kansas I receive compliments on their behavior and I received several nice compliments about the Oberlin group.

## Keeping life's demands in balance

It's good, I suppose, to occasionally face adversity if the result is an introspection that causes an honest look at our own life. A self critique that enables us to rearrange ones own priorities and creates in us a desire to accomplish things that matter most. Sometimes a personal crisis will clarify, and reinforce in our own minds those things, or people we really value and cherish. And if we but courageously inspect the priorities in our own life, we will find a desire for better balance. But we each must come to our own honest self-examination and awareness of who, and what, we desire to become.

Coping with complex and diverse challenges in everyday life is not an easy task, and can upset balance and harmony. Even though we care a great deal and try very hard we find ourselves overwhelmed and feeling defeated. These are common human experiences, and we all have faced them from time to time. We all have heavy demands upon our life. Keeping everything in balance can be a problem.

The following are a few suggestions, that could be valuable, if you, like me, have trouble balancing life's demands.

First, it is important to schedule some quiet time of reflection on a regular basis. Some time to think deeply about who you are and the person you want to become. We need regular quiet, reflective time to rejuvenate ourselves. And it is important to keep a journal of these thoughts.

Second, it is a must to set short-term goals that are reachable. It is needful to challenge ourselves, but not set ourselves up for eminent failure. Write these goals down in order of importance.

Third, everyone has financial difficulties in life. Through wise budgeting, we can maintain a more balanced home life. There are no shortcuts to financial security, it is easier to borrow than to pay back. There are no easy-get-rich schemes that work. With the bill collectors off our backs, we are free to live a more harmonious life.

Fourth, it is difficult to find the time for sufficient rest, exercise, and relaxation. We must schedule into our daily agendas for these activities if we are to enjoy a balanced life.

There are other recommendations that could be added. But if we first focus on the basic stuff, we are more able to manage many of the demands that life throws at us. To much of any one thing can throw us off balance. At the same time, too little of the important things can do the same thing.

Often the lack of clear direction can waste our time and energy and contribute to imbalance in our lives. A life that gets out of balance is much like a car tire that is out of balance. It will make the operation of the car rough and unsafe. Tires in perfect balance can give a smooth and comfortable ride. So it is with life.

Your views and opinions are always welcome. To contact me directly, email me at [littlefish\\_67@yahoo.com](mailto:littlefish_67@yahoo.com).



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propias mentes esas cosas o personas que realmente valoramos y apreciamos. Y si nosotros hacemos Inspeccione las prioridades en nuestra vida, nos encontraremos con un deseo de mayor equilibrio. Pero cada uno de nosotros debemos venir a nuestra propia examen honesto de conciencia y el conocimiento de quién y qué, deseamos ser.

Para hacer frente a demandas complejos y diversos en la vida cotidiana no es tarea fácil y puede alterar el equilibrio y la armonía. A pesar de que nos preocupamos mucho y muy duro trata, nos encontramos abrumados y sentirse derrotado. Estas son las experiencias humanas comunes, y todos nos hemos enfrentado a les de vez en cuando. Todos tenemos grandes exigencias a nuestra vida. Mantener todo en equilibrio puede ser un problema.

Las siguientes son algunas sugerencias, que podrían ser valiosas, si como yo, tiene problemas para equilibrar las demandas de la vida.

En primer lugar, es importante programar un tiempo tranquilo de reflexión sobre una base regular. Tiempo para pensar profundamente sobre quién es usted y la persona que desea ser. Necesitamos tener regularmente tiempo tranquilo y reflexivo para rejuvenecer a nosotros mismos. Y es importante mantener un diario de estos pensamientos.

En segundo lugar, es necesario establecer metas a corto plazo que son accesibles. Es necesario desafiar a nosotros mismos, pero no nosotros mismos fijado por el eminente fracaso. Anote estas metas en orden de importancia.

En tercer lugar, todo el mundo tiene dificultades financieras en la vida. A través de un presupuesto prudente, podemos mantener que una más equilibrada la vida en el hogar. No hay atajos para la seguridad financiera, es más fácil pedir prestado que pagarlo atrás. No hay sistemas de fácil-enriquecimiento que trabajan. Sin los colectores de bill en la espalda, somos libres para vivir una vida más armoniosa.

En cuarto lugar, es difícil encontrar el tiempo para suficiente descanso, ejercicio y relajación. Nosotros debemos programar en nuestras agendas diarias para estas actividades para disfrutar de una vida equilibrada.

Hay otras recomendaciones que podrían añadirse. Pero si nos enfocamos primero en las cosas básicas, somos más capaces de manejar muchas de las demandas que la vida nos arroja. Demasiado de cualquier de un cosa nos puede arrojar saldo. Al mismo tiempo, muy poco de las cosas importantes que puede hacer lo mismo.

A menudo la falta de dirección clara puede perder nuestro tiempo y energía y contribuyen al desequilibrio en nuestras vidas. Una vida que obtiene fuera de balance es mucho como un neumáticos de coche que está fuera de balancea. Hará que la operación de bruto coche e inseguras. Neumáticos en perfecto equilibrio pueden dar un paseo suave y confortable. Así es la vida.

Sus opiniones y comentarios son siempre bienvenidos. Para contactar conmigo directamente, enviarme por correo electrónico a [littlefish\\_67@yahoo.com](mailto:littlefish_67@yahoo.com).

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# Lecturer to talk death penalty

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the wrongfully convicted, “really are guilty; or if they didn’t do this, they did something equally bad.”

“They have to hear about four or five cases before they get over this idea,” Dr. Phillips said, which is why he requires them to read three books: Picking Cotton, Bloodsworth, and The Innocent Man. He also includes the case of Randall Dale Adams, the man featured in the movie The Thin Blue Line, after being wrongfully convicted of murdering a Dallas police officer.

He is a member of the American Society of Criminology, American Sociological Association and Law and Society Association.

There is no admission charge to attend this lecture. For more information, contact Dr. Linda Davis-Stephens at (785) 4670-5528 or Jim Latoski at (785) 460-5463.

# Goodland students make Colby College honor roll

Five students from Goodland have made the honor roll at Colby Community College.

Angie Jones, Ashley Archer, Michaela Garrett and Amber Barnes made the President’s Honor Roll – for students with a 4.0 grade point average. Christopher Burchfield and Brewster student Kasey Hoyt made the Dean’s Honor Roll – for students with a grade point average of 3.75 to 3.99

Honor roll students must earn 15 or more credit hours with no failing grades. Other students named to the honor roll include:

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**Gem:** Ariel Severson, Chase Berg.

**Atwood:** Emily Chessmore, Cody Green, Patricia Mong-Rickard, Courtney Kinnett.

**Oakley:** Heather Vincent, Conley Moorhous, Kyle Berkgren.

**Brookville:** Amanda Reed; **Clay Center:** Emily Chestnut; **Dighton:** Loretta Harmison; **Herndon:** Rebecca Reuther; **Hill City:** Zoey Zeigler; **Holcomb:** Jenna Jarnagin; **Kinsley:** Jenna Jacobs; **Mankato:** Michaela Simmelink; **Marienthal:** Lindsey Estes; **McPherson:** Lori James; **Natoma:** Bailey Pfortmiller; **Ness City:** John Clarke, Dylan Schlegel, Drew Clarke; **Norton:** Elizabeth Fort, Mary Lyles; **Oberlin:** Bridget Corcoran; **Olmitz:** Kayti Davis; **Osborne:** Bethany Grabast; **Phillipsburg:** Sara Schurz; **Prairie View:** Gunnar Hays; **Pratt:** Katharine Hart; **St. Francis:** Jodie Hilt, Shayla Hilt, Trista Orth; **Towanda:** Jessica Wright; **WaKeeney:** Brenda Kisslinger.

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Berry; **Wauneta:** Sheyla Christner; **Wilcox:** Shelby Aspegren.

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**Dean’s Honor Roll**

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**Atwood:** Emily Wahrman, Scott Rhudy.

**Hoxie:** Morgan Shepard.

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**Nebraska:** Arthur, Molly Jensen

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In compliance with the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2310 and K.S.A. 25-2311, notice is hereby given that the books for registration of voters will be open at the following places at the times specified:

County Clerk fs Office  
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p.m. (Mon. – Fri.)

City Clerk fs Office  
7 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Mon. – Fri.)

The books for registration of voters will close at 5 p.m. in the County Clerk fs Office and 4 p.m. in the City Clerk fs Office on the 5th day of February, 2013.

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124 W. Hwy. 24 • 899-3432  
Goodland  
[www.agpowerequipment.com](http://www.agpowerequipment.com)

**Yost Farm Supply**

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Established • 1964

**49 years**

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725 Old US Hwy. 24 • 899-6565

**Kennedy & Coe, LLC**

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Established • 1966

**47 years**

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Joan Porsch-member  
Jill Eberhart-member

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520 Main • 899-3676

**Wane's Carpet & Drapery, Inc.**

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Established • 1967

**46 years**

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Bob Horton  
Owner

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718 Caldwell • 890-2505

**H&R Block**

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Established • 1968

**45 years**

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Delilah Leiker

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815 Main • 899-3022

**Pizza Hut**

---

Established • 1971

**42 years**

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1803 Cherry • 899-3661

**Shelter Insurance®**

---

Established • 1977

**36 years**

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Jim Alcorn, Agent

---

1624 Main Ave. • 899-2553

**Bill's Shootin' Shop**

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Established • 1982

**31 years**

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Bill & Kay Thornburg

---

1907 Cherry • 890-6456

**Accounting & Tax Services, Inc.**

---

Established • 1983

**30 years**

---

Joyce G. Moore

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304 E. 10th • 899-6145

**SunOpta Sunflower**

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Established • 1986

**27 years**

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David Ruddell-Manager  
Mike Bretz-Crop Production  
Manager

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1701 Industrial Loop • 899-5607

**Goodland Machine & Automotive, LLC**

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Established • 1995

**18 years**

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Terry Selbe & Pam  
Mendenhall-Owners

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419 E. 19th • 899-6628

**Serendipity Flower Shop**

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Established • 1996

**17 years**

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John & Judy Bateman

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11th & Broadway • 890-7330

**Bateman Funeral Home**

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Established • 1996

**17 years**

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John & Judy Bateman  
Funeral Director since 1966  
KFDA/NFDA

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11th & Broadway • 890-6600

**Dan Brenner Ford**

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Established • 1997

**16 years**

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Dan Brenner

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222 W. Hwy. 24 • 899-2316

**The Insurance Agency, Inc.**

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Established • 1999

**14 years**

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Roxann Kling, Owner/Agent  
Susan Doke, Owner/Agent

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1020 Main • 899-5011

**Gambino's Pizza**

---

Established • 1999

**14 years**

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Rod & Michelle Cooper

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402 E. 17th • 890-5988

**Cochran Farm Supply, Inc.**

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Established • 1999

**14 years**

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Mike & Glenda Cochran  
[www.cochranfarmsupply.com](http://www.cochranfarmsupply.com)

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2702 Rd. 64, Edson • 899-0096

**Brittney's Photography**

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Established • 2005

**8 years**

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Brittney Heiter  
Photographer

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1003 E. Hwy. 24 • 890-6448

**Sprinkler Supply, LLC**

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Established • 2007  
Local Zimmatic Dealer

**6 years**

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Terry Selbe, Owner

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419 E. 19th • 899-3444

**Green Trees, LLC**

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Established • 2010

**3 years**

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Philip Reitcheck, owner

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114 W. 13th • 899-3500

**Cowboy Corner Xpress, LLC**

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Established • 2011

**1 year 3 mo.**

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Jayson & Tara Woofter  
Mike Walters  
Owners

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1631 Main • 890-7728

**WELCOME, NEIGHBOR!**

**Goodland's 2013 Ribbon Cuttings for new businesses:**

<b>American Implement</b> (formerly Goodland Greenline) 1104 Highway 24, Goodland Phone: (785) 890-7575	<b>JG Tire &amp; Auto Service</b> 901 Main, Goodland Phone: (785) 890-TIRE (8473)
<b>J-Rod's Repair, LLC</b> 408 W. Highway 24, Goodland Phone: (785) 890-5551	<b>Congratulations to all!</b>



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(Business) 785-899-2316 (Fax) 785-899-2317

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at 899-2338  
**The Goodland Star-News**



Members of the Grant Junior High Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (above with Mrs. Claus) helped kids with their Christmas shopping at the Kids Christmas Shoppe at the Goodland Churches Thrift Store. A club member would pair with a child and help them to pick out gifts for the people on their lists. About 100 kids took advantage of the opportunity on, Dec. 8.

## Volunteering provides many benefits

They are everywhere if you look, the volunteers. They frequent the hospital, the library, the arts center, the schools and the museum. When bad things happen such as wrecks and fires volunteers are there to put out fires and get you to the hospital.

Over the past two decades, a growing body of research indicates that volunteering provides not just social benefits, but individual health benefits as well. This research has established a strong relationship between volunteering and health: those who volunteer have lower mortality rates, greater functional ability and lower rates of depression later in life than those who do not volunteer. Some key findings from this research, along with an analysis of the relationship between volunteering and incidence of mortality and heart disease at the state level, are presented here. A more comprehensive review of this research can

be found in the full report, "The Health Benefits of Volunteering: A Review of Recent Research", which can be downloaded at [www.nationalservice.org](http://www.nationalservice.org).

Research has found that volunteering provides older adults, (those age 60 or older), with greater benefits than younger volunteers. These benefits include improved physical and mental health and greater life satisfaction. In addition, while depression may serve as a barrier to volunteer participation in mid-life adults, it is a catalyst for volunteering among older adults, who may seek to compensate for role changes and attenuated social relations that occur with aging.

When considering the relationship of the frequency of volunteering to improved health benefits, researchers have found that there is a "volunteering threshold" for health benefits. That is to say, volunteers

must be engaged in a certain amount of volunteering in order to derive health benefits from the volunteer activities. Once that threshold is met, no additional health benefits are acquired by doing volunteering more. The definition of considerable volunteering has been variously defined by these studies as 1) volunteering with two or more organizations; 2) 100 hours or more of volunteer activities per year; and 3) at least 40 hours of volunteering per year.

Volunteering leads to greater life satisfaction and lower rates of depression. Evidence indicates that volunteering has a positive effect on social psychological factors, such as a personal sense of purpose and accomplishment, and enhances a person's social networks to buffer stress and reduce disease risk.

Individuals who volunteer live longer and society benefits from their efforts.



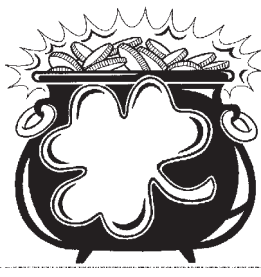
Volunteers of the Goodland Fire Department and the Sherman County Rural Fire Department help to remove people trapped in their cars from automobiles as well as fight fires in structures and fields in the city and the county.

Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News



**Medical Arts Pharmacy**  
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Goodland, Kan. 67735  
785-890-5111

**CENTURY FEEDERS**  
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(785) 899-6515

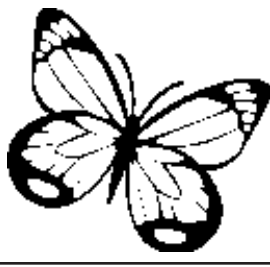


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Tuesday Evening												January 29, 2013			
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30					
ABC	The Taste		Happy	Happy	Body of Proof		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline						
CBS	NCIS		NCIS: Los Angeles		Vegas		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson						
NBC	Betty	Betty	Go On	Normal	Dateline NBC		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon						
FOX	Raising Hope		New Girl	Mindy	Local										
Cable Channels															
A & E	Storage	Storage	Southie	Southie	Southie	Southie	Storage	Storage Wars		Local					
AMC	Predator			Predator 2					Play It	Local					
ANIM	Wild Deep	Wild Deep	River Monsters		Wild Deep	Wild Deep	Wild Deep	Wild Deep	Monsters	Local					
BET	Husbands	Husbands	Husbands	Second	Second	Second	Wendy Williams Show		Torque	Local					
BRAVO	Real Housewives		Matchmaker		Matchmaker		Happens	Matchmaker		Atlanta					
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Redneck Vacation		Swamp Pawn						
CNN	Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360		E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson	Local					
COMEDY	Kroll	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	The Burn	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	The Burn	Daily	Local					
DISC	Local	Local	Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Africa						
DISN	Local	Local	Austin	Shake It	Good Luck	16 Wishes			Jessie	Good Luck					
E!	E! News	Chasing T	Kourtney-Kim		Kourtney-Kim		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea						
ESPN	College Basketball				SportsCenter				SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	Soccer				NFL Live		College B	NBA	NFL Live	Local					
FAM	The Lying Game		Pretty Little Liars		The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Insanity!	Local					
FOOD	Local	Local	Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		Chopped						
FX	The Other Guys		The Ultimate Fighter		Justified		Justified		Justified						
HGTV	Property	Property	Income Property		Hunters	Hunt Intl	Income	Income	Income	Property					



### We Celebrate Hometown Life

Stories from hometowns just like yours. Look for us each week in this paper.

HIST	Top Gear		Cnt. Cars	Cnt. Cars	Ancient Aliens		Pawn	Pawn Stars		Local					
LIFE	Dance Moms		America's Supernanny		Double	Double	Dance Moms			Local					
MTV	Snooki & JWOWWW		Snooki & JWOWWW		Sara	Snooki & JWOWWW	Sara		Teen Mom	Local					
NICK	Local	Local	Drake	Drake	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	The Nanny	The Nanny					
SCI	Face Off		Total		Face Off		Total		Star Trek	Local					
SPIKE	The Joe Schmo Show		The Joe Schmo Show		The Joe Schmo Show		The Joe Schmo Show		J. Schmo	Local					
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Cougar	Big Bang	Conan		Cougar	Office	Conan	Local					
TCM	The Italian Job		The Lavender Hill Mob		They-Las Vegas					Local					
TLC	Local	Local	The Sisterhood		The Sisterhood		Starter Wives		Plastic Wives						
TNT	Castle		Castle		CSI: NY		CSI: NY		Cold Case	Local					
TOON	King/Hill	King/Hill	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen	Squid	Local					
TRAV	Edge	Edge	No Reservation		Bizarre Foot		Edge		Bourdain	Local					
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	The King of Queens		King	Local					
USA	Law & Order: SVU		White Collar		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Collar	Local					
VH1	Mob Wives		RuPaul's Drag Race		Love & Hip	Hop	Black Ink Crew			Local					
WGN	How I Met	How I Met	WGN News at Nine		Funniest Home Videos		Rules	Rules	30 Rock	Local					

**Premium Channels**

HBO	Local	Local	Harry Potter		Wrath of the Titans				Girls	Unknown
MAX	Local	Local	The Hurricane		Rocky				Tower Heist	
SHOW	Local	Local	Twil: Eclipse		Twilight-Dawn				Lies	Californ.

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Wednesday Evening												January 30, 2013			
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30					
ABC	Middle	Neighbors	Mod Fam	Suburg.	Nashville		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline						
CBS	Super Bowl's		Criminal Minds		CSI: Crime Scene		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson						
NBC	Whitney	Guys-Kids	Law & Order: SVU		Chicago Fire		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon						
FOX	American Idol				Local										
Cable Channels															
A & E	Duck D.	Shipping	Barter Kings		Barter Kings		Duck D.	Duck Dynasty		Local					
AMC	Mrs. Doubtfire				Jumanji					Local					
ANIM	Gator Boys		Gator Boys		Wildman	Wildman	Gator Boys		Gator Boy	Local					
BET	Friday After Next				Husbands	Husbands	Wendy Williams Show		Next Day	Local					
BRAVO	Housewives/Atl.		Top Chef: Seattle		Top Chef: Seattle			Watch What Happens: Live							
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Joe Dirt								
CNN	Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360		E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson	Local					
COMEDY	South Pk	South Pk	Work.	Kroll	Daily	Colbert	Work.	Kroll	Daily	Local					
DISC	Local	Local	Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Moonshiners						
DISN	Local	Local	Austin	Shake It	Good Luck	Austin	Dog	Jessie	ANT Farm	Good Luck					
E!	Fashion Police		Kourtney-Kim		The Soup	Love You	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea						
ESPN	NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball						SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Basketball		Soccer				SportsCenter		NBA	Local					
FAM	How to Lose				The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Paid	Local					
FOOD	Local	Local	Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Bobby's Dinner Battl						
FX	Knight and Day				The Americans				The Americans						
HGTV	Cousins	Cousins	Property Brothers		Hunters	Hunt Intl	House Hunters Reno		Property Brothers						
HIST	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	Restoration	Local					
LIFE	Wife Swap		Wife Swap		Double	Double	Wife Swap			Local					
MTV	Snooki & JWOWWW		Washington Heights		Washington Heights		Catfish: The TV Show		Sara	Local					
NICK	Local	Local	Drake	Drake	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	The Nanny	The Nanny					
SCI	Ghost Hunters		Ghost Mine		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Mine		War 2	Local					
SPIKE	Auction	Auction	Diggers	Diggers	Auction	Auction	Diggers		Diggers	Local					
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Conan		Office	Office	Conan	Local					
TCM	Farmers Dghtr.		The Stranger		Rachel and the Stranger		Along			Local					
TLC	Local	Local	Cheer Perfection		Here Comes Honey		Toddlers & Tiaras		Cheer Perfection						
TNT	Castle		Castle		CSI: NY		CSI: NY		Cold Case	Local					
TOON	King/Hill	King/Hill	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen	Squid	Local					
TRAV	Super Bowl Takeover		Burger	Burger	Pizza Paradise 2		Super Bowl Takeover		Burger	Local					
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Cleveland	Divorced	Cleveland	Divorced	King	King	Cleveland	Local					
USA	NCIS		Necessary Roughness		White Collar		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation			Local					
VH1	40 Funniest Fails 2		Making Mr. Right		Mob Wives		Mob Wives		Mr. Right	Local					
WGN	Rules	Rules	WGN News at Nine		Funniest Home Videos		Rules	Rules	30 Rock	Local					

**Premium Channels**

HBO	Local	Local	In & Out		REAL Sports Gumbel		This Means War			
MAX	Local	Local	Stakeout		Banshee		Banshee		Banshee	Sherlock
SHOW	Local	Local	Billy Gardell		Shameless		Inside the NFL		Californ.	Lies

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Thursday Evening										January 31, 2013					
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30					
ABC	Shark Tank		Grey's Anatomy		Scandal		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline						
CBS	Big Bang	Two Men	Person of Interest		Elementary		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson						
NBC	30 Rock		Office	Office	Do No Harm		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon						
FOX	American Idol		Glee		Local										
Cable Channels															
A & E	First 48: Missing		Beyond Scared Straig		Beyond Scared Straig		The First 48			Local					
AMC	The Transporter		Starship Troopers						Around	Local					
ANIM	North Woods Law		North Woods Law		North Woods Law		North Woods Law		North Wds	Local					
BET	Doing	All About Benj.					Wendy Williams Show		Doing	Local					
BRAVO	Housewives/Atl.		Housewives/Atl.		Kathy		Happens	Housewives/Atl.		Vanderpum					
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Local					
CNN	Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360		E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson	Local					
COMEDY	Work.	Tosh.0	Sunny	Sunny	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Daily	Local					
DISC	Local	Local	Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Property	Property	Property	Local					
DISN	Local	Local	Austin	Shake It	Good Luck	Princess Protection	Chasing T	Chasing T	Jessie	Good Luck					
E!	The Soup	Love You	E! Special		Chasing T		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea						
ESPN	College Basketball		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Basketball				College Basketball				College B	Local					
FAM	Letters to Juliet				The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Body	Local					
FOOD	Local	Local	Sweet Genius		Restaurant Steakout		Anne Burrell		Anne Burrell						
FX	Knight and Day		Anger	Anger	Archer	Legit	Archer		Legit	Biased					
HGTV	Hawaii	Hawaii	Extreme Homes		Hunters	Hunt Intl	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Extreme Homes						
HIST	Built America		Built America				The Men Who Built America			Local					
LIFE	Project Runway			Double	Double	Double	Project Runway			Local					
MTV	Buckwild		BUCKWILD		BUCKWILD		Snooki & JWOWWW		Buckwild	Local					
NICK	Local	Local	Victorious		House of Anubis		Full H'se	Full H'se	The Nanny	The Nanny					
SCI	Continuum		Continuum		Lost Girl		Lost Girl		Lost Girl	Local					
SPIKE	IMPACT Wrestling		Bellator MMA Live		Bellator MMA Live		Bellator MMA Live			Local					
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	King of the Nerds		Conan		King of the Nerds		Conan	Local					
TCM	Cat Ballou		Monte Walsh				The Dirty Dozen			Local					
TLC	Local	Local	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy	What Not to Wear	Local					
TNT	NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball				In NBA			Local					
TOON	King/Hill	King/Hill	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Newsread	Delocated	Squid	Local					
TRAV	Mysteries-Museum		The Smithsonian		Mysteries-Museum		Mysteries-Museum		Smi.	Local					
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	The King of Queens		King	Local					
USA	NCIS		Suits		Necessary Roughness		Law & Order: SVU		Local	Local					
VH1	Love & Hip Hop		Black Ink Crew		Black Ink Crew		My Baby's Daddy			Local					
WGN	How I Met	How I Met	WGN News at Nine		Funniest Home Videos		Rules	Rules	30 Rock	Local					
Premium Channels															
HBO	Local	Local	Unknown		The Dilemma				Girls	Enlighten					
MAX	Local	Local	Cowboys & Aliens		I, Robot				Tombstone						
SHOW	Local	Local	Meet Joe Black				The Iron Lady								



CARD OF THANKS

**The family of LaVina (Vinnie) Perry** would like to say thank you to the Good Samaritan Home for all the care that she had while she was there. Thank you to Lisa for guiding us through her final hours. Thank you for all the cards, prayers, flowers, food and Memorial donations which will go to the new hospice room at Good Sam. God Bless you all. -1-29-2-1-

**The family of LaVina (Vinnie) Perry** wish to thank everyone who helped her celebrate her 90th birthday with cards, gifts and your attendance. Thank you and God Bless. -1-29-2-1-

FOUND

**Behind The Goodland Star-News**, a 20" youth bicycle was found. Stop by office and describe to claim. -tfn-

WANTED

**WANTED: TOPPER TO FIT 1995 CHEVY S-10.** Call Gary at (719) 342-5846 or Melanie at (719) 342-5215. -TFN-

**Want to buy: John Deere diesel engines** running or not. Also John Deere combines and tractors for parts. Call 785 263-6275. -1-15-2-15-

**Junk batteries, non-ferrous metals** and iron. Darrel Bowen. Phone 785-899-2578. -tfn-

NOTICE

**"THE BIG GAME" Party at the Goodland VFW Club Room.** February 3. Bring goodies and have a great time! Welcome members and guests. -1-29-2-1-

HELP WANTED

**NEEDED: Personal Care Attendant** for individual in Goodland, KS. Interested persons must be at least 18 years of age. Part-time position. Duties may include housekeeping, meal preparation, personal care, laundry and errands. If interested you may contact SKIL of Western Kansas at 800-316-8019. -1-29-2-5-

**Accepting applications for Quality Control Assistant.** Duties include grading and sampling. Training will be provided. Apply in person at Sun Opta, 1701 Industrial Loop in Goodland or call for interview at (620) 792-1004. -1-29-2-8-

**Accepting applications for Bagger/Warehouseman** for agriculture business. Experience in grain elevator helpful. For interview call Sunrise Staffing Services, LLC @ (620) 792-1004 or pick up application at the Sun Opta Plant in Goodland. -1-29-2-8-

**WANTED: Attorney. Sherman County** is preparing for a tax foreclosure sale in 2013 for approximately 45 tracts for the years 2008, 2009 and 2010 and is requesting attorney services. Any questions may be directed to the Sherman County Attorney (785) 890-4820. Please submit a sealed bid setting forth the cost of your services in either a contractual, hourly rate or a flat fee for completion of the sale, to the office of the Sherman County Attorney on or before February 7, 2013. -1-25-2-1-

**SERVICE TECHNICIAN: American Implement, Inc.** in Wheeler, Kansas is currently seeking qualified individuals to fill the position of Service Technician. Responsibilities are to analyze, troubleshoot

and perform electrical and mechanical repairs on agricultural equipment. Two to three years experience in maintenance and repair of agricultural equipment is required. American Implement offers competitive wages and an excellent benefits package, which includes life, health and supplemental insurance, 401(k) plan and a quarterly incentive bonus program. Interested applicants may contact Tim Neitzel, Location Manager, American Implement, Inc., 685 Kansas Avenue, Wheeler, KS, 67756 or call (800) 832-2124 or (785) 332-2124. -1-15-1-12-

**N.A. Timmerman Feeding is looking to fill** a position at our McDonald facility in the maintenance/feed department. Individual duties may include welding, run heavy equipment, driving a feed truck, along with various other duties. Salary depends on experience and qualifications. If you are looking for a place to start a career, contact Jason Timmerman at (785) 462-3947. -1-18-1-29-

**CDL DRIVER...Home every night**, must have clean MVR. Call (785) 821-0492. -1-15-2-15-

**Sherman County Sheriff's Office** is currently accepting applications for the positions of detention deputy and also patrol deputy. Applications can be obtained at the Sherman County Sheriff's Office, 813 1/2 Broadway, Goodland. Please apply in person, no phone calls please! Sherman County is an EOE. -1-15-1-25-

**PARTS COUNTER SALES REPRESENTATIVE:** Responsibilities are to perform a variety of customer service duties related to the sale, delivery and inventory of agricultural equipment and irrigation parts and acces-

sories. Qualified candidates must have excellent customer service skills and good communication and problem-solving skills. Computer knowledge and good interpersonal skills are important. Interested individuals may send a cover letter and resume to the Location Manager, American Implement, Inc., 685 Kansas Avenue, Wheeler, KS, 67756 or call (785) 332-2124 or (800) 832-2124. -1-15-1-25-

**Stephen's Restaurant in Sharon Springs, KS** is actively seeking to fill open positions of cook and prep cook. We are a family-owned restaurant that strives to make each dining experience a pleasant one with great food and hospitality. To inquire about becoming a part of our team, please apply in person or contact us at (785) 852-4182 for more information. Pay is commensurate with experience. -1-8-1-25-

**PSI Transport is always looking** for good company livestock and grain haulers as well as shop mechanics. Competitive pay, life/health/dental benefits and bonus program available. EOE. (785) 675-3477. -6-10-

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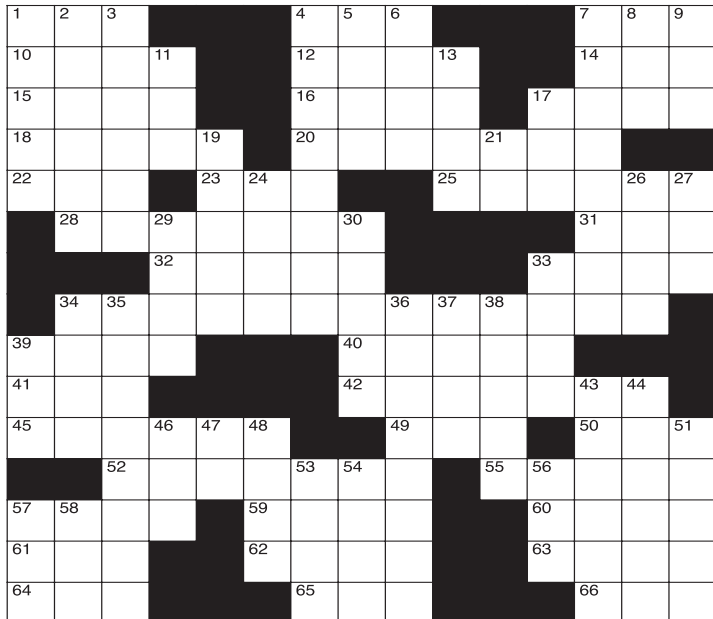
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1. Film Music Guild
4. A rubberized raincoat
7. An upper limb
10. Wander
12. Biblical name for Syria
14. Former OSS
15. Norwegian capital
16. No. Am. Gamebird Assoc.
17. Taxis
18. Ancient Chinese weight unit
20. Third tonsil
22. Ancient Hebrew measure = 1.5 gal.
23. Piece of clothing
25. Overrefined, effeminate
28. Housing for electronics
31. Cut grass
32. Ghana's capital
33. Prof. Inst. of Real Estate
34. Shares a predicament
39. Old World buffalo
40. Loads with cargo
41. What part of (abbr.)
42. Partakers
45. Expressed harsh criticism
49. Doctors' group
50. OM (var.)
52. A dead body
55. Jewish spiritual leader
57. An almost horizontal entrance to a mine
59. Anglo-Saxon monk (672-736)
60. Database management system
61. A swindle in which you cheat
62. Arabian Gulf
63. Six (Spanish)
64. Price label
65. Black tropical American cuckoo

66. Teletypewriter (abbr.)

CLUES DOWN

1. Foam
2. Tessera
3. Major ore source of lead
4. Directors
5. 9/11 Memorial architect
6. The goal space in ice hockey
7. The academic world
8. Standing roast
9. More (Spanish)
11. Gram molecule
13. Head of long hair
17. Cost, insurance and freight (abbr.)
19. Line of poetry
21. Originated from
24. One time only
26. A civil wrong
27. Female sheep
29. Bay Area Toll Authority
30. Afrikaans
33. Hold a particular posture
34. South American Indian
35. Paying attention to
36. Wife of a maharaja
37. Mild yellow Dutch cheese
38. Central Br. province in India
39. 4th month (abbr.)
43. Grooved carpentry joint
44. Present formally
46. Skeletal muscle
47. \_\_\_\_, denotes past
48. Aba \_\_\_\_ Honeymoon
51. Young lady
53. Any of the Hindu sacred writing
54. Where Adam and Eve were placed
56. Promotional materials
57. Play a role
58. Arrived extinct

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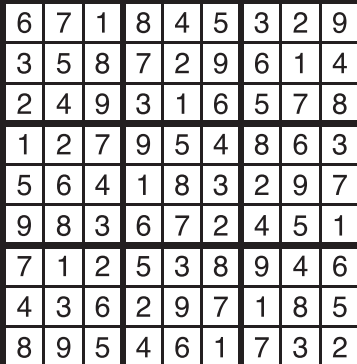
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# Cowboys beat Burlington, Colby

The Goodland High School boys basketball team got a pair of wins last week against traditional rivals, Colby and Burlington.

Goodland is 6-8 this season. On Saturday, the boys traveled to Burlington, keeping a steady lead over the Cougars and opening the flood gates in the fourth quarter, going on to win 65-36.

Taylen Smith scored on the Cowboys' first possession. The Cougars tied it up a minute later. Smith put in another two points. Burlington tied it again at four each.

Gage Ihrig hit a three pointer and was fouled, making his free throw to give Goodland an 8-4 lead. Gunner Helton put in a pair of baskets, but Burlington also scored twice with both plays including and-one free throws after the Cougars were fouled by the Cowboys. Gage Ihrig knocked down a three pointer to make it 15-10. The Cougars closed the gap to 15-13 at the end of the quarter.

It took two and a half minutes for either team to score in the second quarter. Gannon Ihrig hit a three with 6:23 to play in the half. Gage Ihrig nailed a three as well to make it 21-13.

The Cougars didn't score until 4:25 in the quarter to make it 21-16. They scored twice more, then Zach Miller made a free throw and Gage Ihrig made his fourth free throw of the night to make it 25-20.

Burlington made a pair of baskets to make it 25-24. Gage Ihrig was fouled while making a three point attempt. He made two free throws to make it 27-24. Miller was fouled and made a free throw to end the half with Goodland in the lead 28-24.

Gage Ihrig put in his fifth three pointer to open the second half. The Cougars made their first points of the half on a free throw. Smith hit a pair of free throws to make it 33-25. Smith put in a bucket with 3:23 left in the quarter.

The Cougars got their first field goal of the quarter with a two-point shot, answered by Helton to maintain the 10-point lead. Jared Lake put in a bucket, his second of the year, to make it 39-27 with 30 seconds left in the quarter. Kolt Trachsel put in a basket to end the quarter 41-28.

Smith scored to open the fourth quarter. Burlington got a putback, the Gannon Ihrig made a basket. The Cougars put in a basket, answered by a bucket from Smith.

The Cougars scored again, as did Smith, maintaining the 15-point lead. Gage made his sixth three pointer, then Trachsel knocked down a shot to make it 54-34. Smith hit a jump shot, followed by a free throw from the Cougars then Adam Simmerman put in a pair of free throws to make it 58-35 with 2:38 to go.

Trey Teeter put in a three pointer and Gerell Miller a two-pointer in the final seconds. Lake hit one last



Taylen Smith got a block during the Cowboys' away game against Colby on Tuesday. Smith got four blocks, seven rebounds and put in five points against the Eagles.

Photo by Kayla Cornett/The Colby Free Press.

shot for the Cowboys, who won the game 65-36.

Earlier in the week the Cowboys played another road game against Colby. They doubled the Cowboys up in the first quarter 20-10, then outscored the Eagles 18-6 in the second. The Eagles rallied in the third, but were outscored again by eight in the fourth to give the Cowboys a 65-40 win.

Gage Ihrig, the leading three-point shooting in all of Class 4A, had 24 points; while Simmerman had 12 points. Helton had seven points;

Gannon Ihrig and Smith, five each; Ruben Lazaro, four; and Gerell Miller, Trachsel, Kyler Amthor and Garrett Taylor, two each.

The junior varsity Cowboys will be in Colby this week for a tournament. The first games were scheduled for Monday with more scheduled for Thursday. The junior varsity team was in Syracuse on Saturday for a tournament, where they lost 51-26 to the host team.

Next action for the varsity team will be at home Friday against Holcomb after the girls game.

## Kid wrestlers place at meets

The Goodland Kansas Kids Wrestling Club now has several competitions under their belts, with many members placing in the top five at each tournament.

The first competition of the season was Dec. 29 at Scott City.

In the Six and Under division, Logan Franz got second place at 55 pounds; Aiden Miller, third place at 46, Rhett Ihrig, third place at 67; and Deegan Knox, fifth place at 40 pounds. Also competing was Barrett Schlosser.

In the Eight and Under division, Maverick Spreser got second place at 76 pounds; Caleb Duell, fourth place at 73 pounds; Kyan Ensign, fourth place at 67 pounds; Octavio Gonzalez, fourth place at 55 pounds; and Jarek Crow, fifth place 55 pounds. Also competing was Caden Miranda.

In the 10 and Under division, Dawson Holub placed second at 100 pounds; DJ Knox, third place at 61 pounds; Manten Crow, fourth place at 73 pounds; Blake Drennan, fourth place at 76 pounds; Kiefer Smith, fourth place at 95

pounds; Mason Miranda, fourth place at 120 pounds; and Xander Thompson, fifth place at 73 pounds.

In the 14 and Under division, Tate Withington placed third at 85 pounds.

The wrestlers then traveled to the Colby tournament on Jan. 5.

In the Six and Under division, Franz placed second at 55 pounds; Ihrig, third place at 70 pounds; and Miller, third place at 46 pounds. Also competing was Zane Brigham.

In the Eight and Under division, Spreser placed first at 76 pounds; Mason Hernandez, first place at 64 pounds; Ryley Humrich, first place at 80 pounds; Caden Miranda, second place at 88 pounds; Gonzalez, second place at 55 pounds; and Jarek Crow, fifth place at 53 pounds. Also competing were Tayke Weber, Tanner Gorostiza and Isaiah Shinette.

In the 10 and Under division, DJ Knox placed first at 61 pounds; Drennan, second place at 76 pounds; Manten Crow, third place

at 73; Mason Miranda, third place at 120; and Holub, fourth place at 100 pounds. Also competing were Smith, Taye Payne and Levi Stasser.

In the 12 and Under division, Antonio Ledesma competed at 84 pounds.

In the 14 and Under division, Withington placed third at 95 pounds; and Dawson Ensign, third at 135 pounds.

On Jan. 12, the club traveled to a tournament in Ellis.

In the Six and Under division, Franz got third at 55 pounds; and Miller, fourth at 46 pounds. Also competing was Deegan Knox.

In the Eight and Under division, Hernandez placed first at 67 pounds.

In the 10 and Under division, DJ Knox placed third at 61 pounds; Mason Murray, fourth at 85 pounds; Smith, fourth at 90 pounds; and Holub, fifth at 100 pounds.

The club was scheduled to compete at the Salina and Atwood tournaments on Saturday,

## Cowgirls struggle against rivals

The Goodland High School girls basketball team was unable to control their turnovers in the game against the Burlington Lady Cougars on Saturday afternoon losing 49-35.

The next game for the Cowgirls is at 5:30 p.m. on Friday night against the Lady Longhorns of Holcomb at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. They are 4-10 for the season. With injuries hampering the Cowgirls the starting lineup consisted of Hope Cochran, Brianna White, Paige Phillips, Ellie House and Kate-Lynn King. Mad-die Mayer, whose knee was injured at the Trojan Classic at Hillsboro, is out for the rest of the season.

Burlington led off with a bucket followed by a three-pointer by Cochran in the first minute. A putback by Burlington gave then back the lead. Cochran was fouled and hit her two free throws put the Cowgirls ahead, 5-4.

King made an offensive rebound and a put back to make the score, 7-4. The Lady Cougars then made eight points in a row, making the score, 12-7. Phillips added a free throw and King put in a bucket on a pass from White to whittle down Burlington's lead to two points, 12-10, at the end of the first quarter.

The Cowgirls started off the second quarter with their 11th turnover. Burlington made a bucket and, on an offensive rebound, King made a putback. Burlington still led by two, 14-12. The Lady Cougars scored the next five points. Faith Biermann had her first bucket of the night to make it 19-14. Milan Brannick made the last Cowgirl bucket before the end of the half. Burlington

led at the buzzer, 23-16.

Phillips started off the third quarter with a three-pointer. White made a bucket and then put in a three pointer at the seven-minute mark. When King missed a shot, she got her own rebound and a putback to tie the score, 25-25. Cochran hit two free throws to give the Cowgirls the lead, 27-25, but Burlington hit a bucket and a free throw to take it right back. King hit two free throw shots to recapture the lead, 29-28. Burlington quickly added two more buckets in the last minute to give them the lead, 32-29.

The Cowgirls continued to be plagued by turnovers in the fourth quarter. King got a rebound and a putback. Burlington increased their lead to 41-31. White made a bucket - her eighth point of the night. Biermann hit a bucket in the last minute of the game, but they couldn't overcome the Burlington lead, losing 49-35.

The Cowgirls had 30 turn overs for the night with Burlington having around 20.

The girls also lost to the Colby Eagles 62-39 last Tuesday. The Eagles jumped off to a 14 point run, but the Cowgirls battled back and had it at a two-point game, 18-16 at halftime. The Eagles opened up a big lead in the third and continued outscoring the Cowgirls in the fourth to win it.

Kate-Lynn King led the Cowgirls with 11 and five rebounds; Brianna White had eight; Faith Biermann had a season-high seven points; Hope Cochran put in five; Paige Phillips, four; and Mara Kling put in her first two points of the season.

## FUN BY THE NUMBERS

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Wednesday: Gold day  
FCCLA Star Events  
7:30 a.m.: PLC

Thursday: Regional Scholar's Bowl  
Junior Varsity Basketball at Colby  
3 p.m.: Boys Junior High Basketball at Holcomb  
5:30 p.m.: Varsity/Junior Varsity Wrestling, here, versus Atwood

Friday: Snoball Ceremonies and Dance  
3:45 p.m.: Junior Varsity Basketball, here, versus Holcomb  
5:30 p.m.: Varsity Basketball, here, versus Holcomb

Saturday: KSHSAA Regional Piano Festival  
9 a.m.: Varsity Wrestling GWAC Tournament at Scott City  
9:30 a.m.: Junior Varsity Wrestling at Stratton Tournament

Monday:

Tuesday: Gold day  
3:30 p.m.: Boys Junior High Basketball at Oakley  
3:45 p.m.: Junior Varsity/C team Basketball at Scott City  
5:30 p.m.: Varsity Basketball at Scott City

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