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Cowgirls win twice

The Goodland High School softball team beat the Lakin Lady Broncos twice at home on Friday. They play again at 3 p.m. Thursday at home against Holcomb.

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weather report

48°
10 a.m.
Monday



Today
Sunset, 7:39 p.m.
Wednesday
Sunrise, 5:49 a.m.
Sunset, 7:40 p.m.

Midday Conditions
• Soil temperature 50 degrees
• Humidity 53 percent
• Sky overcast and cloudy
• Winds northwest 34-44 mph
• Barometer 29.57 inches and rising

• Record High today 88° (1967)
• Record Low today 17° (1908)

Last 24 Hours*
High Sunday 64°
Low Sunday 38°
Precipitation 0.21
This month 0.41
Year to date 1.77
Below normal 1.57 inches

The Topside Forecast
Today: Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of rain, a high near 50, very windy out of the north at 35 to 55 mph and a low around 32.
Wednesday: Sunny with a high near 52, windy out of the north at 20 to 40 mph and a low around 33.

Extended Forecast
Thursday: Partly sunny with a high near 57, winds breezy and a low around 37. Friday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of showers at night, a high near 62, breezy and a low around 38. Saturday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, a high near 71 and a low around 44.

local markets

10 a.m.
Wheat — \$7.57 bushel
Posted county price — \$7.20
Corn — \$4.93 bushel
Posted county price — \$4.84
Milo — \$4.52 bushel
Soybeans — \$14.22 bushel
Posted county price — \$14.23
Millet — no bid
Sunflowers
Oil current crop — \$19.50 cwt.
Confection — no bid
Pinto beans — \$36
(Markets by Scoular Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)



Commission re-elects Mayor Fairbanks

By Kevin Bottrell

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The Goodland City Commission re-elected Annette Fairbanks as mayor and John Garcia as vice mayor for 2014 at their meeting April 21.

The Sherman County commissioners came for the quarterly joint meeting. First on the agenda was trash collection. County Commissioner Larry Enfield said the contract put in place with In The Can 11 years ago has expired, but the county is still getting money from the city and passing it on. He said the county did not need to be a part of that.

Interim City Manager Carolyn Armstrong said she asked City Attorney Jerry Fairbanks about the trash hauling contract. Fairbanks said the city is in the same place the county is. A new state law set time limits and procedures

for changing or renewing a contract, he said. The city started the process in February of 2013, and the next step will be to develop a plan to move forward with a new contract.

“We’d have done something sooner if we’d been allowed to,” Fairbanks said.

Fairbanks said he’d be happy to talk to the county attorney about any concerns the county might have.

Enfield asked about the Wolak Building parking lot. He said the county is taking care of the concrete work on the west side of the building, but that the contract says the city is responsible for the parking lot. Rich Simon said the city planned to paint parking lines on the lot whenever there is good weather, and that he had brought some prices for pouring new asphalt to Doug Gerber before he left.

Enfield also gave an update on ADAC, the

substance abuse counseling service that the county has been working with to keep an office in Goodland. He said the county had been trying to find an office for them to work out of, and several ideas had fallen through. He also asked the city to consider contributing the ADAC to help provide services in Goodland.

The talk then turned to the Neighborhood Revitalization Act, which provides tax breaks for those doing building or remodeling projects.

County Commissioner Ken Klemm said the county’s plan is written and has been looked at by the county attorney, who will shortly have an inter-local agreement to present to the city.

“Big picture: we made some changes to make it more targeted,” he said.

Garcia said he has been getting questions

and was wondering how to handle people who want to participate now. Klemm said the county’s plan is written to be retroactive, so people could apply who had wanted to earlier in the year.

Economic Development Director Michael Solomon said the city and school district had approved a plan, but had not filed it because they wanted to wait and see what the county’s plan is.

“We did not want to have two plans,” he said.

Klemm said the county had not understood that the city had been waiting. The commissioners agreed to sit down for a special meeting and see if they could come to an agreement, once the city commission has had

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Investigating the scene



Officers from various law enforcement agencies including the Kansas Bureau of Investigation, the Colby Police Department, Kansas Highway Patrol and the Sherman County Sheriff investigated the scene of a chase and shooting on I-70 Thursday afternoon. Wednesday night, a pursuit began at a Colby truck stop and went west on I-70. Officers were able to bring the fleeing vehicle to a stop in the

westbound ditch near the Edson exit. One suspect exited the vehicle and pointed what appeared to be a weapon at officers. The suspect was shot and taken to Goodland Regional Medical Center and later flown out to Wichita. A second suspect was taken into custody by the Colby Police.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

‘Not guilty’ verdict in manslaughter case

By Sam Dieter

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A Brewster man was acquitted by a jury of involuntary manslaughter Thursday afternoon in a tragic accident more than two years ago when he ran over a longtime friend after several hours of drinking.

James House testified that he did not see Val Gallentine before running the man over with his Dodge Ram pickup truck the night of March 10, 2012. He took the stand Thursday in his own defense. In a written statement he gave law enforcement officers that night, House had said Gallentine was running into the street and may have tripped.

He told County Attorney Kevin Berens, who prosecuted the case, that he might have written that because he heard his son Hunter tell him to watch out right before he felt a bump.

In fact, House said, that he never admitted that night that he might have hit Gallentine, who had been his friend for 27 years. Over the next several days, officers testified, they got conflicting statements from House learning that the friends had been drinking, and that Hunter had been with him in the car.

They did not arrest him until several months later, charging him with involuntary manslaughter, driving under the influence and endangering a child, although the state only prosecuted the first two charges.

Shortly before the jury returned its verdict, Houses’s defense attorney, Jeffery Mason, reminded the jurors to take into account whether Gallentine had a hand in his own death. He pointed out that both men were drunk. Mason actually asked

the jurors to find his client guilty of driving under the influence, which they did. After court was adjourned, Mason said he would not comment further on the case.

House was the last of over a dozen witnesses in his trial, which started Monday, including Hunter House, law enforcement officers and medical workers. Each of the witnesses who had been with the victim and defendant that night said they were getting along. Their statements each seemed to match as they described the accident, which happened after several hours of drinking at Chelle’s Bar and Grill in Brewster.

No one was sure why Gallentine might have been running in front Houses’s truck when he left Chelle’s. Hunter House said he thought Gallentine wanted his cell phone back. He had put it in House’s Dodge to charge it shortly before they all got ready to leave about 10 p.m.

“He was almost out of the way and it just seemed like he just tripped,” Hunter House testified the first day of the trial.

He was apparently the only person who saw Gallentine just before the truck ran him over as the father and son were headed home after dinner and beers. Hunter House said he told his dad to watch out but it was too late. When he looked out of the truck, he said, he saw Gallentine under one of the tires.

After backing up and parking again, Hunter House said, his father sent him home, about two blocks away, to get blankets for his friend because it was cold that

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The fifth grade flute section from North Elementary played in the fifth and sixth grade music concert on Thursday in the Goodland High School auditorium. Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

Fifth and sixth graders hold concert

By Pat Schiefen

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It was the concert of the year when the parents got to hear the result of putting up with the squeaks and squawks of new instrumental players. The fifth and sixth grade band had their spring concert on Thursday night at the Goodland High School auditorium.

After the fifth grade band played some of the girls played “Amazing Grace.”

During one number the sixth grade band played Saige Newman played a solo on her flute.

In the fifth grade band Jazzman Jones, Johnna Jostes, Annika Linin and Alexis Wynn played flutes. On clarinets were Valeria Almanza, Atalee Amthor,

Jenitsabeth Garza, Sydney Hahn, Keyly Jarrett, Chelsey Knitig and Delanie Vrbka. Jazlyn Fenner, Mary Kate Gerber and Ashtin McClung played the alto saxophones. On trumpet were Mikayla Biermann, Ryan Fife, James Greensheer, Sharid Goodman, Cutler Mayer and Tyler Whitcomb. Ryan Berls played the French horn. On trombone were Titus Beringer, Jacob DeLaRosa, Estevan Ordenez, Riley Vallejo and David Wood. Truman Hooker played the baritone. The percussion section was made up of Ralph Brighton, Jackson Daise, Trevor Daise, Bryson Ihrig and Vivian Solomon.

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obituary

Jonathan Fisher

Jonathan Fisher, 78, Goodland, died Thursday, April 24, 2014, at Goodland Regional Medical Center. He was born on June 7, 1935, to Andrew and Elizabeth May (Brooks) Fisher in Lee County, Ill. He had two brothers and six sisters. Mr. Fisher served in the U.S. Navy from 1954 to 1958. He had been a farm hand around the Midwest and

the West Coast. Before moving to Goodland in 2009 he had lived in Denver. Since August 2010 he had been a resident at Good Samaritan Society — Sherman County. Graveside service and burial were at the Goodland Cemetery. Koons Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

births

Waylon John Luke Heiter

Waylon John Luke Heiter was born at 10:50 p.m. on Wednesday, March 19, 2014. He weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces and was 19 inches long.

His parents are Matt and Brittney Heiter of Goodland. His grandparents are Chuck and Janet Redlin of Goodland, Michelle Heiter of Goodland and Tom Heiter of Salina and his great-grandparents are Shirley Jolly of Genoa, Colo., Gene Jolly of Stratton, Neb., and Leonard and Wilma Young of Goodland. Big brother Weston Heiter welcomed him home.



Waylon Heiter

Nevaeh Lynn Martin

Nevaeh Lynn Martin was born on Sunday, April 20, 2014, at Kit Carson County Memorial Hospital in Burlington. She weighed 7 pounds,

5.2 ounces and was 20 inches long. Her parents are Jonathan and Kylee Martin of Kanorado.



Milan Brannick

Senior gets awards

Goodland High School graduating senior Milan Brannick received a Hays City Silver Academic Award for \$800 and an Academic Opportunity Award in Nursing for \$900 from Fort Hays State University for next year.

sunflower 4-h

The Sunflower 4-H Club held its yearly parent's night meeting on Monday, April 21, at Edwards Hall. President Randy Berls called the meeting to order and led the club in the flag salute and 4-H Pledge. Roll call of "What year were you born?" was answered by 14 members, and one leader. Randy Berls led the club in singing a song entitled "Here Comes Peter Cottontail." Following a short business meeting, President Randy turned the meeting over to Vice President

Kim Cole for the program. Kari Whittington presented a project talk on "Raising Poultry", Amber Helderman shared a 4-H fact and Cindy Salmans read a poem entitled "Pig." After the program, President Randy declared a short recess for recreation. Randy Berls led the club in a fun game of "Easter Egg Relay." Jennifer Arntt served refreshments after the meeting. The next club meeting will be held on May 19, 2014. Randy Berls, Reporter

matters of record

Marriages/divorces

The following marriage licenses and divorces have been issued by the Sherman County District Court: Marriages Bryan Jeffery Guyer and Tiffany Louise Charron, Goodland. James Francis Oberkirsch and Yon-Kyu Kim Roque, Goodland. Stacey Joe Yarbrough and Pamela Joy Galindo, Goodland. Michael Dean Heston and Tiffany Gretchen Bennett, Goodland. Leo George Mazon, St. Francis, and Lana Lea Grizzle, Bird City, KS. Tyrel David Smith and Jacqueline Amanda Bowling, Goodland. Jose Mario Hernandez and Karla Saucedo Barron, Goodland. Lawrence Elbert House III and Kimberly Ann Baxter, Goodland. Justin Wayne Carter and Jessica Kay Lewis, Goodland.

Real estate

The following real estate trans-

actions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds. American International Relocations Solutions, LLC, to Justin J. Paisley and Shelby K. Paisley, the S10' of Lot 6, all of Lot 7, and N15' of Lot 8, Block 6, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland. Keith Richard Higgins conveys and warrants to American International Relocation Solutions, LLC, the S10' of Lot 6, all of Lot 7, and N15' of Lot 8, Block 6, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland. Austin R. Brunckhardt and Kali N. Rubenthaler-Brunckhardt, and Paul A. Licke and Heather M. Licke, convey and warrant to Paul A. Licke and Heather M. Licke, a tract of land in SW/4 and SE/4 of Sec.29, T6S, R39W. Austin R. Brunckhardt and Kali N. Rubenthaler-Brunckhardt, and Paul A. Licke and Heather M. Licke, to Austin R. Brunckhardt and Kali N. Rubenthaler-Brunckhardt, three tracts of land in SW/4 of Sec.29, T6S, R39W.

kanorado senior center

The Kanorado Senior Center is in need of cash donations and donations for our benefit auction on July 12. Donations will help keep the center functioning. Their mailing address is the Kanorado Senior Center, Box 176, Kanorado, Kan. 67741 or for donations call Tammy at the center (785) 399-2348, Connie Sheldon (785) 399-2402, John Veselik (785) 399-8016, Sally Pettibone (785) 399-2337 or Jessica Colby (785) 399-8014.

genesis and salvation army

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. 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 goodlandgac.com or stop by 808 Main. The hours are 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday through Thursday, Friday 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. Aerobics are at 5:30 a.m. on Monday and Wednesday. Insanity class meets at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Taekwondo with Wayne Luckert call for times and dates.

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 or 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

Real estate

Gary Lee Schlosser and Dawn Ann Schlosser convey and warrant to Gary Lee Schlosser and Dawn Ann Schlosser, Trustees of the Gary Lee Schlosser and Dawn Ann Schlosser Family Trust dated April 7, 2014, a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.21, T8S, R40W; a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.21, T8S, R40W. Dawn Ann Schlosser and Gary Lee Schlosser, Trustees of the Dawn Ann Schlosser Revocable Trust

the calendar

calendar

A performance by Lulu LaFever will be at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. The singer, songwriter, guitarist and author has performed in Goodland previously. For information call 899-5461.

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday 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 Student Recital of vocal and instrumental contest pieces of Goodland High School students will be at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday at the First Christian Church, 711 Arcade.

The Pride of the Prairie Orchestra will present "Movies, Mystery and Magic" at 2:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Sunday at the Frahm Theatre/Cultural Arts Center on the Colby Community College Campus in Colby. Andrew Salvador will be conducting and Josiah Akers will be featured as the Magician. Admission is \$10 for adults, \$5 for seniors and \$3 for students or by Pride of the Prairie patron ticket. For questions call (785) 462-2159 or (785) 462-5102.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday, May 19. Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Satur-

day, May 31. at Cat's TnT, 115 E. 9th, or at the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 899-2338, 821-1275, 890-2287, 821-1827, 890-3793 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have deli ham, Polish kielbasa, lean ground beef, chicken nuggets, chicken and peppers stir fry and variety of seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables. the specials are the summer griller with sirloin steaks, pork chops, chicken breast fillets and beef for kabobs; beef sliders; pizza party; breaded chicken tenders and French toast sticks.

Summer matinee season will start at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 14, at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main. The movie on May 14 will be Khumba (not rated).

The 48th Annual Butterfield Trail Ride will be at noon (Mountain Time) on Saturday, May 31 and 8 a.m. on Sunday, June 1, starting at Russell Springs. Horse-drawn vehicles, horses and riders and hiker will cover the wide-open spaces along the Butterfield Trail and return to Russell Springs to camp overnight. Sunday's ride will return before noon. For information call Jarett Haremza (785) 694-3009, Jay Ochs (785) 672-4258, Brent Weinland (785) 852-4622, Bernie Moellering (785) 672-2430 or Brett Ayers (785) 751-4222.

The Kids Cooking Class is held on the second Wednesday of each month from 3:45 to 5:15 p.m. at the 4-H Building. This class is

open for second to fifth graders. For information call 890-4880.

senior menu

Today: Cook's choice entree, hash brown casserole, mixed vegetables, bread and apricots. Wednesday: Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, peas and carrots, bread and tropical fruit. Thursday: Swiss steak, au gratin potatoes, Italian blend vegetables, bread and rosy applesauce. Friday: Chef salad, mixed fruit with banana, crackers and brownie.

school menu

Today: Breakfast and lunch - cook's choice. Wednesday: Breakfast and lunch - cook's choice.

school calendar

Today: 8:30 a.m. junior high track at Scott City. 2 p.m. varsity golf at Hoxie. 2 p.m. junior varsity golf at Scott City. 3 p.m. varsity softball at Thomas More Prep-Marian at Hays. Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. professional learning communities. Thursday: Last day for senior. 9 a.m. junior high track at Oakley Invitational. 3 p.m. varsity baseball at Holcomb. 3 p.m. varsity softball against Holcomb at Centennial Field. Senior night. Friday: 8 a.m. Academic Awards/Scholarship Recognition Program. Junior high Great West Activities Conference music festival at Garden City. 1 p.m. junior varsity golf at Oakley. 2:30 p.m. varsity track at WaKeeney.

Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862.

The "Freedom Today" group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and 8 p.m. on Sundays at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays at the Senior Center on 4th Street.

Narcotics Anonymous meets at 6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.

thrift store

The Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday through Friday. Donations welcome. The daily specials are 50 percent off men's department on Monday, 50 percent off housewares, furniture, electronics and crafts on Tuesday, 10 cent books on Wednesday, 50 percent off children's department on Thursday and 50 percent of ladies' department on Friday. For information call 890-2007.

health department

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

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

If you have questions, concerns

or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 890-4888.

hospital volunteers

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

early head start

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

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

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education. For information call 890-2552.

mops

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)

meets the first Monday of every month October thru May. Meeting time: 6 p.m. -7:30 p.m. at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church; 521 E Highway 24; Goodland. For more information email goodlandmops@gmail.com or call (785) 890-6423.

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. 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. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the animal shelter or go to the website www.nwkasgoodland.webs.com.

matters of record

dated March 29, 1990, to Dawn Ann Schlosser, an undivided 1/2 interest in a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.21, T8S, R40W.

Gary Lee Schlosser and Dawn Ann Schlosser, Trustees of the Gary Lee Schlosser Revocable Trust dated March 29, 1990, to Gary Lee Schlosser, an undivided 1/2 interest in a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec.21, T8S, R40W.

David Krien, Trustee of the Lester and Gladys Confer Trust, dated

January 7, 2006, to David Krien and DeAndrea Krien, Trustees of the Krien Trust dated January 11, 2013, the NE/4 of Sec.6, T6S, R41W; E/2 of NW/4 of Sec.6, T7S, R41W; SE/4 of Sec.35, T7S, R42W.

Louise A. Hanable to Harold J. Hanable and Louise A. Hanable, Trustees of the Hanable Revocable Living Trust dated 10/22/1995, the SW/4 of Sec.1, T9S, R40W.

Conrad L. Pettijohn and Carol L. Pettijohn convey and warrant to

Goodland Church of Christ of Sherman County, Kansas, Inc., all of Lot 3, Block 1, Sandy's Addition to City of Goodland.

Enjoy a night at the movies! CLOSED THROUGH THURSDAY STARTS FRIDAY 7 PM: God's Not Dead (PG)

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Consumers value freshness, safety

A look around the local grocery store might show images of consumers reading meat labels or checking the expiration date on a gallon of milk. Each consumer has a set of values when making food purchases, and the level of importance placed on each value by consumers allow for food producers and distributors to better meet the needs of their end user.

A recent nationwide online survey of U.S. consumers by Kansas State University found that freshness and safety were the most important values consumers placed on buying popular livestock products—milk, ground beef, beef steak and chicken breast. The findings for livestock-specific products were consistent with prior research examining consumers' general food values.

Ted Schroeder, professor and livestock economist for Kansas State Research and Extension, worked with other faculty and graduate students in the Department of Agricultural Economics on this research. Schroeder said as consumers make decisions to purchase food products, they might think about taste, underlying production practices, concerns they have about production, safeness, freshness, quality and price, to name a few.

"It's about a host of things that might go through consumers' minds as they purchase a product," he said. "As you compile those into a list, how do they rank? And, do they rank the same for different products?"

Details of the study
The prior research by Lusk and Briggeman in 2009 found that safety, nutrition, taste, price and natural were the top five values consumers desired out of the 11 total values assessed for general food products. Schroeder and his graduate students wanted to see if similar results could be found when consumers considered buying spe-

cific livestock products.

"We wanted some diversity among those (livestock) products," said Garrett Lister, a Kansas State graduate student who worked on the study. "We also wanted them to be specific, which is why we kept them in the livestock sector."

The popular products they chose to examine included freshness, health, hormone-free/antibiotic-free, animal welfare, taste, price, safety, convenience, nutrition, origin and environmental impact. These are similar to the general food product study, aside from a few modifications that apply to livestock products. Adding freshness was one of those modifications.

"There's more issues with spoilage in some of these livestock products than food in general," Lister said.

A total of 1,950 people responded to the livestock products survey, which was a big jump from the 176 respondents included in the prior general food product survey. This was mainly due to the online nature of the livestock products survey versus the mailed method of the general food products survey, said Marcus Brix, another Kansas State graduate student who worked on the study.

Safety was the most important value in the general food products study, and it was either first or second most important for milk, ground beef, beef steak and chicken breast. Freshness was the other top value for livestock products. In contrast, the values of environmental impact, animal welfare, origin and convenience were less important for the livestock products, and this was also comparable to the prior research.

Price fell in the middle of the list, Lister said. This was because some consumers valued price as one of their key components in making a

decision on what foods to buy, while others felt it was less important.

Brix said economists often presume that price is the most important factor in choice, because price is an important driver of purchase behavior. Researchers tend to assume food is going to be safe when purchased at a retail outlet. However, consumers in general don't necessarily have that presumed trust in food safety.

"A majority of consumers still question some things about their food," Brix said. "If they think that one product is more safe than another at a different price point, they are going to be less responsive to the price and more responsive to the product freshness or safety of said product."

Needs in the industry

Consumers want products that deliver a high-quality eating experience, Schroeder said, and this study, as well as prior research, reflects that.

"Freshness, nutritional components and health attributes are desirable, and consumers absolutely demand a product that is safe," he said. "These are messages we've been saying for a long time, and they've shown up remarkably strong across all four of these particular products."

The social values, including animal welfare, environmental impact and origin, for example, aren't irrelevant, Schroeder said. Some segments of society hold those as more important than others, but overall they aren't the major drivers that lead the average consumer to purchase a particular product.

Understanding some of these consumer food value preferences helps the food industry know where to focus its marketing and production energy to ensure that high-quality eating experience.

Writing memories



Lucille Rossbach of St. Francis held a memoir writing workshop at the Goodland Public Library on Saturday afternoon. Rossbach said that memoir writing was like a snapshot of a moment in time unlike an autobiography which covers a whole lifetime. Topics covered at the workshop were brain storming, timelines, self publishing and writing in general.

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Salmonella can be gotten from touching live poultry

Kansas Department of Health and Environment and Kansas Department of Agriculture warn of the risk of human Salmonella infection from live poultry.

The beginning of spring includes blooms, blossoms, and baby poultry. Although adorable, live baby poultry can carry Salmonella and easily spread this bacterium to people, especially children. During 2013 a large, multistate outbreak of human Salmonella typhimurium infections were linked to live poultry. More than 350 people were infected from 39 states; Kansas tied for third with 19 confirmed cases. Nationally, nearly 60 percent of the cases were in children 10 years or younger. Ninety-five percent of ill people reported purchasing live poultry from agricultural feed stores.

"Live baby poultry can carry, and shed, Salmonella but still appear healthy," said Robert Moser, state health officer. Children can be exposed through direct contact, such as holding, cuddling or kissing the birds, but also by touching things where the birds live. This includes cages, feed, bedding and water bowls.

"It is particularly important to wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after handling or caring for baby poultry. This, along with careful cleaning of equipment and

materials associated with raising or caring for live poultry, will help to reduce the risk of infection," Moser said. Although people raise poultry for meat or egg production, many children receive baby poultry as a gift during Easter. In addition, families enjoy taking their children to the local feed store to view and touch the chicks and ducklings.

To reduce the risk of Salmonella infection from live poultry:

- Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water right after touching live baby poultry or anything in the area where they live and roam. Use hand sanitizer if soap and water are not readily available.
- Adults should supervise hand washing for young children.
- Clean any equipment or materials associated with raising or caring for live poultry outside the house, such as cages or feed or water containers.
- Don't let children younger than 5, older adults or people with weak immune systems handle or touch chicks, ducklings, or other live poultry.
- Don't snuggle or kiss the birds, touch your mouth, or eat or drink

around live poultry.

- Don't let live poultry inside the house, in bathrooms, or especially in areas where food or drink is prepared, served, or stored, such as kitchens or outdoor patios.

- Don't eat or drink in the area where the birds live or roam.

- Don't give live baby poultry as gifts to young children.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has a wealth of information on how to keep birds healthy and focuses on disease prevention practices for anyone who has birds, including poultry, pet or wild birds at www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/birdbiosecurity/.

corrections

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It's the time of the year for brown recluse spiders

'Tis the season – for creepy, crawly things that seemingly come from nowhere. And one to watch for is the brown recluse spider.

"A number of things are not well known or have been misunderstood about the brown recluse spider," said Holly Davis, research associate and Ph.D. candidate in Kansas State University's Department of Entomology. She, along with associate professor of entomology, Jeff Whitworth, recently completed research in an effort to better understand and manage the brown recluse.

The team shared 10 facts about the much-publicized spider.

1. Brown recluse spiders are mostly only active from March through October, so trying to control them from October through March is generally not necessary or useful.
2. They are found outdoors in Kansas and other Midwestern states, as well as within structures. They tend to thrive in the same environments that humans do. They enter structures either by crawling in from the outside or are brought in on furniture and boxes from other infested structures.
3. They readily feed on prey that

is dead, so are attracted to recently killed insects. However, they can and will also attack live prey.

4. Brown recluses build small, irregular webs in out-of-the-way places but do not use these to capture prey. They tend to hide in the dark and move around at night searching for prey.

5. A brown recluse is tiny when it first emerges from the egg case and takes several molts to reach adulthood, 6-12 months. Remember, they are only active from March to October so this may take one to two years. Then they may live two to three years as adults. Females can produce two to five egg cases during this time (two or three is most common) and each may contain 20-50 spiderlings.

6. Brown recluse spiders are venomous but bites do not always result in large, necrotic lesions where surrounding tissue dies. Often, the bite goes unnoticed and only results in a pimple-like swelling. However, some people develop a necrotic wound (with blood and pus) which is slow to heal, with the potential for a secondary infection. If you know you've been bitten, catch the

spider if safely possible, and show it to medical personnel for clear identification.

7. Sticky traps for spiders and other insects, available at most hardware and garden stores, work well to trap brown recluse spiders. They may not significantly reduce the numbers, but definitely help, and are a great way to detect and monitor the spider populations.

8. Insecticides labeled to control brown recluse spiders kill the spiders, but must be sprayed directly on them, or the spider needs to come into direct contact with the treated area while it is still damp. Otherwise, little control is achieved.

9. Brown recluse spiders are better controlled with insecticides on non-carpeted surfaces.

10. Preventative measures like sealing cracks in foundations and walls, clearing clutter in and around the home, moving woodpiles away from the house, placing sticky traps in low traffic areas and spraying pesticides can help eliminate brown recluse populations within the home.

Bids needed for project at Goodland Public Library

Goodland Public Library is currently taking sealed bids for updates/remodeling of the men's and women's restrooms. Please contact Karen to discuss the project and get specifications.

All bids must be received in the office of the Librarian on or before Friday, May 9, 2014, by 3:00 p.m. MST.

All bids should be sealed and marked Restroom Bid on the outside of the envelope.

The bids will be opened for review in the office of the Librarian at 11:00 a.m. MST on Monday, May 12, 2014.

Bid award will take place following the regular scheduled Library Board Meeting on Monday, May 12, 2014.

Mailed bids should be addressed to
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from our viewpoint...

A new Constitution

Anyone the least bit familiar with the Constitution and its early history knows that, despite lip-service to it, neither political party follows it, nor do any of the three branches of government actually limit themselves to their specific articles in it. All three operate outside the carefully crafted cages to which they were assigned. So how do we get the federal government back to servant rather than master? Well-meaning conservatives, and Mark Levin in particular, are wrong in their push for a new constitutional convention for the following reasons.

To begin with, why argue to get what you already have? It is a far weaker argument because it implies uncertainty on your part that you already have it. The federal government is already limited by the existing Constitution: Congress to a precise list in Article I, Section 8. The President is limited to a list housed in Article II, Sections II and III. The Supreme Court is limited to eleven types of cases most with but appellate (limited by Congress) jurisdiction and only two totally free of the restrictions of Congress called original jurisdiction. All other power was reserved to the states as per Amendment 10 of the Bill of Rights. Again, to argue that we need additional amendments to get the federal government to abide by what was already understood as their limits of power is to argue to get what we already have.

An argument within the Constitution is much easier to make than asking that three fourths of the states accept something new and somewhat foreign to them. Three-fourths of the states is a big number and takes many years to acquire, and in a nation somewhat constitutionally illiterate is likely to fall short of the states needed. Meanwhile, the case for living within the Constitution can be made today because a majority of the people was taught some level of reverence for it. Showing them how the federal government has strayed from clearly cited restrictions in the document is a much easier case to make.

The argument that we have already unsuccessfully tried to keep the federal government within constitutional bounds is legitimate. But to suppose that a George W. Bush or a Barack Obama will stay within the bounds of new amendments when, with impunity, each has violated those amendments in existence is as naive as believing that more gun control laws will cause the criminals to turn in their guns.

A new Constitutional Convention potentially exposes everything that we already have placing everything at risk. Where is the basis for faith that the new "Founders" will not tamper with established basics? Three Twentieth Century amendments seriously damaged previously sacred foundation points of a republic: the 16th gave the federal government unlimited resources to spend in areas not listed as their function in Article I, Section 8 and the states lined up with alms bowls in hand for the grants. The 17th removed State influence and consent in lawmaking thus irreparably damaging the concept of federalism so critical to limiting the power of the federal government. The 18th outlawed the consumption of alcohol in the nation for ten years giving the government the right to tell its people what they can drink.

Some argue that we can limit the extent of change in a new convention. It is well to remember that the original delegates to the Constitutional Convention were not authorized to dump the Articles of Confederation, but did, exposing everything that then existed. Can Levin and others guarantee that that could not happen again? No!

Holding to the Constitution with exactness is our only real secure way to take back our country. Our weapons are the limiting clauses of the Constitution and Amendment 10 of the Bill of Rights. Political parties have failed us. Encouraging our people to become Constitutionalists first is a better approach. As tyranny grows so will support for our cause. Mr. Levin and other conservatives, please don't risk losing everything by an ill-conceived constitutional convention. The answer is to make the government abide by what they have by oath promised and, when needed, carefully craft new amendments one at a time, as for example a balanced budget amendment.

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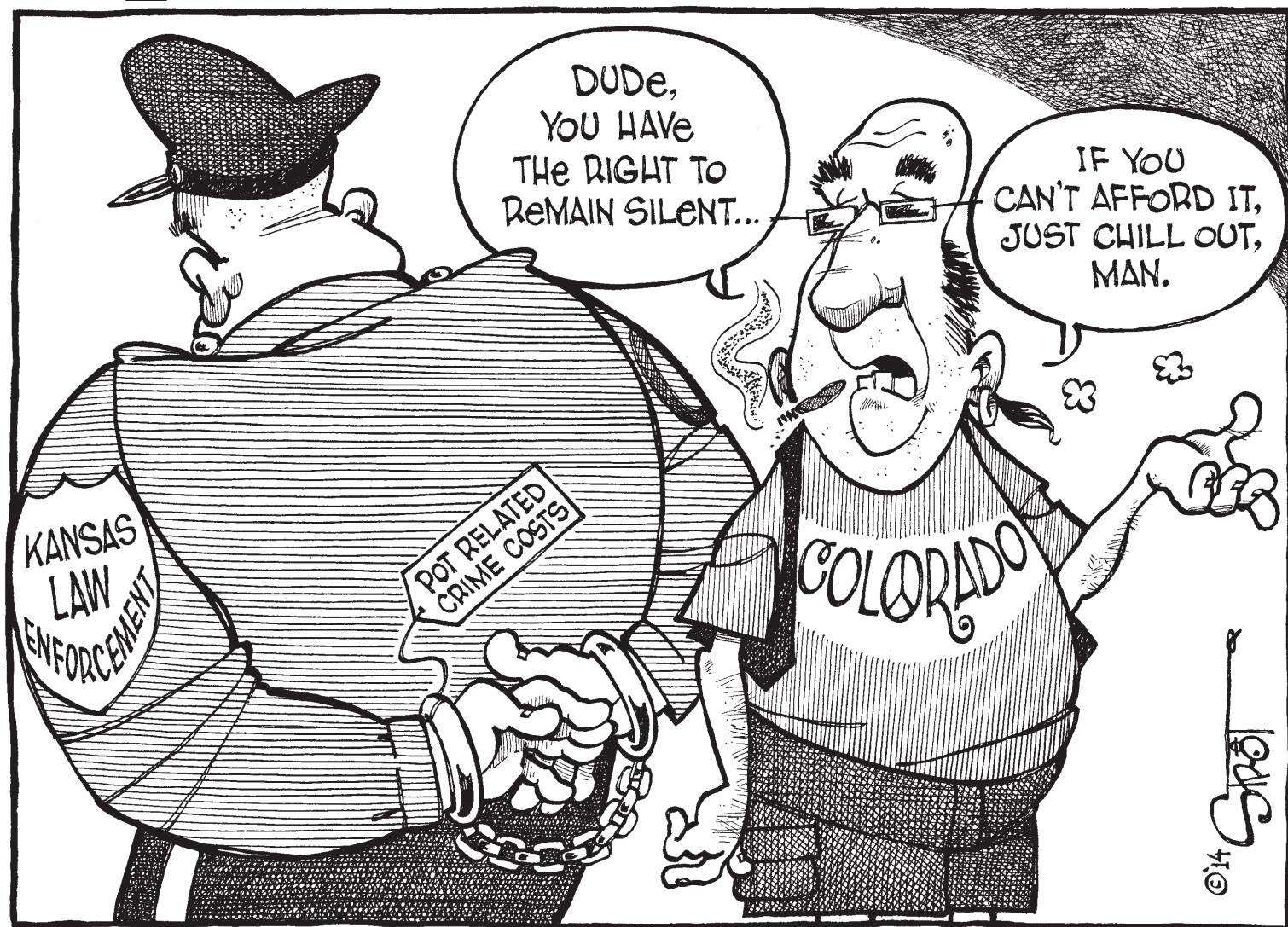
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Schools to gain money under new formula

I just received the figures for the school districts in the 120th district, all of which gained money under the revised school finance formula.

That is a much better result than the potential loss faced by all of the area schools under some proposals. You can see it is not a great windfall to anyone, but should allow the schools to maintain their staffs without layoffs.

Here is a breakdown that was provided to me by our Legislative Research office:

The Oberlin School District will gain \$22,276 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option budget aid. It will get \$10,292 straight to the classroom and \$12,365 in proposed property tax relief.

The Colby School District will get \$163,804 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. That's in addition to \$335,306 straight to the classroom and \$143,813 in proposed property tax relief.

The St. Francis School District will gain \$21,828 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional Local Option Budget aid. It will get \$8,806 straight to the classroom and \$9,418 in



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proposed property tax relief.

Goodland Schools will gain \$176,672 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. That's in addition to \$110,808 straight to the classroom and \$142,509 in property tax relief.

Cheylin will gain \$3,974 from the General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. It can also get \$5,323 straight to the classroom.

Rawlins County will get an additional \$80,917 from the General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. It can get an additional \$11,255 to the classroom from local option money and \$44,505 in proposed property tax relief.

Brewster Schools will gain \$1,603 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local

option aid. It can get \$58,004 straight to the classroom from additional local option aid.

Wallace County will gain \$4,769 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. It can get another \$6,767 straight to the classroom.

Weskan will gain \$13,159 in General Fund, Capital Outlay, and additional local option aid. The district will get \$3,904 straight to the classroom and \$6,624 in proposed property tax relief. We have great schools and school leadership in northwest Kansas. Education and teachers are not a problem in our area.

This is a good time to announce that I will not seek re-election next year. Four years and time away from family have taken their toll. I have enjoyed fighting for northwest Kansas and feel I have had success in promoting and protecting our area.

I did an interview for a Topeka paper a few weeks ago and responded to the question, "What did I like best and what did I like least about serving in the Legislature?" My response was the same for both questions: "Some of the people I have met."

The great experiment



from
other pens

• daris howard

John was our roommate at college. He was not a great cook and had little money, and for that reason he decided he could live totally on beans. The problem was that they created in him an atomic cloud of methane that was driving the rest of us to near suffocation.

The situation was becoming desperate, and the rest of us held an apartment council to see if we could come up with a way to neutralize what we called the "John effect."

"My home is near an oil refinery," Steve said. "They have a tall pipe that always has a fire on it, burning off the excess, unwanted gases. Why don't we do the same thing? We could keep some candles burning in our apartment."

"I don't think that is a good idea," David replied. "The pipe at the oil refinery is outside, not inside. I'm afraid if we had a gas buildup, and someone lit a match, we could blow ourselves to the next county."

"How about we rig an exhaust fan in the window in John's bedroom?" Bryce suggested. "May I remind you," David said, "that I share that bedroom. It's winter, and I already have the window open a slight bit. If we open it much more, we'll freeze to death."

"Well, we've got to do something," Bryce said. "I don't think there is a gas we've used in our chemistry class that is as potent, and we still use an exhaust fan in there."

Suddenly, Bryce's eyes lit up - an indication

that he had just had an idea. "You know what?" he said. "My chemistry class is the answer."

"How so?" Steve asked.

"Well, we have been talking about acids and bases and how they neutralize each other due to the fact that they somehow counteract each other's carbons. Well, John is about as carbon as anything can get. All we have to do is find out if the gas is an acid or a base, and then neutralize him."

We were skeptical, but Bryce couldn't wait to talk to his teacher. It was the first time I had seen him excited about going to class. Later that day he came back to report. "Guys, my teacher says methane is an acid, so all we have to do is figure a base we can use that won't kill John in the process."

I had done a lot of mechanic work, and I had the perfect solution. "A car battery is full of acid," I said. "When we want to clean one we use a mixture of baking soda and water."

"Perfect," Bryce said. "Let's all pool our money and I will buy some baking soda."

We all chipped in, and Bryce left. When he

returned he had the biggest bag of baking soda I had ever seen. It said it was 12 pounds. "Are you sure you need that much?" I asked.

"I'm not leaving anything to chance," he replied.

John's four gallon pot was half full of beans and water, simmering on the stove. Bryce took the lid off, and poured in a cup of baking soda. He looked at the small cup, then at the big bag, then at the pot. "I say if a person is going to do an experiment, he needs to do it right," Bryce said. Then, before anyone could stop him, he poured the whole bag into the pan.

We were lucky the pot was only half full, or it would have boiled over. It almost did anyway.

That night when John sat down to eat his beans, everyone was nonchalantly gathered around. He buried them in ketchup, as usual, and started to eat.

"How are the beans?" I asked.

John shrugged. "Same as usual. Why?"

"Oh," I replied, "just curious."

But the experiment seemed to work. For the first time, the air in our apartment was breathable. And from then on, if anyone asked us why one cupboard was stocked full of baking soda, we simply said it was for an ongoing chemistry experiment.

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Hunger to learn



education
frontlines

• John Schrock

"Look at that little boy," I whispered to my wife as we stood in the grocery line many years ago. "He is so hungry to learn."

My wife glanced over to the youngster clinging to his mother in the far aisle. "He's just a normal boy." She dismissed my judgement that the child was in any way exceptional.

So I am a little crazy. But I still think I can see a hunger-to-learn in some kid's eyes, the manner they inspect the world, their "look."

Then in 1994, the PBS Nova program ran a documentary "Secret of a Wild Child." It is the sad story of a little girl "Genie" who was isolated for 12 years in a dark attic. She had no interactions with the outside world. She had no one to speak to. She had never learned to talk.

"There, that's the look!" I shouted for my wife to come watch. I pointed to the screen. This was the most extreme case of the "hunger-to-learn" look I had ever seen. My wife agreed. Anyone could see her intense desire to examine her new world.

Genie's hunger-to-learn look was an extreme case. Sadly, at the other end of the

spectrum are a few children who express little curiosity about the world.

Teachers do not need to detect this hunger-to-learn from a distance. When we teach, we discover whether a student is eager and excited to soak up knowledge or must be led step-by-step without much inner drive to learn.

But Genie's story is worrisome. Researchers tried to teach Genie to speak. Most children hear language in infancy and learn to copy sounds. Genie was not exposed to language until after she was 12 years old.

Researchers had long known that baby birds had only a short window of time to learn to sing. Now Genie's case confirmed that there is only one "window of opportunity" to learn language in our earliest years. The brain cell networks

that give us language must be stimulated to grow within this early window.

In a more general way, this is likely the case for other knowledge. Veteran teachers know that students learn in fits and starts. It is a case of use it, or lose it.

Most scientists trace their beginning interest to curiosity to explore before the age of ten.

As I walk city streets and see the range of personalities, from the homeless digging aluminum cans from the trash to the "successful" businessman (who may be less than happy), I try to see the child in them. As young children, they all seemed so full of potential. But along the way, as their hunger-to-learn was not met in so many ways, their interests in life were never developed.

I can see the hunger-to-learn in many children. But as adults, life narrows. They grow old beyond the reach of teachers. The window closes. They cannot go back. As Henry David Thoreau said: "Most men lead lives of quiet desperation and go to the grave with the song still in them."

Commission re-elects Mayor Fairbanks

COMMISSION, from Page 1

a chance to look over the county's plan. In other business, the commissioners:

- Heard an economic development update from Solomon. He spoke about the Community Improvement District, a system where landowners can get together and agree to a localized sales tax or assessment to pay for infrastructure improvements.
- Klemm said he was concerned over how the lines were drawn for the district. Solomon said it is up to the landowners who want the infrastructure improvements to create the plan and submit it. He said later in the meeting that the city can reject a plan if it feels the district is drawn unfairly or if there was a lot of dissent from landowners affected.

The city commission approved a resolution setting a procedure and rules for forming a district.

Solomon said the city is waiting to hear back on a T-Works grant for 19th Street from Main to Cherry to go with an expansion by Liquid Fertilizer, and that he would have something to bring to the council next week about annexing the Cole housing expansion.

- Accepted a bid for a Case backhoe for \$97,000 from Victor Phillips.
- Accepted a bid for a vacutron from Vermeer Great Plains for \$51,000. Simon said he uses the equipment to vacuum up debris, and that the city would hold on to its current one as well as the new one.
- Accepted a bid from Taylen Smith to mow nuisance lawns.

- Approved a lease and asset purchase agreement with Butterfly Aviation for the small barrel hangar at Renner Field. The city is selling the hangar itself to Butterfly and leasing the land.
- Approved sending a request to terminate the lease with Northwest Kansas Technical College for use of the Armory. Armstrong said this was at the request of the college, as they no longer have a use for it.

Jerry Fairbanks said he had spoken to the college's attorney, Joe Bain, on whether they were still interested in buying the building outright, but heard the programs had fallen through and they were no longer interested.

- Approved a 30-day contract with S&T Communication for computer services. The commissioners agreed a full time person would be needed to replace Jordan Cassale.

Grade schoolers hold concert

CONCERT, from Page 1

The sixth grade band had Levi Stasser and Taye Payne playing percussion. On trombone were Manton Crow, Kierstin Kent and Andrew Wood. Trumpet players were Daniel Ordonez, Logan Robinson, Trent Coon, Derek Brown, Leanne Cristelli, Kelsey Zimmerman and Olivia Burian. Rebecca Lockhart and Isabel

Ordenez played the alto saxophones. Clarinetists were Rachel Witman, Shay Smith, Caiden Showalter, Sergio Lazo, Toni Villarreal and Johnna Rodriguez. Newman, Vanessa Renteria and Jeremy Ross played flutes.

The director was Deanne Langness. Harvey Swager is the principal of Central Elementary School and Steve Raymer the principal of Grant Junior High.

'Not guilty' verdict in manslaughter case

VERDICT, from Page 1

Robert Lehman was the last of maybe eight friends still inside with Michelle Jorgensen-Swanson, the owner of Chelle's. They testified that they saw House rush inside, telling them to call 911 because Gallentine had fallen. They found the man on his back, with blood pooling under his head.

Jorgensen-Swanson called for an ambulance just before 10 p.m., and two emergency medical technicians, Liscia Carpenter and Regina Barnes — who also knew Gallentine — got there from the Brewster ambulance garage at 10:05.

The man had no heartbeat or pulse by the time they put him in the ambulance, the technicians testified. They performed cardio-pulmonary resuscitation on him on the way to Citizens Medical Center but he was pronounced dead at 11:08 at

the hospital.

Trooper Adam Medlicott of the Kansas Highway Patrol and Kraig Cersovsky, who was then a Thomas County sheriff's deputy, said they did not start investigating the incident as a car accident until they got to the hospital. Cersovsky, who had to drive the ambulance while the technicians tried to resuscitate the victim, said he spoke to House three times before getting any indication he might have hit the victim. That's when he got the written report Berens cross examined House about on Thursday.

He said he gave House the form to make a written statement at the hospital. It was the next day when he first learned Hunter House was at the scene when he talked to Lehman. That same day he went to the Houses' residence, Cersovsky said, the defendant told him Gallentine had jumped on his hood, then fallen off

He took pictures of Houses's Dodge Ram, which showed no signs of damage, and then got the written statement.

Medlicott said he heard from Lehman that Gallentine put his hands on the front of the truck and then fell backwards. Lehman told the story with such detail, Medlicott said, that he did not even ask him until the next day if he actually saw the accident. Then he learned that he was just relating House's story. He heard a similar story from House himself the next day, but still no indication his friend might have been run over. Medlicott said he went back to the scene on March 13 to finish up his investigation.

Accounts of how many beers the men drank range from five or six to eight or 10, and when their blood was taken at the hospital, both men were found to have lots of alcohol. House had a blood alcohol content

of .19, well over the .08 legal limit to drive. Gallentine was found to have even an even higher blood alcohol content, .25.

Hospital staff would later have difficulty tracking down Gallentine's next of kin. House said he did not remember the man's cell phone in his truck until after he got home from the hospital.

Lyle Noordhoek, deputy coroner for Thomas County, said the injuries that killed Gallentine could not have resulted from a fall. Rather, Noordhoek said, the inside of Gallentine's body was torn apart in such a way as if he had been crushed by a tire. He was certain to bleed to death internally from those injuries, Noordhoek said, but the blow to the back of his head was not immediately fatal.

matters of record

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

Dwight W. Briney to Dwight W. Briney as Trustee of the Dwight W. Briney Trust UTA 9/30/2013, an undivided 2/3 interest in NE/4 of Sec.22, and all that land North of railroad tracks in SE/4 of Sec.22, all in T8S, R38W.

Solon L. Bloomer Family Partners Limited Partnership II, to Eckhardt Farms, a portion of S/2 of Sec.21, T9S, R38W.

SLB Limited Partnership, to Eckhardt Farms, a portion of S/2 of Sec.21, T9S, R38W.

Double D Farming, LLC, through its authorized member David A. Dorn, to Jay Dee Brumbaugh and Angie M. Brumbaugh, the N/2 of Lot 15, all of Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, Block 2, Toelkes Addition to City of Goodland.

Hageman Family Partnership conveys and warrants to Kent Myron Scott, the N40' of Lot 8 and S20' of Lot 9, Block 34, Academy Addition to City of Goodland.

Brandon Neal Cowan and Kayla Cowan convey and warrant to Andrew J. Kaup and Stacy J. Kaup, Lots 24, 25 and 26, Block 5, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland.

Gary Slusher and Sheyenne Sharon convey and warrant to Korbc Holdings, LLC, Lots 28 and 29, Block 9, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland.

John Hendricks, Trustee of the John Hendricks Revocable Trust dated March 6, 2002, to Hendricks Family Land, LLC, an undivided 1/2 interest in E/2 of Sec.6, T7S, R38W.

Sharon E. Hendricks, Trustee of the Sharon E. Hendricks Revocable Trust dated March 6, 2002, to Hendricks Family Land, LLC, an undivided 1/2 interest in E/2 of Sec.6, T7S, R38W.

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This notification is to inform parents/guardians and former students of the Goodland School District's intent to destroy the special education records of students whose special education services ended during the 2008-2009 school year. These records will be destroyed in accordance with state law unless the parent/guardian or eligible (adult) student notifies the school district otherwise.

The records are destroyed approximately two weeks after this official notice is published. It is the intent of the district to destroy records on May 8, 2014.

The parent/guardian or eligible (adult) student may request a copy of the records in writing or in person at the following address:

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*** Please complete form completely. Incomplete or illegible forms will be discarded.

Person making the nomination: _____

Contact phone number: _____

Contact email: _____

Person being nominated's name: _____

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Nominee's position in the community/title/employer: _____

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- One candidate for Attorney General
- One candidate for State Treasurer
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- One candidate for State Representative-120st District
- One candidate for Member, State Board of Education-5th District
- One candidate for County Commissioner, 1st District
- One candidate for County Attorney (Unexpired Term)
- One candidate for Township Clerk, Grant Township
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Kris W. Kobach

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Tuesday Evening										April 29, 2014										
	7:00		7:30		8:00		8:30		9:00		9:30		10:00		10:30		11:00		11:30	
ABC	S.H.I.E.L.D.		Goldbergs		Trophy		Celebrity Wife Swap		Local		Jimmy Kimmel Live		Nightline							
CBS	NCIS		NCIS: Los Angeles		Person of Interest		Chicago Fire		Local		Late Show Letterman		Ferguson							
NBC	The Voice		About-Boy		Fisher		Mindy		Local											
FOX	Glee		New Girl						Local											
Cable Channels																				
A & E	Storage		Storage		Barry'd		Barry'd		Storage		Storage		Storage Wars		Local					
AMC	Gladiator		Game of Arms		Game of Arms		Game of Arms		Town		Town		Town		Local					
ANIM	Africa		Africa		Africa		Africa		Africa		Africa		Africa		Local					
BET	Jumping [The Game]		The Game		Together		Together		The Game		Together		Together		Wendy		Local			
BRavo	Housewives/Atl.		Housewives/NYC		Couch		Couch		Happens		Housewives/NYC		Atlanta							
CMT	Local		Local		Reba		Reba		70s Show		70s Show		Jeff Dunham		Ached					
CNN	CNN Tonight		Inside Man		Anderson Cooper 360		Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		Inside		Local					
COMEDY	Tosh.0		Tosh.0		Amy Sch.		Amy Sch.		Daily		Colbert		At Midnig		Tosh.0		Local			
DISC	Local		Local		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Win, Lose					
DISN	Local		Local		Austin		Dog		College Road Trip		College Road Trip		Jessie		Good Luck		Local			
E!	Giuliana & Bill		Total Divas		Total Divas		Total Divas		Chelsea		El News		Chelsea							
ESPN	SportsCenter Special		2014 Draft Academy		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportCtr		Local					
ESPN2	2014 Draft Academy		Baseball Tonight		Olbermann		Olbermann		Baseball Tonight		Baseball Tonight		NBA		Local					
FAM	Harry Potter-Prince		The 700 Club		Prince		Prince		Prince		Prince		Prince		Local					
FOOD	Local		Local		Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		Americans					
FX	Spider-Man 2		Flip or F		Flip or F		Flip or F		Hunters		Hunt Intl		Flip It to Win It		Flip or F		Local			
HGTV	Flip or F		Flip or F		Flip or F		Flip or F		Hunters		Hunt Intl		Flip It to Win It		Flip or F		Local			

Wednesday Evening										April 30, 2014												
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ABC	Middle		Suburg.		Mod Fam		Mixology		Nashville		Local		Jimmy Kimmel Live		Nightline							
CBS	Survivor		Criminal Minds		CSI: Crime Scene		Chicago PD		Local		Late Show Letterman		Ferguson									
NBC	Revolution		Law & Order: SVU		Local		Local		Local		Tonight Show		Meyers									
FOX	American Idol		Local		Local		Local		Local		Local		Local		Local		Local		Local			
Cable Channels																						
A & E	Duck D.		Duck D.		Duck D.		Duck D.		Duck D.		Duck D.		Duck Dynasty		Local							
AMC	The Last Samurai		The Last Samurai		The Last Samurai		The Last Samurai		The Last Samurai		The Last Samurai		Town		Local							
ANIM	River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		Monsters		Local							
BET	Together		Feel the Noise		The Game		The Game		The Game		The Game		Wendy Williams Show		Local							
BRavo	Million Dollar		Million Dollar		Flipping Out		Flipping Out		Flipping Out		Flipping Out		Million Dollar		Flipping							
CMT	Local		Local		Reba		Reba		70s Show		70s Show		The Terminator		Local							
CNN	CNN Tonight		Anthony Bourd.		Anderson Cooper 360		Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		Anthony		Local							
COMEDY	South Pk		South Pk		Triptank		Triptank		Daily		Colbert		At Midnig		South Pk		Local					
DISC	Local		Local		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid		Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Marooned		Local					
DISN	Local		Local		Austin		Dog		Lemonade Mouth		Lemonade Mouth		Good Luck		ANT Farm		Local					
E!	Who Wore		Who Wore		Total Divas		Total Divas		The Soup		The Soup		Chelsea		El News		Playing					
ESPN	MLB Baseball		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportCtr		Local							
ESPN2	2014 Draft Academy		Baseball Tonight		Olbermann		Olbermann		Baseball Tonight		Baseball Tonight		NBA		Local							
FAM	Mirror Mirror		The 700 Club		Daddy		Daddy		Daddy		Daddy		Melissa		Local							
FOOD	Local		Local		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Local							
FX	Spider-Man 3		The Americans		The Americans		The Americans		The Americans		The Americans		Fargo		Local							
HGTV	Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Hunters		Hunt Intl		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Local							
HIST	American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		Local							
LIFE	Preachers' Daughters		Bring It!		Bring It!		Bring It!		Bring It!		Bring It!		Bring It!		Local							
MTV	MTV Special		Catfish Untold		Awkward.		Faking It		Catfish		Catfish		Catfish		Local							
NICK	Local		Local		SpongeBot		Sam & Cat		Full H'se		Full H'se		Full H'se		Full H'se		Local					
SCI	Final Destination 2		Haunting in CT		Haunting in CT		Haunting in CT		Haunting in CT		Haunting in CT		Haunting in CT		Local							
SPIKE	Iron Man		Iron Man		Iron Man		Iron Man		Iron Man		Iron Man		X-Men		Local							
TBS	Big Bang		Big Bang		Deal With		Conan		Holmes		Conan		Conan		Local							
TCM	The Letter		Man Hunt		Man Hunt		Man Hunt		Man Hunt		Man Hunt		Holiday in Mexico		Local							
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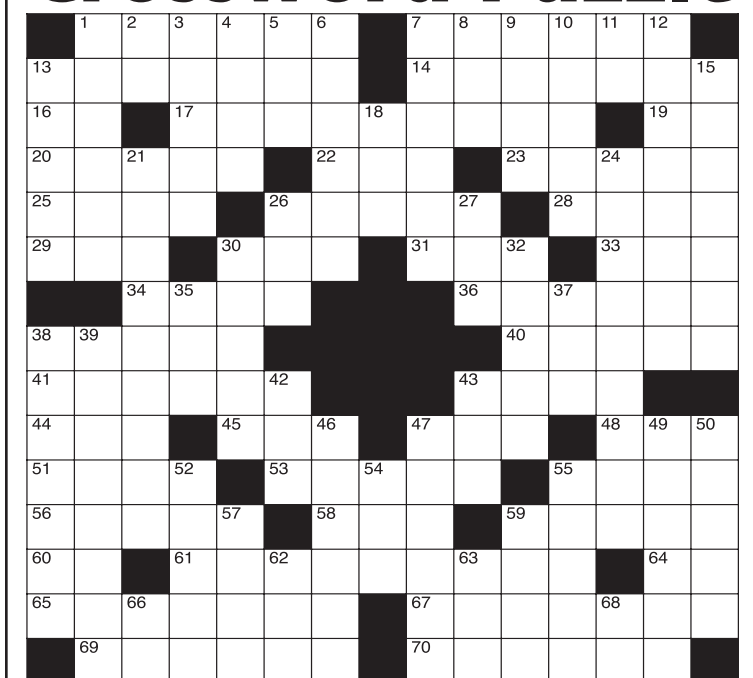
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Cowgirls sweep Lakin doubleheader Friday

By Kevin Bottrell
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Hot bats and quick defense led the Goodland High School softball team to a sweep of the Lakin Lady Broncos at home Friday. The Cowgirls won 7-2 and 14-0.

Next action for the Cowgirls is at 2 p.m. Friday at home against Holcomb. That will be senior night for the Cowgirls. Goodland will be the host town for Class 4A Division II regional softball this year, May 19 to 22. The teams will be Colby, Hugoton, Scott City and Goodland.

Stephani DeLaRosa pitched both games on Friday, adding another pair of wins to her record.

In game one, the Cowgirls got their bats going in the bottom of the third. Kelsey White got a leadoff base hit. DeLaRosa hit a grounder, but White beat the throw to second. Brianna White hit into a fielder's choice that saw DeLaRosa out at second. That put runners on the corners for Lindsay Bauman, who also hit into a fielder's choice. Bauman was thrown out at first, but Kelsey White scored. Gabby Rangel hit a hard grounder that went between the legs of the Lakin third baseman and into the outfield, allowing Brianna White to score.

Lakin closed the gap to 2-1 in the top of the fourth when a runner got across home plate on an error. In the bottom half of the inning, Berkley White hit a ground rule double, then Megan Siruta belted a two-run home run to center field to make it 4-1.

Lakin scored another run on an error in the top of the fifth, but the Cowgirls kept pulling away. In the bottom of the fifth, Hope Cochran got a single, then scored on an error that allowed Berkley White to stretch a single into two bases. Siruta hit a double that scored Berkley to make it 6-2.

DeLaRosa retired the Lady Broncos with three straight strikeouts in the top of the sixth. In the bottom half of the inning Brianna White got things started by beating a throw to first. Bauman was hit by a pitch, then after Rangel struck out, Hope Cochran hit a single, scoring Brianna White to make it 7-2. Berkley White hit a grounder. Bauman was caught between third and home and was eventually thrown out at home. She ran into the Lakin catcher, which was ruled to have interfered with the play. Cochran was called out at third to retire the side.

The Lady Broncos were taken down in order in the top of the seventh, giving the Cowgirls the 7-2 win.

In game two, after a quick first inning, the Cowgirls got started in the second inning with two walks, Siruta and Saige Vandiver. A blooper single by Kelsey White scored Siruta, then with DeLaRosa up to bat, Vandiver scored on a wild pitch.

Brianna White struck out, then Bauman hit a grounder. Kelsey White was able to make it safely to third, loading the bases for Rangel and Cochran, who hit back to back doubles to bring home four runs.

After a pitching change, Berkley White struck out, then Siruta hit a single to score Cochran. Vandiver hit a line drive right to the shortstop to end the seven-run inning.

The Lady Broncos were retired in order in the top of the third on a strikeout, a ground out and a sliding catch in center field by Cochran.

In the bottom of the inning Brianna White hit an RBI single to make it 8-0. The Cowgirls hit into a double play to end the inning.

In the bottom of the fourth, Rangel and Cochran had base hits. Berkley White was hit by a pitch. Siruta and Vandiver both got out, after which two runners scored on an error to make it 10-0. DeLaRosa hit a two-RBI single to make it 12-0.

Later in the inning, with runners on the corners, Rangel hit a two-RBI single for the final runs of the game.

The Lady Broncos were unable to score in the top of the fifth, ending the game at 14-0 on the run rule.



Megan Siruta got a pat on the back from her teammates after her two-run homer in game one of the doubleheader with Lakin on Friday. The Cowgirls won both games 7-2 and 14-0

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Boys fall at home to Thomas More

By Pat Schiefen
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The Goodland High School baseball team played the Thomas More Prep-Marian Monarchs of Hays on Friday and came up short. They lost 11-8 and 11-2.

The team was scheduled to play the Lakin Broncos on Monday at Memorial Field and will play at Holcomb on Thursday.

Taylen Smith was the starting pitcher for the first game.

Nathan Pfeifer for Thomas More hit a home run in the top of the first inning and had two runs batted in.

Catcher Kyler Amthor hit a ball between the pitcher and first and was out at first. John Hendrich had a deep left hit but was out at second. Taylen Smith hit just inside the third base line and safely made it to first. Kelby Smith had a fly out to the left fielder.

Amthor caught a fly ball for the second out. Thomas More made no more runs in the top of the second.

Goodland had the bases loaded and when the next batter walked Goodland put its first score on the board. Hendrich hit a double and had two RBIs. The inning ended when Taylen Smith struck out. The score was tied 3-3.

In the third the first batter bunted but was out at first from a play by the catcher. The next player hit a double but was left stranded on second after a Thomas More fly and strike out.

The first batter, Kelby Smith, hit a fly ball to right and doubled when the Thomas More player missed catching the ball. Luke Avila was out on a short stop to first combination. Nolan Deeds hit to right field and batted Kelby Smith in to score. The next batter Cade Mayer hit to right field. Riley Lopez struck out. T.R. Jones had a hit to center. The bases were loaded. Amthor was next and was out from a pitcher to first combination. Goodland added one run to their score and left three runners on base. Goodland led 4-3.

Thomas More added seven runs to their score at the top of the fourth.

Hendrich hit the ball just inside the third base line and was safe on first. Taylen Smith was out on a short stop to first combination. Kelby Smith had a fly out to center field. Avila struck out after two fouls. Thomas More led, 10-4.

In the top of the fifth Thomas More's first batter was out when his foul was caught by the third baseman. The next batter hit a double to right field but was out when he tried to steal third. The third batter had a fly out to center.

Deeds led off the batting for Goodland and

walked. Mayer struck out. Brandon Verlinden was hit by a pitch to go to first. Jones also walked. The bases were loaded. Amthor made a hit and earned two RBIs when Deeds and Verlinden crossed the plate. Jones also scored. Hendrich was walked but was left on base when Taylen and Kelby Smith were out on fly outs. Thomas More led, 10-7.

Thomas More led off the sixth with a home run. The next three batters were out on two fly outs and a strike out.

Avila hit a single. Deeds had a hit and Avila advanced to second and stole third and went on to score. Deeds stole second and advanced to third. Mayer struck out. Verlinden had a hit to right field but was out on a combination. Jones walked after being hit by a pitch and stole second. Amthor had a fly out to center field. Thomas More led 11-8.

In the top of the seventh the first two Thomas More batters were out on a double play. The last batter was out at first. Goodland had three up and three out.

The game ended with Thomas More winning 11-8.

The second game of the double headed ended with Thomas More winning, 11-2.



Luke Avila and his teammates craned their necks to see where his hit would land during the Cowboys doubleheader with Thomas More Prep-Marian on Friday at Memorial Field.

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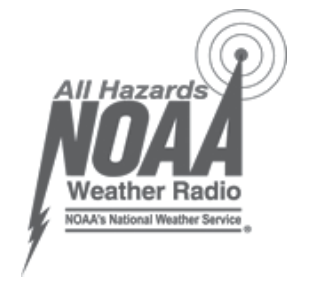
Please stay safe this storm season!

Most tornadoes strike during the spring and summer months, but it is important to realize they can occur anywhere at any time. The winds of a tornado can reach speeds of 300 mph, and at these speeds, neither man nor nature make many things that can hold together.

The one thing to remember about tornadoes is they will go where they want. **GET TO SHELTER IMMEDIATELY!** With this in mind, the best place to go is underground, or as underground as possible to avoid the winds and flying debris.

It is vitally important to have an emergency drill in place, and to practice it routinely. Make sure every family member knows where to go. Also make sure you have supplies available in your shelter. Water, non-perishable foods, batteries, flashlights, etc. The best way to survive a tornado is to be prepared.

Weather Alerts on NOAA Radio



The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration broadcasts National Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day.

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KLOE is 730 am, KKCI 102.5 fm and KWGB 97.9 fm.

Think you're prepared for the storm?

Before the storm

- Reconsider your coverage:
- Not all policies cover water damage, debris or tree removal, sewer backup due to flooding, sump pump failure or the costs of having to stay somewhere while your home is repaired.
 - Do you have comprehensive coverage on your vehicle in case of hail?
 - Did you add flood insurance (a FEMA-run program) to your homeowners' policy?
 - Have you updated your home inventory?

After the storm

- Claims, repairs and settlements:
- Contact your agent immediately to report losses, and take notes about your conversation.
 - Take photos of damage.
 - Get instructions from your adjuster before making repair arrangements.
 - Don't get scammed by questionable contractors.
 - Don't accept an unfair settlement. If you can't reach a settlement with your insurance company, call our Consumer Assistance Hotline at 800-432-2484.



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