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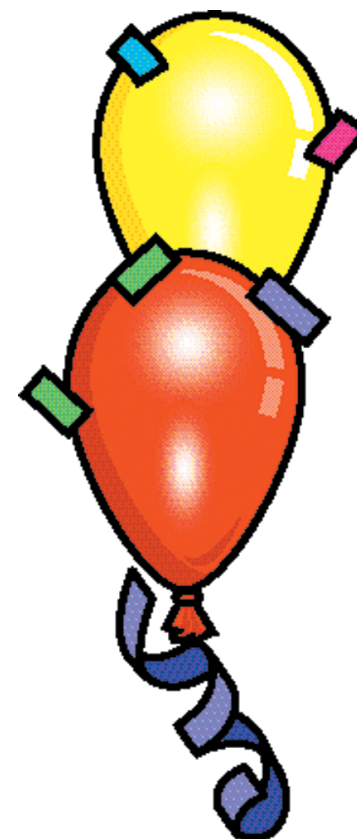
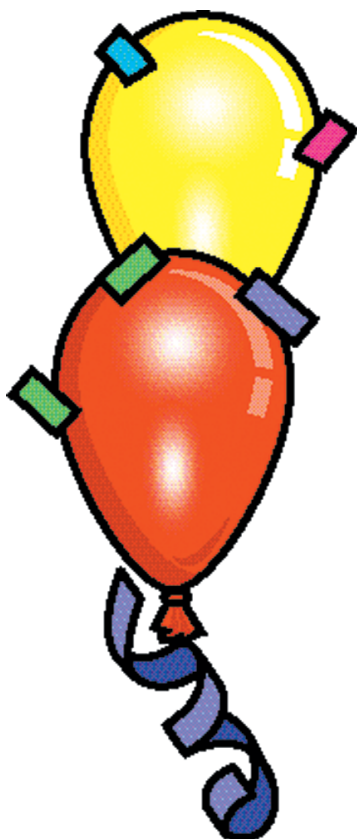
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A new sign at Goodland High School, a joint project of the parents of the Class of 1990 and the Sherman County Alumni Association was erected in November. Dick Liess and Sandy McElwee said the parents had money left over from graduation and the sign seemed like a good project. Dale Schields of the alumni association said both groups wanted to replace the old sign, so they pooled their resources. The marker cost \$1,600.

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Friday,  
August 11,  
2006

# Reunion theme 'The time of your life!'

Dear fellow alumni:  
As President of the SCHS Alumni Association, it is my pleasure to let you know that the next all-school reunion will be Aug. 10-12, 2006. It is our sincere hope that you will plan to attend this special event as our officers and board of directors have been working diligently to put together an exciting, fun-filled weekend for YOU! YOUR presence is what will make our alumni reunion successful and we hope to see you in Goodland Aug. 10-12.

The purpose of this mailing is to let you know the events that have been arranged for your enjoyment while "back home" for the reunion. You can also learn more about the weekend by visiting our website at [www.goodlandnet.com](http://www.goodlandnet.com) and you can email us at [shcoalumni@sttel.net](mailto:shcoalumni@sttel.net).

For the first time in the history of our reunion, you can also pre-register on-line, and we encourage you to take advantage of this service. Or, if you would prefer, you can mail your pre-registration form to P.O. Box 72 in Goodland. There is a cost-saving

factor as well to pre-registration as the fees are \$50 for alumni and \$25 for non-alumni guests. If you choose to wait and register upon your arrival in Goodland, the costs are \$60 for alumni and \$30 for non-alumni guests. Registration and/or "check-in" will be at the Sherman County Fairgrounds, where our reunion got its start back in 1961.

Your registration fee includes your alumni dues for the next 5 years and assists your alumni association with its work in the area of scholarships and financial assistance to Goodland High School.

Admission to all reunion events is by registration badge, so everyone taking part must register. No exceptions will be made in this regard.

We've made some changes to our schedule of events for 2006 that we hope you will enjoy. They include: a street dance with beer garden and karaoke Friday night, a western-Kansas style barbeque luncheon following Saturday's assembly at Max Jones Fieldhouse, a "Saturday In the Park" feature during and after the barbeque

## All-school reunion schedule

<p><b>Thursday, Aug. 10</b> 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., registration at fairgrounds. 7:30 a.m., first session of golf tournament (Shotgun start at Sugar Hills Golf Club). 1 p.m., second session of golf tournament (Shotgun start). "Dragging' Main" or Visit family and friends.</p> <p><b>Friday, Aug. 11</b> 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., registration at fairgrounds. 7:30 a.m., first session second day of golf tournament (Shotgun start). 1 p.m., second session second day golf tournament (Shotgun start). 3 p.m., Meet and greet former teachers, at open house at Goodland Veterans of Foreign Wars, 824 Main. Evening, class parties at various locations. 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. square dance at Marie Ed-</p>	<p>wards Hall, 2431 Walnut Street. 8 p.m. to 12 p.m. Street dance/beer garden and Karaoke. (Bankwest Parking lot and lot adjacent to VFW). (Will relocate to VFW if bad weather)</p> <p><b>Saturday, Aug. 12</b> 8 a.m., registration at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 9:30 a.m., assembly announcements/introductions. 10 a.m., Three-Ring Circus assembly performance. 12:30 p.m., barbeque luncheon at Gulick Park, Ninth and Caldwell. 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., "Saturday in the park" alumni concert. Afternoon class parties. 8 p.m. to 12 p.m., dances at fairgrounds: Ace's and 8's (Country); Pomeroy (contemporary); Three-Ring Circus (Oldies)</p>
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that will consist of performances by former graduates, and three great bands for you to dance to at the fairgrounds Saturday night, one of which, "Pomeroy," features Goodland's own David Fairbanks, Class of 1994.

You can even pre-register on-line for the 2006 Alumni Reunion golf tournament at Sugar Hills Golf Club on Aug. 11 and 12. However, one thing we'll never change are those wonderful class parties held throughout each

a-school reunion!

Our reunion assembly on Saturday morning begins at 9:30 a.m., with announcements and introductions of

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# Alumni sponsors scholarships, top educators

Each year the Sherman County Alumni Association spends money on Scholarships, Educator of the Year Awards, Homecoming Festivities, Equipment for the High School and Donations to benefit the Youth of Sherman County.

The following donations are made possible by the dues that you pay when you attend a Reunion every five years.

Thank you for your support in the Sherman County Alumni Association. If you can not attend Reunion 2006 but desire to make a tax deductible donation, please send your check to: The Sherman County Alumni Assoc., PO Box 72, Goodland, KS 67735. Write "scholarship donation" in the memo portion of your check.

Approximate figures on money spent by the Sherman County Alumni Assoc. during the last five years:

## 1. Scholarships: \$27,600

2001

Julia Darnauer, Bernie Fisher,

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2002

Tiffany Gleason, Lindsay Martin, Brandon Nemecek, David Russell, Lance Goodman. Bryan Mai and Mandy Bellamy.

2003

Ashley Engel, Alyssa Maso, Tiffany Schwasinger, Timothy Kafka, Janet Vandonge, Tammy Weeter, Landon West, Amanda Hoffman and Andrea Fenner.

2004

Brittany Redlin, Lauren Gray, Lea Acuff, Trista Lalicker, Michael Zimmerman, Jared Doke, Lacy Stephens, Brock Whitmore, Amy Anderson and Megan McCall.

2005

Erin Abernathy, Richard Bauman, Aubrea Winter, Dexter Deeds, Emily Burkett, Craig Mason and Michael Mangus.

## 2. Outstanding Educator Award: \$1,500

Sharon Hall, 2001; Dennis Friedrichs, 2002; Jackie Elliott, 2003; Melody Harder, 2004; Don Smith, 2005; and Sharon Hall, 2006.

## 3. Discretionary Funds: \$3,000

Paid to grade schools, junior high and high school to be used at their discretion.

## 4. Equipment for the Jr. High and High School: \$4,569

Copy machine, digital camera, projector for Jr. High Science Dept and New Sign in Front of High School.

## 5. Homecoming Expenses: \$1,530

Monetary awards to parade participants.

## 6. Donations: \$1,732.

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# Sherman County Alumni: Welcome back to Goodland!

# Alumni King graduate from 70 years ago

By Pat Schiefen

The Goodland Star-News

The 2006 alumni king was born on his parent's farm 7 3/4 miles west of Caruso in Sherman County.

Carrol Mogge was the second son of George and Mae Mogge. His brother, John, was 11 years older. John Mogge graduated from Sherman County High School in 1926 and worked in Denver in a government payroll office.

Mogge, graduated in the 70-year class of 1936. He played a trumpet in the band. He said they had no uniforms but he remembers them playing at the football games. The music teacher taught band.

He said is favorite subject was vocational agriculture. He didn't play sports.

After high school, he went to Kansas State University for three years, specializing in poultry.

His college days were interrupted by 4 1/2 years in the Navy during World War II. He said he enlisted in the fall 1942 but he said he had a low draft number. He took basic training

at Great Lakes Naval Station, north of Chicago on Lake Michigan.

Mogge said he trained as a radio technician and worked with primitive radar and radios. He said the equipment all had vacuum tubes; transistors didn't come into use until the end of the war.

After his training, Mogge was stationed in England for nine months until after the invasion of Normandy, then he was in the U.S. for a month and then he was stationed in Hawaii until the end of the war.

"My specialty was IFF, identification of friend and foe," Mogge said. "When aircraft returned the IFF, would make sure they wouldn't be shot at."

When he returned home after the war, he married a neighbor girl, Marie Meinen, and returned to K-State to finish his college degree in 1947. After graduation, Mogge came back to farm with his dad.

The Mogges had a son, Gary, who was killed in an airplane crash in 1991.



Mogge

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- Carrol Mogge  
Navy radar operator

He said there has been a lot of change in agriculture since the days he was growing up on the farm. Mogge said his father farmed with horses.

"I have driven tractors and combines all my life," he said, "but I would need instructions to drive a new one with the changes in technology."

He said he thinks global positioning computers to tell farmer where water and fertilizer are needed on a field is going to be the big thing.

Mogge said farms were smaller when he was young. He said they grew wheat, livestock feed and corn, raising chickens, pigs and cattle.

He really liked raising chickens. He said he raised Leghorns, which were white and the best egg producers at that time. He said it got harder and harder to get rid of culls and the eggs, so he switched to raising market sheep.

He said he got interested in sheep when his son had sheep in 4-H in the 1950s.

"We active in 4-H," he said, "especially while our son was in 4-H. I still have sheep."

Most poultry production is done in big operations now, he said. Years ago, people sold their eggs to pay for their groceries. He said he really didn't think there was more or less

worry about bacteria, just that people are more aware of it today.

Mogge said he judged poultry at the county fair for 40 years, quitting just last year. When he started, he said, there were standards to judge by with pure breed chickens. When he quit, most of the chickens coming from the hatcheries were cross bred and could not judge by the old standards, so he just looked for quality.

Mogge added that he thinks cross breeds are good.

He has been a personal property assessor for 45 years and belongs to the Mason Lodge, the Shrine, the Order of Eastern Star and the Goodland Kiwanis Club.

"I'm not as active as I used to be," he added.

At 88, Mogge, who lives currently at the Good Samaritan Home, says he is looking forward to going to the reunion.

He plans on moving home to the farm next week since he has gained strength. His wife died several years ago and he lives alone.

"I want to live as long as I can and take care of myself," he said.

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# Queen's life work has been helping children

By Pat Schiefen

The Goodland Star-News

The queen for the all-school reunion of Sherman County High School graduated 70 years ago, in 1936.

Mazie Sutton, 88, has spent much of her adult life working with children in schools. Sutton likes to volunteer, saying Sherman County was good to her and she wants to return the favor.

The alumni queen was born in 1918 in Stockton. Her parents moved here when she was six months old on Armistice Day. Her father went to work at the Ford garage and then the Rock Island Railroad.

Sutton said her parents divorced when she was 9. Her mother raised her and her three sisters, Ruby, Ione and Thelma, and later married Jack Wonderling, a railroad engineer.

Her mother cleaned houses and did washing and ironing for people to earn money to live on, she said. The family lived in a house on Seventh and Broadway.

"My childhood was very happy,"

she said. "I didn't realize we were poor. We all worked.

Sutton said she and one of her sisters delivered papers and another sister was a waitress at the Hotel Neu on Main, then "the place to eat" in Goodland.



Sutton

She went three years to Lincoln school, then in Central, Grant and the old high school where the high school auditorium is now.

"The high school was three stories and swayed in the wind," she recalled.

"I worked a year to save \$50 to go to college," she said. "I got 10 or 15 cents an hour at Kelley's Confectionery. I baked pies and served customers."

At that time, she said, everybody walked. After work, she said a group would gather and go to the Colony Club at Seventh and Main to dance to the juke box. Later they would walk down the street and kick the gas pumps. She said there were 20 gas stations up and down Main Avenue. Someone would turn them into Oscar Kline, the policeman at the time. She said there was a red light on 11th

Street and when a policeman was needed, someone turned the light on.

When you went on a date with your boyfriend, she said, he would have 25 cents. On that, you would go to the matinee and share a nickel Coke.

Max Jones, a local lawyer and graduate of University of Wyoming, encouraged her to go to the University of Wyoming. She remembers him saying that they didn't care if you had 10 cents or a thousand dollars, everybody worked. There were three others from Goodland, she said, Charlene Knudson who went a year, Grace Gulick who went two and a guy who went four years.

Her first year in college, she was in the work-study program as a secretary at the Agriculture building for \$24 a month. Sutton said there were no federal student programs. She borrowed money from an aunt to help get through her second year. The only federal programs at the time were the Civilian Conservation Corps and National Youth Administration, which offered jobs, but nothing to help with college.

An administrator who figured out the she and the group she was in were

going without breakfast told them they needed to eat breakfast. If they were going to skip a meal, he said, they should skip lunch.

"We went hungry lots of times," she recalled.

Sutton said she started teaching at a rural school at Big Piney, Wyo., "the coldest place in the world." She taught all the classes to the eighth grade except for sixth, which had no students.

The people were so good to me," Sutton said. "They taught me how to dress in 60-degrees-below-zero weather."

She had a horse to ride to school, which was 11 miles out in the country. She stayed two years. The school was fenced so the cows couldn't get in, she said, since the area was all open range.

"I visited one of my second-grade students, Martin Wardell, and his family in 1970," she said. "There were 10 boys and two girls in the school."

She said she couldn't get the boys to do anything. They didn't want to play football or basketball, so she got an old mattress so they could do tumbling.

With the start of World War II, Sutton said, she tried to enlist in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps in May 1942. She did not get in right away, so she signed a contract to teach at Limon, Colo. When enlistment opened up, she went into the Army in July 1943. She went to Des Moines, Iowa, for training and spent her entire three years there as a noncommissioned officer in administration.

After her discharge in January 1946, Sutton returned to school at Greeley State Teachers College, now the University of Northern Colorado, using the GI Bill.

Sutton taught in Cody, Wyo., for 15 years until 1962. She taught fourth grade nine years at the lab school at the University of Wyoming after that. She was also an assistant professor at the college, had student teachers under her and taught a teaching methods class. Sutton said she had three bosses — the principal of the lab school, the dean of the college and the president. She worked 12 hours a day, seven days a week. The only way you got to rest was to leave town, she said. She

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# Class parties planned for Friday, Saturday

Class and school reunion parties on Friday and Saturday for the Sherman County Alumni Association reunion. Kanorado, all classes, Saturday, 1 to 3 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars, 824 Main.

Edson, all classes, Saturday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th.

Ruleton, all classes, Saturday, 7 to 9 a.m., First United Methodist

Church Fellowship Hall, 12th and Sherman.

1933 and 1934, Saturday, 12 p.m., Butterfly Cafe (Renner Field)

1936, Friday, 8 a.m., Butterfly Cafe (Renner Field)

1939, Saturday, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Buffalo Inn Restaurant (Best Western)

1940, 1942 and 1944, Saturday, 2 to 4 p.m., Senior Center, 208 W. 15th St.

1941, Saturday, 2 to 4 p.m., Comfort Inn (Meeting Room).

1943, Saturday, 2:30 p.m., Kay Smith's, 803 Arcade.

1945, Saturday, 12 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Dining Room, 824 Main.

1946, Friday, 6 p.m. and Saturday, 5:30 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1947, Friday, 1 p.m., Buffalo Inn Restaurant.

1948, Friday, 6 p.m., Sherman County Historical Society Ennis-Handy House, 202 W. 13th St. and Saturday, 6:30 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club Sunroom.

1949, Saturday, 5 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Dining Room, 824 Main.

1950, Friday, 6 p.m., Buffalo Inn Convention Center and Saturday, 2 to 6 p.m., Dick and Sidney Rasure's, 510 Center.

1951 and 1952, Friday, 7 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1953, Friday, 10 a.m., Howard Johnson Hotel.

1954, Saturday, 5 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1955, Friday, 6 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club.

1956, Friday, 5:30 p.m., Larry Ihrig's, 6493 Sundance Terrace and Saturday, 6 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1957, Saturday, 7-8 p.m., Howard Johnson's pool area.

1958, Saturday, 2 p.m., Don Zimbelman's, 817 Washington.

1959, Saturday, 2 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club.

1960 and 1961, Saturday, 5 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Lounge, 824 Main.

1962, Saturday, 2 to 4 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1963, Saturday, 1:30 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club.

1964, Saturday, 2 to 4 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club.

1965, 1966 and 1971, Friday, 5 p.m., Sugar Hills Golf Club.

1967, Friday, 7 to 9 p.m., Gary and Ginny Schields', 603 Main.

1968, Friday, 5:30 p.m., Mary Humrich's, 623 W. 12th St.

1969 and 1970, Friday, 6 to 9 p.m., Randall Fixsen's warehouse, 4th and Caldwell.

1972, Saturday, 3 to 5 p.m., Chambers Park, 13th and Center.

1973, Saturday, afternoon, Gulick Park, under the Makita tent.

1974, 1975, 1978, 1979 and 1980, Saturday, 3 to 6 p.m., Old Gibson's Building, Intersection of Highways Business U.S. 24 and K-27.

1976, Friday, 7 p.m., Char Avila's, 624 Main, and Saturday, 2:30 p.m., Diana Slough's, 417 E 12th St.

1977, Friday, 5 p.m., Steever Park.

1981, Friday, 6 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

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## Alumni theme 'Time of your life'

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special guests including our honored class, the Class of 1956, and our royal court. At 10:00 a.m., we'll turn things over to "Three Ring Circus" a very popular Midwest band that will feature music, costumes, and commentary from the various decades. They are great musicians and performers and I think you're really going to enjoy them Saturday morning!

We hope to have YOU with us Aug. 10-12 for "The Time of Your Life!" It is our sincere hope that the 2006 SCHS Alumni Reunion will be exactly that for each and every one of our alumni members as you meet old friends, make new ones, and hopefully lots of memories!

Dale Schields  
GHS Class of 1963



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Director  
Class of 1950



Wilmer Bahe  
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Class of 1952



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Class of 1972



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# Goodland grad's finger on Denver's pulse

A Goodland graduate may have his finger on the pulse of potential development in Denver.

Larry Burgess, 64, a 1960 Sherman Community High School graduate, bought his first building on Brighton Boulevard in 1978, intending to just

have a little more money in his pocket for retirement. His continued purchases in the area have landed him in the middle of what could be Denver's "next big redevelopment corridor," said an article in *The Denver Post* business section in April.

Post staff writer Margaret Jackson gave this description of the neighborhood: "Run-down houses are squashed between industrial buildings, a testament to the area's long history of housing working families near their jobs."

But change is on the horizon. As part of the citywide planning process known as Blueprint Denver, Jackson wrote, the Brighton Boulevard area was designated as River North, affectionately known as RiNo.

It includes the Denargo Market neighborhood and extends northeast

to the Nestlé Purina plant.

The section of Brighton Boulevard is between 29th and 38th Avenue on the west side of the Union Pacific railroad tracks and east of I-25.

Developers best known for their transformation of Larimer Square have their sights set on the area, and a program manager for the city and county of Denver describes it as a potential "front door" to downtown.

Over the years since his 1978 purchase, Burgess bought another 18 buildings that were occupied by a tortilla factory, a machine shop, an au-

tomotive repair shop and a bar.

Burgess, a retired naval officer and former Lockheed Martin engineer, says he didn't have a plan for the properties. He viewed them as an investment.

"That first building," he said, "I bought so I'd have an extra \$300 a month in my pocket when I turned 60."

The city has identified the area as a natural place for growth because of its proximity to downtown and access to

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## Alumni classes plan parties

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1982, Friday, 7 p.m., Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade.

1983, Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Shad and Penny Sheldon's, 6404 Road 23.

1984, 1986 and 1987, Friday, 4 to 6 p.m., Bryce and Jessica Cole's shop, East Eighth St.

1985, Saturday, 2 p.m., Shad and Penny Sheldon's, 6404 Road 23.

1988, 1989, and 1990, Friday, 6 p.m. Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade (adults only) and Saturday, 4 to 6 p.m. Gulick Park, families.

1991, Saturday, 3:30 p.m., Dennis Bentzinger's, 6480 Road 18.

1992, Saturday, 5 p.m., Dan

Hayden's, 320 E. 15th St.

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Classes of 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1935, 1937, 1938, 1994, 1995, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006, no parties planned.

## Queen's life work has been helping children

**SUTTON, from Page 5**

still found time to finish her master's degree in elementary education from the University of Wyoming.

She then taught at Casper, Wyo., for four years. Her mother needed help, so she came back to Goodland. Sutton taught seven years at Kanorado until the school closed. She re-

tired in 1983 and took care of her mother until she went to the Good Samaritan Center

Later, she volunteered to help elementary physical education teacher Sandy Burr.

"Sandy was so good with the kids," Sutton recalled. "I only saw her get mad once. She's a wonderful lady and we still keep in touch."

Sutton retired from volunteering at the school in September 2005. The teachers gave her 44 lunch tickets so she could come and eat lunch with the kids.

She is still active at the Goodland Regional Medical Center Auxiliary, where she works two or three days a week, and the American Legion.

"I like to stay busy," Sutton said.

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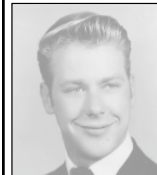
A collection of class photos and candid shots from the 1909 thru 2000.



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# Goodland graduate designs historic mural

The historic Free State Capitol in Topeka has a new historic mural on the temporary facade, which was designed by a former Goodland High School graduate.

Artist Cally (Kirby) Krallman, a Kanorado native and 1977 Goodland graduate, who lives in Topeka, was selected to design a historical mural of Constitution Hall for the Friends of the Free State Capitol in Topeka.

The mural shows federal troops breaking up the peaceful meeting of Free State legislators who were writing an anti-slavery constitution against the pro-slavery government based in LeCompton.

President Franklin Pierce ordered over 400 troops from Ft. Leavenworth and Ft. Riley, to break up the proceedings where a new State Constitution had been written forbidding slavery. This was on July 4th 1856, while Kansas was still a territory. Kansas later became a state in 1861. The conflict between proslavery and antislavery forces, which at times became violent, was what caused Kansas to be known as "Bleeding Kansas".

The mural is 14 feet x 70 feet and is

a temporary facade for the buildings proposed for restoration and eventually to be opened as a museum.

Krallman, with local volunteer artists and Washburn University art students worked on the mural for three weeks. A month earlier, Krallman researched period costume and local terrain to depict the prairie and its people as they would have appeared in 1856.

This was Krallman's first mural, but she is quite familiar with the Kansas landscape. She has been painting the region professionally for over 15 years. She recently started doing figurative painting with models dressed in (1850-1890) period costumes set out in the Kansas prairie, so the project was a good fit for her style of work she said.

"I have been painting in the Midwest, primarily Kansas for about 15 years," she said. "I have traveled to many places but I am still drawn to the simplistic beauty of Kansas.

"Many people think of Kansas as a flat agricultural state, but it is full of wonderful rolling hills, tree lined riv-



**See MURAL, Page 16**

Cally (Kirby) Krallman (right), a 1977 Goodland graduate, designed and helped paint a historic mural of Constitution Hall for the Friends of the Free State Capitol in Topeka.

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