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Newsletter for January 2021



Photo by Leon Volk

Kansas Begins Here!

****NOTICE****

- City Offices will be closed on January 18th during Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
- Note that the 2nd City Commission meeting of the month will be held January 19th because of the holiday.



****NOTICE****

The City is offering a free tag day for pets on Friday, January 15, 2021, 7am-4pm. City tags will be given to all pet owners who can provide current proof of rabies vaccination. Annual fees are also due for pit bull owners that have a special City permit.





The Animal House will be holding a vaccination clinic.
MUST have an appointment.
Please call 890-6166 for more information.

*Saturday, January 9, 2021

*Monday, January 11, 2021

As an affinity partner of AirMedCare Network, City of Goodland provides its water customers with discounted AMCN membership rates; which offer significant savings on standard and multi-year memberships. EagleMed is an AirMedCare Network participating provider--America's largest air medical membership network, providing financial coverage for emergency air medical transport.

Even with medical insurance, air medical transport can result in significant out-of-pocket expenses; however an AMCN membership ensures no out-of-pocket expenses for medically necessary flights if flown by an AMCN provider.

Current members--as a thank you for your support, you are eligible to renew at the discounted rate, plus we have implemented a referral program where you can earn up to a free year of membership!

To begin membership, applications for may be picked up at City Hall or by calling Nate Brown at (785) 216-9087.

High Plains Museum Happenings

You may have noticed some changes at the High Plains Museum recently. Thanks to the Dane G. Hansen Foundation, the Sherman County Community Foundation and 2019 Match Day Donors, the museum has begun renovating the entryway. This included a new exterior wall, two sets of handicapped accessible doors, new flooring, new LED lights, drywall on the interior walls and photograph wraps depicting early scenes of Sherman County life. The project is about three-quarters completed and we are very excited to have a more efficient and attractive entrance.





New Exhibit at High Plains Museum



The High Plains Museum has a hunting exhibit currently on display and will be up through February.

The exhibit features animals and fish that are found in the area and explores the animals' habitats, why we hunt the way we hunt, and how hunting benefits the environment. Several taxidermy animals are on display as well as histories of Deac Dillion, a firearms master, and the Rabbit Drives that were held in Sherman County during the Dust Bowl days.

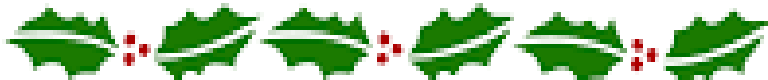

The High Plains Museum would like to thank the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism office in Colby, Kenton Keith, Levi WasseMiller, Jason Artzer, Jon Yost, Scott Gilmer and the Berls' Family for helping make this exhibit possible.



Cold Weather On The Way

Here Are Some Safety Tips...

- ❖ Wear layers of clothing to stay warm. Gloves and a hat will help prevent losing your body heat.
- ❖ Don't forget your pets! Bring them indoors or make sure they have enough shelter to stay warm and that they can get to unfrozen water.
- ❖ Protect your pipes. Wrap any outdoor pipes to insulate them.
- ❖ If you are using a space heater, place it on a level, hard surface and keep anything flammable at least three feet away (clothing, bedding, curtains, rugs, etc).
- ❖ If you use a fireplace, use a glass or metal screen large enough to catch any sparks.
- ❖ Turn off space heaters and make sure fireplace embers are out before leaving the room or going to bed.
- ❖ Never use a stove or oven to heat your home.
- ❖ Check on elderly friends and relatives as they are more susceptible to the cold.



THANK YOU

The City Office would like to thank everyone that helped to open Santa's Schoolhouse this year. We greatly appreciate the efforts of everyone to make this event possible!

Thank you to Santa for making special visits to the schoolhouse and a big thanks to the Sherman County Community Foundation for helping to bring in a few of Santa's reindeer! We also extend great appreciation to Hometown Furniture for donating a new chair for Santa and to Goodland Lion's Club for sponsoring the goodie bags. Our Parks Department and Power Plant stepped up to help with decorations and sleigh repair, as well. What a great community we have! It was special to continue this event during this challenging year and it was a joy to see all of the smiles!

