Resource Guide

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Christian Food Bank

Warehouse · Open

Food Bank
111 W 4th St, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672–5150 , 672–6631, 672–9379

After hours emergency only:
(620) 672–5042

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http://www.prmc.org/communityresources/index.php

Community Resources

The agencies listed in this section are available to help you connect with resources for concerns ranging from health care and meal services to religious worship and senior needs. To locate assistance for a specific concern, choose from the “Select a Service Category” window below.

Select a Service Category

––Select Category–– Abuse/Violence, Adoption, Alcohol & Drug Education/Counseling, Children/Youth Services, Children/Youth Services, Child Care & Protection, Churches, Clothing, Disabled Services, Domestic Services, Environmental Health, Family Planning, Clinics & Programs, Food and/or Meal Assistance, Food Stamps, Foster Parenting, Health Education, Home Health Services, Housing, Illness, Education & Support, Immunization Clinics, Job Preparation Programs, Medical Equipment, Mental Health Services, Newborn Home Visit Program, Nutrition Counseling, Pratt Area Clubs & Organizations, Pratt County Emergency Food Bank, Schools ,Senior Services, Services for the Blind, Shut–in Meals, Terminally Ill Special In–home Services, Transportation, Utility Assistance Wellness Programs

Social Resources are ever changing. As new services appear and existing services narrow or broaden, changes will occur. Every effort has been made to ensure that the information presented here is accurate. If you wish to inform us of any changes, or if your agency wishes to be included in the next update, please contact Colleen Winkel, LBSW, ACSBW, Social Service Manager, Pratt Regional Medical Center, 200 Commodore, Pratt, KS 67124, (620) 450–1413.

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Guide To Community Services

A guide to state and local agencies that can provide a vast array
of services and assistance to Kansans.

http://www.srskansas.org/ISD/community_services/Pratt.htm

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Sep 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1456

Greensburg Future Fund (South Central Community Foundation)

Donor · Open

Community
P.O. Box 8624, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672–7929
Web www.southcentralcommunityfoundation.com/SCCF/web–content/index.html

From the SCCF Website/Press Release:

GREENSBURG FUTURE FUND ESTABLISHED

Pratt elementary school students Hazen and Sevren Hance are among the first contributors to a new Greensburg rebuilding fund established at the South Central Community Foundation. The 8–year old third grader and 6–year–old kindergartener contributed $60 for recess toys for the children of Greensburg , along with their parents Robin and Evan Hance, Pratt.

“We have established the Greensburg Future Fund for the purpose of helping Greensburg rebuild their community,” said Jack Galle, chairman of the SCCF Board of Directors. “We have received numerous inquiries

from individuals and organizations about providing donations for Greensburg .

"We recognize that many organizations are providing disaster relief for Greensburg ," Galle added. “However, this fund is different because it is designed to help the community rebuild. This will be a long and painful process. Kansans want to help their neighbors, and we believe this fund will provide a vehicle for all of us to stand by our friends at Greensburg as they rebuild their town, their schools, their livelihoods and their way of life.”

SCCF is a community foundation whose seven–county area includes Kiowa County . SCCF Executive Director Denise Unruh said the Greensburg Future Fund is a "pass through" fund, and 100 percent of the donated dollars would go to Greensburg projects.

Checks should be made payable to "South Central Community Foundation" with a memo to "Greensburg Future Fund.” Donors can earmark the contributions for "education," "health care" or "community rebuilding.” The mailing address is:

South Central Community Foundation
P.O. Box 8624
Pratt, KS 67124

Donations are eligible for charitable income tax deductions, Unruh said.

Disaster relief dollars should be sent directly to the American Red Cross, Salvation Army and similar programs, Unruh said. The Greensburg Future Fund is designed for community rebuilding.

“The SCCF board recognizes there are also many rural families along the path of the tornado’s destruction who will need assistance,” Unruh added. “Our foundation includes other counties affected by the weekend storms, including Stafford County and northwest Pratt County. We are still looking for ideas about how best to help our rural neighbors.”

“Another option within SCCF is to make contributions to the endowed funds for Kiowa County , Stafford County and Pratt County , where the principal is invested and the earnings are granted each year,” Unruh said. Donations to these funds are matched by the Kansas Health Foundation at the rate of one dollar for every two dollars donated, Unruh said.

For more information, contact Unruh at SCCF, 620–672–7929.

What Greensburg Teachers Need

Kansas National Education Association is among many organizations working to provide support and services. When Greensburg is ready, KNEA will be donating books from the KNEA Reading Circle Catalogue. Meanwhile, teacher leaders from Enterprise, Alabama, have offered their assistance. NEA has also offered help.

Greensburg plans to start school in mid–August regardless of how many are living in Greensburg at the time. The district is planning to bus displaced students and staff to Greensburg from Pratt, Bucklin, Kinsley and Coldwater. During the faculty meeting on the last day of school in May, Superintendent Darin Headrick thanked the staff for their courage. "The future will be fun," he said. "It's not fun today, but it's going to be great." New buildings are slated to be moved in by mid–July.

Please do not send anything to Greensburg at this time. They do not have the storage capacity for school supplies, clothing, etc. Kansas National Education Association is working with school officials and will post a list of needed school supplies and curricula. Officials won’t be able to determine what is needed or accept shipments until at least July. KNEA is working

with area teachers/administrators to find a location and a distribution process. Specific school needs will be announced at the appropriate time.

A fund for the SCHOOL DISTRICT to assist staff and students has been created. Checks should be made payable to "South Central Community Foundation" with a memo to "Greensburg Future Fund." Donors can earmark the contributions for "education" or for specific school needs such as art supplies or textbooks. Donations are eligible for charitable income tax deduction.

KNEA is collecting notes and letters to students and staff. Please specify grade or subject area, if preferred. Email: kneanews@knea.org – in subject area: Notes for Greensburg teachers/students or via postal service:

Greensburg Students
c/o KNEA
PO Box 1616
Dodge City, KS

Link to photos of destroyed Greensburg Schools:

http://ks.nea.org/news/2007/greensburgphotos.html

South Central Community Foundation

The South Central Community Foundation has established the Greensburg Future Fund to raise money for the rebuilding of the community. The idea for the fund in part came from two Pratt children, Hazen and Sevren Hance, who wanted to donate money for the purchase of playground equipment for Greensburg students, said Porter Loomis, president of the Peoples Bank in Pratt. Donations to the fund can be made by mail to:

Greensburg Future Fund,
South Central Community Foundation
P.O. Box 8624, Pratt, KS 67124

For more information, call foundation executive director: Denise Unruh at 620–672–7929.

From the Staff at USD422/Greensburg High School website:

Greensburg Future Fund Established by Staff

May 08, 2007

A fund has been set up (should be open by noon on May 8, 2007) to help with the disaster in Greensburg. After many calls and offers of help and donations for the school, we have set up a fund through South Central Community Foundation. The fund is called the Greensburg Future Fund and will allow people to donate towards the future of education in Greensburg, as well as health and community rebuild.

If you have any questions about this fund or would like to make a donation, please contact Denise Unruh at 620–672–7929.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1422

Greensburg, KS Area Lodging

Info/Hotline · Open

Business
Pratt, KS
Web www.prattkan.com/lodging.html

5/10/07 Leslie T: I called all 7 motels in PRATT, KS for availibility. My assessment is below:

Site: http://www.prattkan.com/lodging.html

Evergreen Inn
(620) 672–6431 · 1–800–456–6424
20001 W. U.S. Hwy. 54, Pratt, KS 67124
Located next to Rick's Restaurant (Family style diner) 602–672–3681
The Evergreen also has 14 RV hookups that include: water, sewer, electricity, cable, shower and laundry facilities.
ALL 25 RV SPOTS BOOKED THROUGH SUMMER '07 – MOST BEING USED BY GREENSBURG EVACUEES – THEY DON'T WANT TO RESERVE ANY OF THESE SPOTS (EVEN IF THEY OPEN UP) TO KEEP THEM AVAILABLE TO GREENSBURG RESIDENTS / THEY HAVE 2 ROOMS AVAILABLE SUN. 5/13/07 OTHERWISE THEY ARE BOOKED / MOST OCCUPANTS ARE FEMA EMPLOYEES CURRENTLY IN THE MOTEL

Economy Inn
1401 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
ATTEMPTED # LISTED ON MANY WEBSITES FOR THIS HOTEL – IT's THE WRONG #

Days Inn
(620) 672–9465 · 1–800–329–7466
1901 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
DAYS INN IS LIKELY THE BEST BET – THEY HAVE "SOME AVAILIBILITY – IT'S HIT & MISS"

Budget Inn
(620) 672–6468
Email: www.prattbudgetinn@cox.net
1631 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
CURRENTLY BOOKED THROUGH NEXT WEEK (5/18/07)

Super 8
(620) 672–5945
Reservations: 1–800–800–8000
1906 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 6/07

Leisure Hotel
(620) 672_9433 · 1–866–343–2600
Email: info@prattleisurehotel.com
1401 W. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 5/07

Econo Lodge
(620)672–6407 · 1_800_336_2279
1336 E. First, Pratt, KS 67124
BOOKED THROUGH 5/07

DODGE CITY LODGING:

Budget Host Inn
2200 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801

Comfort Inn
2000 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
Hotel – 2 floors, 54 rooms – AAA 2 Diamonds
Heated indoor swimming pool – exercise room
No pets allowed

Holiday Inn Express
2320 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
Hotel – 2 floors, 63 rooms – AAA 3 Diamonds
Heated indoor swimming pool – exercise room
Pet–friendly hotel – click & read – $25 per stay pet fee

Super 8 Motel
1708 West Wyatt Earp Blvd
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 225-3924
Cheap hotel – AAA 2 Diamonds
Swimming pool

Travelodge – Silver Spur Lodge
1510 W Wyatt Earp Blvd.
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 227-2125

Boothill Bed & Breakfast
603 W Spruce
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 225-0111

Moose Lodge
Minneola Rd.
Dodge City, KS 67801
(620) 227-6812

MINNEOLA, KS LODGING:

Tucker Motel & Rv Park
109 S Oak St.
Minneola, KS, 67865-8553
(620) 885-4248

BUCKLIN, KS LODGING:

Westside Motel
W Highway 54
Bucklin, KS 67834
(620) 826-3224

ST. JOHN, KS LODGING:

Country Inn Motel
Rr 2
Saint John, KS 67576
(620) 549-6300

Loof Lodge
700 E First Ave.
Saint John, KS 67576
(620) 549-3476

KINSLEY, KS LODGING:

Midway Inn
(620) 659-2277
Rr 1 Box 50
Kinsley, KS 67547

MEDICINE LODGE, BARBER COUNTY, KS LODGING:

Copa Budget Host Inn
620) 886-5673
Jct. Highway 281 & We
Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

Lodge Inn
(620) 886-3080
Highway 281 N.
Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

STAFFORD, KS LODGING:

Henderson House Bed & Breakfast
201 Green St.
Stafford, KS 67578
(620) 234-6048

Kountry Korner Motel
620) 234–5232
506 Martin Avenue
Stafford, KS 67578

PROTECTION, KS LODGING:

Protection Motel
236 N Broadway
Protection, KS 67127
(620) 622–4814

COLDWATER, KS LODGING:

Commanche Motel
204 S Central
Coldwater, KS 67029
(620) 582–2104

GREAT BEND, KS LODGING:

Travelodge
(620) 792–7219
3200 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Travelers Budget Inn
(620) 793–5448
4200 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Super 8 Motel of Great Bend
(620) 793–8486
3500 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Days Inn
(620) 792–8235
4701 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Economy Inn of America
(620) 792–4307
1015 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

Best Western Angus Inn
(620) 792–3541
2920 Tenth Street
Great Bend, KS 67530

America's Best Value Inn
(620) 793–8486
3500 Tenth
Great Bend, KS 67530

KIOWA, KS (BARBER COUNTY)

The Guest Lodge
(620) 825–4431
505 Miller Street
Kiowa, KS 67070

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); RV Hook–Ups
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1440

J.C. Foods Building (Kansas Food Bank/Salvation Army/Adventist Community Services)

Warehouse · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
201 S. Jackson Street, Pratt, KS

The Adventist Community Services Disaster Response Team from the Kansas–Nebraska Conference (John Treolo, Kansas–Nebraska ACS Director, and Janice Weeks, Kansas–Nebraska ACS Disaster Relief Coordinator) arrived on Monday, May 7. A warehouse/distribution center has been set up in Pratt, Kansas (32 miles away) in the old J.C. Foods Building at 201 S. Jackson Street. It is a joint operation between Adventist Community Services, Kansas Food Bank and the Salvation Army. Adventist Community Services organized and is currently managing the warehouse/distribution center until May 24, when the Salvation Army will assume management and continue services.

Adventist Community Services/Disaster Relief"

GREENSBURG, KANSAS TORNADO
Contact: Sherry Watts, Administrative Assistant to Joe Watts, National Director Adventist Community Services Disaster Response
817–641–7679 – office
and
John Treolo, Director
Kansas–Nebraska Conference Communication/Community Services
785.478.4726 (office)
www.ks–ne.org

5/11/07 VOAD Meeting in Haviland, KS:

Adventis Community Services is helping manage the JC Foods Bldg. Warehouse in cooperation with the KS Food Bank and Salvation Army. NO MORE CLOTHING NEEDED. They had to turn down 2 semi trucks full of water from Indiana. Accepting any donated goods EXCEPT clothes and water.

OPEN TO AGENCIES AND CLIENTS

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Water, Bottles (8 oz.)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; Salvation Army; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1463

Our Saviors First Lutheran Church (LDR)

Info/Hotline · Open

Church
Second and Thompson, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone (620) 672–6203
Checks payable to LCMS World Relief and Human Care

Per call to Rocky Mease/Lutheran Chaplain for Our Saviors 5/10:

Currently has a team cleaning up the Peace Lutheran Church in Greensburg (See private/internal use contact notes for additional details)

Our Saviors Lutheran Church
Second and Thompson
P.O. Box 192
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Rev. Timothy J. Henning

Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains
From <NEWS@ELCA.ORG>
Date Mon, 7 May 2007 17:20:08 –0500

Title: Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains
ELCA NEWS SERVICE

May 7, 2007

Lutherans Assess Storm Damage in U.S. Great Plains 07–080–MRC

CHICAGO (ELCA) –– Preliminary damage assessments are under way after severe storms struck the U.S. Great Plains May 5–6. At least 10 people were killed and dozens of others were injured as storms spawned about 75 tornado touchdowns in Kansas and Oklahoma, according to Heather L. Feltman, executive director, Lutheran Disaster Response –– a collaborative ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod (LCMS).

"The majority of the media coverage for these storms has focused on Greensburg, Kansas," said Feltman. About 90 percent of the town's infrastructure was lost. Greensburg is closed except to its 1,500 residents and search and rescue teams. Disaster response volunteers are not being allowed access while the emergency phase of the disaster continues, she said.

Roger Kruger, Lutheran Disaster Response coordinator, traveled to the affected region May 7 to perform initial assessments and to connect with disaster partners in the area. On May 8 local Lutheran clergy and representatives from the LCMS Kansas District and ELCA Central States Synod will gather at Our Saviors Lutheran Church, Pratt, Kan., to discuss the immediate and long–term needs of affected communities. Our Saviors Lutheran is a congregation of the LCMS.

"Lutheran Disaster Response is prepared to offer assistance, as needed, in the form of emergency hardship grants and spiritual and emotional care. Once the town has been reopened, we will also be working in coordination with local congregations to coordinate volunteer teams for debris removal and clean–up. Plans are being made for volunteer teams to begin working this weekend. After an initial assessment has been completed, we will help to organize residents in meeting long–term unmet needs and volunteer coordination will likely continue through the rebuilding phase," said Feltman.

"We lift up in prayer those who (have) lost loved ones and suffered property damage in this sudden and tragic event. With the understanding that the loss of life could have been much more widespread, we also offer prayers of thanksgiving for the warning systems that aided the residents of Greensburg in preparing for the incoming storm," she said. – – –

(From the Lutheran Church MO Synod website:

Update From Greensburg Ground Zero
May 7

Rev. Tim Henning and members of Peace Lutheran Church in Greensburg, Kansas, were salvaging what remained of their homes and church Monday. LCMS World Relief and Human Care Director of Disaster Response Rev. Glenn Merritt and Director of Districts and Congregations Rev. Carlos Hernandez were by their sides providing pastoral care and assurance that the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod will accompany them as “one people” through this devastating loss.

The tornado, which struck Friday night, has claimed nine lives so far. Peace Lutheran was destroyed and at least 13 member families lost their homes.

“360–degrees in every direction it’s a massive debris field,” said Merritt. “[The destruction] is even more [complete] than Katrina, if you can believe that.”

He watched Rev. Tim Henning, pastor at Peace, and a few members recover the church register. “Nothing else was salvageable,” said Merritt.

He also watched a family, members at Peace, sort through the belongings strewn about their basement.

Insurance companies have not arrived in Greensburg, and while many people Merritt spoke with are in too much shock to talk about the future, two families said they will not rebuild.

“The town is about a mile wide; the tornado was about 1.7 miles wide,” said Merritt. “There’s no town. It covered the entire town.”

In response, LCMS World Relief and Human Care granted an initial $30,000 to provide for emergency needs and temporary relocation for families of Peace. The grant will be administered by Our Savior Lutheran Church in Pratt, Kansas, located 30–miles from Greensburg, where Rev. Henning is also pastor.

LCMS World Relief and Human Care will also match donations up to $200,000. To make a donation, send checks to:

LCMS World Relief and Human Care
P.O. Box 66861
St. Louis, MO 63166–9810,

marked “Kansas tornadoes”. Credit card donations are accepted by calling 1–888–930–4438.
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; Lutheran Disaster Response
Updated May 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1418

Pratt Community College

School · Open

School
348 Ne Sr 61, Pratt, KS 67124

Phone	(620)672–9800 – 1–800–794–3091(KS Only)
Web	www.pcc.cc.ks.us
Checks payable to	Pratt Community College C/O Phi Thetta Kappa

PCC Scholarships:

Pratt Community College will provide scholarships for tuition and books to students and families who have been displaced by the tornado.

The deadlines to receive the scholarships are:

June 1 for summer and July 1 for fall

Contact: Lynn Perez, Director of Admissions, at 620–450–2222

Several Pratt Community College students were affected by the tornado that ripped through Greensburg and Macksville on Friday, May 4. PCC is doing everything possible to accommodate these students and their families, as well as all individuals affected.

Administrators and faculty are working with current students on an individual basis to complete their semester coursework. An extension for finals, as well as other options, is available. Students should contact Jim Stratford at 620–450–2121 at their convenience to establish what will work for them.

PCC is providing housing to families of students whose homes were destroyed, and they will be housing American Red Cross volunteers beginning Monday, May 14 if housing is needed. In addition, PCC has offered its facilities to Greensburg high school to utilize for graduation exercises and its athletic equipment to their sport teams participating in district and state competitions.

Students and faculty members are assisting as possible. PCC nursing faculty are currently in the shelters addressing health concerns and providing medical care. Some students and employees are assisting with recovery and clean–up efforts, and students in Phi Theta Kappa are collecting monetary donations, as well as needed goods for PCC students affected. Contributions to the PCC student fund can be sent to:

Pratt Community College
c/o Phi Theta Kappa
348 NE SR 61
Pratt, KS 67124

Services offered: Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Tuition (School); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated May 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1448

Pratt County Humane Society

Animal Shelter · Open

Non–Profit
1402 W. 1st Street, Pratt, KS 67124

Phone	620–672–6777
Web	members.tripod.com/pratt_humane_society/pratt_humane_society
Checks payable to	Pratt County Humane Society

UPDATE 6/1/07"

Spoke with Kirk w/UAN at the Pratt Humane Society:

"We do NOT need any supplies or volunteers at this time. The quarantine has been extended until 6/15/07. It is up to the state of KS to organize fostering programs for Greensburg animals."

Spoke with Donna Law 5/31/07 with Mutts & Mutts. She is holding off on shipping donations until there is a go ahead from UAN. Will be checking with the Lawrence, KS shelter to see if they have any needs.

UAN 2007 Press Release

Kansas Animal Health Department, UAN, Join Forces to Care for Animals Displaced by Greensburg Tornadoes

PRATT, KANSAS (May 30, 2007) – The Kansas Animal Health Department; United Animal Nations (UAN) and the State Animal Rescue Team (SART) are working to help the Pratt County Humane Society care for an influx of animals displaced by recent tornadoes in Greensburg and to contain an outbreak of canine parvovirus at the shelter.

According to Debra Duncan, Director of the Animal Facilities Inspection Program with the Kansas Animal Health Department, Pratt County Humane Society staff offered to care for 108 dogs and cats displaced by the May 4 tornadoes until they could be reunited with their families or adopted into new homes. But shelter staff and volunteers soon became overwhelmed by the additional animals.

Duncan asked United Animal Nations to provide animal care and sheltering assistance for all of the animals at the shelter through its volunteer–driven Emergency Animal Rescue Service. Currently several volunteers with UAN are providing direct care to the animals; at least 20 more are expected to arrive in the coming days.

“This is a small shelter with a very dedicated group of volunteers, and they quickly became overwhelmed by dozens of additional animals,” Duncan said of the Pratt County Humane Society. “The Kansas Animal Health Department and United Animal Nations are working together to help the shelter and the community through this crisis.”

“UAN has a 20–year track record of providing emergency sheltering to animals displaced by natural disasters,” said UAN President and CEO Nicole Forsyth. “With our network of 3,200 volunteers in the United States and Canada, we are prepared to give these animals the tender loving care they so desperately need until this crisis is over.”

The Kansas Animal Health Department placed the Pratt County Humane Society under quarantine on May 25 after several dogs were diagnosed with parvovirus, a highly contagious canine disease. Members of the

public are asked to avoid dropping off any animals at the Pratt County Humane Society shelter until the quarantine is lifted on or around June 10.

“We are being exceptionally cautious and taking every step possible to prevent the spread of this disease and to treat any dogs who become ill,” Duncan said. “Parvovirus is very common in animal shelters and the dogs who came in from Greensburg were already stressed and vulnerable.”

Symptoms of parvovirus include lethargy, vomiting, lack of appetite, stomach discomfort and diarrhea. Puppies are extremely vulnerable. If your dog is exhibiting signs of parvovirus, contact your veterinarian immediately.

DO NOT SEND OR DELIVER ANY SUPPLIES TO THIS FACILITY WITHOUT CALLING FIRST FOR A CURRENT NEEDS LIST!

SENDING DONATIONS THEY DO NOT NEED IS MORE A BURDEN THAN A HELP!

Please consider monetary donations as this way they can make local purchases as the needs arise!

EMAIL UPDATE 5/20/07:

HI Leslie,
I am back from Pratt/Greensburg. While visiting the Pratt Humane Soc. day before yesterday, a large storage bldg. was delivered for the storage of recieved supplies.
The 45' semi trailer is now in place at the Humane Soc. grounds in Pratt, plus a small box truck/trailer. They appear to be in pretty good shape. What I can see and am concerned about now is volunteers to care, play and walk these dogs in the dog runs. A few have been identified by their owners, but many have not. I am going to put out a notice today for the surrounding areas. Thank you for the help, I will keep you posted and be sending pic.soon. Jan.

UPDATE 5/18/07:

Received a call from Bayer Animal Health and they spoke with Director Lance Noakes at the Pratt Humane Society about their animal meds needs.

In the next couple days they are shipping the following:

Animal Antibiotics
Advantage products
Baytril

My contact advises to just give her a call if there are any additional needs and they'd be happy to keep them supplied.

Leslie Teltoe

UPDATE 5/17/07 VIA CALL TO JAN PETERS:

30 cats and 40 dogs were moved by state employees and National Guardsman yesterday (5/16/07) from Greensburg to the Pratt Humane Society. Many of the cats were filtered over to an empty portion of a local Pratt Veterinary Clinic temporarily until the cat house is built.

They have been able to put up 30 dog runs. They still need assistance/volunteers to help build the cat house!

Jan is meeting with Red Cross today, and will call me in the next 24 hours to give me a general update on pet rescue and any additional information she can glean.

Posted Tues. 5/15/07
Pratt animal shelter requests help, supplies

BY AMANDA O'TOOLE
The Wichita Eagle

The Pratt County Humane Society is asking for more donations and more help.

Jan Peters, a Wichitan who has been coordinating volunteers and donation collection, said animals will be moved to Pratt tomorrow and that the shelter needs a place to keep the cats.

She said volunteer electricians, plumbers and carpenters are needed to build the cat space. Also, 10 volunteers are needed to help with the move from Greensburg to Pratt tomorrow, she said.

Among the items the shelter is requesting:

• Eight large igloo–style dog shelters

• 40 five–gallon buckets

• Cat litter boxes

• Cat litter

• Cleaning supplies, including paper towels and trash bags.

Peters said she'll be coordinating drop–off locations somewhere in Wichita but would like people to call her before they donate to make sure there aren't duplicate donations.

To volunteer or donate, call Peters at 316–871–9892.

UPDATE 5/14/07:

Mike Hill, Pratt County Humane Society Board Member indicated that their current most urgent needs are monitary donations and volunteers. They are currently housing 26 dogs, 54 adult cats, and 20 kittens. They are putting up a temporary building to house these animals.

Volunteers are desperately needed to clean kennels and cages, walk dogs, provide attention and love to the animals as well as sorting donations.

They also need a tractor trailer to deliver donations from Michigan. Please contact DONNA with 'Mutts & Mutts Animal Rescue League' at: 313–778–2262 if you can help bring these supplies to Kansas (See their facility entry in the database).

Cleaning supplies are also a high priority.

Lost Pets Wait to be Claimed
BY DIANE MCCARTNEY
The Wichita Eagle/5/12/07

While more than half of the dogs and cats found after the Greensburg tornado have been reunited with their owners, some are still waiting to be identified and taken home.

"I have a few concerns with house dogs that no one has even asked about yet," said Lance Noakes, executive director of the Pratt County Humane Society.

They include dogs like "Survivor," a female miniature schnauzer that Noakes said is "too perfect not to have an owner."

The dog is well–behaved, crate–trained and "just had a haircut," Noakes said, and no one has come looking for her.

Are the owners in the hospital? "Have they passed away and we just don't know? Are they out of town?" Noakes asked. "We haven't had anybody yet looking for a full–blooded schnauzer, so we know something's wrong somewhere."

Of the more than 200 animals found in and around Greensburg since the tornado hit on May 4, about 35 dogs and more than 55 cats are still waiting to be claimed, said Alice Bailey, manager of the Pratt County Humane Society.

A story in Friday's Eagle that said all but 10 pets had been reunited with their owners was incorrect, Bailey said.

The unclaimed dogs and cats are being kept at what Noakes called "Doggie Central" –– at the Kansas Department of Transportation building in Greensburg.

"We're trying to keep them centralized, in one location," he said, so "as people come to town looking for their stuff, they can look for their dogs."

Bailey said a few injured dogs and cats were still showing up Friday, some brought in by their owners for a check by the veterinarians on site.

"We're just excited that people are cleaning through the rubble and finding their live animals underneath it all," she said.

Unfortunately, Bailey said, she had not heard anything about the black Labrador that was found under rubble near the Big Well on Thursday, six days after the tornado. A story in the Eagle Friday said the dog appeared slightly injured, but had eluded rescuers.

Most dogs and cats came through the tornado "in amazingly good condition," said Bill Skaer, a Wichita veterinarian who helped with animal rescue efforts in Greensburg.

Most of the injuries he saw were relatively minor, Skaer said: broken legs, lacerations and dogs with torn pads on their feet.

Although Noakes said he had no count of how many animals might have been killed in the tornado, he said he personally did not find any dead dogs or cats.

"I was sure I would come across one that wasn't alive," he said. "I never did."

It's possible more animals will be found as workers move the wreckage, he said.

People missing their pets can look for them at the KDOT building until Wednesday, when they will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society.

Some of the unclaimed pets are already listed on the Pals Animal Rescue Web site, at www.palsrescue.org (click on Greensburg Disaster Animals), and more will be added this weekend, said Pals director Ellen Querner, who has been helping with animal rescue efforts.

Bailey said a similar listing service will be set up on Petfinder.com.

It's expected that some of the dogs and cats will have to be put up for adoption.

"A lot of these animals are not going to be reclaimed," Querner said. "If people have no place to go, they have no place to take them."

For "Survivor," the displaced miniature schnauzer, finding a new home won't be a problem, should her former owners fail to claim her.

"There's already a waiting list of people who want to take her," said Mike Hill, a volunteer at the Pratt County Humane Society. "She's a sweetheart."

HOW TO HELP

Officials at the Pratt County Humane Society said they do not need any more donations of dog food but may need cat food and cat litter. They ask that people not send anything now but call 620–672–6777 to see when the food, litter or other donations might be needed.

Monetary donations can be sent to the Pratt County Humane Society, 1402 W. First, Pratt, KS 67124.

TO GET HELP

The animals found and held in Greensburg will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society on Wednesday and held for 30 days. If individuals are unable to pick up their animals, other boarding arrangements will be made. Call the Humane Society at 620–672–6777 for details.

Greensburg residents can get free dog and cat food by calling 620–723–2897.

To claim your pet you need to call the:

Pratt Humane Society
1402 W. 1st Street
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6777

We are located on a dirt road running parallel to Highway 54 in Pratt, Kansas (about 1/2 way between Wichita and Dodge City). At the west end of town turn north at the Kwik Shop, drive over the railroad tracks, turn west directly after the tracks and drive about a 1/2 mile. You will find us in a small white building on the north side of the road.

Central Kansas Veterinary Center in South Hutchinson is also accepting donations for the Pratt Humane Society. Central Kansas is currently treating five of the displaced animals. The address of CKVC is:

Central Kansas Veterinary Center
515 W. Blanchard
South Hutchinson, KS 67505

Animal Assistance:
Animals found following the tornado will be moved to the Pratt County Humane Society where they will stay for 30 days. If people cannot pick up their animal, other arrangements will be made to house them.

For more information call (620) 672–6777

Greensburg residents can get free dog and cat food by calling:
(620) 723–2897

Inquiries regarding livestock or other companion animals can be made by calling the same number.

(old note – PLEASE SEE THE KS STATE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION Facility for updated information)
The Kansas Animal Disaster team is also recruiting veterinarians and volunteers from across Kansas to help animals hurt in the tornado. Call: (316) 990–4667 if you want to help.

Services offered: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Care, Foster Homes, Dogs & Cats, Volunteer; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Food, FREE Dog & Cat Food; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter
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Pratt County, Kansas

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County
Pratt, KS

PRATT STORES:

Home Lumber & Supply Company
(620) 672–9444
803 N Main Street
Pratt, KS

Wal–Mart Supercenter
620) 672–7548
1801 E 1st Street
Pratt, KS

Mead Lumber Do–It Center
(620) 672–7732
1500 E 1st St.
Pratt, KS 67124

American Red Cross
(620) 672–3651
114 N Main St.
Pratt, KS 67124

Mail delivery:
Customers served by the Greensburg Post Office can pick up their mail and obtain retail services at the Pratt Post Office, 202 E. 3rd St., 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m., Monday–Friday. The office will be open for mail pick up services only from 8 a.m.– 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays. Rural deliveries will be made wherever it is safe and possible to do so. Customers the rural carrier is unable to reach will need to pick up their mail from the Pratt Post Office.

Drivers licenses:
A mobile station has been established in Haviland for residents to replace drivers' licenses. For information call Freda Warfield at the Department of Revenue, 785–296–3042. Car titles for residents of Kiowa County are available at the Pratt County Treasurer's office in the courthouse.

Food stamps:
Apply at the SRS office in Pratt, located on the second floor of the Texas Energies Building, 400 South Main.

Unemployment assistance:
Federal Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) is available for workers affected by the tornado. Those who may be eligible include self–employed individuals, farm workers, those who are unable to work because of injury from the disaster, those whose workplace is closed and those who become the major financial support due to death of the head of the household. Applications may be completed at the Disaster Center in the gymnasium at Barclay College. Kansas Department of Labor staff will be on site May 9, 10, and 11 and applications must be filed by June 5. Applications can also be obtained by calling 1–800–292–6333.

Small business loans:
Low–interest loans from the Small Business Administration will be available to cover residential and business loses not fully compensated by insurance. Residents and business owners sustaining losses can begin applying for help online at www.fema.gov or by calling 1–800–621–FEMA.

Pratt Police Dept.
303 S. Oak St

Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-5551

PRATT COUNTY KS/MEDICAL FACILITIES:

Pratt Regional Medical Center
200 Commodore
Pratt, KS 67124
(620)672-7451
NOTES: Kiowa County Regional Medical Center evacuated most of it's patients to this medical facility

South Wind Hospice Inc.
920 E. First / P.O. Box 862
(620) 672-7553
Fax: (620) 672-7554
Email: swhospic@pratt.net

Family Practice
Pratt Family Practice
· Gene Cannata, M.D.
· John Wakon Fowler, M.D.
· Robert E. Wray, D.O.
203 Watson, Ste. 200
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-7422
Fax: (620) 672-5980

South Central KS Bone & Joint Center
203 Watson, Ste. 300
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-1002
Fax: (620) 672-7268

Internal Medicine
Pratt Internal Medicine Group
420 Country Club Rd
Pratt, KS 67124
· Alan Pribil, M.D.
· Jennifer Jackson, M.D.
· Barbara Cudney, M.D.
(620) 672-7417

American Cancer Society
118 S. Pearl
St. John, KS 67576
(620) 549_6554
Vickie Miller

PRATT, KS MENTAL/HEALTH & COUNSELING FACILITIES:

Horizons Mental Health
101 E. Eighth
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672-2332
Fax: (620) 672-3162
horizons@pratt.net

Cornerstone Family Consultation
400 S Main, #10
Pratt, KS 67124
(620)388-1750
Fax: (620)672-5864

Crossing Counseling and Consulting
Monica Hendershot, LSCSW
318 S Main St
Pratt, KS 67124

(620) 672–6168
crossingscounsel@sbcglobal.net

The Counseling Center
501 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–7546

South Central KS Foundation
on Chemical Dependency Inc.
501 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–7546
Fax: (620) 672–7148

PRATT COUNTY CARE FACILITIES:

Parkwood Village Assisted Living
401 Rochester
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–5541
Fax: (620) 672–2123

Friendship Manor
Nursing Care Facility
1221 Larimer
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6541
Fax: (620) 672–5599
Email: friendshipmanor@la.com

Lakewood Senior Living,
Nursing Care Facility
1221 Larimer
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–6541
Fax: (620) 672–5599

Pratt Regional Living Center
Nursing Care Facility
227 S. Howard
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–3424
Fax: (620) 672–7017
jcline@prmc.org

PRATT COUNTY, KS – CHURCHES:

All Saints Episcopal Church
218 N. Main
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2308
Pastor: Rev. Karen Lemon

Calvary Baptist Church
10458 W. Highway 54
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2032
Pastor: Rev. Scott Buller

Church of Christ
320 Country Club Rd
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3182
Pastor: Rev. Steve Triplett

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter–Day Saints
1108 Stout
Pratt, KS 67124

(620) 672_2703
Presiding Elder: Richard Knapp

Faith Chapel–Pentecostal Holiness Church
602 S. Hamilton
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2449 or 672–6643
Pastor: Rev. Barry Mooris

First Assembly of God
1000 E. Sixth
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672–3019
Pastor: Rev. Billy Simar

First Baptist Church
121 S. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_2401
Email: fbcpratt@sctelcom.net
Pastor: Rev. Stan Hendershot

First Christian Church
123 N. Ninnescah
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7403
Pastor: Rev. Rhonda Glenn

First Church of God
403 N. Pine
Pratt, KS 67127
(620) 672_6126 or 672–3114
Pastor: Rev. Douglas Enick

Abundant Harvest Community Church
1120 Glenarm
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7920
Pastor: Ron Moser

First Southern Baptist Church
193 NE Highway 61
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7591
Pastor: Rev. Bill Martin

First United Methodist Church
100 N. Jackson
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6473
Pastor: Rev. Dan Ferguson

Free Methodist Church
1024 Maple
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3027
Pastor: Rev. Tony Garcia

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness
718 S. New
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_7319
Pastor: Dean Hodson

(SEE FACILITY RECORD IN DATABASE)
Our Saviors Lutheran Church
Second and Thompson
P.O. Box 192
Pratt, KS 67124

(620) 672_6203
Pastor: Rev. Timothy J. Henning

Pratt Bible Church
612 N. Thompson
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6601

Pastor: Rev. Kevin Murray

Pratt Friends Church
824 Maple
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_5493
Pastor: Tom Decker

Pratt Presbyterian Church
202 E. First
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_5503
Pastor: Angela Madden

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
332 N. Oak
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_6352
Pastor: Father Gregory LeBlanc

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
40291 NE 40th Ave.
Preston, KS, 67583
(620) 672_5354
Pastor: Rev. Michael Schotte

Second Baptist Church
803 S. Main
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Jim Zimmerman

Seventh–Day Adventist Church
521 S. New
Pratt, KS 67124
Pastor: Michael Larsen

United Pentecostal Apostolic Faith Tabernacle
515 S. Austin
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3025
Pastor: Jack Duhe

Grace Cornerstone Fellowship
20042 W. Highway 54
Pratt, KS 67124
(620) 672_3264
Pastor: Michael Law

PRATT COUNTY KS COMMUNITY ORG's/NON–PROFITS/CIVIC CLUBS:

American Legion
P.O. Box 15
Sawyer, KS 67134
(620) 672_7204
Yvonne Thimesch, Manager
Ed Newton, Commander

American Legion Aux.
310 N. Iuka
(620) 672–6331
Janeen Densmore

American Red Cross:
114 N. Main Street
(620) 672–3651
Donna Pfeifer

ANIMALS/PRATT COUNTY:

Pratt County Humane Society
1402 W. First
Pratt, KS,6712
(316) 672–6777
Email: jmead@havilandtelco.com
Site: http://members.tripod.com/pratt_humane_society/pratt_humane_society/

We provide shelter for both dogs and cats. There are a total of 17 dog pens and 12 cat cages. Pratt County, the city of Pratt and business and private donations fund the shelter. The shelter has one full time employee and numerous volunteers of all ages. The shelter is governed by a local board of directors.
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Red Cross (Safe and Well – To Locate Missing Family/Friends)

Info/Hotline · Open

Red Cross
114 N Main, Suite B, Pratt, KS 67124
Phone https://disastersafe.redcross.org/
Web disastersafe.redcross.org

To locate loved ones effected by the 5/4/07 Tornado in Greensburg, KA, call the Pratt/Cannonball Trail Red Cross Chapter:

620–672–3651

Due to widespread power and telecommunication outages, family and friends may not be able to reach each other. If you have been affected by the tornado, please visit www.redcross.org and click on Safe and Well to inform your loved ones of your well–being. This secure website provides a way for you to identify yourself as "safe and well." From a list of standard messages, you can select those you want to communicate to your family members – who may be worried about your safety. If you hear from a loved one in the affected area, you can input their information so other family members will also know their well–being.

As with any other Red Cross service or product, Safe and Well safeguards the privacy of disaster victims and protects their information according to privacy law standards. Messages – but not locations – will be viewable by friends and family. The Red Cross recommends that people affected should determine how best to communicate their contact information and whereabouts to family members. During the initial hours of this disaster it is important to stay connected with loved ones. Take action now by visiting www.redcross.org.

Services offered: Hotline, Registry, Missing Persons ("I'm Safe" People–Finder) Registry; Registry, Missing Persons, OR Online ("I'm safe" People–Finder") Registry
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