

80,187 seats not enough

Kansas Speedway is looking to add 1,500-3,000 more

KANSAS CITY, Kan. (AP) — Kansas Speedway wants to expand in time for its fifth season in 2005, track president Jeff Boerger said Wednesday.

Boerger said officials were looking at adding 1,500 to 3,000 seats and would send a formal proposal later this month to the track's parent company, International Speedway Corp. of Daytona, Fla.

ISC is controlled by the family of NASCAR owner Bill France. Its board of directors includes former Kansas Gov. Bill Graves, who was in office when the track was built and supported its construction.

If Kansas Speedway's request receives preliminary approval, Boerger said, the company's board would likely vote on the proposal in September.

"I'm sure we can accommodate the amount of seats we're going to be requesting, with our waiting list and with the demand we have," he said.

"Obviously, we're going to be very conservative in seat expansion. We want to make sure supply doesn't outrun demand."

If approved, it would be the second expansion at the speedway in Kansas City, Kan., since it opened in 2001. A 1,500-seat expansion in 2003 brought the track's listed capacity to 80,187.

The track sells its two biggest racing weekends — the Indy Racing League and NASCAR Craftsman Truck Series events in July and NASCAR's Nextel Cup and Busch Series races in October — as a package.

Each of the first four seasons have been sellouts, and the track has a waiting list for tickets for 2005.

SportsLine

Chamber golf registration set

The 11th annual Colby/Thomas County Chamber Golf Tournament is scheduled for Sept. 2 at the Colby Country Club with tee-off at 12:30 p.m. This is a four-person scramble (men and women). The entry fee is \$50 per person/one free entry with hole sponsorship. A buffet dinner starts at 6:30 p.m. Registration appreciated no later than Aug. 26 to Colby Chamber of Commerce, 350 S. Range, Colby, Kan. 67701, or call 460-3401.

Hunter Education Course reminder

The Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, Colby volunteer instructors and the Colby Recreation Department, have

scheduled a "Hunter Education Course" in Colby. It will take place at the Colby Community Building on Tuesday, Aug. 24 and Thursday, Aug. 26 from 6:30-9:30 p.m., and on Saturday, Aug. 28 from 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Range activity will be from 1:30-3:30 p.m., weather permitting. This will be the only class in Colby before the "Youth Outdoor Skills Day." Students must attend all sessions. Anyone born on or after July 1, 1957 must take and pass a Hunter Education Course before they can hunt in Kansas. Students must pre-enroll at The Pirates Den, Southwind Plaza, Colby. For more information, call (785) 462-6631, 462-7602 or 462-3367.

'Youth Shoot' on Sunday's schedule

The Colby Trap Club and the Kansas Department of Wildlife and

Parks' "Pass It On" program are sponsoring a "Youth Shoot" this coming Sunday from 3 p.m.-6 p.m. at the Trap Club five miles west of Colby on Hwy. 24 to Th.Co.Rd. 16, then south one mile. Trap house one will be a free shoot for all youth, women and new shooters. Tap house two and the skeet houses will be open for the more experienced shooter. Shotguns, shotgun shells and blue rock will be provided for trap house one by the Colby Trap Club and the "Pass It On" program. For more information, call Tim Hansen at (785) 460-2710, Bob Luck at 462-8857 (day) or 462-3701 after 6 p.m., or Benny Young at 462-7602.

Colby School District practice schedules

Middle school: Seventh grade football practice, Aug. 16, 4-6 p.m.; 8th grade football practice, Aug. 16, 4-6 p.m.; 7th volleyball meeting, Aug. 16, 5 p.m., middle school cafeteria, practice, Aug. 17, 3:45-5:15 p.m.; 8th volleyball meeting, Aug.

16, 5 p.m., middle school cafeteria, practice, Aug. 16-17, 6:30-8 p.m., and Aug. 18, 3:45-6 p.m.

High school: football — meeting to be announced, practices Aug. 16-17-19-20 @ 3:45-6 p.m./7-9 p.m., Aug. 18 @ 3:45-6 p.m. only; volleyball — meeting Aug. 19 @ 6:30 p.m., high school gym, practice Aug. 16 @ 3:45-6:30 p.m.; golf — meeting on Aug. 16 @ 5:30 p.m., high school commons, practice Aug. 17 @ 4-6 p.m.; cross country — meeting to be announced after season starts, practice Aug. 16-17-18 @ 7-8 a.m., Dennen Field, Aug. 19-20 @ 4-5:30 p.m. p.m.; tennis — meeting Aug. 12 @ 4:30 p.m., high school commons, practice Aug. 16-17-18 @ 9-11 a.m. and 4-6 p.m., Aug. 19-20 @ 4:15-6:15 p.m.

(E-mail your items to colbysports@nwkansas.com, td@nwkansas.com, fax 462-7749 or call 462-3963. Deadline for submissions no later than 10 a.m. daily.)

Trojan baseball honored

Colby Community College Trojan baseball has received an award sponsored by state Rep. Tom Sloan for the best academic junior college baseball team in the state of Kansas.

The Trojans earned a team GPA of 3.30 this past school year, which placed them #1 in the Jayhawk Conference, and #1 in the country.

Trojan baseball posted a 27-31 record this season and qualified for the Region VI tournament after knocking off defending Region VI champion Neosho County in the first round of the playoffs.

Four Trojan sophomores earned Academic All-American honors this season. Colby native Clay Kaiser led the team with a 3.96 GPA. Shortstop Cole Armstrong, catcher Kyle Sandusky and pitcher Blake Barth also earned GPAs above 3.6.

Head coach Ryan Carter said, "I am extremely proud of our players for their work in the classroom. We stress academics and I am glad to see that it is paying off."

Sloan of Lawrence, is 45th District representative and chairman of the Higher Education Committee. He is a long-time baseball fan.

This is the award's inaugural year.

Future speedway drivers?



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Kids raced down Franklin Ave. in Colby on Saturday in their go-karts during the Thomas County Free Fair parade. The three were one of several groups who drove or rode tractors, four-wheelers, motorcycles and more in the parade. They may be future racers on the speedway at the Thomas County Fairgrounds. Two nights of racing during the fair played before large crowds and during the regular racing season the following the sport attracts continues to grow here and elsewhere in northwest Kansas.

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Many thanks to my family, the voters and volunteers for all your support during this election period.

I would appreciate your continued support and vote in the General Election, November 2.

Ralph Ostmeyer
State Senate 40th District

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SATURDAY AUGUST 14

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
KLBY/ABC (4, 6)	La Gente	Paid Program	Lilo & Stitch	Recess (E) (CC)	Fillmore (CC)	Proud Family	Lizzie McGuire	That's Raven	Kim Possible	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Inside Stuff
KSNK/NBC (8, 9)	Today (CC)	Paid Program	Strange Days	Scout's Safari	Kenny-Shark	Skunked TV (E)	Tutenstein (E)	Trading Spaces	XXVIII Summer Olympics (Live)			
KBSL/CBS (12, 11)	Saturday Early Show (CC)		Hey Arnold!	Chalk-Zone (E)	Grown Up	Brothers Garcia	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Paid Program	Paid Program		
K15CG (3)	World Busi-	Market-Market	Bookworm Bunch (E) (CC)		Sesame Street	Snuffy's Invisible	Hand-Crafts	Kansas Spotlight	Barbecue	Victory Garden		
WGN (13)	Enter-prise	Adelante Chicago	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Bud Billiken Parade	The annual parade.				
NICK (29)	Rocket Power	Rocket Power	Rugrats (CC)	Chalk-Zone	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Odd-parents	Odd-parents	Danny Phantom	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	Teenage Robot
FAM (30)	Bey-blade	Bey-blade	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Digimon-Digital	Digimon-Digital	Spider-Man	Spider-Man	X-Men (CC)	Gar-goyles	Full House	Full House
USA (31)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	6 Second	Paid Program	Monk Mr. Monk and the Game Show	Movie: Raiders of the Lost Ark **** (1981, Adventure) Harrison Ford. (CC)				
TBS (37)	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Movie: The Three Musketeers *** 1/2 (1993, Adventure) Charlie Sheen. (CC)		Movie: Only You ** (1994, Comedy) A bride-to-be flies to Italy to find her destined love. Marisa Tomei. (CC)							Movie: (CC)
TNT (38)	(5:00) Movie: Flight of the Intruder **		Movie: The Dirty Dozen *** 1/2 (1967, Adventure) Convicts undertake a deadly mission in Nazi Germany. Lee Marvin. (CC)		Golf: PGA Championship -- Third Round. From Kohler, Wis. (Live) (CC)							
DSC (42)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Golden Hammerhead	Great White Attack: A True Story	Animal Face-Off: Lion vs. Croc (CC)	Prehistoric America				
A&E (47)	Old House	Movie: Black Sunday *** (1977) An ex-GI and terrorists plot to kill 80,000 football fans. Robert Shaw. (CC)		Old House	Old House	Old House	Ask This Old	Sell This Old	Makeover Mama	Movie: Life		
ESPN (49)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	ESPN25: Who's No. 1 (CC)					
HBO (7)	(5:30) Movie: A Fine Mess * (1986)		Movie: S.W.A.T. (2003) A Los Angeles SWAT team must protect a criminal. (CC)		O.J.: A Study in Black and White	Movie: Steel ** (1997, Fantasy) Shaquille O'Neal. (CC)						Movie: Head
DISN (17)	Koala Brothers (CC)	The Wiggles (CC)	JoJo's Circus	The Wiggles	Stanley Mouse	House of Mouse	Recess (CC)	Lilo & Stitch	Lilo & Stitch			
MAX (21)	(5:40) Movie: Daffy Duck's Movie		Movie: Great Balls of Fire! *** (1989, Drama) Dennis Quaid, Winona Ryder. (CC)		Movie: Like Mike ** (2002, Fantasy) Lil' Bow Wow. (CC)							Movie: Valley Girl *** 1/2 (1983, Comedy) Deborah Foreman. (CC)

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KLBY/ABC (4, 6)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Horse Racing: Arlington Million. From Arlington Heights, Ill. (Live) (CC)				Paid Program	ABC Wild News
KSNK/NBC (8, 9)	(11:00) XXVIII Summer Olympics Beach volleyball; diving; gymnastics; rowing; swimming; volleyball. (Live) (CC)										Power-ball-Mill.	NBC News
KBSL/CBS (12, 11)	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Golf: PGA Championship -- Third Round. From Kohler, Wis. (Live) (CC)									
K15CG (3)	Yankee Shop	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Home-time	Wood-wright	Find! (CC)	1 Stroke Paint	School-Fine Art	Love of Quilting	Creative Life	On the Money	Ancestors (CC)
WGN (13)	Billiken Parade	Fresh Prince	Movie: The Void (2001, Science Fiction) Adrian Paul, Amanda Tapping. (CC)		Mutant X Investigate strange activities.	Andromeda Time travel device. (CC)	Home improve.	Cosby Show				
NICK (29)	Hey Arnold!	Yakity Yak	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV	Nick-toons TV
FAM (30)	Full House	Movie: Baby Geniuses * (1999, Comedy) Kathleen Turner, Christopher Lloyd. (CC)		Movie: Getting Even With Dad *** (1994, Comedy) Macaulay Culkin, Ted Danson. (CC)		Movie: The Karate Kid *** 1/2 (1984, Drama) Ralph Macchio. (CC)						
USA (31)	(10:00) Movie: Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom *** (1984, Adventure) Harrison Ford. (CC)		Movie: Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade *** 1/2 (1989) Indy's hunt for his missing father leads to the Holy Grail. (CC)									
TBS (37)	(11:30) Movie: Save the Last Dance *** (2001) Julia Stiles.		Movie: Rain Man **** (1988, Drama) The Oscar-winning study of an autistic man and his brother. Dustin Hoffman. (CC)		Movie: Die Hard 2 *** (1990, Drama) (PA) Bruce Willis. (CC)							
TNT (38)	Golf	Police Chases	Movie: Shoot to Kill (1988) An FBI agent trails a killer who has taken a hostage. (CC)		Movie: Money Talks (1997) A fugitive con artist asks a TV newsmen for protection. (CC)							Movie: Shaft *** 1/2 (2000) (CC) (DVS)
DSC (42)	Thunder Races Off-road racer. (CC)	American Hot Rod Junkyard Dog 4	American Chopper Jet Bike (CC)		Alaskan Crab Fishing	Rally Round the House Mission Man	Double Agents Rookie of the Year					
A&E (47)	(11:30) Movie: Life Is Beautiful *** (1998, Comedy-Drama) Roberto Benigni. (CC)		Parole Board Missouri (CC)		Parole Board West Virginia (CC)	Investigative Reports (CC)	Investigative Reports (CC)					
ESPN (49)	ESPN25: The Headlines (CC)	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.	2004 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.					
HBO (7)	(11:45) Movie: Head of State ** (2003, Comedy) Chris Rock. (CC)		Movie: Noises Off *** (1992, Comedy) Carol Burnett, Michael Caine. (CC)		Movie: S.W.A.T. (2003) A Los Angeles SWAT team must protect a criminal. (CC)							Movie: (CC)
DISN (17)	Barbarian	Kim Possible	Movie: Zenon: Z3 (2004, Science Fiction) Kirsten Storms. (CC)		Proud Family	Lilo & Stitch	Lilo & Stitch	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Brace-face	Lizzie McGuire	
MAX (21)	Movie: Life or Something Like It * 1/2 (2002, Comedy) Angelina Jolie. (CC)		Movie: Poltergeist *** 1/2 (1982, Horror) Jobeth Williams, Craig T. Nelson. (CC)		Movie: Bushwhacked ** (1995, Comedy) Daniel Stern. (CC)							Movie: Point-No

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KLBY/ABC (4, 6)	News (CC)	Holly-wood	Movie: Disney's The Kid *** 1/2 (2000, Fantasy) Bruce Willis. (CC)		Whose Line? Whose Line? (CC)		News (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)	Entertainment Tonight (CC)			
KSNK/NBC (8, 9)	News (CC)	Wheel of Fortune	XXVIII Summer Olympics Cycling; diving; gymnastics; swimming. (CC)				News (CC)	Summer Olym.				
KBSL/CBS (12, 11)	News (CC)	Friends (CC)	The Amazing Race 5 (CC)	Big Brother 5 (N) (CC)	Navy NCIS Yankee White (CC)	News (CC)	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Drew Carey			
K15CG (3)	Antiques Roadshow (CC)	Keeping Up With the Joneses (CC)	As Time Goes By	The Lawrence Welk Show (N)	Baxter Black	Red Green	Austin City Limits (CC)	Stonewall Cyndi Lauper (CC)				
WGN (13)	MLB Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Boston Red Sox. Fenway Park. (Live) (CC)				WGN News at Nine	Fresh Prince	Movie: Against the Law *** 1/2 (1998, Action) Richard Grieco. (CC)					
NICK (29)	Drake & Josh	SpongeBob	Grown Up	Romeo!	All That	Amanda	Fatherhood	Cosby Show	Rose-anna	Rose-anna	Cosby Show	Cosby Show
FAM (30)	(4:30) Movie: The Karate Kid (1984)		Movie: Hook *** (1991, Fantasy) Captain Hook kidnaps the children of the adult Peter Pan. Robin Williams. (CC)		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)			
USA (31)	Law & Order: Special Victims	Law & Order: Special Victims	Law & Order: Special Victims	Law & Order: Special Victims	Law & Order: Special Intent		The 4400 White Light (CC)					
TBS (37)	(4:30) Movie: Die Hard 2 *** (1990)		Movie: Lara Croft: Tomb Raider ** (2001, Adventure) Angelina Jolie. (CC)		Movie: Lara Croft: Tomb Raider ** (2001, Adventure) Angelina Jolie. (CC)		Movie: Naked Gun 2 1/2: Fear					
TNT (38)	(5:00) Movie: Shaft *** 1/2 (2000)		Movie: Bad Boys (1995) Two Miami cops attempt to recover stolen police evidence.		Movie: Bad Boys (1995) Two Miami cops attempt to recover stolen police evidence.		Movie: Money Talks *** 1/2 (1997)					
DSC (42)	New Detectives: Forensic Science	New Detectives: Forensic Science	The FBI Files Deadly Takeover	The FBI Files Deadly Takeover	New Detectives: Forensic Science	The FBI Files Deadly Takeover	New Detectives: Forensic Science	The FBI Files Deadly Takeover				
A&E (47)	City Confidential (CC)	American Justice: Sins of a Priest	Cold Case Files (CC)	City Confidential (N) (CC)	The First 48 Cunnning killer. (CC)	American Justice: Sins of a Priest						
ESPN (49)	SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	Little League World Series: New England Regional Final -- Teams TBA. (Live) (CC)	Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)	SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)							
HBO (7)	(5:30) Movie: Pootie Tang (2001)		Movie: The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen ** (2003) Sean Connery. (CC)		Movie: The Silence of the Lambs **** (1991, Suspense) Jodie Foster. (CC)							
DISN (17)	Phil of Future	That's-Raven	Movie: Tarzan *** (1999) orphan is adopted by a clan of apes. (CC)		Lizzie McGuire	Boy Mts. World	Brace-face					
MAX (21)	(5:30) Movie: Point of Return *** 1/2 (1993, Drama)		Movie: In & Out *** 1/2 (1997, Comedy) Kevin Kline. (CC)		Movie: The Matrix Reloaded *** (2003) Freedom fighters revolt against machines. Keanu Reeves. (CC)		Black Tie Nite					

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