

# Highs near 75, lows about 45

The forecast

**Tonight** — Clear with a low around 41. North wind between 5 and 10 mph becoming calm. Tuesday - Sunny with

high around 75. North wind between 5 and 15 mph. **Tuesday night** — Clear with

a low near 44. North wind between 5 and 10 mph becoming **Wednesday** — Sunny with a

high around 82. North wind between 5 and 10 mph. Wednesday night — Mostly

clear with a low around 48.

Thursday — Mostly sunny with a high around 86.

**Temperatures** 

Sunday's high, 72 Low this morning, 34

Records for this date, 97 in 1931, 25 in 1907

Precipitation past 24 hours to 8 a.m. today, 0.00 May's precipitation, 0.32

A recorded forecast updated throughout the day is available by calling (785) 899-7119. Current temperatures are available by calling 460-TEMP.

## Briefly

### Music Boosters selling sunglasses School board to meet today

The Colby Music Boosters are selling "Colby Eagle" sunglasses to benefit the music program at Colby Public Schools. Show your team spirit with these cool shades. Check them out at Jamu Books or contact any Music Booster club member.

#### Heartland Share delivery Saturday

Heartland Share delivery is at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, at Sacred Heart School gym. The May menu is four pounds of chicken fries, deli sliced ham, hot dogs, boneless chicken wings, one pound bacon, cucumbers, potatoes, cabbage, green peppers, green onions, apples, lemons, surprise package. A share is \$20.50 plus two volunteer hours. There are a few shares still available for anyone interested. For information, call 460-8640 or 460-3579.

The Colby School Board will meet at 7 p.m. today in the board room of the Administration Building. Items on the agenda include: approval of the consent agenda; a student forensics presentation; curriculum presentation on the Enhancing Education Through Technology grant; reports from the principals, curriculum director and superintendent; approval to let bids for a 2006 large sport utility vehicle and 41passenger school bus; and personnel issues, if necessary. The meeting is open to the public.

#### Free sports physicals in August

The Family Center for Health Care will be offering free athletic physicals the second week of August for those middle school and high school students. More information will appear closer to the date.

### City-wide garage sale planned

The Colby High Plains Lions Club in conjunction with the Highway 25 Association is sponsoring a city-wide garage sale, Saturday, June 10, said Hazel Estes, Lions Club member. This is the second year for this event, she said, and like last year, any service organizations, individuals or groups interested in coordinating a garage sale that weekend are encouraged to call the Lions Club. In turn, the Lions Club will advertise all the garage sales on a map showing locations and make those available to the public. In addition to the garage sales in this area, other sales will be going on from Interstate-70 at Coby to Interstate-80 at Sutherland, Neb. "To be included on the garage sale list for June 10, we need to know right away," she said. For questions, call either Estes at (785) 460-0557; Mary Hurtt, (785) 443-1886; or Francis Britton, (785) 460-6426 (evenings).

## Induction celebration



JAN KATZ ACKERMAN/Colby Free Press

Sen. Ralph Ostmeyer, left, presented former Hoxie High School debate and forensics coach Benny Rosell a resolution adopted by the Kansas Senate in honor of Rosell's induction Saturday into the Kansas State High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame. About 200 people were on hand, including Rosell's former student and debater Brett Leopold, seated, for the ceremony in Hoxie's auditorium. Rosell taught Englilsh and coached debate at Hoxie from 1964 to 1994.

# Deer crossing signs proving to be ineffective

With research indicating that deer warning signs don't help prevent versity of Wisconsin. accidents, Kansas is joining some other states in trying to find ways to keep the animals and vehicles from colliding.

Some states are studying replacing the yellow signs with the silhou-can run about \$2,000. ette of a leaping deer, with tall sensors.

Kansas is considering fencing along part of Kansas 10 in Johnson County that would direct deer to existing underpasses, or changing the way it uses deer-warning signs.

While acknowledging that the signs are not effective, Missouri officials for now don't plan to change state policy that places a sign when there is an average of 10 deer killed in a three-year period.

"It's a very complex problem where you're not only dealing with the driver, you're dealing with the animal," said Keith Knapp, direc-

### Donations needed for garage sale

Donations are still needed for the second annual Heartland Rural Counseling Services garage sale scheduled from 4 to 7 p.m., Friday and 9 a.m. to noon, Saturday, at 405 N. Franklin (formerly Hot Topics), said Judy Taylor, coordinator.

"Contributions will go to assist low income families and children with mental health services," she

For those wanting to give items, drop off dates include today, Tuesday from 5 to 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 5 to 6:30 p.m.; and Thursday, 5 to 6:30 p.m.

For questions, call 443-1838 or 821-0781.

### **MOVIE PASSES**

Watch for your name in the Wednesday movie 🗘 listings for 2

free passes. (Passes must be used within 7 days.)



KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — tor of the Deer Vehicle Crash Infor-

collide an estimated 1.5 million and you don't see a deer?" times a year, causing 150 deaths and more than \$1 billion in vehicle dam- which was sponsored by the state of their expense, Briggs said. It also age. An average insurance claim Transportation Department, has tried using roadside reflectors to

Deer collisions in Kansas and tries to prevent deer crashes, which and scare them, he said, but it didn't fences, reflectors or even roadside Missouri killed nine people and in- were up about 7 percent between work. jured 701 in 2004.

> "It's nice to have those signs to react," said Kansas City police of- each. ficer Jonas Baughman.

sign does not mean a deer is nearby, and experts say that drivers tend not

For example, Christy Ostmeyer, 49, of Stilwell, who hit a deer on U.S. 69 in Overland Park two years ago. The crash destroyed her 2004 Toyota Corolla but she was unhurt.

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mation Clearinghouse at the Uni- where," she said. "I don't think you save even one deer collision, then Nationwide, vehicles and deer many times do you drive by them couple signs up."

to react to a hazard they don't see.

"You see those signs every- fective, but he added: "If we can really pay attention to them. How that's certainly worth putting a

2002 and 2004.

The state has between 1.000 and make you a little more aware, but 2,000 of the signs posted, at a cost the bottom line is if that deer just of \$300 each. The Missouri Departjumps in there unexpectedly, you ment of Transportation has posted may not have the time you need to 210 deer signs, at a cost of \$350

Spokesman Jeff Briggs said the The main problem is that a deer Missouri transportation officials realize the signs are generally inef-

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2001 S-10 Blazer, 4x4, LT w/leather, On-Star, white, 4.3, auto, 83,000 mi., Priced Right @ \$9,150

2001 Dodge Intrepid, SE, 4 DR, blue met., 93,000 mi., Lady Owned, Well Maintained, Runs & Drives Excellent

2002 Ford Explorer XLS, 4.6, 4x4, auto, gold met., 66,000 mi., Beautiful

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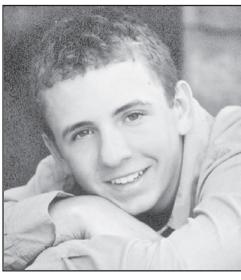
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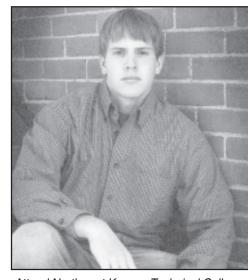
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Because of production errors in Friday's Graduation Section, mistakes were found. Above are the corrections. When errors occur, please call 462-3963

