

Weather Corner



Forecast calls for more rain

Tonight — More showers and thunderstorms likely, mainly before 4 a.m. Some of the storms could be severe with heavy rain. Partly cloudy with a low around 61. East wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60 percent.

Thursday — A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Partly cloudy with a high around 81. East wind around 10 mph.

Thursday night — A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy with a low near 61. East wind between 5 and 15 mph.

Friday — Mostly sunny with a high near 83. East wind between 5 and 15 mph.

Friday night — Mostly clear with a low around 62.

Temperatures
Tuesday's high, 95
Low this morning, 106 in 1988, 35 in 1902

Records for this date,
Precipitation past 24 hours to 8 a.m. today, 0.00
June's precipitation, 2.54

Water Use Report
Tuesday
•2,574,200 gallons
Current temperatures are available by calling 460-TEMP.

Dear Abby

Best friend's husband is kinky

DEARABBY: Over the last three years, my best friend of 15 years, "Hazel," has engaged in some disturbing Internet dating behavior. Several months ago, she answered a classified ad on the Internet in which a man was looking for women who enjoy "domestic discipline." (In other words, "spanking.") Not only did Hazel go to meet this man in person, but she married him after knowing him for only three weeks!

When I met him in person, every alarm God ever gave me as a woman went off at once. He was very aggressive and began making inappropriate comments in front of me about spanking her after knowing me for less than 10 minutes.

Hazel keeps pressing for us to "get to know him," but every time I think about it I feel ill. My husband and I are conservative people. We would never associate with someone we knew openly practiced deviant behavior.

However, I am concerned for my friend. I'm afraid he may abuse her. — SHOCKED

DEAR SHOCKED: Yes, but it won't be a foursome. It'll be "just the girls" when you can both spare the time — and I have a hunch he may be keeping your friend pretty busy. You don't have to approve of her lifestyle to make it very clear to her that you are only a phone call away if she needs you — and that's what I recommend you do.

DEAR ABBY: Thirty years ago, as a Christmas gift, a friend gave me an oil painting that had been painted by her mother. I was recently told that my cancer is terminal, so I have begun "housecleaning."

Would it be all right for me to return the painting to my friend with a note expressing my delight in having once owned it?

— PREPARING TO GO

DEAR PREPARING TO GO: I am sorry that your prognosis is not what we would have wished. By all means, return the painting to your friend. It may have sentimental value to her — not only because the painting was created by her mother, but also because it belonged to you. When you do, write her a note and tell her that the painting has brought you a lifetime of happiness, and you only wish you could have enjoyed it longer.

Briefly

Puppies available for adoption

The Colby Animal Clinic said the owner of the fawn-colored Boxer claimed the dog earlier this week. However, the clinic now has available six Corgi-mix puppies, black and white in color and both males and females. The only cost for adoption is the price of immunization shots. For questions, call 460-8621 or stop by the facility, 810 E. Fourth St.

Picnic in the Park Thursday

The Wagoner Family will provide entertainment for this week's *Picnic in the Park* starting at noon, Thursday, in Fike Park. Chamber officials are encouraging everyone to bring a lawn chair, a sack lunch and enjoy the festivities. The concert series will run each Thursday at noon through July 27.

Waste site collection Saturday

The Thomas County Household Hazardous Waste Site, 190 W. Fourth St., Colby, will be collecting old paints, cleaning products, lawn and garden chemicals and more from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday. "Don't throw those items in the trash," said Sandy Swob, director. Using the household hazardous waste site, she said, is a good, safe alternative to disposing of this items in the landfill. The service is free and open to all county residents. For questions, call Swob at 460-4526.

Heartland Share delivery Saturday

Heartland Share delivery is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart School gym, 1150 W. Sixth St. There

are a few shares left. If interested in a food share, call 460-3579 or 460-8640. For those unfamiliar with the concept, the program is designed to bring people together based on a common need. The way the program works is people volunteer two hours a month and, in turn, are eligible to purchase a food package each month. For questions, call 460-3579 or 460-8640. Everyone is eligible and there are no income requirements. This is not a federal program.

Voter registration reminder

The Thomas County Clerk is reminding residents that if they move within the county or out of the county, they need to re-register to vote at their local clerk's office. For questions, call 460-4500.

For the record

The following arrests or incidents have been provided by either the Thomas County Sheriff's office or the Colby Police Department. All suspects were booked into the county jail and are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

The Thomas County Jail is used by Colby, Oakley, Logan and Thomas counties.

Colby Police Department Friday, June 16

• **Civil dispute:** Police were called to Taylor Motors, 1000 Taylor Ave. in Southwind Plaza at 10:57 a.m. An individual advised the officer that he needed help getting his vehicle released from the car dealership. The officer said it was a civil matter.

• **Animal complaint:** Someone from the city office called to report that a chicken was loose in the 1100 block of Summersun. The chicken belonged to a resident in that area, but was told by officers that this type of bird was not allowed within city limits.

• **Suspicious incident:** Two police officers were called to investigate reports of gun shots in the 700 block of West Seventh Street. The problem was resolved.

• **Threat of suicide:** An individual was threatening suicide at 11:28 p.m.. No report was being filed at that time.

Saturday, June 17

• **Threat of suicide:** An individual in Colby contacted police at 2:51 a.m. that she attempted suicide in the last 48 hours. She told the officer she was blacking out at the time of her call to them and said she was willing to get checked out.

• **Traffic complaint:** Officers were alerted at 8:42 p.m. of three vehicles speeding eastbound on U.S. Highway 24 from Morton Buildings, 3470 W. Fourth St. Officers were unable to locate the vehicles.

• **Noise complaint:** Police were called at 9:12 p.m. to the 400 block of West Sixth Street — loud music. Officers requested the parties involved keep the music turned down.

Sunday, June 18

• **Service rendered:** A person called asking police to remove his girlfriend from a residence in the 100 block of North Thompson. The officer told both people this was a civil matter and the incident was cleared.

• **Parking complaint:** An individual called police at 10:33 a.m. to say a van marked for sale was parked on a street partially blocking the stop sign at Pine and Garfield.

• **Traffic complaint:** Police were advised at 9:27 p.m. of a car speeding at Seventh Street then south on Franklin. Officers were unable to locate.

• **Traffic complaint:** Officers were called at 10:18 p.m. to the 100 block of North Riddle by an individual saying that a black pickup was driving through the ditch south of his address after driving across the driveway. Police were unable to locate the driver.

Monday, June 19

• **Theft:** The Puddle Duck Pre-School sign, 520 W. Fifth St., in front of the building was reported stolen at 2:49 p.m.

Thomas County Sheriff's office Friday, June 16

• **Possession charge:** Trevor Francis Moore, 20, of Rough/Ready Calif., was arrested at 3:05 p.m. on possession of drug paraphernalia by a deputy with the Thomas County Sheriff's office. He was released at 5:11 p.m. pending charges.

• **Possession charge:** Christian Scott Gullbergh, 24, of Arcata, Calif., was arrested by a Thomas County Sheriff's deputy at 3:05 p.m. on possession of drug paraphernalia.

He was released at 5:24 p.m. pending charges.

• **Obstruction:** Ron Richard Cowan, 25, of Salt Lake City, Utah, was arrested by the Thomas County Undersheriff at 5:45 p.m., on charges

of obstructing official duty and attempting to flee or elude authorities. A warrant arrest was served on Cowan in the jail on Monday, June 19. He remains in custody.

Saturday, June 17

• **Worthless checks:** John Samuel Kuder, Sr., 29, of Colby, was arrested by the Thomas County Sheriff's office at 10:30 a.m. for failure to appear on a charge of giving worthless checks.

He was released from jail at 11:56 a.m. on a \$500 bond, Sunday, June 18. Kuder appeared before Colby Municipal Judge Rick Ress and plead guilty. He was ordered to pay restitution, court costs, fine, probation fees and placed on six month probation. Dollar amount was unavailable.

• **DUI/Minor in possession:** Tyson Allen Plumisto, 19, of Colby, was arrested in the 800 block of Pine at 1:55 a.m. by the Kansas Highway Patrol on charges of driving under the influence and minor in possession of alcohol. He was released from jail at 3:22 a.m. with a citation to appear in court.

• **Minor in possession:** Jeremy Lynn Dietz, 18, of Colby was arrested at 1:55 a.m. in the 800 block of Pine for minor in possession of alcohol by the Kansas Highway Patrol. He was released from jail at 2:56 a.m. with a citation to appear in court.

• **Service rendered:** The manager of High Plains Campgrounds on U.S. Highway 83 asked for assistance in helping to evict some people at 12:37 p.m. The deputy did assist, but also explained it was a civil matter.

• **Dispute:** An argument between

husband and wife in Rexford at 10:22 p.m. resulted in the wife leaving their residence by car with her son. The husband requested wife be spoken to and son returned home. No report was made.

Sunday, June 18

• **Disorderly conduct:** Stephen Francis Sheridan, 64, of Oakley, was arrested at 2:50 a.m. on U.S. Highway 83 by Thomas County Sheriff's deputy and charged with disorderly conduct and domestic battery. He was served a warrant arrest in jail Monday and remained in custody.

• **Assault:** The Oakley Police Department was advised of a person being assaulted at 2:10 a.m. at the Free Breakfast Inn. The victim was transported to the Logan County Hospital.

• **Service rendered:** An individual reported to police at 11:13 a.m. that a former tenant possibly was trying to break into former resi-

dence on County Road 15.

After speaking with the reporting party and former tenant, the deputy told both it was a civil matter.

Monday, June 19

• **Driving while suspended:** Timothy Eugene Sutton, 18, of Colby, was arrested at 11:23 p.m. in the 200 block of North Range by Colby Police for driving with a suspended license. He was released from jail at midnight, Tuesday, June 20, with a citation to appear in court.

• **Theft:** Authorities were advised at 2:28 p.m. that diesel fuel was stolen from service stop provided by Taylor Motors at eastbound Interstate-70, milemarker 44. After speaking with the reporting party, the individual who used the fuel went to Taylor Motors to pay for it.

• **Theft:** A gas skip was reported at J&J Oil at 3:23 p.m. The Kansas Highway Patrol said the person involved was returning to pay for the fuel.



SUPPER SPECIALS
June 19 - June 23

Evening Buffet
6-9 PM for \$9.95
(soup & salad bar included)

Also serving Daily Lunch Buffet: 11-2

MON: Mexican Buffet
TUES: Special: 18 oz. Porterhouse T-Bone Steak served with side & salad No Hot Buffet available. \$24.95
WED: Homestyle Buffet
THUR: Special: USDA Choice 10 oz Strip Steak with baked potato, salad, and roll No Hot Buffet available. \$9.95
FRI: Seafood Buffet
SAT: BBQ Buffet

462-6565



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Includes choice of side, salad, and fresh-baked roll.

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