

Weather Corner



Clear and hot
highs 97,
lows near 60

Tonight — Mostly clear with a low around 65. South wind between 10 and 15 mph.

Thursday — Mostly sunny with a high near 97. South wind between 10 and 15 mph.

Thursday night — A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy with a low around 64. Breezy with a north wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

Friday — A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 3 p.m. Partly cloudy with a high near 86. Breezy with an east wind between 10 and 20 mph with gusts as high as 30 mph.

Friday night — Showers and thunderstorms likely. Mostly cloudy with a low around 63.

Chance of precipitation is 60 percent.

Saturday — A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 p.m.

Partly cloudy with a high near 83.

Saturday night — Partly cloudy with a low around 59.

Sunday — Partly cloudy with a high near 84.

Temperatures

Tuesday's high, 88

Low this morning, 61

Records for this date, 106 in 1943, 41 in 1964

Precipitation past 24 hours to 8 a.m. today, 0.00

August's precipitation, 2.07

Water Use Report

Tuesday, Aug. 22

• 2,704,000 gallons

3.5 million = Water Watch.

4 million = Water Warning

4.5 million = Water Emergency

A recorded forecast updated throughout the day is available by calling (785) 899-7119.

Current temperatures are available by calling 460-TEMP.

Briefly

College president to speak at events

Dr. Lynn Kreider, Colby Community College president, will be the guest speaker at the Colby Lions Club meeting at 6:45 p.m., Monday, at the Prairie Skillet, Quality Inn, 1950 S. Range Ave. He will also be the guest speaker at the Hill City Chamber of Commerce Sept. 7; the Atwood Chamber Oct. 3; the Quinter Chamber meeting Oct. 5; and the Colby Chamber of Commerce meeting Nov. 10. All chamber meetings begin at noon.

Fall play auditions next week

Auditions for the Colby Community College fall play will be held from 7 to 9 p.m., Monday and Tuesday in the Frahm Theatre, Northwest Kansas Cultural Arts Center on the campus. Auditions are open to the public and community members are encouraged to attend. No preparations are necessary. For questions, call Terrilyn Fleming at 462-3984, extension 300.

Orange Fridays new tradition

The Colby Booster Club is looking at generating Eagle spirit this year by starting a new tradition. The challenge to businesses and individuals is to wear orange every Friday

during the months of September to May as a way to build enthusiasm for local students and athletes at all levels of participation. "By wearing orange," a spokesperson said, "you will be showing support for more than 350 students in grades 7-12 in all extra curricular activities."

Boot block Saturday

The Colby firefighters will be out in full force from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, for their annual Boot Block for muscular dystrophy, said Rick Dickman, assistant fire chief. Firefighters will be at the corner of Fourth Street and Franklin Avenue; Dillons Parking Lot, 1605 S. Range Ave.; and Wal-Mart parking lot, 115 W. Willow, collecting for the Arc Valley Chapter, which benefits Colby and surrounding areas. For questions, call Dickman at 460-4454.

Scouting night planned Aug. 29

The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are having a joint registration Tuesday, Aug. 29, with the Girl Scouts having a "come and go" from 6 to 7:30 p.m., in the Colby Grade School cafeteria, 210 N. Grant. The Cub Scouts will have an informational meeting starting at 6:30 p.m., also in the cafeteria, along with registration. For questions, call scout organizers, Penny

Kline, 460-2929 or Jan Barnum, 462-6503.

Tree trimming project begins

The City of Colby electric crews are undertaking a major tree trimming effort in the community to insure the continuation of service during wind and snow storms, said City Manager Carolyn Armstrong. If anyone has a "special" tree under a power line and would prefer to provide the trimming for that tree, they are asked to call Jenni at the Public Works Department, 460-4420 and provide the address and information.

Heartland Share delivery Saturday

Heartland Share delivery is at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart School gym. There are a few shares left for \$20.50 and two hours volunteer time of one's choice. If interested, call Gene Griffin at 460-3579.

Middle school yearbooks arrive

Colby Middle School yearbooks have arrived and are ready for distribution, said Linda Haas, coordinator. The yearbooks may be picked up at the middle school office, 750 W. Third St. For questions, call 460-5200.

Open house scheduled for Buffalo Bill cabin

By Jan Katz Ackerman
Colby Free Press

Members of the Wild West Historical Foundation in Oakley will host a ribbon cutting and open house at the cabin near the Buffalo Bill sculpture on Friday.

"We invite everyone to a ribbon cutting and open house from noon to 6 p.m.," said foundation member Raelene Keller. "The public is invited to view the cabin, have refreshments and learn more about Buffalo Bill's life in the Oakley area."

Keller said Oakley is part of the Buffalo Bill Heritage Trail which has sites in Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska and Iowa, where William F. "Buffalo Bill" Cody, was born. She said the cabin is a "stepping stone" for development of foundation member's vision for a Buffalo Bill Cultural Center.

"The cabin has been open on the

weekends throughout this summer staffed by volunteers," Keller said. "Improvements continue to be made at the sculpture site and the foundation board extends an invitation to anyone who wishes to contribute funds or items for the project."

Roberts talks about search warrants

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to a private citizen's home or business if there is probable cause and there is a search warrant to do so.

Roberts said the process of telephone interception is lengthier at the national level because there is a 28-day delay of going through proper channels.

He criticized a federal judge who last week ruled that national security practices are unconstitutional.

Keller said the wish list includes picnic tables, benches, and rocking chairs for the cabin porch, as well as a wheel chair, DVD/video player, printer, display cases, and directional signs.

"We plan to create a kids' corner where children can dress up and

take a picture," she said.

Anyone having items to donate to make the children's corner possible can donate items such as cowboy hats, boots, vests and chaps.

"We thank you for your past support that has enabled us to do what has been currently accomplished,"

Keller said.

For more information about the foundation or the open house, contact Cora Lee Samuelson at (785) 672-4285 or Keller at 672-3031. Donations can be mailed to the Wild West Historical Foundation at P.O. Box 127 Oakley, Kan. 67748.

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
Tuesday, Aug. 15

• **Parking request:** Police were called at 8:39 a.m. by someone wanting to park illegally in the 500 block of North Cleveland. An officer spoke to the individual.

• **Theft:** A person advised police at 12:15 p.m. a bike was stolen from the 500 block of West Third Street.

• **Recovered property:** An individual went to the law enforcement center at 10:39 a.m. to report finding a toolbox at Davis and Franklin

Avenue.

• **Assault:** Persons went to the law enforcement center reference a possible sexual assault in the 100 block of East Hill Street at 6:23 p.m.

• **Suspicious person:** Police were requested to investigate a suspicious person in a hallway in the 100 block of East Fifth at 7:58 p.m.

• **Juvenile complaint:** Police were called at 8:43 p.m. to the 1100 block of South Court Avenue regarding juveniles drinking.

• **Juvenile complaint:** Police was notified of three boys on dirt bikes in the field north of Harvey Avenue at 8:43 p.m. The youth did not have permission and the landowner was contacted.

Wednesday, Aug. 16

• **Suspicious incident:** A Colby Community College security guard called police at 12:38 a.m. advising of three people driving a vehicle out

of a cornfield at a high rate of speed. A police officer spotted the vehicle at Fourth and Lincoln and two other officers assisted.

Police spoke to the suspects.

• **Theft:** An individual went to the law enforcement center to report a fraud to a business in the 600 block of North Franklin at 1:20 p.m. No report was made at that time.

• **Animal bite:** Police went to Citizens Medical Center at 1:43 p.m. to take a report from an individual bitten by an animal in the 1100 block of South Franklin.

• **Theft:** Police were called at 10:55 p.m. by an individual who said their wallet had been taken from the bar at Quality Inn. The wallet remains missing.

Thomas County Sheriff
Tuesday, Aug. 15

• **Animal complaint:** An individual advised the sheriff's office at

7:59 p.m. about a skunk running all over Second Street and Kansas Avenue in Brewster. Two deputies advised the skunk was disposed of.

Wednesday, Aug. 16

• **Possession of marijuana:** Tobin Dane Goodgame, 26, of Birmingham, Ala., was arrested at 8:15 p.m. on Interstate 70 eastbound at milepost 53 by the Kansas Highway Patrol. Goodgame was charged

with possession of marijuana with

intent to sell, conspiracy to distribute marijuana, no drug tax stamp, and the unlawful use of a communications device (cell phone).

• **Traffic complaint:** The sheriff's office was advised of someone throwing a beer can out of their vehicle on U.S. Highway 83 near Oakley. The vehicle was located in Colby.

NOW SHOWING

August 18-24

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PG-13 1 hour, 50 min.

Friday 7:00 & 9:00

Saturday 4:00 & 7:00 & 9:00

Sunday 4:00 & 7:00

Monday - Thursday 7:00

ACCEPTED

PG-13 1 hour, 35 min.

Friday 7:00 & 9:00

Saturday 4:00 & 7:00 & 9:00

Sunday 4:00 & 7:00

Monday - Thursday 7:00

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Colby Community College
on

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