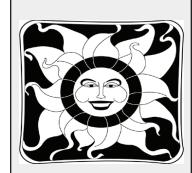
Weather Corner



Tonight: Clear. Lows in the lower 50s. South winds 10 to 15 mph.

Thursday: Sunny. Highs in the lower 80s. South winds 10 to 20 mph.

Thursday night: Mostly clear. Lows in the lower 50s. South wiWeatnds 5 to 15 mph. Friday: Sunny. Highs in the mid 80s. South winds 5 to 15

Friday night: Mostly clear. Lows in the mid 50s.

Saturday: Sunny. Highs in the mid 80s.

Saturday night: Partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 50s.

Sunday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of rain showers. Highs in the mid 80s. Sunday night: Mostly cloudy. Lows in the mid 50s.

Monday: Breezy. Mostly sunny. Highs in the lower 80s. Monday night: Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s.

Tuesday: Partly sunny. Highs around 80.

Tuesday's high: 85, low, 48 Officials with the City of Colby's Public Works Department will no longer track the average water usage since summer is coming to an end.

Current temperatures are available by calling (785) 460-

Massage clinic held Saturdays

Students enrolled in the new therapeutic massage program at Colby Community College will offer massage clinics every Saturday during the school term.

Appointment times for a onehour massage will be 10:30 a.m. or 11:45 a.m. Twenty appointments will be available each Saturday, 10 for each time. Cost for the first semester is \$10, but that will go to \$15 for the second se-

In addition to the Saturday clinics held by massage therapy students, the physical therapist ents and caregivers should follow assistant program will honor all a few basic guidelines for determassage coupons distributed during the last five or six years.

To make an appointment for either program, call Trudy Wildeman at (785) 460-4797.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP)

The mayors of Missouri's larg-

est cities are coming together in an

attempt to gain clout at the state

sas City, Springfield, Columbia,

St. Joseph, Joplin and Jefferson

City met behind closed doors

Tuesday in the capital city. Also

at the meeting was the St. Louis

Their mission: to develop a uni-

The local leaders outlined three

general priorities Tuesday: pro-

tecting municipal control against

state efforts to intercede; seeking

more money for city transit; and

focusing on work force develop-

ment, which could range from ear-

ly childhood education to prison-

er-release programs and economic

The cities each already have

their own Capitol lobbyists, and

they already team up with numer-

ous smaller cities through the Mis-

souri Municipal League, which

also has its own Capitol lobbyists.

But the cities' interests don't al-

Kansas City Mayor Mark Funk-

As a relatively new mayor elect-

ed last year, Funkhouser said: "It

seemed to me, looking at it from

the outside, that there was way

too much competition between St.

Added Funkhouser: "Today was

houser initiated the mayoral meet-

County executive.

souri Legislature.

development issues.

ways coincide.

Missouri mayors teaming

The mayors of St. Louis, Kan- its...individuals...go

fied agenda to press in the Mis- name, and the mayors stressed

ger cities.

up on legislative issues

Kansas college president offends some with letter

TOPEKA (AP) _ Some Washburn University regents are criticizing its president over a letter he sent on official stationery asking a judge to give an accused sex offender probation instead of

Three of Washburn's nine regents told The Topeka Capital-Journal that they consider President Jerry Farley's letter inappropriate, and the Board of Regents' chairman said the matter would be discussed further.

"I think it's probably a letter at

It certainly wasn't any indication . . . that I was speaking for Washburn University."

> Jerry Farley, president of Washburn University

this point he rather would not have of the regents. Farley defended his actions, saying the letter was

"an act of compassion, an act of sent and probably regrets," said kindness and an act of friendship" Topeka Mayor Bill Bunten, one to a university employee married whose husband pleaded no contest to aggravated indecent solicitation

signed it, "Jerry B. Farley, President."

"It certainly wasn't any indication nor would I have implied in any way that I was speaking for Washburn University," Farley said. "Not at all. It was purely per-

Farley sent the letter on May 19 to a Wabaunsee County district judge on behalf of Richard Blevins, a former state arson investigator. Blevins' wife is a secretary to Farley. The judge sen-

of a child younger than 14. He tenced Blevins to 32 months in prison. In the letter, Farley said he had known Blevins for more than 10 years and that the "highly public and humiliating exposure of the allegations has had a very punishing effect on Richard."

Regent Dan Lykins said it would have been better for Farley to put the letter on personal stationery.

"It's not something the board of regents of Washburn would do," Lykins said.

And regent Maggie Warren said: "I generally believe it was inappropriate, the manner in which it was handled by Dr. Farley."

But Farley said he doesn't think sending the letter on personal stationery would have made a differ-

"It is probably impossible to separate me from the title and position that I own," he said. "Everything I do is basically in the public

Child Passenger Safety Week begins Sunday

and caregivers to make sure their child safety seats are properly installed in their vehicles. Certified child passenger safety technicians will be available to provide handson instruction on how to use and properly install child safety seats at local Safe Kids events across Kansas during Child Passenger Safety Week, September 20-27. Safe Kids Coalitions also hold regular check up events and fitting stations throughout the year.

In the last eight years, a total of 47,246 child safety seats have been checked at 1,915 local check up events in Kansas.

To find your local Safe Kids Coalition, visit www.kansassafekids.

"It's the responsibility of every parent and caregiver to make sure their children are safely restrained - every trip, every time," said Jan Stegelman, Safe Kids Kansas Coordinator.

"We are urging everyone to get their child safety seats inspected. When it comes to the safety of a child, there is no room for mistakes." A recent study found that car seat checkups provided by Safe Kids coalitions have been very effective in teaching parents important safety skills.

In addition to community checkup events, Safe Kids Kansas Coalitions have provided 23,427 child safety seats and booster seats to low-income families in our state.

According to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) research, 8,325 lives of children under age 5 have been saved nationally by the proper use of child restraints during the past 30 years.

In 2006 alone, an estimated 425 lives of children under age 5 were saved by child restraint use.

According to Stegelman, parmining which restraint system is best suited to protect their children in a vehicle:

1. For the best possible protection keep infants in the back seat

With term lim-

Jefferson City mayor

a unified city position on issues.

Their new coalition has no

that it isn't intended to imply any

particular dissatisfaction with law-

makers or the Municipal League.

that the departure of many long-

time lawmakers has zapped some

of the Capitol's institutional

knowledge about the needs of big-

Under voter-approved term lim-

"With term limits, you have in-

dividuals who come and go rather

quickly," Slay said. "So we need to

do a better job of communicating

our messages and issues and chal-

The mayors plan to develop

more specific legislative goals

before the next session starts in

Missouri Municipal League Ex-

ecutive Director Gary Markenson

said he knew little about Tues-

day's mayoral meeting but added

that his association would gladly

work with the new coalition.

lenges and concerns to them."

its, lawmakers can serve about

eight years each in the House and

But Mayor Francis Slay said

Francis Slay,

rather quickly."

child safety seat, as long as possible—up to the maximum weight or height limit of the particular seat. At a minimum, keep infants rear facing until at least age 1 and at least 20 pounds. Be sure to read and follow your child safety seat owner's manual for correct usage and weight/height limitations.

2. When children outgrow their rear-facing seats, they should ride in a forward-facing child safety seat, in the back seat of the vehicle, until they reach the upper weight or height limit of the harness of the particular seat.

3. Once children outgrow their forward-facing harnessed seats (usually around age 4 and 40 or more pounds, depending upon the specific car seat) they should ride in booster seats, seated in the back seat of the vehicle, until the vehicle seat belts fit properly. Kansas Law states children must remain in a booster seat until the child reaches 8-years-old, 80 pounds, or 4'9" in height.

4. After children fully outgrow their booster seats, they should use the adult seat belts in the back seat of the vehicle. Seat belts fit properly when the lap belt lays across the upper thighs (staying off of the soft abdomen) and the shoulder belt rests on the shoulder or colalso bend naturally over the edge of the vehicle seat so as to discour-

Safe Kids Kansas urges parents of the vehicle, in a rear-facing larbone. The child's legs should between 8 and 12 years old, is approximately 4'9" tall, and weighs between 80 to 100 pounds. Chilage slouching, which can cause dren should remain in the back poor seat belt fit. This milestone seat position of the vehicle until at usually occurs when the child is least age 13 for maximum safety.

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1920's IH tractor with man and

For more information call the Colby Free Press office: 785-462-3963 or stop in at 155 W. 5th Street

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others) Custard 1800's inverted fan,

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2 cut overlay glass cruets

others

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