

Weather Corner



National Weather Service

Tonight: Partly cloudy, with a low around 68. Breezy, with a south wind between 15 and 20 mph; gusts as high as 30 mph.

Saturday: Isolated thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 97. South southwest wind around 10 mph becoming north northwest. Chance of precipitation is 20 percent.

Saturday Night: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 66. North northeast wind between 5 and 10 mph.

Sunday: Partly cloudy, with a high near 87. North wind 10 to 15 mph becoming east.

Sunday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 63.

Monday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 89.

Monday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 63.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, with a high near 92.

Tuesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 64.

Wednesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 92.

Wednesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 65.

Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 93.

Thursday: High, 89; Low 62
Precip: Thursday 0.00 inches
Month: 2.74 inches
Year: 10.30 inches
Normal: 9.94 inches
(K-State Experiment Station)
Sunrise and Sunset
Saturday 6:19 a.m. 9:15 p.m.
Full Moon at 6:31 a.m.
Sunday 6:19 a.m. 9:15 p.m.
Monday 6:20 a.m. 9:15 p.m.
(U.S. Naval Observatory)
Colby Water Use
Thursday 2,722,000 gal.
(Colby Public Works)

Lawyer, pilot campaigns in Colby

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months after he left the service.

After leaving the Air Force in 1991, Cobb said, he was general council and chief financial officer for insurance firms in Colorado and Illinois. He returned to Kansas and has lived here for 10 years. Cobb, the only licensed attorney in the race, said he works as a legal mediator in McPherson County. He was born in Galva and now lives in McPherson.

Cobb served as a board member of the McPherson Red Cross, the International Chess Institute of the Midwest, the McPherson Arts Association and the McPherson Bar Association. Cobb said he has also served as treasurer of his church and housed exchange students.

Cobb said his experience serving on boards and in the Air Force has given him a different approach to the issues.

He outlined three main issues he would focus on if elected. The first is to help improve the agricultural economy. Cobb said he would help expand the markets for wheat and beef, as well as maintain crop insurance and the Conservation Reserve Program.

"Government can do a few good things," he said.

The second issue is the comprehensive health care legislation recently passed by Congress. He said he would have preferred that Congress institute changes such as insurance for kids, the uninsured and those with pre-existing conditions incrementally rather than with a comprehensive bill.

Going forward, Cobb said that a

repeal of the Obama bill probably won't happen, so Congress needs to maintain and amend the bill to make sure it doesn't bankrupt the country.

The third issue, he said, is national security. Cobb said he would like to see the U.S. border more secure and troops brought home from Iraq and Afghanistan. Cobb said he would like to see the U.S. more secure so people could stop living in fear of terrorism. By comparison, he said, European communities have and need far less police presence than American cities.

Part of the difficulty with national security, he said, is that bureaucracies such as Homeland Security and Immigration and Customs Enforcement don't often cooperate.

Cobb said he has had experience in that area. While in the Air Force, he said, he wrote a journal article advocating refueling several fighter jets at once instead of one at a time. The procedure would have saved time and money, he said, but the Air Force still hasn't implemented because none of the internal departments wants to pay to refit the tankers.

Cobb said his experience as a mediator would serve him well when trying to elicit better cooperation among agencies

"You have to communicate and negotiate well," he said. "Congress now, I don't think some of them even talk to each other."

Cobb said a congressman also has to be an educator, since many people from urban areas don't understand agricultural economies.

Palin endorses Tiahrt

TOPEKA (AP) – Sarah Palin is endorsing Kansas Congressman Todd Tiahrt for the U.S. Senate.

The former GOP vice presidential nominee and Alaska governor announced her support for Tiahrt in a Facebook posting Thursday.

She called Tiahrt "a commonsense conservative who has never voted for a tax increase." She also praised his support for gun rights and what she called his "pro-family" stances.

Tiahrt has represented the 4th Congressional District of south-central Kansas since 1995.

His toughest opponent in the Aug. 3 primary is fellow Congressman Jerry Moran, who represented the 1st District of western and central Kansas since 1997.

Moran spokesman Dan Conston said Moran has had a good relationship with Palin and has the backing of prominent conservatives in the U.S. Senate.

Candidates file for 2010 races

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Morgan – Steve and Tamara Ziegelmeier, Colby; West Morgan – D. Kriss and Lisa Schroeder and Janice Frahm, all of Colby; North Randall – Lonnie D. Wilson, Colby; Lacey – Margaret and John D. Flanagan, Gem; Summers – Randall L. and Melissa Regier, Monument; and Menlo – Loren E. and Susan Guill, Menlo.

Statewide, nine candidates have filed for the open seat in the U.S. Senate: Democrats Robert A. Conroy, Shawnee; David Haley, Kansas City; Lisa Johnston, Overland Park; Charles Schollenberger, Prairie Village; and Patrick Wiesner, Lawrence; and Republicans Jerry Moran, Hays; Todd Tiaht, Goddard; Tom Little, Mound City; and Robert (Bob) Londerholm, Overland Park.

One candidate has already dropped out of the 1st District race for U.S. representative. Monte Shadwick left the race before the filing deadline, leaving six Republicans to vie for the nomination: Jim Barnett, Emporia; Sue (Holloway) Boldra, Hays; Marck Cobb, Galva; Tim Huelskamp, Fowler; Tracey Mann, Salina; or Rob Wasinger, Cottonwood Falls; will face uncontested Democrat Alan Jilka, Salina, in the general election.

Sam Brownback, Topeka and Jeff Colyer, Over-

land Park, will face a primary challenge for the posts of governor and lieutenant governor from Joan Heffington, Derby, and Mark Holick, Wichita. Democrats Tom Holland, Baldwin City, and Kelly Kultala, Kansas City, are the only Democratic candidates.

Newly appointed Secretary of State Chris Biggs, Junction City, has filed for election. He will face Democratic challenger Chris Steineger, Kansas City, in the primary. Three Republicans have also filed for the post: Elizabeth "Libby" Ensley, Topeka; Kris Kobach, Piper; and J.R. Claeys, Salina.

Attorney General Steve Six, Lawrence, and Treasurer Dennis McKinney are both uncontested in the Democratic Primary. Republicans Ralph De Zago, Herington, and Derek Schmidt, Independence, have filed for the attorney general and Republican Ron Estes for treasurer.

Sandy Praeger, Lawrence, is facing a primary challenger for her post of insurance commissioner from David Powell, Eldorado. No Democrats have filed for the office.

Republican Sally Cauble, Liberal, has filed for re-election to the Kansas Board of Education from District 5. The district is the largest in the state, covering all of western Kansas from St. Francis to Elkhart, Larned and Mankato.

K-State summit talks grocery stores

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Engagement and Community Development at K-State and co-sponsored by the Kansas Small Business Development Center, Affiliated Foods Midwest, the

Kansas Department of Commerce, Simply Kansas, Floyds' Super Market of Sedan, GDi Retail Consulting, NetWork Kansas, Blacksmith Coffee Roastery, Farmers Insurance Group; Bob Joyce Insurance Agency, the Joe

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For information, go to www.dce.k-state.edu/conf/ruralgrocery/.

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Monday Evening											June 28, 2010	
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
KAKE/ABC	The Bachelorette				True Beauty		Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
KBSL/CBS	How I Met Rules	Two Men	Big Bang		CSI: Miami		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late			
KSNK/NBC	Last Comic Standing				Persons Unknown		Local	Wimbledon	Tonight Show w/Leno			
KSAS/FOX	Lie to Me		The Good Guys		Local							
Cable Channels												
A & E	Intervention		Intervention		Obsessed		Obsessed		Intervention			
AMC	The Client						Fear					
ANIM	River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters		River Monsters			
BRAVO	Housewives/NJ		Housewives/NJ		Housewives/NJ		Happens	Housewives/NJ	Happens			
CMT	Extreme-Home		The Singing Bee		Son-in-Law				Smarter			
CNN	Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				Larry King Live			
COMEDY	Balls of Fury	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	Futurama			
DISC	Ulti. Car Build-Off		Ulti. Car Build-Off		Heartland Thunder		Ulti. Car Build-Off		Ulti. Car Build-Off			
DISN	Tinker Bell and the Lost		Phineas		Phineas	Hannah	Wizards	Deck	Suite	So Raven		
E!	Miami	Miami	Holly's W	Holly's W	Kardashian		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea	The Soup		
ESPN	College Baseball					SportsCenter			Baseball	NFL Live		
ESPN2	MLB Baseball				Baseball Tonight		World Cup Primetime					
FAM	Secret-Teen		Huge		Make It or Break It		The 700 Club		Whose?	Whose?		
FOOD	Unwrapped	Unwrapped	The Best	The Best	Diners	Diners	Good Eats	Unwrapped	The Best	The Best		
FX	Coach Carter				The Good Guys		He Got Game					
HGTV	Giveaway	Property	House	My First	House	House	Selling N	First	House	My First		
HIST	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers		Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers		Pawn	Pawn		
LIFE	Reba	Reba	Where the Heart Is				Will	Will	Frasier	Medium		
MTV	True Life		Berger	Berger	Berger	Warren th	Berger	Warren th	True Life			
NICK	Airbender	Matters	Chris	Chris	Lopez	Lopez	Malcolm	Malcolm	The Nanny	The Nanny		
SCI	Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Monster	Monster	Gundam	Gundam		
SPIKE	Cradle 2 the Grave				Entourage		Entourage	Entourage	Entourage	Entourage		
TBS	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Neighbors	Fam. Guy	Lopez Tonight		Neighbors	Name Earl		
TCM	The Great Race						Inside Daisy Clover					
TLC	Food	Food	Cake Boss	Cake Boss	Inedible	Inedible	Food	Food	Cake Boss	Cake Boss		
TNT	Bones		Bones		Bones		The Closer		CSI: NY			
TOON	Adventure	Flapjack	Total	Stoked	King-Hill	King-Hill	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen		
TRAV	Bizarre Foods		Dining With Death		Dining With Death		Dining With Death		Bizarre Foods			
TV LAND	Cosby	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	Stand by Me				Roseanne	Roseanne		
USA	NCIS		WWE Monday Night RAW				Burn Notice		In Plain Sight			
VH1	Brandy & Ray J		Behind the Music		Dad Camp		Behind the Music		Dad Camp			
WGN	Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs	S. Park	South Pk		
Premium Channels												
HBO	REAL Sports Gumbel		Kevorkian				Notorious			Neistat		
MAX	I Love	The Strangers			A Perfect Getaway			Brüno				
SHOW	Adventureland		The Real L Word		Weeds	Green	The Real L Word		Teller	Punisher		

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