

# New vice president settling in

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she said, adding that Max Heim, interim president at the college, recommended the book to her. Nichols has had numerous articles she has written published on subjects ranging from people learning to live with Human Immunodeficiency Virus to student affairs issues.

Nichols said she loved growing up in the small town of Volonia. She said she spent a lot of her childhood hunting, fishing, camping and hiking. She said it's nice to be living in a small town again. She said Scott County State Lake is a hidden gem for camping in northwest Kansas. While Nichols said she still enjoys fishing, hiking and camping, she also is learning scrap-booking and wants to learn how to make quilts. She said her husband is also teaching her how to play golf.

Nichols said the best part of her job is working with the staff and preparing students for opportunities later in life.

## Calculating the change

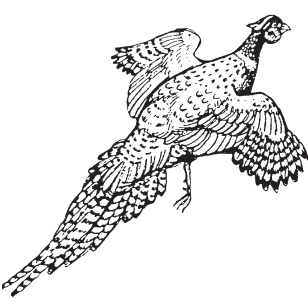


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Ryan Voss (left) and Morgan Bryant sold baked goods at the Sacred Heart Catholic School bake sale Wednesday in the school gymnasium. Voss and Bryant were assisted by parent

helper, Mandy Lanning. The students held the bake sale in part to learn how to make change.

## Weather Corner



### National Weather Service

**Tonight:** A chance of freezing drizzle after 3 a.m. Increasing clouds, with a low around 26. East wind around 10 mph.

**Saturday:** A chance of freezing drizzle before noon. Cloudy, with a high near 36. Southeast wind around 10 mph.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 27. Southeast wind around 10 mph becoming west.

**Sunday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 56. West wind around 10 mph becoming south.

**Sunday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 27.

**Monday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 48.

**Monday Night:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 20.

**Tuesday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 40.

**Tuesday Night:** A 20 percent chance of snow. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 19.

**Wednesday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 37.

**Wednesday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 17.

**Thanksgiving Day:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 40.

Thursday: High, 59; Low 27  
Precip: Thursday 0.00 inches

Month: 0.00 inches

Year: 18.14 inches

Normal: 19.95 inches

(K-State Experiment Station)

**Sunrise and Sunset**  
Saturday 7:34 a.m. 5:26 p.m.

Sunday 7:35 a.m. 5:25 p.m.

Monday 7:36 a.m. 5:25 p.m.

(U.S. Naval Observatory)

## Colby School District may switch from suburbans to vans

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would cost, and they get higher gas mileage, about 25 miles per gallon versus about 18.

The vans do have less room for passengers, he said, but a lot of the suburbans go out on trips under capacity.

"The cost savings would offset the lower passenger number," he said.

The board approved his request, saying that if they decided in the future that the vans weren't working well, they were under no obligation to buy more.

The board also discussed activity tryout guidelines. The non-

sport activities that hold tryouts - honor bands and choirs, dance team and cheerleading - all have different procedures. The dance team doesn't hold midyear tryouts, but rather has several alternates available if someone quits. The cheerleading team has mid-year tryouts if the roster falls below 10 students.

The discussion stemmed from a student's request at a previous meeting that the cheerleading team hold midyear tryouts even though the team roster was above 10. Board Vice President Tracy Rogers said the administration should handle the procedure as long as things are kept as consistent as

possible with established rules.

In other business:

- Curriculum Director Diana Wieland, reporting for high school Principal Larry Gabel, said 26 boys and 28 girls went out for basketball this year. Forty-two boys went out for wrestling, she said, but not all of them have had their physicals yet and are unable to attend practices.

- Board member Kevan Taylor asked if there were any business or personal finance classes, because, he said, some students aren't learning how to balance checkbooks or calculate loan interest. Wieland said the district used to have a class called "Wallet

Wisdom," but it wasn't recognized by the state.

Wieland said the district teaches financial literacy in several different classes such as entrepreneurship (which they were not able to offer this year), business accounting and family and consumer sciences. However, students are not required to take these courses.

The No Child Left Behind standards on financial literacy are integrated into math and science.

"They (the government) are really talking about 'college and career ready,'" Wieland said, "and you can't be either of those unless you have these skills."

- Board President Janice Frahm said she had attended the Tri-State Regional Special Education Law Conference Nov. 4 and 5 Omaha, Neb. The conference had workshops on autism, service animals and bipolar disorder among others. Janice said one thing she took away from the conference is that the relationship between the teacher and the parents is key to helping the student.

- The board approved two supplemental contracts. Donna Lamm will coach middle school scholar's bowl and Todd Voss will be an assistant coach for middle school wrestling.

## Prosecution seeking death penalty in Garden City murder

By Roxana Hegeman

The Associated Press

GREAT BEND - Prosecutors said Thursday they would seek the death penalty for the man accused of killing a Kansas teenager whose charred body was found at the Great Bend asphalt plant where he worked.

A plea of not guilty was entered on behalf of Adam Joseph Longoria, 36, of Great Bend on charges of capital murder and criminal sodomy in the August killing of 14-year-old Alicia DeBolt. Details of her death were made public during a hearing in which a Barton County judge found sufficient evidence for trial.

Longoria attended the hearing,

listening intently and nodding or shaking his head at times during testimony. No trial date was set.

Prosecutors introduced evidence that included text messages believed exchanged between Longoria and the girl on the day she was killed. DNA evidence from bodily fluids found on the floor mat of the vehicle he was allegedly driving at the time was matched to both Longoria and the teen, investigators said.

Deputy Attorney General Barry Disney said DNA evidence indicated Longoria had the girl perform oral sex on him.

Longoria's defense attorneys presented no evidence at the hearing, but argued that all the evidence was circumstantial and did

not support a charge of capital murder. They also argued that the government did not meet its burden of proof to establish a sexual crime had been committed, because prosecutors' only evidence of such a crime was the DNA mixture in the vehicle.

Investigators said Alicia left her house at about 11 p.m. on Aug. 21 to go to a party, and her family reported her missing the next afternoon. Her body was found three days after she left.

Eva Brown, who lived with Longoria and acknowledged she had an intimate relationship with him, testified that Longoria left their house shortly before 11 p.m. Brown testified that she talked to him on his cell phone at 12:33

a.m. and that he came home a few minutes later smelling like gasoline.

Brown said Longoria washed his clothes as soon as he came home. The next day she noticed his pants were stained and he said they should be thrown out. She also testified that she saw him clean his tennis shoes that he had worn with bleach. The following day, he tore up the T-shirt he had been wearing that night and told her if she loved him, to throw it away, Brown testified.

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KAKE/ABC	Dancing With Stars		Skating-Stars				Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live	
KBSL/CBS	How I Met Rules		Two Men Mike		Hawaii Five-0		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late	
KSNK/NBC	Chuck		The Event		Chase		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	Late	
KSAS/FOX	House		Lie to Me		Local					

Channel	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
A & E	Intervention		Hoarders		Hoarders		Intervention		Intervention	
AMC	Troy							A Few Good Men		
ANIM	Pit Bulls-Parole		I Shouldn't Be Alive		I Shouldn't Be Alive		Pit Bulls-Parole		I Shouldn't Be Alive	
BRAVO	Housewives/Atl.		Housewives/Atl.		Real Housewives		Housewives/Atl.		Matchmaker	
CMT	The Dukes of Hazzard		Extreme Makeover		Extreme Makeover		Extreme Makeover		Smarter Smarter	
CNN	Parker Spitzer		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				Larry King Live	
COMEDY	Accepted		South Pk		South Pk		Daily	Colbert	Ugly Amer	Futurama
DISC	Secret Service		The Kennedy Detail				Secret Service		The Kennedy Detail	
DISN	Tinker Be	Wizards	Deck	Deck	Good Luck	Good Luck	Fish Hook	Fish Hook	Hannah	Hannah
E!	Bruce Almighty				Big Interview		Chelsea		E! News	Chelsea
ESPN	Countdown	NFL Football							SportsCenter	
ESPN2	College Basketball		College Basketball						College Basketball	
FAM	A Carol Christmas		Holiday in Handcuffs				The 700 Club		My Wife	My Wife
FOOD	Unwrapped	Unwrapped	The Best	The Best	Diners	Diners	Good Eats	Good Eats	The Best	The Best
FX	Devil-Prada						Mr. 3000			
HGTV	Property	Property	House	Hunters	House	Hunters	My First	First	House	Hunters
HIST	Pawn	Pawn	The Real Story		Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers		Pawn	Pawn
LIFE	Reba	Reba	Fab Five: Texas				How I Met	How I Met	Frasier	Frasier
MTV	True Life		True Life		World of Jenks		World of Jenks		16 and Pregnant	
NICK	My Wife	My Wife	Chris	Chris	George	Lopez	The Nanny	The Nanny	The Nanny	The Nanny
SCI	Fight Club						Gundam	Gundam	Tokko	Tokko
SPIKE	CSI: Crime Scene		National Security				Bad Santa			
TBS	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Conan		Lopez Tonight	
TCM	Moguls, Movie		Footlight Parade				Moguls, Movie		The Public Enemy	
TLC	People	People	Cake Boss	Cake Boss	Fabulous Cakes		People	People	Cake Boss	Cake Boss
TNT	Bones		Bones		The Closer		Men of a Certain Age		Glory Daze	
TOON	Adventure	MAD	Total	Scooby	King-Hill	King-Hill	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Boondocks
TRAV	Bizarre Foods		Bizarre Foods		No Reservation		No Reservation		Bizarre Foods	
TV LAND	Sanford	Sanford	Roxanne				Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	
USA	NCIS		WWE Monday Night RAW				Street Kings			
VH1	My Big-Wedding		My Big-Wedding		Michaels	Lopez	My Big-Wedding			
WGN	Chris	Chris	Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk
Premium Channels										
HBO	Wartorn 1861-2010		Treatment	Treatment	Public Speaking		Boxing			
MAX	HalfBaked		The Uninvited		Crazy Heart					
SHOW	Push		Dexter		The Killer Inside Me				Dexter	

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	Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab		Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab Diabetic Clinic	MRI's	Cardiac Rehab	
7	8 Dr. Rubiniowitz Oncology	9	10 Dr. Frankum Surgery	11	12	13
	Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab		Bone Density Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab Diabetic Clinic	MRI's	Cardiac Rehab	
14	15	16	17 Dr. Curtis Cardiology	18 Dr. Saba Orthopedics	19	20
	Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab		Ultrasounds Cardiac Rehab Diabetic Clinic	MRI's	Cardiac Rehab	
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