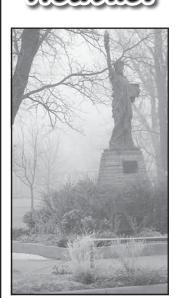
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National Weather Service Tonight: A chance of rain and snow showers before midnight, then a slight chance of snow showers between midnight and 1 a.m. Cloudy, then gradually becoming partly cloudy, with a low around 25. East wind 5 to 10 mph becoming north after midnight. Chance of precipitation is 30 percent. Little or no snow accumulation expected.

Friday: Partly sunny, with a high near 48. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming northeast in the afternoon.

Friday Night: A chance of rain and snow before 11 p.m., then snow likely. Cloudy, with a low around 27. East wind around 15 mph becoming north after midnight. Chance of precipitation is 70 percent.

Saturday: Snow with patchy blowing snow. High near 30. Blustery, with a northeast wind 10 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 80 percent.

Saturday Night: Snow with areas of blowing snow before 10 p.m., then patchy blowing snow and a chance of snow between 10 p.m. and 4 a.m., then a slight chance of snow after 4 a.m. Low around 16. Blustery. Chance of precipitation is 80 percent.

Sunday: A 10 percent chance of snow before 7 a.m. Partly sunny, with a high near 31.

Sunday Night: Mostly cloudy, with a low around 15. Monday: Partly sunny, with a

high near 31. Monday Night: Mostly

cloudy, with a low around 15. Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 36.

Tuesday Night: Mostly cloudy, with a low around 20. Wednesday: Partly sunny, with a high near 43.

Wednesday: High, 51; Low 14

Precip: Wednesday None Month: 0.09 inches Year: 0.89 inches Normal: 2.11 inches (K-State Experiment Station) **Sunrise and Sunset**

7:44 a.m. 7:59 p.m. Moon: waxing, 77 percent (U.S. Naval Observatory)

Rise of Apes

The Help

Weather College board receives positive review on audit

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audit did not recommend that the college change anything.

"There's a cost associated with getting those numbers," Staats said, "so we're not pushing you to incur those costs, but from Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, we have to cite that part of it."

Staats then went over the college's balance sheet, which he said is a snapshot of the college's finances at year end, compared to a year earlier. He said cash was \$626,000, up \$400,000 from last year, and total net assets increased by \$231,000, bringing the total to \$4,297,000.

"So you're heading the right direction," he said.

The college usually opertrouble when cash reserves dip because most of its income from the state and students comes only a few times a year.

Staats said the financial statements show the increase or decrease in net assets. This year, the college is in the black by \$231,000 whereas last year they were \$773,000 in the red. That means, Staats said, that the college increased its positive revenue by about \$1 million.

"Now I don't want you to get overly confident that you solved the world's problems," he said, "because you're far from where you need to be from a financial

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In other business, the council:

the city out after snow storms.

problem for years."

• Discussed a resolution changing when city

employees may use vacation days. McGreer sug-

gested revising the city's personnel handbook to

allow up to three days of an employee's vacation

from one year to carry over into the next. He said

he had heard some of them had planned to use

those days to get time off during the holidays, but

ended up having to change their plans to help dig

the employees use up old vacation days they had

"I'm glad to see you're doing this," Council-

man Mark Beringer told him. "This has been a gram.

would add that idea to the resolution and bring it killing fish.

the meeting, they agreed it would be best to make the town's sewer plant.

nine months of cash in reserve, but Alan Waites, chief financial officer and vice president of months of cash reserve, which is pretty typical across the nation. A three-month reserve, he said, is about \$3 million to \$3.2 mil-

Staats added that some of the revenue items that increased the total this year might not recur, including a \$500,000 estate bequest and the sale of a few assets for \$178,000.

Staats then discussed the college's compliance with financial statement and student financial aid standards. He said the college had a "material weakness" ates in the black, but often has internal control" over the finandeficiency in internal control" regarding the Federal Perkins Loan Program.

> Staats said the material weakwhich had not been recorded in the proper accounting period for the Honeywell project. The significant deficiency in the financials was a bank reconciliation that was not being tied back to the general ledger balance, resulting in a cash variance of \$13,644.

been corrected.

The significant deficiency in Staats said ideally, an entity the Perkins Loan Program, Staees approved the 2012 audit.

City Council to handle traffic

differently during snow storm

intersection.

could be used.

this size should probably have ats said, was that out of 60 files selected for review, one could not be produced by the college.

Spence then talked to the business affairs, said the goal trustees about a couple of vioof the college is to be at three lations the firm found and the management, or governance,

> During the audit, Spence said, the firm noted a cash violation in the Athletics Fund, which was overspent. She said it didn't mean the cash wasn't available, but it had been taken from another fund.

There was also a budget violation, she said, in the Dormitory Fund because expenses exceeded the budgeted amount; a violation in a remittance of the bond payments, which should be received within 20 days prior and a "significant deficiency in to the due date, and it was not; and a violation that some vencial reports and a "significant dors were not in compliance with mandatory nondiscrimination provisions.

Spence said the governance letter is a communication from ness involved accounts payable, the firm to the board on ways the college could improve operational efficiency and effectiveness and strengthen financial

The first recommendation was that the college track disposals of property and equipment through the year by creating a subsidiary ledger to tie those He added that since the end back to the general ledger. Othof the year, that deficiency has ers covered accounting details for various programs.

Later in the meeting, the trust-

• Tabled a decision on a paving project along

Fourth Street. McGreer told the council he had

noticed several inches wearing off the road be-

tween the old location of The Bank and the next

He said that area was not part of any road proj-

ects the council had already approved, but that

money from the connecting links fund, sponsored

by the Kansas Department of Transportation,

off and \$10,493 to be sent to the state offset pro-

• Approved \$1,532 in accounts to be charged

• Heard from McGreer about a letter from the

He said that nutrients in the runoff could pro-

College board to hold special meeting

The Colby Community College board of trustees will hold a special meeting at noon Monday in the board room located in Thomas Hall to hold a closed session about non-elected personnel, take action as necessary and to discuss approval of Kansas Association School Boards services. For information, call Debbie Schwanke, public information director, at 460-

City working on mapping electric, water The City of Colby would like to inform the public that Midland GIS is

continuing to do mapping for the electric and water departments. They will be in some alleyways and yards and will be working seven days a week. The project will take approximately three more weeks to complete. If you have questions, please call the department of public works at 460-4420.

Master Gardeners will hold sessions

K-State Research and Extension will be at the Colby Home and Better Living show on Saturday upstairs in the Community Building. The Thomas County Master Gardeners will be holding the following educational sessions: 10 a.m. "Can you Grow Tomatoes?"; 11 a.m. "Tree Establishment and Care"; noon "Top 40 Annuals for Western Kansas"; 1 p.m. "Tree Establishment and Care." At 5 p.m., the program will be "Beef Done Right," focusing on beef cuts and grilling.

Assembly of God to hold Easter egg hunt

College Drive Assembly of God will hold their annual Easter egg hunt from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Saturday. Doors will open at 12:45. Children 5 years and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Contact Michelle Hillery at 443-1395.

Colby High dance tryouts set for next week

Colby High School dance team tryouts will be at 6:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday in the high school gym. Tryout packets are available in the Colby Middle School and High School offices. Call Coach Denita Rodgers at 269-7908 with any questions.

Commodities to be given out here Monday

U.S. Department of Agriculture commodities will be distributed from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Monday at the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program office in the Senior Progress Center at Fike Park. This is a second distribution for March. It is first come, first-served, but you may send a signed permission slip with someone else. Bring a sack or box. Commodities may include corn, orange juice, mixed fruit, grapefruit juice, potatoes and applesauce. For questions, call the office at 462-6744.

Brewster Grocery plans annual fish fry The Brewster Grocery Annual Fish Fry fund raiser will be from 5:30 to

8:30 p.m., Saturday, April 6, at the Brewster School lunch room. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for kids ages 6 to 11. Tickets are available by contacting the Brewster Grocery Store at 694-2824 or Rae Stewart at 694-

Retirement party set for county van driver

There will be a retirement party for Thomas County transportation van driver Inez Overton from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday in the county clerk's office. For information, call Shelly Harms at 460-4500.

Bowling day to raise money for Big Brothers

Come and join the fun at the 2013 "Bowl for Kids Sake" from 1 to 6 p.m Saturday at the Colby Bowl and Fun Center. Teams will collect pledges for Big Brothers Big Sisters. For information or to make a pledge, call Orvella Romine at 460-9125.

Sacred Heart accepting pre-enrollments Sacred Heart School is accepting pre-enrollments for 3-year-old pre-

school and 4-year-old pre-kindergarten for the 2013-14 school year. Classes have begun to fill up, but there are still openings available. There is no deadline to sign up. Contact Principal Laura Krejci at 460-2813.

Legion Auxiliary making bierocks

The Colby American Legion Auxiliary will be taking orders for regular, cheese and jalapeño bierocks at \$32 a dozen to be made Sunday, April 7. The proceeds will go to veterans and their families. For questions or to order, call Terina Schmidt at 443-3766.

Red Cross to hold blood drive this month

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive from noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday and 7:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. next Thursday at the Colby Community Building. The agency needs all blood types to maintain a reliable supply. Bring a blood donor card, driver's license or two other forms of identification. Ham and beans will be served. For information, call Bev Vaughn at 462-3861.

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However, the council did not make a decision. Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Discussing the idea with city officials who were at about high levels of minerals in water runoff from

saved up by the start of July. McGreer said he mote algae growth in water downstream, possibly

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