

# Weather



National Weather Service  
**Tonight:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 39. North wind 5 to 15 mph.

**Saturday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 63. North wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east in the afternoon.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 42. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Sunday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 65. Breezy, with a southeast wind 10 to 15 mph increasing to 20 to 25 mph in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 35 mph.

**Sunday Night:** A chance of showers and thunderstorms between 8 p.m. and 2 a.m., then areas of drizzle and thunderstorms after 2 a.m. Cloudy, with a low around 55. Breezy. Chance of precipitation is 50 percent.

**Columbus Day:** Areas of drizzle and thunderstorms, then showers and thunderstorms likely after 8 a.m. Partly sunny, with a high near 69. Chance of precipitation is 60 percent.

**Monday Night:** Showers and thunderstorms likely. Partly cloudy, with a low around 41. Chance of precipitation is 60 percent.

**Tuesday:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Mostly sunny, with a high near 54.

**Tuesday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 34.

**Wednesday:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Mostly sunny, with a high near 57.

**Wednesday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Partly cloudy, with a low around 39.

**Thursday:** Sunny, with a high near 61.

Thursday: High, 86; Low 41  
Precip: Thursday 0.43 inches  
Month: 0.43 inches  
Year: 12.74 inches  
Normal: 19.29 inches  
(K-State Experiment Station)

**Sunrise and Sunset**  
Saturday 7:51 a.m. 7:09 p.m.  
Moon: waxing, 59 percent  
Sunday 7:52 a.m. 7:08 p.m.  
Moon: waxing, 69 percent  
Monday 7:53 a.m. 7:06 p.m.  
Moon: waxing, 79 percent  
(U.S. Naval Observatory)

## Changing of the (treasurer's) guard



SAM DIETER  
Colby Free Press

Donita Applebury (left) shared a joke with County Clerk Shelly Harms and other co-workers at her retirement reception Tuesday in the Thomas County Courthouse. Applebury's successor as county treasurer is Layn Bruggeman, above.



## Kansas to end federal grant

TOPEKA (AP) — A Kansas social services agency is ending its practice of using federal grant funds to encourage low-income residents to enroll in the food stamp program.

Theresa Freed, spokeswoman for the Kansas Department for Children and Families, tells the *Lawrence Journal-World* (bit.ly/1bb8jNT) that the decision is consistent with the state's position that finding a job is a better than seeking short-term assistance.

"We simply do not believe taxpayer dollars should be used to recruit people to be on welfare," Freed said.

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## Foundation gives to campaign

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happen," he said, "but we got a better deal."

Wells pointed out that the foundation recently bought a 1964 Chevrolet Impala Super Sport. He plans to sell as many keys as possible to the car, one of which will work. The foundation has an unlimited number of keys, and plans to announce the winning key at next year's auction.

At the start of the meeting, the college's Sunflower Singers provided the entertainment for the night. Vocal instructor Randy Berls conducted the 16 college students while Pat Ziegelmeier, another music instructor, accompanied them on the piano.

Wells then introduced newly-hired beef program director Dr. Lorna Pelton. Pelton, who was hired as the new farm and ranch manager, feedlot manager and beef-production instructor last month, attended the college from 1977 to 1979. Wells coached her when she was on the livestock judging team.

"She was a dyed-in-the-wool Hereford (cattle raiser)," he said, "I'm glad she got over that." Pelton took the stand and jokingly told the group that Wells was a very good coach "after we got him in line."

A Palco native, she said she knew in high school that Colby Community College had a good livestock judging team. She got a visit then from her first college judging coach, Don Woodburn, who met her for lunch at the Palco Cafe.

"He told me, 'Lorna, you got one choice, you can either join a winning team, or we'll just beat you all the time,'" Pelton said.

She also talked about going to Louisville, Ky. — home of the Kentucky Derby — with her team on a competition. They did not represent Kansas very well, she admitted, but "we talked our way into the racehorse stable where Secretariat was stalled."

After multiple wins in Colby, she went on to get

her masters' in animal science at K-State, where she learned to work with some of her old judging competitors. She built a 20-year career on using ultrasound to examine cattle to see what kind of meat they have. The idea formed the foundation of her doctoral thesis at Texas A&M University, and the American Hereford Association approached her to turn the concept into a long-term venture.

In 1996 and 1998, she took two trips to Australia, where she learned that a cattle ranch is called a "stud," and kangaroos are considered a kind of predatory species because they eat so much grass. But her friends there sent her home with a kangaroo pelt.

A fourth-generation member of an agricultural family, she runs Pride Livestock Co. with her son.

"Every item that you touch and participate in," Pelton said, "you need to have pride in it."

She said the beef program already has a strong reputation which she wants to add to by adding new programs and improving the quality of the cattle.

In the business meeting, four regular board members were re-elected: Darrell Pabst, Sharon Redmond, Janice Cates and Vernon Hurd. Other members were elected as officers: Jay Todd as president, Lynette Ball as president-elect, Suzanne Schielke as secretary, Lisa Schamberger as treasurer, Vernon Hurd treasurer and Shane Franz as past president. Each of them had already been members from 2012 to 2013.

"They're not all farmers, they're not all ranchers, they're not all bankers, they're not all home-makers," Wells said. "But they're all northwest Kansas people."

For more information about how to help the foundation raise money, call the foundation office 460-4684, or Hines at 443-0614.



Lorna Pelton

# Briefly

The deadline for Briefly is noon the day before. Items submitted in the morning will be set up for the following day, space available. The deadline for Monday's paper is noon Friday.

## Once-a-Month Lunch coming up Saturday

Once-a-Month Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church, 515 W. Fourth St. Lunch is free for everyone the second Saturday of each month; no reservation needed. Call the church office with questions at 462-6342.

## Church plans panel on end-of-life issues

Sacred Heart Catholic Church will hold a panel discussion on end-of-life issues from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the church, 1065 W. Fifth St. Speakers will include Father Brendan Rolling from Atchison, Dr. Gerald Brungardt from Wichita and Carol Otter from Norton. Everyone is welcome. For questions, contact Jeannie Solko at 462-2179.

## Girl Scouts, college groups to pick up food

Colby Girl Scouts will join with the Colby Boy Scouts, Catholic Youth Group, Colby Community College Presidential Scholars and college basketball, cross country and track teams going door to door from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday to collect nonperishable food for Genesis-Thomas County. If you won't be home, please leave your donation in a sack by your front door. For information, call Penny Cline at 460-2929 after 6 p.m.

## It's time to stop separating grass clippings

The City of Colby Sanitation Department will stop picking up grass separately next Friday. You may put grass clippings in with your regular trash through the winter. For information, call Omar Weber at the Public Works Department 460-4420.

## Coalition plans party to wrap up garden

The Thomas County Coalition will hold a Community Garden social and clean-up at 5 p.m. Tuesday at the Southwind Plaza. Surveys have been distributed on interest in individual garden plots or a farmers' market. Everyone is welcome to enjoy the end-of-season wrap-up and to have some tasty soup. For information, call Denise Singer at 465-9103.

## Health insurance workshop open to all

Citizens Medical Center will have a meeting about health insurance changes at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the hospital conference room. Through interactive television, Kansas Insurance Department staff will speak about the Affordable Care Act and who is affected by the changes. A demonstration of the new online insurance marketplace is included. Make reservations with Carla Sharp at csharp@nwkshhealthcare.com or 460-4881.

## Pancake feed to help with projects

The Colby Kiwanis Club will hold a pancake feed from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 19, at the Colby Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall, 220 N. Lake. For \$4, you can support Christmas and youth projects and other community services. For information, call Charles Keifer at 460-4610.

## Haunted House coming sooon

The American Youth Soccer Organization Haunted House will be open at 7 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 18, 19, 25 and 26, and Thursday, Oct. 31, at the Thomas County Fair Grounds, for \$10 a person. Children under 12 can attend for \$6 from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 26. Items donated to Genesis will take \$1 off. For information, call Emily Griffin at 443-5884.

## Commodities to be given out here Oct. 21

U.S. Department of Agriculture commodities will be distributed from 1 to 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 21, at the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program office in the Senior Progress Center at Fike Park. Distribution is first come, first-served, but you may send a signed permission slip with another person. Bring a sack or box. For questions, call the office at 462-6744.

## Open house to welcome doctors

The Family Center for Health Care and Citizens Medical Center will hold an open house from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, at the clinic, 310 E. College, to show off the center's new addition and to welcome Drs. Sarah Gabel and Kelly Gabel. For information, call the clinic at 462-6184.

## Schools plan concert, musical in October

The Colby Public Schools District Music Concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, at the Community Building. Doors open at 7:15 p.m. The third grade will put on the musical, "You've Got the Power," about thinking positive and feeling great, at 2 and 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 29, in the Colby Grade School Auditorium. For information, call Jennifer Otten at 460-5100.



RAWLINS COUNTY HEALTH CENTER COMMUNITY CALENDAR

707 Grant Atwood, KS 67730 (785) 626-3211

Bringing Specialized Healthcare To Your Community

October 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 Dr. Denney Cardiologist	9 Dr. Frankum Surgery	10	11	12
13	14	15 Dr. Miller Cardiologist	16 High Plains Cardiologist	17	18 Kirsten Angel Dietitian	19
20	21	22 Dr. Miller Cardiologist	23	24 Dr. Reeves Podiatry	25 Dr. Reeves Podiatry	26
27	28	29	30	31		

To schedule an appointment with a visiting physician,  
**PLEASE CALL (785) 626-3211**  
**Cheryl Banister, RN**  
**Specialty Clinic Director**

# LOCAL TV Listings

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Monday Evening		October 14, 2013									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
KAKE/ABC	Dancing With Stars				Castle		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline		
KBSL/CBS	How I Met We-Men	2 Broke G	Mom		Hostages		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson		
KSNK/NBC	The Voice				The Blacklist		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon		
KSAS/FOX	Bones		Sleepy Hollow		Local						
<b>Cable Channels</b>											
A & E	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	Beyond Scared Straig	
AMC	Friday 13th 3	Friday 13th						Friday the 13th-New			
ANIM	Monsters Inside Me	Monsters Inside Me	Fatal Attractions					Monsters Inside Me	Fatal Attractions		
BRAVO	Housewives/NJ	Housewives/NJ	Real Housewives	Happens	Real Housewives	Jersey					
CMT	Liar Liar		Cops Rel.	Cops Rel.				Cops Rel.	Cops Rel.	Cops Rel.	
CNN	Anderson Cooper 360	Piers Morgan Live	AC 360 Later		E. B. OutFront	Piers Morgan Live					
COMEDY	Futurama   Futurama	South Park	Brickle.	South Pk	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk		
DISC	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud	True Evel		Fast N' Loud			True Evel			
DISN	Jessie	Halloweentown	ANT Farm	Austin	Shake It	Jessie	Good Luck	Good Luck	Good Luck		
EI	E! News	Kardashian	Eric & Je	True Hollywood Story	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea				
ESPN	Countdown	NFL Football						SportsCenter			
ESPN2	Catching Hell	World Series	World Series				SportCtr	SportsNation	Baseball		
FAM	My Best	Pretty Woman					The 700 Club		My Best Friend's		
FOOD	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	
FX	X-Men: Last						X-Men: Last				
HGTV	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It		
HIST	Ancient Aliens	Ancient Aliens	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens			Ancient Aliens			
LIFE	Madea's Family		Madea Goes to Jail					Madea's Family			
MTV	Big Tips Texas	Teen Mom 3	Teen Mom 3		Hook Up	Snooki	Teen Mom 3				
NICK	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Friends	Friends	Chris	Chris		
SCI	The Devil's Advocate						Nightmare 4				
SPIKE	The Rundown		Walking Tall						Doom		
TBS	MLB Baseball						MLB Post.	Conan			
TCM	Nights of Cabiria		The Story of Film: An Odyssey				Winter Light				
TLC	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life	My 600-Lb. Life		
TNT	Castle	Castle	Major Crimes		CSI: NY		CSI: NY		CSI: NY		
TOON	Uncle Gra	MAD	King/Hill	Cleveland	Burgers	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Heart	
TRAV	Bizarre Foods	Bizarre Foods	Hotel Impossible		Hotel Impossible		Bizarre Foods				
TV LAND	Griffith	Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	King	King	King	King	
USA	WWE Monday Night RAW						X-Men 2				
VH1	Basketball Wives	T.I.-Tiny	Black Ink Crew		Basketball Wives		T.I.-Tiny	Black Ink Crew			
WGN	Funnist Home Videos	Parks	Parks	WGN News at Nine	How I Met	Rules	Rules	Parks			
<b>Premium Channels</b>											
HBO	This Means War	Mondays	Redemption		Open Hrt	Eastbound	Face Off With Max Kellerman				
MAX	Rain Man		War of the Worlds				Strike Back				
SHOW	Homeland		Masters of Sex		Homeland		Masters of Sex		Jay Z Made		