

# Some changes noted in Trojan golf event

There have been some changes in the upcoming Colby Community College Trojan 'Basketball Golf Tournament and Benefit Auction,' so any information you may have penciled in earlier you may want to check against the following.

The particulars:

- √What: Trojan Basketball Golf Tournament and Benefit Auction
- √Format: Four Person Scramble
- √When: Tuesday, Aug. 24, 2004
- √Where: Colby Country Club
- √Registration, 9:30 a.m.
- √Shot gun start , 10 a.m.
- √Social Hour (free to public, good-will offering accepted), 5 p.m.

- √Benefit Auction, 5:30 p.m.
- √Cost: \$60.00 per person (includes cart, lunch, hors d'oeuvres)
- √Contact Assistant Coach John Woods at 462-3984 x317 for details or to sign up your team.

Auction items include:

- Larry Walker return game tickets (Cardinals at Rockies)
- Broncos Tickets
- Autographed Purdue basketball by K-State grad Gene Keady
- Autographed sports memorabilia
- Round of golf at Cherry Creek Country Club, site of next year's U.S. Women's Open. Valued at \$300.

Former NBA All-Star Otis Birdsong will also be in attendance.

# Group's golf tourney slated for Sugar Hills

By **PATTY DECKER**  
*Free Press Editor*

The fourth annual "Drive Fore Sobriety" golf tournament, sponsored by the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council, is planned for Saturday, Sept. 11, at the Sugar Hills Country Club in Goodland, said Pat Willoughby, one of the coordinators. Registration begins at 8 a.m. (MDT) with tee off time, 9 a.m. (MDT).

"We planned the tournament in Goodland," she said, "not only because we work in all nine northwest Kansas counties, but also because we have a larger clientele in the Goodland area."

The event is once again a four-person scramble with prizes awarded for the top three teams of each flight. The cost is \$60 per person and includes golf cart and lunch, she said.

"I am very excited about the tournament and its fundraising possibilities," she said, "because of the good things it can provide ADAC clients."

Since its beginning in October of 1973, she said, the council has ex-

panded or continued services to include evaluations, referrals, counseling, care groups, educational programs, therapy, and a reintegration facility located in Colby.

"Without fundraising events like this golf tournament, it would be difficult to maintain the many programs we offer," she said.

Along with fundraising events like the golf tournament, other income sources for the council include client fees, a portion of the county alcohol tax, county property tax levy, and membership fees.

Offering statistics regarding treatment, Willoughby said that nationally there are between 13 and 16 million people who need treatment for alcoholism and other drugs in any given year, but only three million receive care.

In year's past, the financial goal at the golf tournament has been \$5,000, but Willoughby said she hopes they can exceed that goal this year.

If interested in becoming a hole sponsor, forming a team or making a donation, call the ADAC office at (785) 462-6111.



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Colby School Board member Kevan Taylor, left, and school superintendent Kirk Nielsen, right, listened as Fisher Track President Sam Fisher explained the problems with the track's subsurface at Dennen Field Monday night. The company, from Boone, Iowa, is heading up the project. The school board took a tour of the track to see why the company wouldn't put in a latex surface.

# SportsLine

## Chamber golf tourney taking registrations

The 11th annual Colby/Thomas County Chamber Golf Tournament is scheduled for Sept. 2 at the Colby Country Club with tee-off at 12:30 p.m. This is a four-person scramble (men and women). The entry fee is \$50 per person/one free entry with hole sponsorship. A buffet dinner starts at 6:30 p.m. Registration appreciated no later than Aug. 26 to Colby Chamber of Commerce, 350 S. Range, Colby, Kan. 67701, or call 460-3401.

## Colby High School sports update

Here is the latest update for fall sports practices in Colby: High school football, parent/player meeting on Aug. 24 at 6:30 p.m., high school commons: high school volleyball, parent/player meeting on Aug. 19 (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. at the high school gym.

## Hunter Education Course reminder

The Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, Colby volunteer instruc-

tors and the Colby Recreation Department, have scheduled a "Hunter Education Course" in Colby. It will take place at the Colby Community Building on Tuesday, Aug. 24 and Thursday, Aug. 26 from 6:30-9:30 p.m., and on Saturday, Aug. 28 from 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Range activity will be from 1:30-3:30 p.m., weather permitting. This will be the only class in Colby before the "Youth Outdoor Skills Day." Students must attend all sessions. Anyone born on or after July 1, 1957 must take and pass a Hunter Education Course before they can hunt in Kansas. Students must pre-enroll at The Pirates Den, Southwind Plaza, Colby. For more information, call (785) 462-6631, 462-7602 or 462-3367.

(Items to colbysports@nwkansas.com, td@nwkansas.com, fax 462-7749 or call 462-3963. Deadline 10 a.m. daily.)

# Cornerback trying new position

DENVER (AP) — Champ Bailey has made a name for himself as a cornerback. Now the four-time Pro Bowler wants to show what he can do as a wide receiver for the Denver Broncos.

Bailey split time with the offense in the only practice run by the Broncos on Tuesday.

"I told them I would like to do it," said Bailey who has spent all five of his NFL seasons as a cornerback. "I intend to do it."

Bailey said the move had been in the works for some time. It wasn't until last week that coach Mike

Shanahan gave him a playbook.

"Since they gave it to me, I've been studying to figure out what I had to do," Bailey said. "They had said they were going to do it, but you never know until you get the offensive package."

Shanahan had no comment on the matter, but watched intently as Bailey ran about 10 plays with the offense. He had a pass batted away by Roc Alexander on the first ball thrown his way.

Bailey made it clear this wasn't a promotional stunt. Nor was it something to satisfy his ego.

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**11th Annual Colby/Thomas County Chamber**

## GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Thursday, September 2nd**  
**Colby Country Club - Colby, KS**

### 4 PERSON SCRAMBLE

(Men & Women)  
**REGISTRATION: 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.**  
**TEE OFF: 12:30 p.m.**  
**DINNER BUFFET: 6:30 p.m.**  
**ENTRY FEE: \$50 per person**  
(One free entry with Hole Sponsorship)

**CARTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR RENT!**

**PLEASE HAVE REGISTRATION SENT IN BY AUGUST 26, 2004. CALL THE CHAMBER AT 460-3401 OR CLIP AND RETURN TO CHAMBER @ 350 S. RANGE, COLBY, KS 67701.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ # OF PLAYERS \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM NAMES \_\_\_\_\_  
(You can choose your own four-some or we can place you with others)

CHECK ENCLOSED (    )    SEND STATEMENT (    )

Cost includes dinner buffet and door prizes. Non-participants buffet cost: \$8.00 per person