

# Brewster School election Five vy for three board seats

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The Brewster School Board race in Tuesday's election is contested. Five people are running for three seats.

Incumbents Carrie Starns, Tony Horinek and Leisha Carpenter face opposition from Mike Schultz and Leon Schroeder.

Starns said she's running again because of her board experience and the fact she's a teacher in the Goodland School District.

"I think that gives me a different perspective," she said.

Starns said she first ran because she felt the Brewster board needed a different perspective.

She said there's a positive, proactive approach to the board now. Student achievement, standards of excellence and school finance are some of the big issues they have to deal with.

Starns said she's enjoyed her time on the board and hopes things continue to get better in the Brewster district.

She and her husband live 15 miles south of Brewster on a farm. They have been married seven years. He has four children and they have one together.

Tony Horinek is completing his first term on the board, which was

an unexpired term he was appointed to fill three years ago.

And he wants to continue his work through another term.

"I think you need some strong leadership in there, that tough decisions need to be made," Horinek said. "I'm going to put forth the time and effort."

He said board members need to be in touch with the concerns of constituents and that needs to be combined with what's feasible in supplying a quality education.

Horinek said it will be important to continue to hold the stability of the Brewster school and also finance. Another issue is low student enrollment.

Horinek is a graduate of Triplains High School and Colby Community College.

He and his wife Anita have lived in Brewster 10 years. They have two sons, Clint and Aaron.

Mike Schultz said he is running because he has "various leadership skills" gained from experience on different boards.

Schultz is also head of the Kansas Cattleman's Association, which he started and which is headquartered in Brewster. He is also a city superintendent.

He said he's committed to rural communities and schools. Schultz

said he would strive for excellence, discipline and integrity.

"I expect kids to do the best they can," he said, adding he would like to put some of the responsibility back on parents.

He said Brewster has good facilities and students and feels his own children are getting a good education. Schultz said he also understands the budget process and how mill levies work.

A Brewster native, he graduated from Brewster High School in 1978 and the Northwest Kansas Vocational-Technical School (now college) in 1979.

He owns Western Kansas Sanitation and farms on the side, running about 150 head of cows.

He and his wife Dawn have been married 20 years and have two daughters, Avery, 16, and Whitney, 12.

Carpenter and Schroeder could not be reached.

On the Brewster City Council, incumbents Dwayne Randolph, Ed Hutton and Rex Jamison are running for re-election.

Randolph said he has completed one term already. He said he is running again because he wants to fulfill his civic duty to the community.

Hutton and Jamison could not be reached.

# College candidates want growth

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"I consider myself to be a community volunteer having served on the Colby College Alumni, Colby College Foster Parent Program for 10 years; past president of the Colby College Endowment Foundation; Leadership Thomas County co-facilitator; Thomas County Community Foundation, founder and past president; service on the Middle School Site Council; graduate of Leadership Thomas County in 1993; a business owner; past member of the City of Colby's planning commission; and working with the Kansas Health Foundation to make Kansas a better place to live," she said.

Black said she would like to see growth for the college. "I believe Colby College is one of the best assets we have to offer and I can see it being marketed to even become stronger and more progressive than it already is."

Black is a lifelong resident of Thomas County. Her husband has been employed at Tubbs and Sons Ford Sales for 27 years and they have one daughter, Jaylea, their foster son, Robert, and three grandchildren: Robbie, Lola and Amoni.

"Colby College has been a part of my life for a long time," she said. "My father retired from the college, I attended the college, Jay and I were foster parents at the college and Robert is part of our family because of the college."

# Council members talk about issues

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registered nurse, have five children: Joseph, Jacob, Julia, August and Seth, ages 4 to 15 years old.

"I would like to see Colby continue to prosper and thrive with a strong emphasis on progress and fiscal responsibility.

Phil De Young is also running unopposed and prior to this election, he was filling the unexpired term of Herb Sunderman in May of 2004.

De Young said he was running for another term after realizing it was going to take time to better understand the complexities of city government.

"A strong desire to learn more and become an effective council member lead me to the decision of serving again," he said.

He also spoke about the community's strong spirit, but that it faces much uncertainty in the fu-

ture. "A dramatic population decline in northwest Kansas and the changes in the agricultural landscape should give each member of our community reason to contemplate Colby's future," De Young said.

"By default, Colby may be the last community standing in our region 25 to 50 years down the road."

De Young said he would rather confront the future with a more positive and proactive approach.

"Colby should be the leader of northwest Kansas, not by default, but by choice," he said.

Beringer has been a council member in Ward IV since 1997 when he agreed to fulfill the unexpired term of Eugene Wieland, who had moved from that area.

In 1998, Beringer ran for the seat and has served since that time.

"Probably the biggest reason I am seeking another term," he said, "is

radio and television in 1972 at KLOE in Goodland and later becoming their sports director.

He moved his family to Illinois and became the play-by-play sports voice for two years; returned to KLOE in 1978; was named station manager of Alliance radio station in Nebraska in 1987; was the press secretary for Gov. Hayden until 1988; was the public information officer with the Department of Commerce; was sales manager for KTPK in Topeka in 1990 and in July of 1993 was sales manager with KLBV in Colby where he stayed until 2002 and resigned for health reasons. "We need to look at new programs that will provide new avenues for education in northwest Kansas and encourage other students in other areas that this is a favorable spot," he said. Epp has volunteered with the Thomas County Red Cross the last couple of years, was on the Thomas County Chamber of Commerce board and has lead the charge for the Colby Promotion Committee (marketing).

He and his wife, Judy, have four children: Kacy, 32; Kristi, 30; Keni, 25 and Kodi, 22. Both Kacy and Keni were Colby College graduates and his wife has taken classes the last couple of years, he said.

Having worked in state government and experience in marketing Kansas, along with being a Colby College graduate and taxpayer, Epp said he would be good for the college.

because of everything that is coming up now and for at least the next five years."

Beringer highlighted on the sewer plant, the city's expansion to the south, the airport expansion and more.

"I just didn't think I could leave in the middle of all these changes," he said.

"I want to see these changes through and help with future projects to include the new economic sales tax and all it will present.

Beringer and his wife, Ardath, are both business owners.

They have two children: Jessica Lovelady in Missouri and Curt, who plans on attending Kansas State University in the fall.

"I would encourage everyone to go to the polls," he said.

"It's our chance to speak for what happens in the city during the next couple of years."

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WEEKDAYS					APRIL 5 - APRIL 11							
	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
KLBV/ABC 4 8	News		Good Morning America				Mak-eover	Judge-Brown	The View		Millionaire	News
KSNK/NBC 3 8	News Cont'd		Today						Live With Regis and Kelly		In the Heat of the Night	
KBSL/CBS 12 11	News				The Early Show		The 700 Club		The Price Is Right		The Young and the Restless	
K15CG 2	BBC World	Yoga	Body Electric	Caillou	Beren. Bears	Barney-Friends	Sesame Street		Dragon Tales	Beren. Bears	Mister Rogers	Teletubies
USA 34	Coach	Coach	Movie				Nash Bridges		The District		The District	
TBS 35	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Movie				Dawson's Creek		Dawson's Creek		Ed	
WGN 36	Changing	Believer Voice	Happy Days	Happy Days	Hillbil-lies	Hillbil-lies	Matlock		In the Heat of the Night		Magnum, P.I.	
TNT 37	The Pretender		Angel		Charmed		ER		ER		Judging Amy	
NICK 43	Oddpar-ents	Jimmy Neutron	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Miss Spider	Lazy-Town	Backyar-digans	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Little Bill
FAM 46	Varied	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Bey-blade	3rd Rock	Living the Life	The 700 Club		Gilmore Girls		Full House	Full House
DSC 50	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Double Agents		Designer Guys	Designer Guys	The Party Planner With David Tutera		Surprise by Design	
A&E 53	Varied Programs								Third Watch		City Confidential	
ESPN 56	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		Sports-Center	Varied	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		Outside-Lines	Baseball Tonight
HBO 14	Movie	Varied Programs									Movie	
MAX 29	Movie			Varied	Movie	Varied Programs						Movie
DISN 44	Koala Brothers	The Wiggles	Higgly-town	JoJo's Circus	The Wiggles	Charlie & Lola	Rolie Polie	PB&J Otter	Out of the Box	The Wiggles	Koala Brothers	Higgly-town

# WEEKDAYS APRIL 5 - APRIL 11

	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
KLBV/ABC 4 (6)	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		The Jane Pauley Show		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC Wld News
KSNK/NBC 5 (8)	News	Inside Edition	Days of our Lives		Passions		The Insider	Jeopardy!	The Ellen DeGeneres Show		News	NBC News
KBSL/CBS 12 (11)	News	Bold, Beautiful	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Dr. Phil		Oprah Winfrey		News	CBS News
K15CG (2)	Reading Rainbow	Lions	Varied Programs			Clifford-Red	Post-cards	Arthur	Maya & Miguel	Cyber-chase	Zoom	Business
USA (34)	JAG		Movie			Varied Programs					JAG	
TBS (35)	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Steve Harvey	Steve Harvey	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	Seinfeld	Seinfeld
WGN (36)	News	Varied	MLB Baseball		Varied Programs				Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Home Improve.	Will & Grace
TNT (37)	Judging Amy		NYPD Blue		Law & Order		Law & Order		Angel		Charmed	
NICK (43)	Max & Ruby	Dora the Explorer	Rugrats	Rugrats	CatDog	Hey Arnold!	Oddparents	Jimmy Neutron	SpongeBob	Rock Star	U-Pick	Rugrats
FAM (46)	Family Matters	Family Matters	Step by Step	Step by Step	Boy Mts. World	Boy Mts. World	Full House	Full House	Gilmore Girls		7th Heaven	
DSC (50)	Surprise by Design		New Detectives: Forensic Science		The FBI Files		Garage Takeover		Great Biker Build-Off		Monster Garage	
A&E (53)	American Justice		Varied Programs						Third Watch		City Confidential	
ESPN (56)	Varied Programs							1st & 10	Rome-Burning	Around the Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter
HBO (14)	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs				Movie		Varied Programs	
MAX (29)	Movie		Varied Programs									
DISN (44)	JoJo's Circus	Stanley	House of Mouse	Recess	Lilo & Stitch	Recess	Click It to Pick It	Click It to Pick It	Click It to Pick It	Click It to Pick It	Lizzie McGuire	Sister, Sister

# TUESDAY APRIL 5

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KLBY/ABC (4) (6)	(5:59) News	Ent. Tonight	My Wife and Kids	George Lopez	According-Jim	Rodney (N) (CC)	Blind Justice	Marlon's Brando (N)	News (CC)	Nightline (CC)	Jimmy Kimmel Live (N) (CC)	
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News	Wheel of Fortune	Will & Grace	Scrubs (CC)	Scrubs (N) (CC)	The Office	Law & Order: SVU	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (CC)	Late Night	Late Night	
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News (CC)	Friends (CC)	NCIS Chained (CC)		The Amazing Race 7 (N) (CC)		Judging Amy Sorry I Missed You (CC)	News (CC)	Late Show With David Letterman	Late Late	Late Late	
K15CG (2)	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Nova Great Escape (CC) (DVS)		Land (and how it gets that way) (CC)		Frontline: Israel's Next War? (N) (CC)		BBC World	That's My Boy	Charlie Rose (N) (CC)	
USA (34)	Law & Order: SVU		Movie: Bring It On Again (2004, Comedy) Anne Judson-Yager, Bree Turner. (CC)				Nashville Star (Live) (CC)		Law & Order: SVU		The Dead Zone Scars (CC)	
TBS (35)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	Seinfeld The Limo	Seinfeld The Doll	Raymond	Raymond	Movie: Small Soldiers ★½ (1998)	
WGN (36)	Will & Grace	Home Improve.	Movie: Robocop: The Future of Law Enforcement (1994) Richard Eden.				WGN News at Nine (CC)		Becker (CC)	Becker (CC)	Home Delivery	
TNT (37)	Law & Order: School Daze (CC) (DVS)		Law & Order: Vendetta		Law & Order: Entitled (Part 2 of 2)		Charmed: Carpe Demon (CC)		Law & Order: Born Bad (CC) (DVS)		The X-Files: Syzygy (CC)	
NICK (43)	Jimmy Neutron	Oddparents	SpongeBob	Ned's School	Full House	Fatherhood	Fresh Prince	Cosby Show	Roseanne	Murphy Brown	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
FAM (46)	Smallville Accelerate (CC)		Movie: The Man in the Iron Mask ★★ (1998, Adventure) Leonardo DiCaprio. (Premiere) (CC)				Whose Line? (CC)		The 700 Club (CC)		Home Videos	Home Videos
DSC (50)	American Chopper (CC)		Biker Build-Off: The Ultimate Chop The top three builders are revealed.				Biker Build-Off: Indian Larry Tribute		Biker Build-Off: The Ultimate Chop The top three builders are revealed.			
A&E (53)	Cold Case: Files (CC)		Cold Case: Files (N) (CC)		Bounty Hunter	Bounty Hunter	Knievel's Wild Ride: The Jersey Curse		Intervention (CC)		Cold Case: Files (CC)	
ESPN (56)	SportsCenter	NCAA Women's Champ.		Women's College Basketball: Final -- Teams TBA. From Indianapolis. (Live) (CC)			NCAA Tournament (Live) (CC)		SportsCenter (Live) (CC)		Outside-Lines	Baseball Tonight
HBO (14)	Movie: Who Am I? ★★½ (1998) A special agent with amnesia flees his former boss.		Deadwood Complications (CC)				Real Time (CC)		Left of the Dial: The first liberal talk-radio network, Air America.		Movie: Love	
MAX (29)	(4:30) Movie: A Time to Kill (1996)		Movie: Crimson Tide ★★ (1995, Suspense) Denzel Washington. (CC)				Movie: S.W.A.T. (2003) A Los Angeles SWAT team must protect a criminal. (CC)		Movie: The Girl Next Door ★★½ (2004, Comedy-Drama) Emile Hirsch. (CC)		Movie: Bikini Cave Girl (2004)	
DISN (44)	That's Raven	That's Raven	Movie: Now You See It... (2005, Adventure) Alyson Michalka. (CC)		Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	That's Raven	That's Raven	Proud Family		Click It to Pick It	

# WEDNESDAY APRIL 6

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