Weather Corner



Tonight: Partly cloudy with slight chance of thunderstorms in the evening...Then mostly cloudy with chance of thunderstorms after midnight. Lows in the upper 60s. Southeast winds 5 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 40

Saturday: Partly sunny with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s. Northeast winds 5 to 10

Saturday night: Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 60s.

Sunday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 80s.

The extended forecast Sunday through Wednesday: Partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 60s. Highs in the upper 80s.

Thursday's low 60, high 88, .0 rain.

Water Usage for Wednesday: 1,994,000 million

Water Usage for Thursday: 1,861,000 million

Three consecutive days over 3.5 million gallons will mean a water watch;

Three consecutive days over 4.0 million gallons will mean a water warning and possible restrictions;

Three consecutive days over 4.5 million gallons will be a water emergency and require restrictions in watering.

Baby

Kimber Anne Gremer

Matthew and Candace Gremer of Colby announce the birth of their daughter, Kimber Anne, Monday, Aug. 11, 2008, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

Kimber Anne weighed 7 lbs., 2 oz. and was 19.5 inches in length.

Her grandparents are James and and Ambrosia fruit salad. Janice Gremer of Cheyenne Wells, Colo, and Annie Palmer of Colby

Agent: Be a good neighbor, control volunteer wheat

trol this volunteer. Recent prob-

Senior Center

is celebrating August birthdays at 11 a.m. Wednesday. Officials are encouraging everyone to stop by and enjoy this activity and others throughout the week.

- Monday, Aug. 25 11 a.m.,
- Tuesday, Aug. 26 10 a.m.
- Wednesday, Aug. 27 11
- Thursday, Aug. 28 10 a.m. Exercise; 10:30 a.m., Domino's
- Friday, Aug. 29 10 a.m. Exercise; 11a.m., Ice-cream sodas.

Center in Colby wants to invite those 60 and older, along with their guests, to attend daily luncheons in Colby, Monday through Friday. Call (785) 460-2901 the day before by noon. Home delivery is also available for those unable to attend due to social or physical disabilities. We also invite those working who would like to pick up a meal to order by noon the day before. Those meals are available at noon. For people over 60, the cost is \$2.50 and for those under 60, the cost is \$4.75 per meal.

The public transportation van is available and calls should be made

The menu for Aug. 25-29 is as

- Monday Ground beef stroganoff, winter mix vegetables,
- Tuesday Polish sausage with sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, mixed melon, bread and choice
- Wednesday Lasagna, mixed vegetables, pears, garlic bread, pudding;
- Thursday Chicken vegetable casserole, stewed tomatoes, biscuit
- Friday Pork roast, mashed Colo.; Tim Palmer of Julesburg, potatoes and gravy, seasoned car-

lems with wheat streak mosaic, from volunteer wheat is the carried from volunteer to newly margins and head trapping. High Plains Virus, and triticum wheat streak mosaic virus complanted wheat by the wheat curl Destroying volunteer after the

Thomas County Extension Agent

The unusually large amount Kansas reminds us of the imporof hail damaged wheat in the area this spring has resulted in unusually heavy stands of volunteer wheat this summer. Of course, volunteer wheat can also occur where there was no hail damage. Now is the time to con-

Colby Senior Progress Center

- Sno Cone Day;
- Exercise and 11 a.m., Bingo;
- a.m., Birthday celebration;

The Thomas County Nutrition

after noon to (785) 443-9208.

- apricots, bread, rice or noodles;
- complement;

- rots bread Jell-O with fruit

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Economic Development Alliance

OPPORTUNITY TO MEET NEW EMPLOYER COMING TO COLBY

Tuesday, August 26th at 7:00 pm

Colby Community Building Potential to become the

Third Largest National Medicare Database in the Nation Featured on the Local Edition of CNN Headline News for August 7, 2008:

At **7pm on Tuesday August 26**th, at the Colby Community Building (285 E 5th, Colby KS) Embark Healthcare, Inc. will present its plan to create 130 above-average wage paying jobs, in Colby, for what could be **the third largest database of Medicare members in the world**, behind only **CMS** (Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services) and **AARP** (American Association

Featured August 7th on CNN Headline News' Local Edition (http://www.newsin2.com/), this national data repository may also eventually provide work for several hundred employees o

Out of a total population of over 300 million, 44.2 million Americans are over the age of 65 Many in the "over 60 crowd" have accumulated exceptional wealth and are concerned about in being needlessly consumed by brutally expensive medical treatment that fails to prolong the

In addition to concerns about healthcare directives, there is equal concern about the location and disposition of the deceased or soon-to-be-deceased's assets. Embark Healthcare has

Because it is often beneficial for a business's interests to be strongly aligned with its home community Embark Healthcare founder, Michael Brouthers and a representative of private investment banking advisor Point-of-Reference, LLC will provide information about the company's plans plus general information on how Colby's citizens can participate, final cities. with this enterprise. This meeting is for informational purposes only. If you would like to

If you would like more information about this event, or to schedule an interview with Michael Brouthers, regarding Embark's plans, please call Michael at 210-863-6001 or e-mail him a

quality of life at significant cost to human dignity and to the patient's loved ones. with relatively minor financial assets to protect must beware of healthcare directives that an

plex. These virus diseases cause stunting and yellow streaking on the leaves. In most cases, infection can be traced to a nearby field of volunteer wheat, al-Volunteer wheat within a though there are other hosts, it to new hosts and can travel first of September is the optimal

half-mile of a field that will be such as corn, millet, and many up to half a mile from volunteer planted to wheat should be com- annual grasses, such as yellow foxtail and prairie cupgrass. Control of volunteer is the main defense against the wheat streak

Wheat streak mosaic virus is

mosaic virus complex.

mite.

These tiny, white, cigarshaped mites are too small to be seen with the naked eye. The curl mite uses the wind to carry wheat.

The wheat curl mite is the vector for wheat streak mosaic, the High Plains virus, and triticum mosaic virus. In addition, the mite can cause curling of leaf at (785) 460-4582.

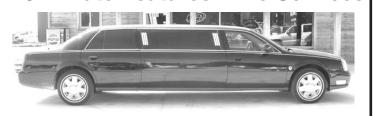
new wheat emerges is too late. Producers should leave enough time to have a second chance if control is incomplete.

The end of August into the time to control your volunteer wheat to prevent these diseases in your new wheat field or your neighbors. So control your volunteer wheat now.

For questions, call Milliman

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before wheat planting. This will

help control wheat curl mites

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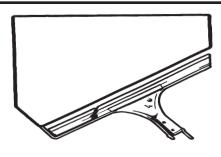
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