



# Campus Close-Up

## News of Colby Community College

Colby Free Press  
Wednesday, January 21, 2009  
Page 5

## Workplace abilities are focus of program

Teaching prisoners essential workplace skills and financial literacy is the focus of a partnership between the Adult Basic Education program at Colby Community College and the Kansas Department of Corrections facility in Norton.

Program director Nance Munderloh and instructor Dian Organ developed and implemented a program that teaches math skills and real-life applications to offenders. Munderloh and Organ utilized traditional and innovative teaching methods during the fall semester to a group of high-risk offenders at the Norton Correctional Facility.

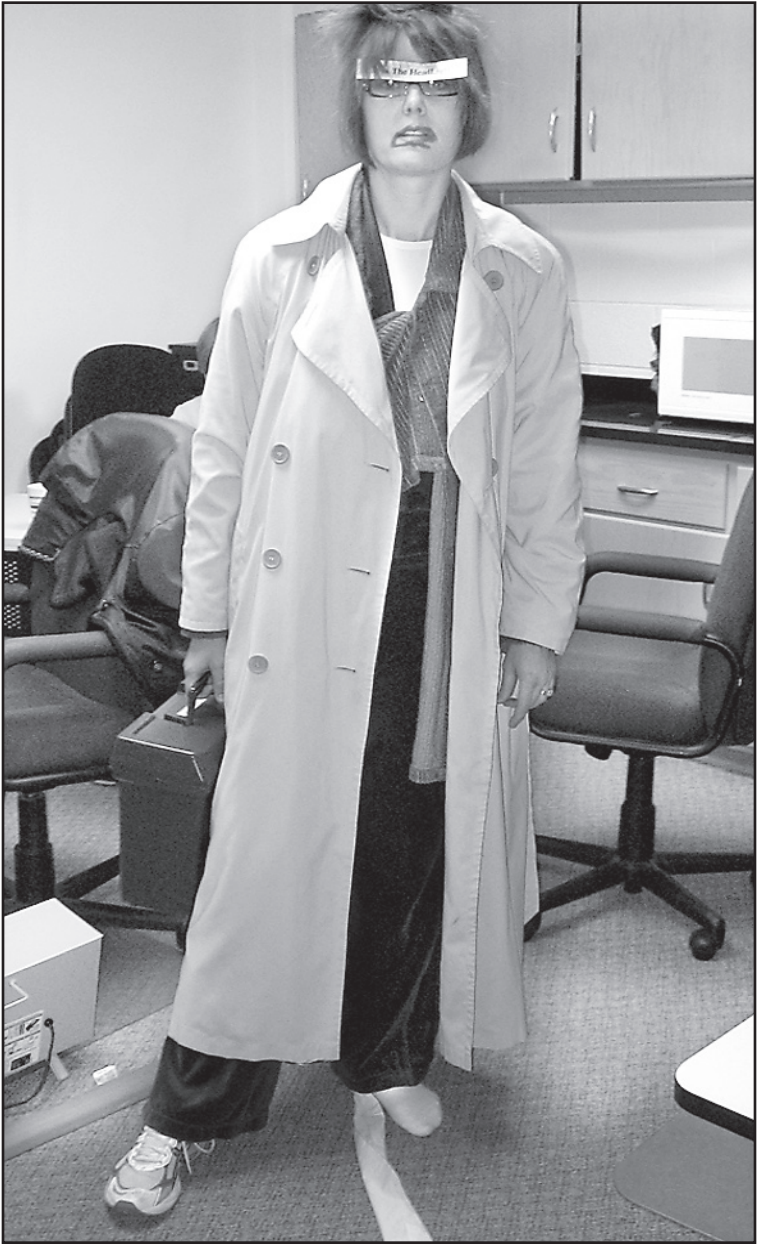
Matthew Woodyard, Field Skills and Volunteer Developer at the prison, said this partnership is just one of the ways that the department has begun to target offenders' needs and to take measures to reduce the risk of repeat offenses.

"In addition to reducing risk, the department is working to provide these services to inmates without relying on taxpayers' dollars by utilizing grant money and by appealing to volunteers who are interested in the criminal justice system," said Woodyard. "The use of volunteers ... aids in reducing budget expenses and provides opportunities for interns ... in the criminal justice field."

The services of the college program are provided at no charge to all participants, including inmates.

Munderloh and Organ are familiar with the needs of offenders and the importance of accountability. Munderloh has been an adult education instructor at the college for 13 years. Organ has four years as an intensive supervision officer, working for Kansas Department of Corrections.

"Several of the inmates expressed their gratitude in the evaluations of the Colby Community College class," said Woodyard. "They remarked that Nance and Dian were able to respond to the learning needs of inmates who have a wide range of proficiency levels. ... 'Here-and-now' applications with the class



Instructor Dian Organ dressed to show all the "wrong" things to do in a job interview.

regarding financial literacy targeted those who struggle with impulse control and cognitive distortions."

Lessons included identifying the differences between wants and needs, which helped inmates curb impulsive behavior while teaching them about accountability.

"These concepts pave the way for learning skills such as planning ahead, as well as understanding budgeting tools," said Woodyard. "Reviewing pay stubs, time cards, overtime, credit and interest banking concepts bring real-life applications to the math skills that the students either learned for the first time or had not applied in the past."

The presentation of information in a "cognitive restructuring format" was illustrated by Organ, who made a point on dress and appearance at a job interview during

a class at the prison. With a heavily applied, crooked lipstick smile, messy hair, mismatched shoes and socks, Organ's appearance emphasized how a poor appearance can disrupt the interview process and turn off an employer.

"In a final testament to how the class was received, the teachers asked the class about whether to require homework," said Woodyard. "Only three students asked that homework not be added..."

"The goal of the adult education program at Colby Community College is to assist learners in making measurable gains in acquiring the skills necessary for success in today's world," said Munderloh. "We offer a variety of courses at both the Colby and Hays locations. We are pleased to offer those services to the Norton Correctional Facility."

## Financial aid advice offered parents

High school students and their parents are invited to a series of informational meetings with Colby Community College leaders and representatives from the admissions and financial aid offices.

President Dr. Lynn Kreider, Vice-President of Academic Affairs Dr. Paula Davis and Vice-President

of Student Affairs Skip Sharp will discuss resources available to ease the financial burden of attending college. Information will also be available on eligibility for various financial aid types and how to electronically file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Meetings will be at 7 p.m. (except

as noted) at Hoxie High School tonight; Northern Valley High School in Almena on Monday, at 6:30 p.m.; Colby High School on Tuesday; and Trego Community High School in WaKeeney on Monday, Feb. 2.

For more information, contact Financial Aid Director Paula Halvorson at (785) 460-5497.

## Nursing student gets state board scholarship

Colby Community College nursing student Ron Redick has been selected by the Kansas State Board of Nursing as one of four students in the state to receive a \$1,000 scholarship.

Redick traveled to Topeka to receive a check from the board's acting president, Janet Jacob. Director of Nursing Ruth Wolfram also attended the presentation.

"Ron is a true leader in his class," said Wolfram. "He is very deserving of this recognition and a great example of the quality of our students."

Redick's application included an essay on the unique contribution of nursing to health care.

"Nursing is a profession focused on assisting individuals, families and communities in attaining, maintaining, and recovering optimal health and functioning," wrote Redick. "There is so much more than health/medical to achieve opti-

mum functioning for an individual. In order to function to one's best ability, he/she needs to be healthy —

physically, emotionally and spiritually. Nurses are the individuals who actually look at all three of these areas when treating their patients."

Redick received his bachelor's degree in psychology from Ottawa University a master's degree in clinical psychology from Emporia State University. He has been a mental health counselor for 16 years, the past five years with High Plains Mental Health in Colby.

He said, "I have experience and knowledge in two of the facets of caring for an individual — spiritually and emotionally. My education in the nursing field at CCC will help me understand the physical aspect of caring for someone."

Redick is a first-year student in the licensed practical nursing program. He plans to continue next year

in the registered nursing program.

He and his wife Kim have two daughters, Mellenie, 8, and Macie, 5.

## College sets storm policies, posts on web

Because of state requirements for instructional hours, Colby Community College rarely cancels scheduled classes because of the weather.

Announcements on evening or outreach classes will be broadcast between 6 a.m. and 8 a.m. as conditions warrant.

Cancellations or postponements will be posted on the college website at [www.colbycc.edu](http://www.colbycc.edu) and broadcast on radio and television stations. Commuters should check for weather and road conditions before driving to class.

LOCAL TV LISTINGS

sponsored by the

COLBY FREE PRESS

WEEKDAYS													JANUARY 20 - JANUARY 26												
	6 AM		6:30	7 AM		7:30	8 AM		8:30	9 AM		9:30	10 AM		10:30	11 AM		11:30							
KLBY/ABC (4) (6)	Good Morning Kansas			Good Morning America						The Martha Stewart Show			The View			Millionaire		News							
KSNK/NBC (3) (8)	News Cont'd			Today						Varied			Live With Regis and Kelly			Today									
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News Cont'd			The Early Show						The 700 Club			The Price Is Right			The Young and the Restless									
K15CG (2)	Lions	Maya & Miguel	Curious George	Sid the Science	Super Why!	Clifford-Red	Dragon Tales	Caillou	Sesame Street			Martha Speaks		Word-World											
ESPN (28)	Sports-Center	Varied	SportsCenter		SportsCenter			SportsCenter			SportsCenter			SportsCenter											
USA (37)	Varied Programs																								
TBS (38)	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Movie						Home Improve.		Home Improve.										
WGN (39)	Changing-	Believer Voice	Hillbilities	Hillbilities	7th Heaven			Matlock			In the Heat of the Night			Nash Bridges		Varied									
TNT (40)	Angel		Charmed		Charmed			ER			Las Vegas			Las Vegas											
DSC (42)	Paid Program	James Robison	Paid Program	Paid Program	How It's Made	How It's Made	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Overhaul'n'			The New Detectives													
A&E (47)	Third Watch		Crossing Jordan		The Sopranos			American Justice			Cold Case Files			Cold Case Files											
HIST (48)	Varied Programs																								
NICK (55)	Barnyard	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Max & Ruby	Backyardigans	Go Diego	Wonder Pets	Dora the Explorer	Ni Hao, Kai-lan	Yo Gabba	Dora the Explorer	Go Diego													
DISN (56)	Handy Manny	Mickey Mouse	Einsteins	Tigger & Pooh	Mickey Mouse	Handy Manny	Imag. Movers	Einsteins	Charlie & Lola	The Wiggles	Movie														
FAM (58)	Sister, Sister	Sister, Sister	Sabrina-Witch	Sabrina-Witch	700 Club Prog.		Varied Programs			Gilmore Girls			Full House		Full House										
HALL (60)	Paid Program	Paid Program	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	The Waltons			Little House on the Prairie			Little House on the Prairie			Touched by an Angel											

WEEKDAYS													JANUARY 20 - JANUARY 26													
	12 PM		12:30	1 PM		1:30		2 PM		2:30		3 PM		3:30		4 PM		4:30		5 PM		5:30				
KLBY/ABC 4 6	All My Children			One Life to Live				General Hospital				Rachael Ray				News		Access H'wood		News		ABC Wild News				
KSNK/NBC 8 3	News			Days of our Lives				The Ellen DeGeneres Show				The Doctors				Jeopardy!		Deal or No Deal		News		NBC News				
KBSL/CBS 12 11	News		Bold, Beautiful		As the World Turns				Guiding Light				Dr. Phil				Oprah Winfrey				News		Evening News			
K15CG 2	Reading Rainbow		Barney-Friends		Varied Programs						Lions		Arthur		WordGirl		Fetch! Ruff		Cyberchase		Maya & Miguel		Business			
ESPN 28	SportsCenter			SportsCenter				Outside-Lines		Football Live		NFL Live		Rome-Burning		Around the Horn		Interruption		SportsCenter						
USA 37	Law & Order: Criminal Intent			Varied Programs						Law & Order: SVU				NCIS				NCIS								
TBS 38	Home Improve.		Home Improve.		Just Shoot		Just Shoot		Yes, Dear		Yes, Dear		King of Queens		King of Queens		Raymond		Raymond		Raymond		Friends			
WGN 39	WGN Midday News Cont'd			Be-witched		Be-witched		Dream-Jeannie		Dream-Jeannie		Cosby Show		Cosby Show		Scrubs		Scrubs		Becker		Becker				
TNT 40	Without a Trace			Law & Order				Law & Order				Charmed				Charmed				Bones						
DSC 42	The FBI Files			A Haunting				A Haunting				Varied Programs				Cash Cab		Cash Cab		Cash Cab		Cash Cab				
A&E 47	CSI: Miami			Crossing Jordan				The Sopranos				American Justice				Cold Case Files				Cold Case Files						
HIST 48	The Presidents			Varied Programs																						
NICK 55	Backyardigans		Wow! Wubbzy!		SpongeBob		OddParents		Varied Programs						Barnyard		SpongeBob		Drake & Josh		Drake & Josh					
DISN 56	Movie Cont'd			Varied		Zack & Cody		Zack & Cody		Varied Programs																
FAM 58	Sister, Sister		Sister, Sister		Sabrina-Witch		Sabrina-Witch		Full House		Full House		What I Like		What I Like		Gilmore Girls		My Wife and Kids		My Wife and Kids					
HALL 60	7th Heaven			7th Heaven				Little House on the Prairie				I Love Lucy		I Love Lucy		M*A*S*H		M*A*S*H		M*A*S*H		M*A*S*H				

THURSDAY						JANUARY 22						
	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)	News (N) (CC)	Entertainment	Ugly Betty Off (N) (CC)	Kissed	Grey's Anatomy Stairway to Heaven		Private Practice Nothing to Fear (CC)		News (N) (CC)	Nightline (N) (CC)	Jimmy Kimmel Live Brendan Fraser. (N)	
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News (N)	Wheel of Fortune	Name Is Earl	Kath & Kim (CC)	The Office	30 Rock (N) (CC)	ER Love Is a Battlefield (N) (CC)		News (N)	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (CC)	Late Night	
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News (N) (CC)	Inside Edition	NCIS Recoil (CC)		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N)		Eleventh Hour Miracle (N) (CC)		News (N) (CC)	Late Show With David Letterman	Late Late	
K15CG (2)	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	Sun- flower	Ameri- ca's Hrti		The This Old House Hour (CC)		Globe Trekker (CC) (DVS)		World News	Keeping Up	Charlie Rose (N) (CC)	
ESPN (28)	College Basketball: West Virginia at Georgetown. (Live) (CC)		Winter X-Games Aspen, Colo. (Live) (CC)					SportsCenter (Live) (CC)	NFL Live (N) (CC)		Final	
USA (37)	NCIS Hiatus (Part 2 of 2) (CC)		House Finding Judas (CC)		House Words and Deeds (CC)		Burn Notice Do No Harm (N) (CC)		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
TBS (38)	Seinfeld (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)	Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)	Movie: The Mask *** (1994) An ancient mask animates a drab bank clerk. (CC)			Sex and the City	Sex and the City	
WGN (39)	America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		Movie: Out of Sight *** (1998) A U.S. marshal falls for an escaped con she must capture. (CC)				News-Radio	Scrubs (CC)	Scrubs (CC)	The Bob & Tom Show (CC)		
TNT (40)	All-Star Pregame Show (Live) (CC)		NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Orlando Magic. Amway Arena. (Live) (CC)				NBA Basketball: Washington Wizards at Los Angeles Lakers. Staples Center. (Live) (CC)					
DSC (42)	How It's Made	How It's Made	HowStuffWorks Steel (N)		De- stroyed	De- stroyed	Treasure Quest Pirates (N)		How It's Made	How It's Made	HowStuffWorks Steel	
A&E (47)	The First 48 (CC)		The First 48 Better Days; Wildflowers		The First 48 Blood Money; Fifteen (CC)		The Beast Two Choices (N) (CC)		The Beast Two Choices (CC)		The First 48 Better Days; Wildflowers	
HIST (48)	The Presidents 1945-1977 (CC)		The Presidents Global terrorism.		Decoding the Past Freemasonry. (CC)		Decoding the Past (CC)		Decoding the Past (CC)		The Presidents Global terrorism.	
NICK (55)	Zoey 101 (CC)	Drake & Josh	Jimmy Neutron	Drake & Josh	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	George Lopez	George Lopez	Family Matters	Family Matters	Home Improve.	Home Improve.
DISN (56)	Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	Movie: Up, Up and Away (2000) Michael J. Pagan. (CC)			Wizards-Place	Wizards-Place	Life With Derek	Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	That's Raven	Cory in House
FAM (58)	That '70s Show		Movie: Snow Dogs (2002) A Miami dentist becomes a sled-dog racer in Alaska. (CC)		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		The 700 Club (CC)		Whose Line? (CC)		Whose Line? (CC)	
HALL (60)	Walker, Texas Ranger (CC)		Walker, Texas Ranger Countdown		Movie: Expecting a Miracle (2009, Romance-Comedy) Jason Priestley. (CC)		Murder, She Wrote Nailed (CC)		Murder, She Wrote A Quaking in Aspen			

FRIDAY						JANUARY 23						
	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)	News (N) (CC)	Entertainment	Wife Swap Martin/Vallone (CC)	Supernanny (N) (CC)	20/20 (CC)			News (N) (CC)	Nightline (N) (CC)	Jimmy Kimmel Live (N) (CC)		
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News (N)	Wheel of Fortune	Howie Do It (N)	Howie Do It (N)	Friday Night Lights Tami Knows Best			Dateline NBC (CC)	News (N)	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (CC)		Late Night
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News (N) (CC)	Inside Edition	Ghost Whisperer Body of Water (CC)	Flashpoint Haunting the Barn (N) (CC)	NUMB3RS Trouble in Chinatown (CC)			News (N) (CC)	Late Show With David Letterman		Late Late	
K15CG (2)	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)				Wash. Week	Kansas Week	Market-Market	A Conversation With Jerry Moran	NOW on PBS (N)	World News	New Red Green	Charlie Rose (N) (CC)
ESPN (28)	NBA Basketball: Dallas Mavericks at Detroit Pistons. Palace of Auburn Hills. (Live)						Winter X-Games Aspen, Colo. (Live) (CC)			SportsCenter (Live) (CC)		
USA (37)	NCIS Shalom (CC)		House One Day, One Room (CC)		Monk Mr. Monk and the Lady Next Door		Psych Earth, Wind and... Wait for It (N)		House Dying Changes Everything		Monk Mr. Monk and the Lady Next Door	
TBS (38)	Seinfeld (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)	Family Guy (CC)	Family Guy (CC)	Movie: Men in Black II ** (2002, Comedy) (PA) Tommy Lee Jones. (CC)			10 Items or Less	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	Movie: Bridget	
WGN (39)	America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		Movie: The Insider ***½ (1999, Drama) A former executive exposes a cigarette company's lies. Al Pacino. (CC)					Scrubs (CC)	Scrubs (CC)	The Bob & Tom Show (CC)		
TNT (40)	Law & Order Sects (CC) (DVS)		Movie: Catch Me if You Can *** (2002) A teenage scam artist poses as a pilot, surgeon and lawyer. Leonardo DiCaprio. (CC)					Movie: Road to Perdition *** (2002, Crime Drama) Tom Hanks. (CC)				
DSC (42)	How It's Made	How It's Made	Dirty Jobs Animal Rendering		I Was Blitten (CC)		Man vs. Wild Yukon		How It's Made	How It's Made	Dirty Jobs Animal Rendering	
A&E (47)	CSI: Miami Vengeance (CC)		CSI: Miami Going, Going, Gone (CC)		CSI: Miami Come As You Are (CC)		The Beast Two Choices (CC)		Criminal Minds No Way Out (CC)		CSI: Miami Going, Going, Gone (CC)	
HIST (48)	Modern Marvels Failed Inventions		The Kennedy Assassination: Beyond Conspiracy (CC)				Kennedys: The Curse of Power (CC)				The Kennedy Assassination	
NICK (55)	Zoey 101 (CC)	iCarly (CC)	OddParents	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	George Lopez	George Lopez	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	Family Matters	Family Matters
DISN (56)	Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	Suite Life	Phineas and Ferb	Movie: The Incredibles (2004) Animated. A former superhero gets back into action.			Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	That's Raven		Cory in House
FAM (58)	That '70s Show		That '70s Show		That '70s Show		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		The 700 Club (CC)		That '70s Show	
HALL (60)	Walker, Texas Ranger (Part 1 of 2)		Walker, Texas Ranger (Part 2 of 2)		Movie: Stone Cold ***½ (2005) A police chief must solve a series of violent crimes.			Murder, She Wrote (CC)		Murder, She Wrote Big Easy Murder		