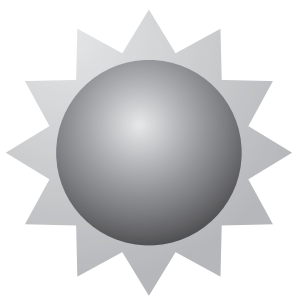


Weather  
Corner

National Weather Service

**Tonight:** A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 a.m. Mostly cloudy; low around 72. South wind between 10 and 15 mph.

**Thursday:** Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 97. Southwest wind around 15 mph.

**Thursday Night:** A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 a.m. Mostly cloudy; low around 66. South wind between 10 and 15 mph.

**Friday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 96. West wind 5 to 10 mph becoming southeast.

**Friday Night:** A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 66.

**Saturday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Partly cloudy, with a high near 86.

**Saturday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 64.

**Sunday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy; high near 91.

**Sunday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 66.

Monday: High, 96; Low 66

Tuesday: High, 78; Low 68

Precip: Monday 0.00 inches

Tuesday 0.28 inches

Month: 3.64 inches

Year: 14.06 inches

Normal: 13.76 inches

(K-State Experiment Station)

**Sunrise and Sunset**

Thursday 6:35 a.m. 9:06 p.m.

(U.S. Naval Observatory)

**Colby Water Use**

Monday 2,430,000 gal.

Tuesday 2,521,000 gal.

(Colby Public Works)

College board votes  
to keep pool amid outcry

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said she is 88, said she was in good shape and she stays active. She attributed her good health to going to water aerobics at the college pool for 35 years.

"I would hope and dream that people in the community and the surrounding communities can continue to use the pool," she said.

Bob Clark, an elderly Oakley citizen, said he has been swimming five times a week for 30 years. He said he had swum over 2,900 miles.

"I'm in the best shape of my life, and it's thanks to using the pool," Clark said.

Mandy Lanning, a vice president of the Colby Swim Club, said the club uses the pool quite a bit. Dawn Stephens, a physical therapist, said the elderly do very well in the pool and injured athletes also use the pool.

Board member Arlen Leiker said he didn't think the school had done enough to promote the pool to the public.

"I think we have done a very poor job in this area," he said.

Leiker added that swim club members were potential future students at the college and he raised the idea having the pool run on solar power.

"We have been talking about solar for the pool since the day I got here," said President Lynn Kreider.

Barry Kaaz, dean of external affairs, said the most costly part of maintaining the pool is heating it. He said reducing the volume of water in the pool would be the best way to save money.

"The pool volume could be reduced by 60 percent," said Kaaz.

He said the costs would have to be reduced in a way that would be best for people who do water exercises and swim laps. Kaaz also said seven of the natural gas-fed infra-red heaters that heat the air above the pool need to be replaced.

Kip Nelson, pool manager and athletic trainer at the college, said putting chemicals in the pool costs \$7,000 to \$10,000. He said the repairs budget is \$11,000 not including the infra-red heaters. The combined costs for heating the

pool in 2006-2007 was \$40,000, Nelson said.

Board member Kenton Kreibel said he thought the board should have all its ducks in a row before it closes the pool.

"If we need to be remodeling the pool, we need to plan ahead and select a time to close it," he said.

Kreibel added the board needed to make sure all the money is available to make the proper fixes to the pool before they close it.

Member Bill Shields asked Nick Wells, endowment foundation director, if the foundation could help pay to maintain the pool. Wells said they could earmark donations for the pool.

Kreider said he thought the 85-degree temperature of the pool is too high. He also said he thought groups such as the swim club should be paying more to use the pool. The president added that the school would need to look around for grants that could help pay to make the pool more economical and energy-efficient.

Democrat hopefuls  
debate in Wichita

WICHITA (AP) — Four Democrats tried to show in a televised debate why they would be the best candidate in the upcoming primary for the U.S. Senate seat in Kansas.

Five Democrats are seeking their party's nomination, but Robert Conroy, the fifth Democratic in the race and a retired railroad engineer, declined to participate in the debate Monday night in Wichita.

In the 30-minute debate, Democrat State Sen. David Haley of Kansas City said he had a record of working with Republicans in the Legislature. Haley, an attorney, is the only one of the four to have held office.

But other candidates, including Lisa Johnston, an assistant administrative dean at Baker University, cited voter appeal for outsiders, according to The Wichita Eagle.

"Kansans want a leader, not career politicians," said Johnston, of Overland Park.

Patrick Wiesner, an accountant and attorney from Lawrence, said, "This is an election

where they're going to throw out the incumbents."

Charles Schollenberger, of Prairie Village, said he has political experience after having worked on four successful congressional campaigns.

Haley, Johnston and Schollenberger supported the extension of unemployment benefits and saw health care as a right. But Wiesner differed.

"I don't find it in the Constitution that there is a right to get health care from the government or an employer," Wiesner said.

Schollenberger said unemployment is the nation's most pressing issue, while Haley cited easing gridlock in Congress as one of his top concerns.

Johnston said she wanted to see the focus on education, but she would push to move away from the federal No Child Left Behind education law.

Wiesner, an Army reservist who returned in May from his second tour in Iraq, said his first priority would be to get out of Iraq in 2011.

Sign up at chamber  
for county fair parade

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up on East Eighth Street and all other entries will line up on Seventh and West Eighth Streets.

The parade will go from there down Franklin Avenue to Cedar Street, then turn right and continue on to the Thomas County Fairgrounds.

There are eight categories: community and organizations, youth

12 and under, business, antique vehicles, dirt bikes and all-terrain vehicles, horses, musical organizations and implement dealers.

Parade judges will choose first and second place in each category and give an award for best representation of the theme. The winners will get \$50 in chamber gift certificates for the top winner, \$40 for first place in a category and \$20 for second place.

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# MAJOR

## Thomas County July 26 - July 31

### FLAT TRACK MOTORCYCLE RACING

Thursday **July 29th at 2:30 pm**

*Sponsored by: F & M Insurance Store*



**2 BIG  
NIGHTS!**

**KPRA RODEO**

8:00 p.m. Monday & Tuesday

**July 26 & 27**

**MUTTON BUSTIN**

Both Nights Before the Rodeo!

*Sponsored by: Orschoin Farm & Home Supply*

**FREE BBQ**

Wednesday

**July 29 at 5:30 pm**

*Sponsored by: Dillons of Colby  
and Modern Woodmen Financial*

**PEDAL TRACTOR PULL July 28**

*Sponsored by:*

*Th. Co. Farm Bureau Assn.*

**Registration  
at 4 P.M.**

**PARADE Tuesday July 27th at 5:30 pm**

## DEMOLITION DERBY

*Sponsored by: Cornerstone Ag LLC.*



**8 p.m. Wednesday**

**July 28**

**2 NIGHTS OF RACES!!**



**SUMMER SHOOTOUT**

**Friday, July 30**

**Saturday, July 31**

IMCA Modifieds Econos

IMCA Modifieds, IMCA Stock Cars,

URSS 305 Sprint Cars, Races: 7 p.m.

IMCA Hobby Stocks, Races: 7 p.m.

*Sponsored by: E & G Promotions & F & M Insurance*

**CARNIVAL & GAMES**

**July 27 - July 31**

**7-11 p.m.**

**4-H LIVESTOCK SALE**

**5:30 pm July 29th**


## LOCAL TV LISTINGS

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**COLBY  
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Thursday Evening											July 22, 2010	
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
KAKE/ABC	Wipeout		Rookie Blue		Boston Med		Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
KBSL/CBS	Big Brother		CSI: Crime Scene		The Mentalist		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late			
KSNK/NBC	Community	30 Rock	Office	Parks	Law & Order: SVU		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno		Late		
KSAS/FOX	Glee		So You Think		Local							
Cable Channels												
A & E	The First 48		The First 48		Manson: Notori.		The First 48		The First 48			
AMC	Blood Work				Heartbreak Ridge							
ANIM	Monsters Inside Me		Wild Russia		Wild Russia		Monsters Inside Me		Wild Russia			
BRAVO	Bethenny, Married		Bethenny, Married		Bethenny, Married		Bethenny, Married		Bethenny, Married			
CMT	Extreme Makeover		The Singing Bee		Police Academy						Smarter	
CNN	Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360						Larry King Live	
COMEDY	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama		
DISC	River Monsters		River Monsters		Deadliest Catch		River Monsters		River Monsters			
DISN	Jump In!		Deck		Wizards	Wizards	Deck	Deck	Hannah	Hannah		
E!	Kimora: Fab Lane		Miami	Miami	Holly's W	Holly's W	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea	Holly's W		
ESPN	Softball				Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		Baseball		NFL Live	
ESPN2	WNBA Basketball		Football	SportsNation	MLS Soccer							
FAM	Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		Whose?		Whose?	
FOOD	Iron Chef America		24 Hour Rest. Battle		Cakes	Cakes	Good Eats		Unwrapped		Iron Chef America	
FX	The Simpsons Movie				Alvin-Chipmknk				The Simpsons Movie			
HGTV	First	My First	Selling N	Buck	House	House	House	House	Selling N	Buck		
HIST	Modern Marvels		The Universe		How the Earth		Modern Marvels		Modern Marvels			
LIFE	Reba	Reba	Panic Button				Will	Will	Frasier	Medium		
MTV	The Real World		Jersey Shore		Jersey Shore		Teen Mom		The Real World			
NICK	Penguins	Matters	Chris	Chris	George	George	The Nanny	The Nanny	The Nanny	The Nanny		
SCI	Mary Knows Best		Mary Knows Best		Fact or Faked		Mary Knows Best		Fact or Faked			
SPIKE	Pros vs. Joes		TNA Wrestling				Jail	Jail	MANswers	MANswers		
TBS	Guess Who				Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Lopez Tonight		Name Earl		Name Earl	
TCM	Courtship-Andy				Tammy-Bachlor							
TLC	Police Women		Police Women		Demo. Ladies		Police Women		Demo. Ladies			
TNT	Bones		Bones		300				CSI: NY			
TOON	Total	Flapjack	Adventure	Total	King-Hill	King-Hill	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen		
TRAV	Bourdain		Bourdain		Bizarre Foods		Bizarre Foods		Bourdain			
TV LAND	Cosby	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne		
USA	NCIS		Burn Notice		Royal Pains		White Collar		Burn Notice			
VH1	Behind the Music		Behind the Music		Cocktail						Cut Off	
WGN	WWE Superstars		Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs	WWE Superstars			
Premium Channels												
HBO	Dynasty	Hung	Hung	Hung	Entourage	Entourage	Real Sex 18					
MAX	Marley & Me				Hellboy-Army				Alien Sex Files			
SHOW	Punisher: War Zone				Teller		Teller	Charmageddon	The Real L Word			

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Friday Evening											July 23, 2010	
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
KAKE/ABC	Wife Swap		Primetime: What		20/20		Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
KBSL/CBS	48 Hours Mystery		Medium		Flashpoint		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late			
KSNK/NBC	Friday Night Lights		Dateline NBC				Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	Late			
KSAS/FOX	House		Bones		Local							
Cable Channels												
A & E	Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		The Glades		Criminal Minds			
AMC	Pulp Fiction						Enter the Dragon					
ANIM	Whale Wars		Whale Wars		River Monsters		Whale Wars		Whale Wars			
BRAVO	Housewives/NJ		Housewives/NJ		Housewives/NJ		Bethenny, Married		Bethenny, Married			
CMT	The Singing Bee		Your Chance To Dance		The Singing Bee		Your Chance To Dance		Smarter	Smarter		
CNN	Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				Larry King Live			
COMEDY	Tosh.0	Presents	Presents	Comedy	Comedy	Comedy	Simmons	Presents	Steve Byrne			
DISC	Man, Woman, Wild		Man, Woman, Wild		Dual Survival		Man, Woman, Wild		Man, Woman, Wild			
DISN	Deck	Wizards	Phineas	Phineas	Hannah	Hannah	Deck	Wizards	Phineas	Hannah		
E!	Miami	Holly's W	Jerseylicious		The Soup	The Soup	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea	The Soup		
ESPN	Softball				Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		Baseball	NFL Live		
ESPN2	ATP Tennis		ISKA	ISKA	Boxing				NASCAR	Softball		
FAM	Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		Whose?	Whose?		
FOOD	Chopped		Diners	Diners	Chefs vs. City		Good Eats	Rachael	Diners	Diners		
FX	The Da Vinci Code						Rescue Me		The Grudge 2			
HGTV	Outdoor	Block	Sarah	Color Spl	House	House	Design Star		Sarah	Color Spl		
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MTV	Beauty Shop				How She Move				Teen Mom			
NICK	Penguins	The Troop	Chris	Chris	George	G. Martin	Chris	Chris	Chris	Chris		
SCI	Eureka		Eureka		Haven		Eureka		Haven			
SPIKE	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	Knockout	MANswers	Trailers		
TBS	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	The Heartbreak Kid						Neighbors From Hell			
TCM	The Poor Little Rich Girl		Heidi				The Little Princess					
TLC	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Cupcake	Cupcake	Say Yes	Say Yes	Cupcake	Cupcake		
TNT	Lord of the Rings							Memphis Beat		Scorpion		
TOON	Ben 10	Generator	Star Wars	Dude	King-Hill	King-Hill	Stroker	Amer Dad	Squid	Oblongs		
TRAV	Man, Food	Man, Food	Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Most Haunted		Man, Food	Man, Food		
TV LAND	Cosby	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne		
USA	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		40-Year-Old Vir					
VH1	Music Moments		Music Moments		Music Moments		Unplugged	Ochocinco: Ult		T.O. Show		
WGN	Analyze This				MLB Baseball							
Premium Channels												
HBO	What Happens				The Hangover			Hung	Neistat	Sports		
MAX	Role	Gothika			Brüno			Co-Ed-4	Zane's Sex Chron.			
SHOW	Quantum of Solace		The Real L Word		Teller	Teller	Strikeforce	Chall.				