

Eighteen Colby Community College student members of the International Students and Friends Organization traveled to Colorado Springs on Monday for a full day of activities.

The group, accompanied by sponsors Chris Ellison and Connie Davis, stopped at the outlet stores at Castle Rock, and then drove south to Colorado Springs through the Garden of the Gods.

"We had a great time," said Davis. "We experienced almost every weather condition in a thirty-minute period including lightning,

Kansas Board of Regents approved Northwest Kansas Technical College's new Mobile Application and Entertainment Development program at their meeting on April 20.

The program is intended to teach students how to develop program applications in the rapidly expanding iPhone and iPad market.

They will learn to build cross-platform, mobile web-apps that will run on nearly any modern smart-phone platform.

According to the school's publicity, *Business Week* has identified this as the fastest growing

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Today we are going to share about an assortment of items. Two are science fiction, a number are western, and one is classified as plain fiction. You will find these in the new book area of the library.

The first is "Lost Gate," by Orson Scott Card. This is the first book in the Mither Mages series. Danny North is a young man who does not know what power and authority resides within him. He is frustrated by the fact that all his relatives are able to create mystical creatures of the other world: fairies, ghosts, and more.

He lives in the Virginia countryside where his family leads a reclusive life, especially when it comes to their powers. Danny discovers family secrets that have been carefully guarded and not shared with him. This causes no small amount of inconvenience and problems.

The second book is "River Marked," by Patricia Briggs. This is the sixth in the Mercy Thompson series. Mercy is an auto mechanic. She especially loves working on Volkswagons. Besides her love for cars she is known to some as a shape shifter. She is married to Adam, the Alpha werewolf.

These two travel in the underworld of witches, vampires and others. They have just gotten married and are honeymooning for ten



days at the Columbia River. During this time her long-gone father pays them a visit. She begins to sense evil coming into the valley and the only way she can prevent further deaths and oppression is to learn from her father's relatives how to defeat the river devil.

A third book is "Treason At Lissong Grove," by Anne Perry. This 26th book in the Charlotte and Thomas Pitt series puts Thomas Pitt in France, Charlotte Pitt and Victor Narraway in Ireland. Thomas has gone to France to try and solve the roots of the rebellion and unrest coming in from Europe to his beloved England. Victor Narraway has been accused of murder. Charlotte realizes that if Narraway's name is not cleared, it will sully her husbands professional standing as well. Together these individuals learn this is all a means of keeping them out of the country so a terrorist plot can destroy England.

The next books are part of the Avalon Western series. If you

**Real Estate recorded  
April 12 to April 25**

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Thomas County register of deeds:

- Aug. 23, 2005, Victor W. Rasmussen Trust to Casey Scott and Janice L. Barnum; Lots 15-16, Block 104, Colby North Addition.
- Aug. 24, 2005, Lyle D. and M. Darlene Gillispie to Casey Scott and Janice L. Barnum; east 45' of Lots 16-20, Block 66, Colby West Addition.
- Feb. 5, 2009, quit claim deed, Scott W. Swafford to Brenda C. Swafford; south 36' of Lots 2-3 and north 39' of Lots 4-5, Block 62, Colby South View Addition.
- April 7, Jonell Jane Cowder and David Gray Slater to Jeffrey C. and Sherri D. Mackley; NW/4 of Sec. 10, T10, R36.
- April 8, quit claim deed, Lisa L. Hartzfeld to Richard L. Hartzfeld; NW/4 of Sec. 22, T10, R35.
- April 8, Christopher Scott and Caroline Oram to Kathleen Oram Cueto; west 200 acres of W/2 of Sec. 14, T8, R34.
- April 11, quit claim deed, Laura Ann Cersovsky to Cynthia Lou Boisner; S/2 of Sec. 21, T8, R35.
- April 11, quit claim deed, Laura Ann Cersovsky to Teresa Marie Loughran; S/2 of Sec. 21,

T8, R35.

- April 15, quit claim deed, Brit-tany Jo Schuette to Barbara Jean Schuette; Lots 12-19, Block 5; Lots 1-30, Block 12; and 80' x 257' tract portion of vacated Sec-ond St. between Blocks 5 and 17, Levant.
- April 18, Susan Diane Cowder to Tracee G. Mackley Trust; SW/4 of Sec. 10, T10, R36.
- April 18, Charles L. and Di-anne L. Hill to Theodore E. Hart; Lots 1-10 and 21-30, Block 16; Lots 12-13 and portions of Lots 16-17, Block 19; Gem Ellsworth Subdivision.
- April 18, D. Dennis and Cathy M. Preston to Fred Albers Inc.; SW/4 of Sec. 21, T7, R31.
- Friday, Jesse J. Vincent to Vic-tor and Brenda S. Mazanec; Lot 13, Block 16, Original Colby.
- Monday, Dolly E. Vincent to Victor and Brenda S. Mazanec; Lot 13, Block 16, Original Colby.

Quotes as of close of previous business day	
<b>Hi-Plains Co-op</b>	
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