



Hutchinson / Wichita, Kansas

Second Quarter 2015
Issues and Programming Report

SUNFLOWER BROADCASTING, INC.
KWCH-DT, WICHITA, KS

QUARTERLY SIGNIFICANT PROGRAMS REPORT

Covered the period beginning
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Ending June 30, 2015

Station KWCH –DT is a CBS Network affiliate in its service area. In carrying out its responsibilities as a public trustee, the station deals with and is responsive to the principal issues arising in its community on a continuing basis. A variety of specials, public service announcements, public affairs programs and broadcasts on matter of concern to our community are supplemented, in some cases, with in-community projects. Our most significant programming, which has dealt with current community issues during the preceding three-month period, is set forth below.

There are three primary satellites of KWCH-DT which simulcast most of the programming. KBSD-DT, KBSH-DT, and KBSL-DT do insert local segments and are listed in the Supplemental Issues and Programming report for each station.

Specific Treatment of Community Issues

News stories carried in any of five daily newscasts, Monday through Friday, and on three per day newscasts on Saturday, and on two per day newscasts on Sunday, ranging in length of 45 seconds or more, address community issues.

COMMUNITY ISSUES

Crime - Channel 12 reports regularly on criminal activity throughout the entire Channel 12 viewing area as well as the rest of the country and the world. Here we are listing just a few of the stories that were included in our newscast this quarter.

Community - Events impacting the quality of life, including community caring and involvement.

Economy - The economy is of major importance to Kansas residents. Continuing growth keeps our employment rate high; new contract acquisitions by the local aircraft manufacturers, old businesses leaving town, new businesses coming in, proposed tax increases/decreases, and major weather concerns for residences and businesses. All of these factors impact the community, and are of ongoing interest and concern for our viewing audience.

Education - Channel 12 has updated its method of covering educational issues in its viewing area, with the assignment of one reporter to focus solely on education.

Environment - Environment issues and concerns are of interest to the Channel 12 viewing area and are aired regularly in our newscasts to keep our viewers as informed as possible of the latest in Environmental technology, treatments, advisories, etc.

Health & Safety - The well-being of Channel 12 viewers is always our top concern and the Channel 12 News Team is on top of every issue from traffic hazards to severe weather warnings, school closings, fire safety, disaster preparedness and emergency situations. And, with severe weather season, storm spotter training meetings are held several times a week in locations throughout the Channel 12 viewing area all over the state.

Politics - Channel 12 makes sure to convey to viewers how the issues and decisions by city, county and state government can affect them.

Description of Programs Providing Most Significant Treatment of Community Issues

Program	Day	Time
Eyewitness News This Morning	Monday – Friday	4:30 - 7:00 am
Eyewitness News at Noon	Monday – Friday	12:00N - 12:30 pm
Eyewitness News at 5:00	Monday – Friday	5:00 - 5:30 pm
Eyewitness News at 6:00	Monday – Friday	6:00 - 6:30 pm
Eyewitness News at 10:00	Monday – Friday	10:00 - 10:35 pm
Eyewitness News Saturday Morning	Saturday	8:00 – 10:00 am
Eyewitness News Weekend	Saturday	6:00 - 6:30 pm
	Saturday	10:00 - 10:35 pm
Eyewitness News Weekend	Sunday	5:30 - 6:00 pm
	Sunday	10:00 – 11:00 pm

All of KWCH-DT News programs are locally produced live news programs that present a mix on news, weather, sports, and issue related stories. The issue responsive program segments are usually two minutes in duration, unless otherwise noted.

Public Service All Days Any times

KWCH-DT broadcasts local and national public service announcements of varying lengths throughout its broadcast schedule. Some of the announcements are part of campaigns on one subject.

CBS Network Programming

Program	Day	Time
60 Minutes This is a CBS public affairs program featuring investigative reporting on issues facing the American public.	Sundays	6:00 pm
48 Hours Mystery This CBS program is an hour-long investigation on one current issues with a different topic each program.	Saturdays	9:00 pm
Sunday Morning Produced by CBS News, this hour and a half program presents news and current issue stories as well as human-interest features.	Sundays	8:00 am
Face The Nation A weekly half hour CBS program discussing a spectrum of national and international issues.	Sundays	9:30 am
CBS Up To The Minute Overnight Daily CBS News program features news, weather, issue-oriented stories, health tips and general interest items.	Monday - Friday	2:00am - 4:00am
CBS Morning News Daily CBS News program features news, weather, issue-oriented stories, health tips and general interest items.	Monday – Friday	4:00am – 4:30am
CBS This Morning	Monday – Friday	7:00 – 9:00 am
The CBS Evening News	Monday – Friday	5:30 – 6:00 pm
CBS Saturday Morning	Saturdays	6:00 - 8:00 am

Features in Newscasts

Newstalk

Monday through Friday Morning & Noon Newscasts

Locally produced segment that runs approximately 2-4 minutes during the Noon and morning Newscast with live call-ins answering questions about healthcare, pet care, plant care, and home economics.

Daily Birthdays

Monday through Friday Morning Newscasts

Community Involvement

Viewers send in their birthday announcements for any relative or friend and the birthday person's picture is shown. A daily winner of the Channel 12 Morning Newscast coffee mug is awarded to one of the birthday persons.

Answerback 12

Sundays 10:00pm

Locally produced feature including viewer's comments and answering viewer's questions about programming and other general questions about KWCH 12.

FactFinder 12 Investigations

Newscasts on various days and times

Locally produced investigative reports of consumer complaints.

Crime Watch

Newscasts on various days and times

Locally produced reports on local/state crime and safety.

Education

Newscasts on various days and times

Locally produced stories on local/state schools and education issues

Economy

Newscast on various days and times

Locally produced stories on local/state economy and on issues that affect viewers' economic livelihood.

Consumer Watch

5pm Newscast Tuesday-Wednesday-Friday

Various other times

Stories on new products available and whether they work.

Also anything related to product recalls, and other consumer-type situations.

Does It Work

10pm Wednesdays

Locally produced reports on retail items and if they work as advertised.

MAY 2015 SWEEPS

Journey Back to Justice – Lauren Seabrook/George Taylor – AIRS 4/23 10PM – We tell the story of the man who helped link Tim McVeigh to the OKC bomb. We go along with him as he travels to the memorial for the first time in 20 years.

Digital elements: photo gallery of memorial, Lauren personal blog and pics, old KWCH coverage/footage

Impact Mouthguards – AIRS 4/26 Mike Schwanke/Rob Schunn – Put some of these mouthguards to the test. How do they work? Do they work? Get involvement from KU football. Mike will come in Sunday to live front.

Digital elements: Info graphi

Rats, Reviews and Reaction –AIRS 5/10 Lauren Seabrook/Scott McMullen – Man posts photo of rat in food he claims came from a Liberal Chinese restaurant. Attorneys for restaurant sent him a cease and desist letter demanding him to remove photo, post an apology on social media and take out a written apology in all local newspapers.

Vaccine: Checking Your Child’s School – SHOOT 3/23, 3/25, AIRS 4/23 Lauren Seabrook/Scott McMullen – We compile a database of number of students who opt out of vaccines by school and by vaccine in the Wichita school district. We will also have statewide numbers by county. **BIG DIGITAL PROJECT**

Drones and Early Tornado Warning – SHOOT 4/9 AIRS 5/3 Ross Janssen/Kevin Hager/Casey Lowmiller - How OU researchers are using drones to improve tornado warning times. New tie to 60 year anniversary of Udall tornado. <http://www.newson6.com/story/28129115/oklahoma-weather-drone-use-holds-promise-for-earlier-tornado-warnings>

Udall Tornado: AIRS 5/17 Cornish/Lowmiller – Memorial Day marks the 60 year anniversary of the deadliest tornado in Kansas history. 87 people died. Nearly half of the families of Udall lost one or more members.

Paid to Play – BATES/TBA AIRS 4/30 – August 1st, schools start (COA) – cost of attendance. COA is the calculated difference between the traditional scholarship and other living expenses. The average student-athlete will receive 2000-5000 extra per school year. Are schools concerned about “competition” between programs – who pays the most?

PENDING: CASA Impact – Cindy Klose – Follow the story of how CASA helps at-risk children who need support. If we can get approval from CASA and the Wichita Children’s home – would be a very impactful story of how CASA keeps these children from being caught up in the system. Volunteers tell the story of how they speak for these children and guide their lives.

PENDING: Sex Trafficking – Take a look at a group rescuing girls from sex trafficking.

DIW:

AIRS 4/22 --TAN PHYSICS: \$19.99 (starts at that price). The next thing in sunless tanning. Promises no streaks, no orange, and lasts 4 to 7 days.
<http://tanphysics.com/true-color/>

AIRS 4/29 --EGGSTRACTOR: \$14.99. Helps you peel hard-boiled eggs. SO MANY REQUESTS FOR THIS PRODUCT.
<https://www.buyeggstractor.com/?mid=5734830>

AIRS 5/6 --GO SMILE SONIC BLUE TEETH WHITENING SYSTEM: \$90 to \$144. It says it uses blue light to whitening your teeth seven shades in 30 days.

[Http://www.gosmile.com/](http://www.gosmile.com/)

AIRS 5/13 --TRAX KID TRACKER: \$250. It includes a two-year data plan. Right now, it's sold out. I will need to call the company to see if I can get one.

[Http://www.traxfamily.com/shop.html](http://www.traxfamily.com/shop.html)

AIRS 5/20 --COOLER COMPARISON TEST. We would test three coolers (closer to Memorial day). And see which one works the best. Yeti coolers are high-end coolers. They start around \$300 and promise a lot. We would put it up against a generic Yeti (around \$150) and then a cooler you can buy at Wal-Mart.

CRIME

4/1/2015 10pm

A butler county woman is found guilty of intentionally burning a child with scalding hot water. Today Mary Ann Garrett was found guilty of two charges including felony child abuse. It's a story we first told you about last year. Deputies say Garrett burned two and a half year old caden booth for soiling his pants while she was babysitting in October.

4/2/2015 6pm

New at 6... A potential prom-date is flagged by the security system at a Wichita high school for being a registered sex offender. Wichita police say an 18-year-old student at west high was in the school office yesterday afternoon... Asking about age restrictions for prom dates. The 24-year-old man she was with applied for a hall pass... That's when he was flagged. When school officials called security... The man took-off. Earlier this year... Factfinder 12 showed you the new hall pass system being installed at all Wichita schools... And Michael schwanke looked into how many times it has worked...flagging offenders. You can watch his report again at kwch-dot-com.

4/4/2015 8am

Police say a threat against derby high school this week came from someone with no connection to the school. There was extra security around the campus Wednesday after a post on a gaming website threatened a shooting. Investigators traced the threat to a juvenile in Florida and say it appears to be a random threat. The district says the fbi helped identify the suspect.

4/5/2015 10pm

We continue following a story that was breaking news this afternoon... One man is arrested after a three-hour SWAT standoff south of Wichita. It happened in the 49-hundred block of hemlock near 47th and Clifton. The Sedgwick county sheriff says the man was barricaded inside a home and threatening to kill people. As SWAT members approached the house, the man ran outside before he was quickly caught by sheriff's deputies. Officials say the man, whose name has not been released, has a history of mental problems.

4/7/2015 6am

Wichita state basketball player Conner frankamp. Has been granted a d-u-i diversion. Frankamp was arrested in January for d-u-i and other traffic-related charges. Under the diversion, frankamp must pay all fines and fees that could add up to 15-hundred dollars. He will have to attend a series of programs, including a Wichita intervention program. Frankamp must also complete a drug and alcohol evaluation. If all the terms are met, the diversion becomes a dismissal after 12 months.

4/8/2015 430am

Breaking news overnight... One person has died after a shooting. It happened in the 11-hundred block of west 20th street. That's near west 21st street and amidon. Right now, police aren't giving us any other details. They say they'll release some later today. Make sure to follow us here on eyewitness news and online for the latest.

4/9/2015 10pm

A robbery in western Sedgwick County leads to a chase tonight. Many of you have called and messaged us about the incident. Jade degood is live near Cheney with what we know. Sedgwick County is still processing the scene here north of Cheney. Sgt. Benjamin blick says there was an attempted robbery here earlier this evening. Two males... Trying to rob a man in his 50s. Sgt. Blick says at some point the two men left with a woman who was in a vehicle outside the residence. The homeowner then followed the suspects to goddard where all three were stopped and arrested. At this point law enforcement is not sure whether anything was stolen... But again they are processing the scene and interviewing witnesses as we speak.

4/10/2015

6pm

Jade degood sat down with former f-b-i agent... Dan jablonski... To talk about how investigations like these are done. Jade, he says social media has really become a big platform for agents to find possible threats. Exactly... In the case of booker... That was the starting point for the f-b-i. Authorities say... Booker wrote some extremist posts last year talking essentially about getting ready to perform a suicide attack. And those posts were then given to the f-b-i by someone who felt there was some merit to them... That all of course according to the affidavit. But dan jablonski... Who is retired from the f-b-i... Says social media has become a big factor in many of these cases. He says for these extremists.. Where better to find others who share their same views... Than posting on social media platforms. Jablonski says while this case has some similarities to terry lowen... The man who's accused of planning on bombing the wichita airport in december of 2013... There were some major differences. And part of that were those facebook posts... And the fact that the f-b-i actually interviewed booker a year before this alleged planned attack. We're going to hear more from jablonski... Tonight at 10.

4/11/2015

9am

A topeka man is arrested after authorities say he was planning to carry out an isis-inspired suicide bomb plot at fort riley. 20 year old john booker junior has been charged in the plot. Now a second man from topeka has also been charged in connection with the plot. Alexander blair is charged with one count of "failing to report a felony." the complaint says... During an investigation into booker... The f-b-i learned blair loaned him money for the purpose of renting a storage unit, that he used to store components of a bomb. It goes on to say.... Blair told agents he believed booker would carry out the attack but chose not to tell authorities. It's a story we've been following since it first broke yesterday on eyewitness news at noon.

4/12/2015

10pm

The death of a 26-year-old woman- is being investigated as suspicious tonight by the k-b-i. It happened in the town of sedan in chautauqua county... That's where pilar pedraza joins us live with the latest. Pilar?

4/13/2015

5:30am

We hope to learn more today about a suspicious death investigation in chautauqua county. Officials say, a 26-year old woman was found dead inside her home in the town of sedan. Investigators spent all day sunday at the home. The sedan police department and kansas bureau of investigation is helping with the case. It is not known if there is a suspect in the case... Or if anyone has been arrested.

4/14/2015

10pm

Three wichita teens charged with rape...remain in the "sedgwick county juvenile detention center" tonight.... As prosecutors push to try to have the suspects charged as adults. The three suspects are heights students. But the alleged incident did not happen on school property, or at a school function. Court information shows... The victim was incapacitated and unable to give consent "because of mental deficiency or disease or the effect of any alcohol, narcotics, or another drug or substance." all three are scheduled to appear in court next week.

4/15/2015

6am

A 15-year old salina girl will be tried as an adult in the death of her younger sister. Sierra niehaus (knee-house) is accused of killing her 13 year old sister glazier (guh-lay-zee-uh) at their home in saline county last august. A judge says sierra has shown no remorse or any other reaction to her sister's death. She is charged with first degree murder.

4/16/2015

6pm

a topeka man is indicted for allegedly trying to detonate a bomb at fort riley. 20-year-old john booker junior... Was indicted today by a federal grand jury on several charges... Including attempting to use a weapon of mass destruction... And attempting to provide material support to isis. He was arrested last friday. Prosecutors say... He was trying to detonate "what he thought" were explosives. If convicted, booker would face a maximum penalty of life in prison. A man accused of lending booker money... Will be

released to his parents' care. Alexander Blair's attorney argued he's not a flight risk... Because he has little money and no car.

4/17/2015 10pm

a Hodgeman county sheriff deputy. Booked on first degree murder and child abuse in the death of his 2-month old son is expected to be in court next week for his first appearance. Kody Hanson is currently in the Ford county jail. The Kansas Bureau of Investigation tells us this could be because he works for Hodgeman county. His son Roston died at a Wichita hospital last week after being taken there from Jetmore. The Sedgwick county forensic science center tells us the autopsy is not complete at this time. No other details about the case are being provided.

4/18/2015 6pm

a Dodge city man is arrested on suspicion of attempted first-degree murder. Police say... He stabbed his wife several times. "The Hutchinson News" reports... 42-year-old Daniel Mejia (meh-he-uh)... Was arrested early Friday morning. That's after officers say they found the 20-year-old woman with stab wounds. She was flown to a Wichita hospital. Mejia (meh-he-uh) is being held on 300-thousand-dollar bond.

4/19/2015 530am

One person is arrested... After a shooting in Ark City overnight. It was breaking news on "eyewitness news this morning." Police responded to a report of a fight around 1-30 this morning. Officers found... A 38-year-old man with multiple gun shot wounds. He was taken to a Wichita hospital for treatment. A short time later ... Officers arrested 34-year-old Aaron Brown in Oklahoma... In connection with the shooting. The K-B-I is investigating the case.

4/20/2015 10pm

a Hodgeman county sheriff's deputy accused of killing his two month old son appears in court. Kody Hanson faces first degree murder and child abuse charges. Today a judge set Hanson's bond at 250 thousand dollars. Hanson was arrested last week after his son's death. The baby was flown to a Wichita hospital after something happened to him at a Jetmore home. The Kansas attorney general's office is handling the case no formal charges have been filed yet...and no other details about the case are being released at this time.

4/21/2015 12pm

The Cowley county sheriff's office is looking for an inmate who has escaped from custody. The Cowley county sheriff's office says John Douglas Wooten did not return from his court ordered furlough. Wooten has blonde hair and blue eyes. He is 28 years old. He was in custody for several charges including theft and forgery. If you have information on where he is... Call 9-1-1 or crime stoppers

4/22/2015 430am

This woman got a flyer at her door and not knowing what it was she contacted eyewitness news. So factfinder 12 went looking for the answer. We learned it was a couple in the La Placita park neighborhood passing out the flyers. That's in West Wichita. The couple responsible for the flyer says they wanted to make people aware of what they feel are harmful amounts of energy waves the Westar meters produce. They say this was never a ploy to scare people. While they have no scientific evidence to back up the claims, we did call Westar energy for comment. A spokesperson with "smart grid" who is responsible for this technology says their meters are not harmful, and are below the limits set by the federal communications commission for the emittance of radio frequency waves... So what is a smart meter??? Westar says, it allows them to read your usage remotely. They say the meter will automatically alert them if the power goes out.

4/23/2015 5pm

A Wellington mother accused of killing her son, is back in a summer county courthouse - to help determine if she is mentally capable to stand trial. Anne Meyer was there, and explains the next step - new at five. Nicole Blansett is back in Wellington, after spending some time at the Larned mental health correctional facility. That's where she had a competency evaluation. That report is complete. But before the judge can rule on Blansett's mental capability - the defense has the right to question the expert who did the evaluation.

That will happen may 14th. The wellington mother was in the courtroom, for the proceeding. But she wasn't there very long. It only took a few minutes for the judge to set a new date in this case. Blansett is accused of stabbing and beating her 10-year old son caleb with a rock last december. Her daughter -who was 9 at the time, was in the home when it happened. We also learned that her next court hearing will be closed to the public kerwin spencer 5:46:03-12 that competency hearing by its very nature has to be a closed hearing because the defense can present evidence there that would not be admissible, 12 anne meyer after that hearing happens the judge will decide if blansett is mentally able to stand trial, or not.

4/24/2015 9pm

a former hodgeman county sheriff's deputy is formally charged with first degree murder. It's a story out of jetmore that we've been following all this month. Kody lee hanson is accused of killing his two month old child. It happened two weeks ago. His bond is set at 250-thousand dollars. The kansas attorney general's office is handling the case.

4/25/2015 7am

A former hodgeman county sheriff's deputy is formally charged with first degree murder. It's a story out of jetmore that we've been following all this month. Kody lee hanson is accused of killing his two month old child. It happened two weeks ago. His bond is set at 250-thousand dollars. The kansas attorney general's office is handling the case.

4/27/2015 12pm

A former hodgeman county sheriff's deputy appears in court... Where he's charged with killing his son. That's new this noon. Kody lee hanson made his first court appearance this morning after being formally charged in the murder of his 2 month old son late last week. Today a judge denied hanson's request for a bond reduction but granted him a court- appointed attorney. his bond is set at 250-thousand dollars. A date for his preliminary hearing has not yet been set.

4/28/2015 5pm

A former bel air police chief and a former officer are indicted on federal weapons charges. Former chief john daily and ricky swanson are charged with wire fraud and mail fraud. Prosecutors say daily signed paperwork to purchase three rifles saying they were being purchased for the police department. Investigators say swanson then ignored directions from supervisors to cancel the order, and instead kept one and sold another one. If convicted, the two former officers face 20 years in prison. 2 other men have already been charged in the case.

4/29/2015 6pm

A thousand dollar reward is now being offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of whoever tampered with kansas highway patrol cars last week in salina. Lug nuts were loosened... Some were missing from the vehicles parked at the khp training academy last friday. If you have any information you are asked to contact k-h-p. You can find it again at kwch-dot-com.

4/30/2015 10am

Again just to recap a story we've been following since last night. Five teens in hutchinson are in jail tonight after they were arrested on charges of solicitation to commit murder. They will make their first appearance in court tomorrow. Here are questions we're still asking. What specific threats of violence were made by the teens arrested? Also...whether prosecutors will seek to try the teens as adults or juveniles.

5/1/2015 4:30am

Five teens arrested for making threats will be in court this morning. They've all been charged with solicitation to commit murder in the first degree and criminal threat at hutchinson high school. You can see the teen's photos and names. The parents of all the boys say they would never hurt anyone. They say there

was not plot to kill and that the threat being talked about was an inside joke blown out of proportion. Detectives say a parent called monday morning, saying the five boys made a threat on social media friends of the group are coming to their defense - saying the boys often made outrageous comments on social media sites they thought were private these friends feel the threat has been blown out of proportion, and the boys they know would never hurt anyone. Some questions we're still asking about the case: what specific threats of violence were made by the teens arrested? Also...were any weapons found during a search of the teens' homes wednesday? And... Whether prosecutors will seek to try them as adults or juveniles. We will be in hutchinson for those hearings which begin at 8 this morning. We'll let you know what's happening inside the courtroom both on-air and online at k-w-c-h dot com.

5/2/2015 10pm

It began as a foot race. And police say it ended in a stabbing. It was breaking news this morning. When a 45-year-old man was hospitalized in critical condition. Wichita police say the man was visiting a friend near harry and hydraulic. When he and a 17-year-old boy decided to have a foot race just after midnight. The teen apparently wanted to bet on the outcome, which the man refused to do. That's when police say the 17-year-old went inside the home, came out with a knife and stabbed the man in the chest. He was hospitalized with a collapsed lung. Police have not identified the suspect.

5/3/2015 7am

Police are investigating an overnight shooting in southeast wichita. Police say a witness reported seeing a man fire gun shots at a car. That's when a security worker in the area approached the man and shot at him several times. The suspect ran into the neighborhood ... And was not found by police. Later in the morning, a person came into a hospital with a gunshot wound. Police are trying to determine if the patient was involved in the shooting. No one has been arrested.

5/4/2015 12pm

All 5 hutchinson teenagers accused of planning a school shooting will remain in the reno county youth detention center that's new at this hour. A judge made that decision today the teens are being charged with solicitation to commit first degree murder four of the teens will be in court on may 19th for a pre-trial hearing...that's two days before school lets out takoda bowman will have his next court appearance on may 26th...

5/5/2015 12pm

Today we're getting a first look at body cam video that captured the scene of an officer involved shooting in salina. The incident happened back in may of last year. It started as a domestic disturbance call but quickly turned serious when the suspect--45 year old jose carrillo-- started firing at officers. That's when two officers returned fire. Take a look. Carrillo was hit twice but his injuries were not life threatening. Today anna auld is talking with the officer whose body camera captured the video you just saw. Look for her live reports tonight on eyewitness news.

5/6/2015 5am

Today, we could learn the names of the victims of a deadly shooting. As winfield police continue to search for a gunman. The police chief believes this was not a random crime. Investigators say a man with a shot gun went through the front door and fired one time, hitting both men. One victim died at the scene, the other was air lifted to wichita with critical injuries. But the police chief says that man is expected to survive. That man did give police a quick statement about what happened before he went into surgery.

5/7/2015 430am

Hundreds gather at the intersection where a salina teenager was gunned down wednesday night - in what police are calling a case of mistaken identity. Here are five of the six people investigators arrested in the case. They say the group was out for revenge after a fight earlier that night, but they targeted the wrong vehicle. Allie saum died in the shooting. Anne meyer was at her vigil tonight and joins us live from salina, anne. At busy intersections around salina. Friends of allie saum - and even some that didn't know her - held up signs to raise money to help her family pay for funeral expenses. Kaleb garibalgi 4:04:24-30 it is just

tragic, no parent should bury their child and we just need to support from everyone 30 many told me the 17-year old salina south student stood out in a crowd, and was always willing to help a friend Danielle drummer 52:30-42 everybody says we are going to remember her for her smile and her laugh and i think that she wants everyone to think of her when she is happy, because i can't think of a moment when she wasn't 42 salina police say saum was riding in her boyfriends truck, when someone in a group on russell street started shooting at them investigators say that group had been in a fight earlier in the night and were out for revenge, but they hit the wrong truck captain mike sweeney 33:11-22 it was just a mistaken identity. These people had no involvement whatsoever in the disturbances. They didn't even know each other. That's what makes it even more tragic 22 while friends try to come to terms with allie's death, they comforting each other by remembering all the good times they had together.

5/8/2015 10pm

Family and friends continue to remember a salina teen murdered in what police call a case of mistaken identity. Allie saum died wednesday night when a truck she was in with her boyfriend was shot at. Six suspects have been arrested in her death including macio palacio who authorities are calling the shooter. Tonight allie's boyfriend is speaking for the first time about what happened. Melissa scheffler has his story.

5/9/2015 4pm

police have released the name of the man arrested in a deadly shooting in winfield earlier this week. 26-year-old joshua stasa (stay-zuh) was arrested yesterday evening. He was taken to cowley county jail and booked on one count of first-degree murder, and one count of attempted first-degree murder. Police say stasa (stay-zuh) went into a home on east third avenue in winfield around 9 monday night. And shot two people. David towels was pronounced dead at the scene. Another man was taken to a wichita hospital ... Where he's still in serious condition.

5/10/2015 9pm

five people arrested in connection with a deadly shooting in salina are set to appear in court tomorrow 17-year-old allie saum (saw-m) was shot and killed wednesday night. Police called it a case of mistaken identity. They say the shooter thought the pick-up saum (saw-m) was riding in, belonged to someone he'd been fighting with earlier. Officers arrested six people in connection with her death. Police say the shooter was 22-year-old macio (moss-ee-o) palacio (puh-law-see-oh) of salina. Our news partners at the salina journal report that he and four others will be in court tomorrow to hear charges against them. A court appearance is still pending against a sixth.

5/11/2015 10pm

New details tonight about a deadly shooting in south wichita this weekend. 17 year old leon mcclennon died after he was shot in the head saturday morning. He was found in the parking lot of parrot-fa-nalia near harry and hillside. Investigators say the shooting happened after a fight broke out at a private birthday party. 20 people were in the basement at the time of the shooting. Police have identified a person of interest but haven't made an arrest. Mcclennon went to wichita west high school.

5/12/2015 430am

Three people are hurt in a shooting near the university of california santa barbara. Police say they believe it started with a domestic dispute. They say one of the people shot is also the gunman. The university's text system was used to warn students about what was going on. The incident has rattled some people's nerves as they prepare for the one year anniversary of six students who were killed last year.

5/15/2015 430am

Police in *south hutchinson... Arrest a reno county sheriff's detective. On suspicion of domestic violence. Officers arrested jeremy hedges just before midnight wednesday night. Investigators say the incident involved a woman he knew. Hedges is currently on administrative leave without pay. Which is standard protocol. The sheriff's office is also doing an internal investigation...

5/16/2015 9am

A wichita teenager is now recovering after being shot with a b-b gun. Cloud elementary was on lock-down for a short period of time, after the teen was shot. Police say the 13-year-old victim was walking down the street, when he was shot in the head by two kids. A school employee saw what happened, and helped get police and emergency crews to the scene. Officers talked with both boys who were playing with the bb gun, but did not make any arrests.

5/18/2015 430am

A 41-year-old woman is killed in a hit and run at a south wichita residence. Police say the woman was hit in the backyard near pawnee and pattie where a disturbance was reported. Police say they continue looking for the vehicle. It's described as an early 2000's model four-door ford explorer with extensive front-end damage.

5/19/2015 430am

One of the men charged in the shooting death of a salina teen breaks down crying in court. Police say "macio palacio" pulled the trigger on the gun that sent a bullet through the back of a pick-up truck, hitting 17-year-old allie saum. Five of the six suspects appeared yesterday in court. The only woman in the group - "azucena garcia-fernize" (ah-su-sin-ah garcia fare-knee-say) bonded out of jail - but deputies told the judge she's been trying to sneak back in to see the suspected shooter. The judge ordered her to have no contact with palacio ... And that brought him to tears. He was visibly emotional in the courtroom - while the other suspects sat around him. Once the hearing date was set - the judge told attorneys to come prepared.

5/20/2015 10pm

March 2003-- a shooting outside big dog motorcycles on douglas...one man dead...the other hurt.the shooter....devin quattlebaum...who police say was a bandido motorcycle gang pledge...claimed self defense. (nat sound from trial)the jury agreed...quattlebaum was found not guilty. Deputy chief john speer worked the case. Like the nation...speer says the wichita police department is watching what's happening in waco texas....he says it's eye opening for police in the midwest. That's why wichita police officers are being trained...some re-trained on what to look for...and prevent anything like what happened in waco from happening here.

5/21/2015 430am

Dead, 170 arrested, and more than 500 weapons found...that's the latest from waco. We're learning wichita police are on alert and even re-training officers on how to spot and deal with these type of gang members. One of the gangs involved in the shooting in waco, the bandidos, have been involved in a deadly shooting here in wichita. Takes you back to that day and talked to police about what they're doing now. March 2003. A shooting outside big dog motorcycles on douglas...one man dead...the other hurt. The shooter....devin quattlebaum...who police say was a bandido motorcycle gang pledge...claimed self defense. (nat sound from trial) the jury agreed...quattlebaum was found not guilty. Deputy chief john speer worked the case.more than a decade later...and there have been few outlaw motorcycle gang incidents in wichita. Like the nation...speer says the wichita police department is watching what's happening in waco texas....he says it's eye opening for police in the midwest. That's why wichita police officers are being trained...some re-trained on what to look for...and prevent anything like what happened in waco from happening here.

5/22/2015 6am

We're getting more information this morning about a shooting in clearwater. A 17-year old was shot. It happened around 9-30 last night. Hannah davis is live in clearwater. With new details on this story. A 17-year-old is in serious condition after a shooting. It happened on west 95th street south in clearwater. A sheriff's deputy says they were called to the report of a shooting around 9:30 last night. They found the teen with a gunshot wound and he was taken to the hospital. Sheriff deputies say it happened inside a home. They wouldn't say if they were looking for anyone in connection to the shooting.

5/23/2015

6pm

A 33-year-old man is taken to a wichita hospital with serious injuries. After he was stabbed several times in el dorado. Police say the man heard two people arguing across the street from his house in the 400 block of west fourth street. So he went to intervene.that's when he was stabbed several times. No arrests have been made at this time.

5/24/2015

530am

Sedgwick county deputies need your help. They are looking for a vehicle like this one... In connection with an overnight hit and run... That sent two teens to the hospital. It's a white toyota tacoma. With 4-doors. And likely has front-end damage... Including a missing headlight... And plastic pieces broken off. Authorities say the driver of the pickup hit two teens saturday night in haysville. The two were on their bikes when it happened. One had serious injuries. If you have information about this crime... You are asked to call 911 or crime stoppers. That number is 316-267-2111.

5/26/2015

430am

All five teens accused of making threats against hutchinson high school are due back in court today. Tyler cabal (kuh-brawl), andre nelson-harris, jacob eels and dominic collins are expected to have motions hearings. The first hearing is scheduled for 9-30 this morning this comes after their attorney's entered 'not guilty' pleas on their behalf last week. Five students are charged in the case... With solicitation to commit first degree murder and criminal threat. The fifth student, takoda bowman is expected in court for a pretrial hearing later today.

5/27/2015

5pm

An arrest has been made-in connetion with a hit and run last weekend that sent two teens to the hospital. 35-year-old tyler walker of peck was arrested around two this afternoon on the charge of leaving the scene of a crash involving injuries. It happened saturday night in haysville. When two teenage girls were riding their bikes and were hit by a pickup truck. The sedgwick county sheriff's office located the truck and say walker was the driver.

5/28/2015

430am

deputies make an arrest in connection with a hit and run this weekend in haysville. 35 year old tyler walker of peck was arrested on a charge of leaving the scene of a crash. Two teenagers riding their bikes were hit from behind by a pickup truck the sedgwick county sheriff's office located the truck and says walker was the driver.

5/29/2015

430am

An officer is shot during a chase. And troopers are still looking for a third suspect in montgomery county. The oklahoma highway patrol says an officer was chasing a vehicle near the kansas/oklahoma border when he was shot in the head. His car ran off the highway and rolled according to k-o-t-v. The officer was trying to pull vehicle over when the chase started. Reports say the bullet only grazed the officer. A trooper says two suspects have been caught. A third man continued into kansas but officers lost him when he ran into the woods. A perimeter of about one square mile has been set up near coffeyville as officers' search for the man.

5/30/2015

10pm

The kansas attorney general's office. Will lead the investigation into an oklahoma shooting that... Led to a chase and manhunt in montgomery county, kansas. 22-year-old alejandro garcia is accused of shooting a police officer near tulsa, shooting and carjacking another person. And evading law enforcement for several hours before his capture friday morning near liberty. Two others were also arrested before the standoff started. The officer and the other victim are expected to survive. No official charges have been filed.

5/31/2015

530pm

A pizza delivery man is held up at gunpoint by a man demanding cash. Wichita police say it happened saturday evening in the 49-hundred block of east morris. The delivery man brought pizzas to a home that

turned out to be vacant. When the suspect ran up with a gun and tried to rob him. The victim was able to run away without giving up any money. The suspect has not been found.

6/1/2015 430am

An investigation is underway in Kansas City...looking into the death of a three year old boy who was shot and killed inside his home it happened just before ten yesterday morning at this house on the city's east side. Investigators are calling it a drive by shooting--- officers on scene reported the house had been hit with as many as 20 bullets. The child was inside at the time of the shooting, and was pronounced dead at the scene. No one else was hurt, and police have not made any arrests. Police say it points to a disturbing trend of violence against children. Already this year 7 Kansas City children have been killed or seriously hurt in acts of violence.

6/3/2015 5pm

Police arrest two Salina teens accused of making threats to blow up their school and a teacher's car. The students go to Saint Francis treatment facility in Salina County. As live: the Sheriff Department says the two teens were inside their classroom writing threat letters on the computer claiming to blow up the school and their teachers car. The two teenagers who had been living at Saint Francis treatment facility were arrested Tuesday afternoon. The Sheriff's office says they got a call from the treatment facility after the teens had written two threat letters to their teacher...claiming to blow up the school and the teachers car. The Sheriff's office says the teens then continued to walk outside and started throwing rocks at the teachers car...causing major damage. The campus houses and treats 36 preteens and teens ranging from 6- 18 years-old who suffer from various mental illnesses.

Jerry: "it's the last level of care before you go to detention.... So it's the highest care you can with these youth." the Sheriff's office says the teens claim they made the threats because their teacher was being mean. Facility officials say while they can't comment on this specific incident, they do have problems with some of their students.

Jerry: "they do have behaviors that are unsafe, that that's why they are here and again we help them and the families to come up with safe coping skills so they are able to treat them

6/5/2015 5pm

Many of you have been posting your condolences online. Wichita Mayor Jeff Longwell posted this on Twitter, saying ...the Wichita community is saddened today by the passing of Tanya Soup Kitchen's Tanya Tandoc. She will be greatly missed. Hundreds of you are also posting on our Facebook page as well. We want to hear about your memories of Tanya or your experiences dining in her restaurant. Just comment on this story if you see it on your feed.

6/6/2015 8am

A local restaurant owner is killed and now many who knew her are left wondering what led up to the beloved cook's murder. Tanya Tandoc was the owner of Tanya's Soup Kitchen. Officers were called to her home late Thursday night to check on her. A friend called, saying he had been unable to contact her for 24 hours. Officers spoke to Tandoc's roommate who said he had not seen her for several hours minutes later...police say the man called 911 and said he had killed his girlfriend...he then went outside and told officers the same thing. Tandoc's body was found in the basement police say she was killed by blunt force trauma. Curt Mitchell was arrested on first degree murder charges. Neighbors near the home say they are in shock. Police say there's been no past issues at Tandoc's home and no argument led up to her death.

6/7/2015 9pm

Happening now. Police are looking for a man who walked into a Plainville convenience store and shot the clerk. It happened just before 4-30 this morning. Police say the man came into the Plainville short stop convenience store and pointed a gun at the clerk. When the clerk reached for the weapon, the suspect shot him in the right hip. The clerk was taken to the hospital, where he is now in stable condition. Police say the suspect then ran off into a residential area nearby ... And has still not been found. The K-B-I is assisting in the investigation.

6/8/2015 7am

The man accused of murdering a well-known wichita business owner could be in court today. Tanya tandoc was found dead in her home by wichita police late thursday night. 47-year-old curt mitchell, who was living in tandoc's basement, was arrested on suspicion of first degree murder.

6/9/2015 430am

breaking news. One person is hurt in an overnight shooting. Police were called to the 81-hundred block of east boston, near harry and rock, just before 3 this morning. Police say three masked men forced their way into a home and shot a man before leaving. The man should be okay. Dispatchers say no one is in custody. Emily griffin is on her way to the scene. Look for live updates starting at 5.

6/10/2015 5am

We asked an attorney... Why there have been no arrests... If investigators know who owns the s-u-v. Attorney charley o'hara does not represent anyone in this case. But, he says... The law does not allow prosecutors to charge multiple people who *may* be at fault. O'hara says... Prosecutors have to find *the one* person responsible.

6/11/2015 10pm

Curt mitchell is the man accused of killing tandoc. Investigators say she died of blunt force trauma the appeared in court on tuesday where the judge read his formal charge of first degree murder. Tandoc was found in the basement of her home where mitchell was staying. Mitchell's bond is set at 500-thousand dollars.

6/12/2015 430am

Come take a look at this surveillance video. The woman in this video is suspected of stealing animals from petland in southeast wichita. In this video - you can see a young woman in a white shirt going up to cages where rats and ferrets are kept. The store says - she stole a ferret and came back a few minutes later to take a baby rat. Now this video is a bit later in the same day. You can see the woman returning to the store in a different shirt - now near some puppies. The store owners says she took a puppy. The theft happened around noon wednesday. They are concerned for the welfare of the puppy.

6/13/2015 6pm

A 29-year-old man is recovering after he accidentally shot himself in the leg last night. It happened around 6-15 at his home near woodlawn and 29-th street. Police say he was in the garage by himself, when he accidentally discharged his firearm. He was taken to the hospital in critical condition with a gunshot wound to his right leg. Police say he is believed to be recovering now after undergoing surgery.

6/14/2015 5pm

A man wanted in texas is caught passed out in front of a store in harvey county. The 34-year-old man had a warrant out for his arrest... And was considered armed and dangerous. Deputies found him passed out in a vehicle in front of the quick shop in burrton. This morning around 8:45. He will be extradited back to texas.

6/15/2015 12pm

New at noon. A 60 year old man is recovering today after police say he was beaten by a group of bikers. It happened sunday afternoon near the intersection at 13th and rock. Police say he was found lying in the street after he confronted the motorcyclists about their erratic driving. So far no arrests have been made.

6/16/2015 430am

It's one of the busiest intersections in east wichita. (nats cars) every hour hundreds of drivers pass through 13th and rock... Going 40 miles per hour or more. (nats) sunday afternoon around 4-30. Police say a group

of motorcyclists were at the intersection. Witnesses tell police their driving was erratic. @00: they were weaving in and out of traffic and doing tricks. Police say the driver got out of his car and confronted the bikers who were stopped at the light. That confrontation turned physical when the driver punched one of the bikers. The man hit the guy and knocked him down. Police say the biker fought back... Knocking the driver to the ground. The man was knocked unconscious and crews took him to the hospital in serious condition. Police say drivers should call 911 to report dangerous driving... They should *not* confront a stranger on the road. Let us do our jobs. This is very dangerous. You never know what could happen.

6/17/2015 430am

Justice comes for the family of roger and melissa bull as two people are sentenced to life without parole for murdering the couple in 2013. The couple's adoptive son anthony bluml and his biological mother kisha schaberg were sentenced. Anthony bluml was taken in by roger and melissa when schaberg gave up her sons. Christine bluml...the sister in law to the couple spoke before the court during each sentencing.

6/18/2015 12pm

A former smokey valley middle school counselor imprisoned for raping a 13 year old student..is asking for a pardon brooke dinkel is currently serving 14 years in prison on two counts of rape...she has applied for executive clemency which would free her from prison dinkel was sentenced last year the kansas prisoner review board will make a recommendation before submitting the petition to the governor

6/19/2015 430am

A woman escapes from cowley county jail now the cowley county sheriff's office needs your help finding her. The sheriff's office says candies cross had been released on a court ordered furlough yesterday morning. She was reported missing yesterday afternoon. Before returning to jail, cross reportedly escaped from custody during a stop for a bathroom break. Cross was serving time for failure to appear. She's 5 foot 3 and weighs about 135 pounds. She has reddish-brown hair with dark streaks. If you see her, you're asked to call the cowley county sheriff's office.

6/20/2015 6pm

a new orleans police officer is shot and killed. And the man who police say shot him has not been found. The police chief says the suspect. 33-year-old travis boys. Was being transferred to the jail. When somehow he managed to get his handcuffs off... Grabbed a gun. And then shot officer daryl holloway. Police and other law enforcement officers are now trying to find boys. Who was initially arrested on an aggravated assault charge. Officer holloway was pronounced dead about a half hour after being taken to a local hospital.

6/21/2015 10pm

every pew over-flowed at emanuel a-m-e church in charleston, south carolina. Today was the first service since a 21-year-old man was charged with killing 9 members. Worshipers stood outside and offered prayers for the victim's families and forgiveness for the suspect.

6/22/2015 430am

A prank 9-1-1 call could mean charges for two men in reno county. The sheriff says the call came in around 10:30 saturday night. The caller said two people were laying on the side of the road... In what looked like a deadly accident... Going into detail about the scene. 9-1-1 dispatchers sent e-m-s and fire unites out to the scene. As well as reno county deputies and k-h-p troopers. They also launched a life-team helicopter. When crews arrived they found two men who told them it was a prank. The sheriff says the report is being sent to the district attorney's office requesting charges be filed.

6/23/2015 5am

Breaking news overnight. We're following reports out of hutchinson of an officer involved shooting. Emily griffin just got on scene. Emily, what do you see out there? We're following reports of a possible officer involved shooting in hutchinson. We do have a photographer on scene near 9th and van buren. Neighbors told him they were woken up by gunfire overnight. He says police do have an area blocked off. We have called dispatch in reno county but haven't heard back.

6/24/2015 430am

Officers killed the suspect in arnett's death. Yesterday morning in hutchinson. Police were called to a home where jonathan wilson was inside with a knife and three small children. Police say when wilson threw the knife at the officers...they shot and killed him. The children were removed from the home safely. The k-b-i is helping with the investigation since this is a deadly officer-involved shooting. The officers involved are on administrative leave.

6/25/2015 6pm

a man convicted of killing a wichita radio station employee last year... Is sentenced to life in prison. But he could get out after serving 25 years in prison. Lauren seabrook has been covering this case from the beginning... And tells us what happened this morning in court.

6/26/2015 12pm

A man comes home from a business trip... To find his girlfriend dead... And her 3-year-old daughter still in the home. That's new information... On what we now know is wichita's 13th homicide of the year. Wichita police say... That child... Led the boyfriend to her mother... Who had been dead several hours at a home on north green? Police identified the woman as ciera ray... And say she died from multiple injuries. Investigators say they have no leads... And no suspects right now. Akeem ashford is following up on the investigation... He'll bring you more details as we get them through the afternoon.

6/27/2015 9am

A topeka man accused of trying to detonate a bomb at fort riley... Will not attend an upcoming hearing in his case. John t. Booker junior... Waived his right to appear monday at a case hearing. He was arrested in april, after officers say... He tried to carry out a suicide bombing at the kansas military base. The explosives were actually inert... And had been given to him by an undercover f-b-i agent. Booker has pleaded not guilty to multiple charges... Including attempting to use a weapon of mass destruction.

6/28/2015 10pm

The owners of rachel's kitchen which is located in in central wichita didn't know ciera ray or her family. But they tell they didn't want that to stop those from helping ray's three year-old daughter who police say may have been inside the home at the time of ray's death. Police say the 27 year-old mother of one was found dead in her home last week. According to detectives, ray's boyfriend returned home from a business trip thursday night to find ray's three year-old daughter inside along with ray's body. Officers say ray died from multiple injuries. Owners of rachel's kitchen tell me they decided to sell plated dinners as a way to raise money to offset some of the cost of ray's funeral expenses. And a close friend of the victim says ray filed a restraining order against a man last month but didn't know who he was. We will be sure to check with the courts on monday to find out more.

6/29/2015 430am

This morning wichita police continue to investigate the death of ciera ray. Police say ray's boyfriend returned home from a business trip last thursday, and found her dead inside her home now a local restaurant is stepping up to help her family with funeral expenses. Akeam ashford spoke with the restaurant owners about their fundraiser.

6/30/2015 430am

The man accused of plotting to set off a bomb at fort riley will get more time to review evidence against him. John booker junior is accused of driving a vehicle filled with inert explosives to the army post in april in support of the islamic state. He was arrested as part of an f-b-i operation. A federal judge granted booker's attorneys 30 more days to review evidence from prosecutors. Another hearing is set for august 19-th. Booker faces several charges including attempting to use a weapon of mass destruction.

Community

4/1/2015 10pm

The future of shockers head coach gregg marshall has been on a lot your minds since it was reported that the university of alabama's athletic director was in town to speak to the coach. Tonight there are new developments. Jacob albrecht joins us with those. Sources with direct knowledge of the situation confirm to me in the last half hour that gregg marshall will remain with the shockers... Breathe shocker fans... Sources say the deal is set at seven years, which we are told it always is, with an automatic rollover... The deal is in the neighborhood of three million dollars per season... Reports have been coming for the last hour or so, that marshall was planning a trip to tuscaloosa friday... And that wichita state was getting together an enhanced package to get marshall to stay... But not to worry shocker fans, marshall will be coaching at koch arena next season... But to recap... Sources with direct knowledge tell me tonight staying or going...as soon as the coach announces a decision read about it first by getting breaking news alerts with our kwch app.

4/2/2015 6pm

You may notice new signs showing wichita's airport name change. "eisenhower national airport" signs were put up today at kellogg and eisenhower boulevard. The changes incorporating the new signs and logos... Are expected to cost the city about 140-thousand dollars. The first flights out of the airport's new terminal are expected next month.

4/3/2015 5pm

It wasn't just homes and businesses damaged by the storms last night. Many of you have been calling the newsroom telling us about the damaged roller coaster at joyland. We sent hannah davis to check it out. So if you come in the main entrance of hillside it looks like the old roller coaster *was* able to handle the wind gusts, some up to 80 miles per hour. But hop back in the car... Head south on hillside and into through this nearby neighborhood... And the view from this side is a whole different story. And a something to talk about over coffee for these neighbors. The coaster that was built in 1949.. Now has a big chunk missing. It's a change dick ludwick and jim ratliff have to see to believe. These neighbors say they heard the winds rip through thursday night. Jim's wife was the first to realize part of the roller coaster went down. It's a lot to take in... And certainly enough to keep these neighbors talking. In wichita hannah davis eyewitness news.

4/4/2015 8am

Four days before the election--a push by some state lawmakers for wichita voters to think twice about changing pot penalties. A question on the ballot tuesday asks if voters want to lessen penalties for first time offenders caught with small amounts of marijuana. Opponents of the proposal say the city has no legal authority to adopt an ordinance that conflicts with state law and it creates confusion. Supporters of the ordinance say, people should vote for the measure to send the legislature a message.

4/5/2015 10pm

The shockers won't be playing in it, but you can still enjoy the n-c-double-a championship game tomorrow. Wisconsin is looking for its second title in school history after spoiling kentucky's undefeated season last night. They'll take on duke - the blue devils hoping for their fifth national title. Tipoff is set for eight tomorrow evening. Watch it right here on k-w-c-h 12.

4/6/2015 12pm

A reminder if you are still trying to dispose of tree branches... The city of wichita asks that you work with your trash provider to dispose of those... Most will take tree limbs if they are cut and bundled. The city will also waive fees now through wednesday evening at brooks landfill for some loads of storm debris... Go to k-w-c-h dot com for a look at the materials the landfill will accept.

4/7/2015 6am

Stay with eyewitness news tonight as we will bring you the latest election results on air and online at k-w-c-h dot com. Coverage begins as soon as the polls close at 7.

4/8/2015 430am

Blue bell is expanding its recall that's new this morning. The banana pudding ice cream pints will now be pulled off of shelves after testing positive for listeria the recall involves supermarkets, gas stations and other retailers across 23 states including kansas and oklahoma. These pints were produced at the broken arrow, oklahoma plant. No illnesses have been confirmed related to this flavor of blue bell ice cream.

4/9/2015 10pm

Two days after wichita voters... Passed an ordinance that calls for a reduction in penalties for possessing small amounts of marijuana...the kansas attorney general is asking the state's highest court to invalidate the ordinance. Derek schmidt filed the petition today. He warned city leaders last month that the ordinance conflicts with state law and could not be enforced. Yesterday the city of wichita filed a lawsuit in sedgwick county court asking for a ruling on whether the ordinance is valid. Schmidt is asking for a quick decision on the matter.

4/10/2015 6pm

Barton community college could have to make due with less -- if the state cuts more than a million dollars from its budget next year. According to the school-- that could mean some full-time instructors may not have their contracts renewed this month. Akeam ashford has more on how the college plans to deal with the loss. Right now -- barton community college administrators say they are looking to cut five positions and not renew two faculty positions if the state decides to the community colleges funding. Administrators say they are looking at several way to deal with the cut-back. The college has raised tuition three-dollars across the board -- but says that is a small piece of its overall operating budget.

Administrators say they're working with a community group on ways to improve the schools overall situation -- out of that collaboration the college is looking for ways to make education more affordable. A part-time mail carrier at the community college says he's fearful losing his benefits. Jim boehnke it'll probably make those people who lose their jobs go to a job with less pay. The college says the goal is *not* to impact taxpayers with any of its decisions. If they end up making employee cuts - administrators tell me they will look at bringing all of those positions back if the college's budget improves in the future. Instructors must be notified by may 1st if their contracts aren't being renewed. Trustees of the college say they will discuss a contingency plan on april 23.

4/11/2015 4pm

Imagine finding out everything you need to know about the airports in kansas with just a click of a mouse. The kansas department of transportation launched a new tool this week for just that. Anna auld shows us how it works. You can find a link to the portal on our website kwch dot com.

4/12/2015 10pm

Joyland amusement park in wichita is being torn down. The associated press reports the park's owner says they are in the process of tearing it down as soon as possible. Akeam ashford spoke with people who live near joyland about the shuttered park's end. There's no definitive time table on when the park will be completely cleared out.

4/14/2015 10pm

it has been a tough year for fifth graders at wichita's adams elementary. In january... A beloved teacher's aide was murdered. The students have been mourning her loss ever since... Refusing even to play their favorite recess game... Because she always played with them. But today... Pilar pedraza was there as they got their game back...with a little surprise help. After months of nothing happening on this basketball court. The school decided the fifth graders needed a little push to start shooting hoops again. So they brought in some big names to provide a little shock therapy. This is what an elementary basketball court is meant for. But for the last couple of months... This court has been quiet... Nats of ball bouncing across empty court as the students mourn the loss of teacher's aide... Sabrina guerrier newman... Found dead in her car last january.... Police call her death murder. She'd always played basketball with the kids during recess. The school decided... It was time to start the game again. To encourage them... The school asked for some star power. Three members of the wichita state shockers' sweet sixteen team showed up... To play a few pick-up games with the kids. Suddenly... They were playing again.... Even if they were a little out-matched at times... The shockers could feel the excitement... Comparing it to game day at koch arena...saying they were just happy to help out... As they enjoyed the game with the shockers... The

students never forgot nats of cheering as players walk out... High fiving even after the players had to leave. Adams elementary assistant principal wendi dozier was behind the idea to bring the shockers in for a game. She says she let teachers in on the plan once everything was arranged... But waited until the last minute to tell the kids.

4/15/2015 6am

Ax day is here and that means you have until midnight tonight to get your federal tax returns filed. But as you're preparing your taxes... Be wary of a growing problem. Emily griffin is live with more on how you can protect yourself against identity theft this tax season. *can mail in tax returns, but most popular way is online... 80 percent of people efile now.**but growing problem when it comes to tax fraud & identity theft... Up 700 percent since 2010 nationally... We've already seen several cases here. ** we found five cases of it happened here... Just in these few police reports. And you know will it happens to you if you log on to file... And it says someone has already used your social security number **that means you're a victim of identity theft and someone has already filed in your name **identity theft big problem and will take a lot of time to correct, but you can start by making sure the i-r-s knows to file the correct return tax experts say if you have been a victim of tax fraud but you still need to file... You'll need to get an identity theft affidavit you can find at irs.gov... Attach it to your return and mail it in.

4/16/2015 6pm

The state supreme court is ordering the city of wichita to respond to a motion from attorney general derek schmidt. He asked the court to block wichita's marijuana referendum. The order says... The city has until five p-m may sixth to file an answer. The referendum was passed last week. It reduces penalties for marijuana possession for first time offenders. The city filed a lawsuit with a district court.... Asking if those changes violated state law. Schmidt says... That it does... And asked the supreme court to block that lawsuit that request was also granted in today's order.

4/17/2015 10pm

The shocker basketball season is over. But we're just learning about a special surprise that one player gave to a wichita boy on his birthday. Anne meyer talked to that boy's family tonight in a story you will only see on eyewitness news. Harrison burgardt is a huge shocker fan. That's why his last birthday had a shocker theme. But he didn't know his mom invited his favorite player to the party - so he was pretty surprised when tekele cotton showed up to celebrate. It's a story that will make you kansas proud. Cotton 9 (show the dunk) 11 – 15 it's pretty cool to get an assist from your favorite shocker player. It's even better when it happens on your birthday

Cotton 3 09 happy birthday to you. Tekele cotton ate cake with harrison burgardt, signed autographs for all of his friends and of course, played a little basketball. All of this happened - because of a chance meeting at the grocery store. Kisha burgardt 10:32:20 i said so are you a shocker fan and he said i am tekele cotton kisha burgardt was embarrassed she didn't recognize the shocker stand out- but she got up the nerve to tell him about harrison's birthday party. Kisha burgardt 10:33:08 he's like well why don't i come, and of course i was like don't lie to me because i am going to tell my child this and i was like really, and he said yeah let me give you my information i would love to come 24. Harrison loved the surprise. He's just a little shy talking about it

4/18/2015 6pm

we want to know.... What you're seeing. Send us your storm shots through our k-w-c-h app ... And download our "storm team 12 app" to receive weather alerts.... And use our inter-active radar right on your phone. Both apps are free for apple and android devices.

4/19/2015 530am

Don't put your rain coat and umbrella up just yet. Stay up-to-date with the changing weather conditions, by downloading our k-w-c-h and "storm team 12" apps. You can get weather alerts and custom forecasts right on your phone. Both apps are free for apple and android devices.

4/20/2015 10pm

a buhler high school student says he's happy to be able to give back-and maybe serve as inspiration too. Cory walker was making special deliveries to pediatric cancer patients at wesley medical center today. It's part of his senior project--first researching cancer, then raising money to buy toys for children getting treatment. Walker knows what it's like to be here--he was diagnosed as a child with non-hodgkin lymphoma and had five months of treatment. Walker's senior project raised 17-hundred dollars-- he bought gifts for kids from 2 years old to 17--both boys and girls. He also wants to give parents hope, their kids will get better too, like he did.

4/21/2015 12pm

New this noon...the wichita city council approves plans to improve 37th street from woodlawn to oliver. The project calls for widening the road to three lanes, with a bike lane and sidewalks. It would also improve the railroad crossing along the street. The street belongs to the city of bel air, but since most drivers who use the road are from wichita... Both cities are teaming for the project. Each city will pay about 650-thousand dollars. 3 million dollars in federal funding will pay for the rest. Construction will start in spring 20-16.

4/22/2015 430am

The maize school district considers dropping its police force. The district is one of a handful across the state to have their own. Pilar pedraza has more on the plan that was announced in a newsletter to parents.

4/23/2015 5pm

we now know the name of a man found dead in a burning home wednesday evening. And hoisington police say both the death of leroy schertz... *and the fire are suspicious... Anna auld's been in hoisington since this morning, for this breaking news update.

4/24/2015 10pm

You can't show the movie back to the future without a replica of the famous deploring time machine. This was unveiled tonight as a special surprise in greensburg. Tonight the town that lost so much nearly eight years ago now has a big piece back. The new three and a half million dollar theater had its grand opening in the city tonight. It has a state of the art sound system. It's just another sign of how the town continues to rebuild. The theater is called the "twilight theater" and will also be used by the school dissector to function as an auditorium.

4/25/2015 7am

We're also continuing to ask questions about accusations made against shocker women's basketball head coach, jody adams. More former players are now stepping forward saying adams mentally abused her players and pushed them to the edge physically as well. Some say she forced players to endure excessive practicing and conditioning ...even pushing them to the point of injury. One told us they were forced to carry concrete boulders until their forearms were bleeding. And teammates played games with stress fractures. The players say adams used manipulation and scare tactics ... So they would push on. Now a mother of a former player is voicing her concerns for the player's safety. We did reach out to adams for a response to these allegations and have not heard back yet. We'll keep following this story for any new developments and bring you updates on-air and online at k-w-c-h dot com.

4/26/2015 430am

hundreds gathered in udall yesterday to mark the anniversary of one of the deadliest tornado's in kansas history. Yesterday marked 60 years since the udall was flattened by the twister. Six decades later the town has rebuilt- but the memory of those lost is still present in the minds of survivors. Pillar pedraza spoke with some of them.

4/27/2015 12pm

today we're working to confirm more details about a former president's upcoming visit to the sunflower state. Former president george w. Bush is set to visit a private event in garden city tomorrow. Bush last came to kansas in 2011 where he spoke at a wichita chamber of commerce event. He also spoke at the

greensburg high school graduation ceremony in 2008. Tuesday's event is not affiliated with the kansas republican party. And is set to include the president of garden city community college.

4/28/2015 5pm

New at five... Two area fire departments... Remember one of their own. Who died while responding to a call yesterday? 68 year old mike corn collapsed of an apparent heart attack. Corn joined the conway springs department after retiring from the wichita fire department, where he was a battalion chief. Conway springs chief mike erker knew, and worked with corn for more than 20 years.

4/29/2015 6pm

Budget cuts in winfield mean the end of a program designed to help students finish high school. The winfield school board was united when it chose to end the program. Members said... They didn't want to. But financially... Had no other choice. New at six... Education reporter pilar pedraza says.... That leaves dozens of students now wondering if they'll be able to graduate at all.

4/30/2015 10am

an incident like what happened at the oklahoma city zoo is something zoos train for several times a year. The sedgwick county zoo and tanganyika wildlife park both have several barriers in place to keep wildlife contained. They say the best case scenario is to do as they did in oklahoma city, tranquilize the animal and move it to a safe location. Matt fouts with tanganyika says because most tigers at zoos have been in captivity most of their lives...if they do escape their first thought isn't going to be to attack someone.

5/1/2015 4:30am

The death toll has risen past 6-thousand from the nepal earthquake. New video shows the moment the 7 point 8 magnitude earthquake hit katmandu. Panicked people ran into the road. Search teams continue looking for survivors but aren't finding many. Climbers on mount everest are still being taken off the mount. 19 people were killed when the quake triggered a massive avalanche. Two people were found alive yesterday. A 15-year-old was eating oreo cookies just hours after he was rescued. A 25-year-old woman was also found in the same neighborhood.

5/2/2015 10pm

It's an interview you'll only see on eyewitness news. Dallas cowboy's running back joseph randle speaks to factfinder 12 investigator lauren seabrook today. It was announced this week that randle will not face any charges in sedgwick county or the city of wichita in connection with an incident earlier this year. When the mother of his child accused him of threatening her with a gun.

5/3/2015 530am

Wichita residents are doing what they can to help the victims of nepal. Tonight... The wichita nepalese (neh-puh-lese) community... Is holding a vigil and fundraiser. The vigil will start at 7:30 outside the "rattigan (rat-i-gun) student center" on wichita state's campus. Organizers are selling t-shirts.... To raise money for a relief fund through the american red cross.

5/5/2015 5pm

Former hutch trinity girls' basketball coach... Patrick blevins... Pleaded guilty to indecent liberties with a child today. Prosecutors say... The 21-year-old fondled six boys. Investigators say... At least one of those boys was 12-years-old. Blevins was originally charged with indecent liberties with a child and aggravated sodomy. Sentencing is set for june. He faces life in prison... Without the possibility of parole... For 25 years.

5/6/2015 5am

ticket prices are up at wichita's airport according to a new report. Average airfares increased half a percent from third to fourth quarter of last year... Up to 392 dollars according bureau of transportation statistics. That's in line with the national average. Wichita ranks 54th highest out of the nation's top 100 airports. Here's how it ranks with other airports in our region. Out of these four... Only kansas city's average fare is less.

5/7/2015 10pm

if you live in andover...you may have received a surprising call this week. It's something factfinder 12 looked into. The call came from the city of andover and went out on the alert andover system due to a flood warning that had been issued. 300 people signed up to get this alert but due to a mistake...the message went out to people who don't subscribe to the program. Training is underway to help make sure this mistake doesn't happen again but if you'd like to get the alert. Or others like it, .you can sign up for the program online. It's a free service for andover residents.

5/8/2015 10pm

wichita force hosting the dodge city law. As they battle for top spot in the league standings. Tekele cotton and darius carter tossing the coin to start things off. Opening kickoff.... Dorrian roberts comes in hot...lowers the shoulder and causes dominique carson to fumble on the 7 yard line...jason catchings scoops and scores...the force take the first lead 7-0. First possession for the law...joshua floyd drops back and goes deep! Airs it out 43 yards to dello davis who smoked the defender...right in the bread basket...plus slides head first into the wall...its a tie game early. The force turn defense into offense...carson takes the hand off but gets pummeled by kiaree daniels and dontel watkins...roberts picks it up and turns on the jets...39 yards...its back and forth until the midway through the second quarter...

5/9/2015 6pm

Royals and tigers. Keep this stat in mind. No current royal has *ever hit a home run off anibal sanchez.

5/10/2015 9pm

it may have been a muggy day outside. But that didn't stop moms from enjoying their special day out at the sedgwick county zoo. And from a brand new mom... To one who hasn't celebrated with her son in ten years, emily griffin shows us a few moms who say this day isn't about where you are or what you get. But who you're with.

5/12/2015 430am

it's a sign not too many people are happy about...a lawrence store owner who is going out of business decides to express his rage on billboards. He put up signs on a large box truck that says "goodbye obama ville". The trucks also talk about single mothers, gays and undocumented workers. The signs, calling president obama...a "liar, and lawbreaker. City officials says they've received calls about the sign. They're now investigating whether the signs are against the law

5/13/2015 6pm

The chiefs have signed chris conley - their 3rd round pick. The rookie wide receiver signs for 3.123 million dollars plus more than 712-thousand dollars via a signing bonus. With the addition of jeremy maclin - conley is expected to be the teams 2nd or 3rd wideout. First round pick, marcus peters and 3rd round pick steven nelson remain the only unsigned rookies - both cornerbacks.

5/14/2015 10pm

The 2 winningest programs in the history of division one college basketball will meet in lawrence for the first time in nearly a decade as kentucky travels to the phog on january 30th 2016. The game will be part of the big 12/sec challenge. The last time the 2 teams met was november 19th last year. The cats won 72-40 with the jayhawks scoring just 12 points after halftime.

5/15/2015 430am

the engineer who was controlling the amtrak train that derailed. Is expected to speak with investigators from the national transportation safety board in the next few days. Eight people died when the train derailed. It was going twice the speed limit. The investigation remains focused on engineer brandon bastian. Investigators want to know why the train accelerated from 70 to more than 100 miles per hour as it approached a curve. Bastian's lawyer says his client does not remember the crash and suffered a concussion and received 14 staples to close a head wound. The engineer has already submitted a blood sample to test

for drugs or alcohol. Investigators will also examine his cell phone. All of the passengers have been accounted for. 43 are still in the hospital - some of them in critical condition.

5/16/2015 9am

Chris's dad told us those text messages remind them of Chris's love for others. And that selflessness is something many of his friends also told us about. They say Chris died doing what he loved most - helping people. They told us he joined the marines, because it allowed him to serve others here at home and around the world. Father Dan Duling and Brock Bell first met Norgren in grade school. Both men played football with him at Bishop Carroll. They say Chris was a leader on the field, and in life.

5/18/2015 4:30am

As cleanup continues from another round of severe storms in Kansas. People in Udall are set to mark 60 years since one of the worst disasters in state history. Of all the tornados that have hit Kansas, none has been more deadly than one that hit the small town in 1955. Roger Cornish shares some survivors' memories from Udall. As a lifelong Kansan, when I hear of Udall...I don't think of a typical small Kansas town.

Sadly...I think of...this. (shot of damage)

May 25, 1955. Even before the storm hit, people say that day just seemed strange.

But that wasn't it. Around 10:30, Juanita Stephens was awakened by her father.

Juanita 19:03 "he yelled...there's a cyclone coming!" the next sound was worse. A huge F-5 tornado made a direct hit on Udall destroying the town. Stand up/transition picture lot has changed in the 60 years, but the memories are still vivid for those who survived the tornado. 15 year old Bob Atkinson also woke up badly injured...and could only see devastation. Indeed, most of his family was gone. In all, more than 80 people were killed, the deadliest tornado in Kansas history.

Patty Kelly-Hedon's father was the town marshal. He had tried warning people with his police siren. Then he and his family huddled in their tornado shelter. The prayers were answered, the family survived the loss of their home, but not without injury. 5641 my aunt had a 2 by 4..went in here..came out there. The ambulance sawed it so they could put her into the ambulance." Barbara Braddy also survived with serious injuries. 3302 I lost my leg in the tornado, but it didn't hurt or anything. (butt to) older brother was killed. Sister lost sight in one eye. Gaillard Thompson saw things that night he will never forget. 5614 I seen five people laying in one spot...every one of them naked as a jaybird all from one family I think" and all dead. Almost every home and business in Udall was damaged or destroyed. Almost every family lost loved ones.

Days later, what was left of the town was piled up and burned. It burned for 30 days. Patty 1339 they advertised when they were going to burn Udall. And people came in just to watch that pile burn. Despite the deaths and the damage, Udall survived and rebuilt. The population is actually more than it was in 1955. But long time residents never have and never will forget what happened here 60 years ago.

5/19/2015 4:30am

Take a look at the surprise one Wichita homeowner found slithering around his front yard. This ball python was discovered Sunday at a home near K96 and Hillside. Animal control caught it... It's now at the Wichita animal shelter. Ball pythons aren't poisonous... But they are illegal to own in Wichita. Animal control says this one was likely abandoned. The python is being held for 3 days to give the owner a chance to claim it... After that animal control will try to find it a new home *outside of Wichita.

5/20/2015 10pm

David Letterman signs off for the last time tonight following eyewitness news at 10. After 33 years in late night television Letterman announced his retirement last year. In 19-93 we became the lead in to late night with David Letterman but the talk show host had an impact on our newscast even before he moved to CBS. In the mid 80's I made a brief appearance on his show during a segment. The video's a little grainy but take a look. Many from Kansas have appeared on the late show with David Letterman as well.

5/21/2015 4:30am

Pieces of Kansas history are now along side some national artifacts. A traveling tour from the Smithsonian is available for you to see. Katie Hatfield travels to Greensburg where there's a new exhibit- That will make you Kansas proud.

5/22/2015 6am

We now know when the first flights will come and go from the new terminal at wichita's eisenhower airport. The mayor announced june 3rd as opening day. The city had planned to open the terminal this month, but last minute work, cleaning and the memorial day holiday led to a delay. The parking garage and new, car rental center open next wednesday, may 27th.

5/23/2015 6pm

We're less than a week away from riverfest ... And it's starting to show in downtown wichita. A rainy morning didn't stop officials from setting up for the big event. The riverfest sign is now up on the bank of the arkansas river ... And the zip line stretching across the river is set up.the festival starts friday with the admiral's breakfast ... And continues through june sixth.

5/24/2015 530am

Make sure you download our storm team 12 weather app before heading out the door for your memorial day plans. You can keep an eye on when storms will affect you with our interactive radar and custom forecasts. All of our apps are free for apple and android devices.

5/25/2015 5pm

the tornado that came through meade, gray and ford counties sunday may have been on the ground for more than two hours. You can see from these storm reports just how far the tornado trekked through the area. That tornado nearly destroyed one home in its path, which happens to belong to ensign's fire chief. Daniel wilson says his wife and two children were inside at the time. He was on duty investigating other damage reports when his wife called to say the house was struck. The high winds flipped a trailer over and even pushed one of his cars across the street. Today, many of his neighbors stopped by to help start the cleanup.there are no reports of any injuries from last night's storms.

5/26/2015 430am

Hundreds gathered in udall yesterday to mark the anniversary of one of the deadliest tornado's in kansas history. Yesterday marked 60 years since the udall was flattened by the twister. Six decades later the town has rebuilt--- but the memory of those lost is still present in the minds of survivors. Pilar pedraza spoke with some of th

5/27/2015 5pm

new video now. Of large hail that fell in el dorado last night. You can see pea to baseball sized hail falling across the lawn, breaking windows and damaging cars. Some businesses had so much damage they had to close temporarily. Scott evans went to the area today where residents are trying to clean up.

5/28/2015 430am

Take a look at this. A bridge catches fire...and two cars of a canadian international freight train go over the bridge rail. The international falls fire department says it happened yesterday morning in minnesota. The engineer was coming around a corner when he saw the bridge was on fire but couldn't stop in time. Two cars went into the lake when the bridge collapsed. The train was carrying a type of fertilizer at the time. It's not clear how much, if any spilled into the lake.

5/29/2015 430am

Two former wichita school teachers who organized a garage sale didn't have to worry about attracting customers. What they were selling is in high-demand. Melissa shuffler shows you why their street looked like "black friday" for teachers.

5/30/2015 10pm

The final day of the state track championship is all finished. You can find, results, videos, and pictures on the catch it kansas app right now. Before you download that though. Here are some highlights now - starting with the javelin. Maize's kieran swenson creating a buzz at cessa stadium. With this throw. She rears back and heaves 162-05. And that's pretty good....in fact it's state record in class 6a good!!

5/31/2015 530am

The 4a state baseball champs were not crowned this weekend. Division 1 in salina and division 2 in topeka were postponed until today and tomorrow due to rain. But today the weather couldn't be more perfect. And the quarterfinals are underway. Colby taking on rock creek in a class 4a dii quarterfinal in topeka... Indians down 2-0 in the fifth...and have the bases load...when isaac nichols takes ball four in the dirt...to put the eagles on the board. Game tied at 2 now bottom of the sixth...two on for the mustangs' alex field camp. Smacks a single to center. That scores jake good miller... Rock creek wins 3-2...

6/1/2015 430am

The kansas wildlife exhibit in wichita's central riverside park gets a 100 thousand dollar donation. It's the same exhibit that houses chappa the beaver. You may recall chappa escaped his enclosure earlier this year. But later found his way back home. The kansas wildlife exhibit is free ... And is maintained by the city of wichita's department of parks and recreation. The donation comes from the estate of pamela j. Edwards ... It will go toward a number of the facility's long-term needs.

6/2/2015 10pm

Construction began in october of 20-12 and now the new terminal is ready to open its doors. You're looking at some time-lapse video starting when the construction began nearly three years ago to its completion. The multi-million dollar project has more modern features -airport user fees paid for it. We've been showing off some of those in the last couple of days in our newscasts. Tonight katie hatfield shows us some of the baggage claim changes.

6/3/2015 5pm

Thousands of people gather in the streets of saudi arabia to mourn a wichita state student killed while trying to stop a terrorist attack. 22-year-old jaleel alarbash (alar-bish) died friday while volunteering as a security guard at a large mosque. Witnesses say jaleel, his brother and cousin prevented a suicide bomber from entering the building, but that's when the terrorist blew himself up. Prompted by fears of another attack, the daily mail reports concrete barriers were placed around the mosque during today's funeral. Many mourners carried placards denouncing hatred and terrorism. The muslim student association at wsu will hold a vigil for jaleel this friday evening. It's at 5 o'clock at the rattigan student center's east patio. Anyone who wants to attend is welcome.

6/4/2015 430am

The sedgwick county zoo announces a milestone in its new elephant exhibit project. The zoo says it's reached its goal... Raising half of the 10-point-6 million dollars needed to complete construction. The county will pay the other half. The zoo says nearly 700 donors contributed... With donations ranging from a single dollar up to a million.

6/5/2015 5pm

Troopers are trying to figure out how a man drove off the side of a wichita highway overpass. Investigators say the truck somehow hopped the guard rail on k-254. The driver rode it for some time before the railing broke and the truck rolled off the overpass and onto 45th street. It landed on its roof and the cab was crushed. The driver was taken to the hospital in critical condition.

6/6/2015 8am

You can take advantage of that dry forecast at the last day of riverfest fun. That's what our own will kunkel is doing this morning. Guys how's it going out there?

6/7/2015 530pm

we continue to learn more about well-known restaurant owner tanya tandoc. Tandoc was found dead in her home thursday night. She was the owner of tanya's soup kitchen. Tanya's soup kitchen will reopen tomorrow according to the restaurant's social media accounts. The restaurant closed its doors friday after learning of tandoc's death ... And has remained closed ever since. Tanya's soup kitchen's website says normal business hours for mondays are 11 am to 3 pm.

6/8/2015 430am

who will join stephen colbert on the late show in september? And what type of eggs are we talking here? Roger takes your questions in this week's answerback. Here at eyewitness news, we believe in cleaning up our messes. One viewer questioned our i-q question this week on what animal doesn't get sick.our answer was sharks, but apparently sharks can get sick.they can even get cancer. Sorry for the confusion. I guess jaws wasn't that scary after all.that reminds me that viewers trying to answer our i-q question occasionally dial the answerback line. You're not going to win that way. The correct number to call on the morning question is 436-1212.in september stephen colbert will officially replace david letterman on the cbs late show...and this week he announced who will be filling the paul schaffer role as band leader. It's jon batiste. And who is jon batiste, you ask.

That will get you jumping. The new late show begins september 8th. An e-mailer says storm team 12 mentioned hen egg size hail this week, and asks, "what type of hen do they mean? Is it a chicken, a pheasant, quail or ostrich?" fortunately, it's not jurassic park size eggs, just regular old chicken hen eggs like this

6/9/2015 430am

One person has died in a motorcycle crash near 21st and oliver. A car was going south on oliver and a motorcycle was going north. They were both turning east onto 21st when they hit each other two people were on the motorcycle a woman riding the motorcycle died. The motorcycle driver was taken to the hospital in serious condition but should be okay. Neither were wearing helmets. It's not clear if either driver ran a light. The people in the car are all okay.

6/10/2015 5am

The only officer in geneseo has a "new to him" patrol car. Might not sound like a big deal. But anna auld explains how he got it. And it will make you kansas proud. As live: well as you can tell there is quite a difference between the new patrol vehicle and the old one, but the police chief says the biggest difference is having decals and graphics on his car. Payne:"the way you see it now is the way it was on the street...no markings no decals." police chief monty payne used to patrol the streets of geneseo in a 1997 crown vic with more than 100,00 miles on it.payne: "just worn, uncomfortable, broken down." he is the one and only officer making sure the community of less than 300 people is safe.payne: "the transmission slipped the air conditioning didn't work, so this one is just ten times better." and not having equipment that worked... Made his job that much harder.payne: "it was on its last leg, i don't know how much longer it would have lasted."so when the community decided to bring back their police department this year, they also decided to upgrade the patrol car... About a half a dozen citizens donated 22-hundred-dollars of their own money to make it happen. Payne: "well it's running for one and it just makes patrolling a lot more comfortable." payne now has lights that work, a good transmission... And a better feeling knowing he can help. Payne: "this is 100 percent better compared to the other one."

6/11/2015 10pm

Wichitans remember a woman who had an impact beyond the restaurant she owned.tanya tandoc was found murdered in her home a week ago-tonight hundreds gathered to celebrate her life. Ann meyer is live

6/12/2015 430am

A fish and game program established to show appreciation for kansas veterans is put on hold - because it's out of money. The program provides free hunting and fishing licenses to disabled vets. Now - hundreds of

those vets are on a waiting list. The program is paid for through donations and limited funds from the legislature. But "fish and game" says - it has not been able to fulfill requests since late april.

6/13/2015 6pm

The show will still go on in the flint hills. Despite the rain this afternoon. The symphony in the flint hills 10-th annual signature event is going on as scheduled today. Gates opened at 1 p-m ... And the concert is set to begin in about 45 minutes. This year, the sold out event is held at the *tallgrass prairie national preserve* in chase county kansas.

6/14/2015 530pm

With more showers and thunderstorms expected through the evening. Make sure you download our storm team 12 weather app to know exactly when those storms will reach you. All of our apps are free for apple and android devices.

6/15/2015 12pm

if you want to avoid paying those gas prices. You can catch a ride on wichita's city buses this week for free. It's part of wichita transit's *free fares week*. Starting today through saturday you can ride a city bus at no charge. Last year, the city's transit system provided more than 58-thousand rides during free fares week. If you want to take advantage of these free rides, head to our website kwch.com. We've posted the bus routes and the schedules to help you get where you need to go on time. While you're there you can also sign up to get email alerts when the city issues an ozone alert day - they'll offer free rides on those days as well.

6/17/2015 430am

The city manager in herington, kansas is fired. It happened last night when city leaders voted unanimously to end his contract. We first told you about ron strickland...two years ago. We were at a city council meeting where many were upset about his contract that gave him a 15-thousand dollar pay raise. He was making more than 100 thousand dollars for managing the city of just over 24-hundred people. There was no reason given for ending strickland's contract but last week he admitted knowing city workers were illegally working for free.

6/18/2015 12pm

The cost will go up to attend college in kansas, but not as much as the state's universities were hoping for. Hannah davis has the latest developments from the newsroom. Jenn. The state's public universities wanted an across the board tuition increase of three point six percent. Then each college wanted to increase their fees on top of that. Wichita state was asking in total for a five point six percent increase. But last night the board of regents said no.

it told the schools that any increase couldn't total more than three point six percent, an amount that had been suggested by the legislature. It asked the schools to come back with new numbers, and here's what they came up with.

Nearly every school took what it could. K-u, wichita state, emporia state and pittsburgh will all go up three point six percent. K-state will go up three point five percent. Fort hays, three point two. The kansas board of regents approved the increases this morning. They go into effect this fall.

6/19/2015 430am

Dozens gather in wichita to pray for those lost in that charleston church. Their prayer... Not only for the families involved. But for the end of racism. Jade degood was at st. Paul a-m-e last night where a prayer vigil was held. In wichita's oldest african american church. People of different races and religions come together to pray. (prayer) "it's in times like these god, in tragedies like these god, you stand in the face of evil and hatred." a prayer for 9 men and women... Shot and killed in a place where they should have been safe.

For those who gathered here at st. Paul a-m-e church for this prayer vigil. It was also about taking steps to end hate. In the end... Those who joined hands together here... Have a common cause.to end hate... For a better tomorrow.

6/20/2015 6pm

Police in wichita are looking for a suspect after an attempted robbery at a burger king. Police say two employees were cleaning up for the night... And was taking out the trash in 19-hundred block of east pawnee. The suspect took the employees inside and demanded money. The suspect got a small amount of cash and ran away. No injuries were reported

6/21/2015 10pm

Fc wichita is close to making a regional semifinal. Second in points behind san antonio...simply because they've played more games. Each game left each is crucial to the outcome of who advances tonight fc wichita taking on houston at home at stryker field

6/22/2015 430am

a new lead this morning in the search for two escaped killers'-n-a evidence has linked david sweat and richard matt to a cabin in northern new york. The d-n-a was found on an item in a cabin that had been broken in to. It's about 40 miles south of clinton correctional facility, where the two men escaped from two weeks ago. Investigators have also turned their attention to a credible sighting, some 300 miles away. Brandy thompson says she spotted two men who resembled the convicts in her backyard.

6/23/2015 5am

leaving the kansas highway patrol shorthanded. And looking for help. State troopers don't just check for speeding on the interstate. They also help local officers keep you safe in town. But more and more counties are finding themselves without an assigned trooper. Pilar pedraza takes a look at why. And what that means for you.

6/24/2015 430am

Investors who helped open casinos in dodge city and mulvane will be involved in the state's newest casino in southeast kansas. After a final meeting in topeka, gaming officials picked a 70 million dollar proposal from kansas crossing for the new casino south of pittsburg. It was the least expensive of three plans submitted. It will compete with tribal casinos in northeast oklahoma. The casino review board called it the right size for the market. A proposal by a group of wichita developers got two votes from the board.

6/25/2015 6pm

It's day one of the air-capital classic golf tournament. Will kunkel has been walking the course all day. He's live at crestview country club hey will!

6/26/2015 12pm

Governor sam brownback weighed in on the supreme court's decision this morning. Brownback has strongly supported the state's ban on gay marriage. He issued this statement. Which reads "activist courts should not overrule the people of this state, who have clearly supported the kansas constitution's definition of marriage as being between one man and one woman." he continues, saying the state will review the ruling and its effects on the people of kansas. Including the still pending litigation on kansas' constitutional amendment against same-sex marriage. The kansas attorney general's office says it's also reviewing the decision. The a-c-l-u says, it expects a swift final decision now in the ongoing case.

6/27/2015 9am

Of course not everyone is celebrating. Those opposed to same sex marriage say they are not done fighting. Wichita pastor terry fox is one of those opponents. He supported the 20-14 kansas religious freedom act. He told us he was disappointed, but not surprised by the supreme court's ruling. With more conversations on the subject to come, fox says... He wants to make sure kansans religious beliefs are protected. Fox says... He and other pastors will get together in the future to discuss existing laws and potential future laws

to protect religious rights. He did tell us... He's happy the court did not mandate churches to perform same sex marriage. Here's what governor sam brownback says about the decision. He says. ""activist courts should not overrule the people of this state, who have clearly supported the kansas constitution's definition of marriage as being between one man and one woman." the kansas attorney general's office is reviewing the decision.

6/28/2015 10pm

The final day was a nail biter. Andy winnings came into the final round with a 2-shot lead. But rob oppenheim would dominate the day...he came up from six back to finish 13-under. And thanks to winnings three bogeys on the back nine including whole 18 here. Oppenheim's low-round 64 was enough to capture his first web-dot-com tour win at the air capital classic. Oppenheim finishes 13-under winnings was a shot behind him. A two-way tie for third place: gibson and lindheim at 11-under. And former shocker ryan spears takes home 14th place, finishing 7-under for the tournament....

6/29/2015 430am

A story that'll make you kansas proud this morning. A mother is turning her grief into a new mission to help others find comfort. She started a project that now reaches across the country.

6/30/2015 430am

a sedgwick county e-m-s station damaged by a storm is expected to reopen in august. The e-m-s station near k-96 and hillside is undergoing repairs after an april storm ripped part of the roof off. Two paramedics were treated at the hospital for minor injuries after the incident. Since then, the closest ambulance to the area has been responding to calls.

Economy

4/6/2015 12pm

Taking a look at your markets now... The dow jones is up 161 at 17-924. And the nas-daq is up 40 at 49-26. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

4/7/2015 6am

Last's storm caused about 300-thousand dollars in damage across wichita. That's according to preliminary estimates. Those numbers can change. The estimates do not include damage at jabara airport. At its peak...tens of thousands were left without power. That number is now less than 100.

4/14/2015 10pm

Tomorrow is tax day. And, it's also a time that tax scams are at their peak. In typical scams... Someone will pose as the i-r-s... Call you and demand payment immediately. The one thing you should know... The i-r-s will never call you for its first point of contact. It never sends emails either. It's all done through the mail.

4/20/2015 10pm

new at 10. Two wichita restaurants are closed by the state for withholding taxes. Taco lopez in west wichita owed more than 60-thousand in taxes. Assets were also seized at burritos el mexicano in south wichita which owned more than 53-thousand dollars in state sales taxes.

4/21/2015 12pm

taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is down 66 at 17-9-69. And the nasdaq is up 23 at 50-17. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

4/24/2015 10pm

Wichita's mayor is focusing on how to grow jobs in kansas. Today he said the city has lost about 20-thousand jobs in recent years. Reversing that is his top priority. Mayor jeff longwell also says there are big decisions ahead on public transit...water and a new police chief.

4/25/2015 8am

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4/27/2015 12pm

taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is down 10 at 18-0-70. And the nasdaq is down 18 at 50-74. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

4/30/2015 10am

Kansas collects nearly four and a half million dollars less in taxes than expected this month. The department of revenue says it may be due to how tax returns have been processed since the april 15 filing deadline. This is the first monthly report on taxes since state officials issued a new...more pessimistic fiscal forecast.

5/1/2015 4:30am

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5/4/2015 12pm

Taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is up 42 at 18-0-66 and the nasdaq is up 9 at 50-14 We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment.

5/5/2015 12pm

Taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is down 96 at 17-9-74 and the nasdaq is down 66 at 49-50. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

5/12/2015 430am

The sedgwick county zoo says it's worried about the future of its funding. County commissioners are considering a proposal to re-work the zoo's five-year funding agreement... And go to a year-to-year agreement. Commissioner jim howell says... The previous commission wrote checks the county can't cash. Zoo director mark reed fears the commission would break its agreement to fix a budget shortfall... And he says it could impact the new elephant exhibit. Howell says commissioners will talk tomorrow about the zoo and 19 other entities. The county has until june first to decide whether to cancel or change the agreement.

5/13/2015 6pm

a lot of kids in our community need help. Child abuse occurs more than once a day ... Every day ... In sedgwick county. Diana schunn runs the child advocacy center sedgwick county notified her wednesday morning - of possible changes to funding.last year alone - the c-a-c provided services to more than 18-hundred children - in addition to more than 500 family members.the need is there but the money may not be. Schunn says the center currently gets more than a quarter of its tight budget from the county. But schunn says the success stories prove what the child advocacy center does for our kids. She says what providers there do ... Through counseling ... Referrals for medical and mental health services ... And

support through the investigative process. Changes life after life ... With money that cannot be replaced. Schunn says a cut could mean huge sacrifices - but the center's mission will stay the same.

5/16/2015 9am

hundreds of blue bell employees are without a job this morning. Yesterday the company announced it's laying off more than a third of its workforce. The announcement comes after a series of listeria illnesses linked to its ice cream. The outbreak prompted the company to recall all blue bell products. The texas company whose production plant remains closed says 750 full time employees and 700 part time workers are losing their jobs. The layoffs come after the company signed agreements this week in texas and oklahoma detailing steps the company will follow to resume production.

5/19/2015 430am

whole foods reveals where it will test its new grocery concept. Kind of. Jane king has our ag and energy report. Anada and mexico are readying trade sanctions against the united states after they won a meat labeling dispute with the us. Here's what happened-the world trade organization upheld a complaint from mexico and canada that says u-s law requiring a label saying where the meat came from is discriminates against foreign grown livestock. Congress has indicated it may repeal the law this week but consumer groups say it's good for shoppers. Cotton prices fell to a 3 week low as rains in texas spurred ideas of a bigger crop. The usda still expects the cotton crop to be down from last year. However, the growing year began with record high supplies of cotton. A new texas law bans cities from creating their own fracking bans. The law, backed by oil and energy concerns, limits the denton ban on fracking passed last year. Whole foods says it will test its new grocery store concept somewhere in the pacific northwest but its not saying exactly where. The austin grocery chain is starting a new line of stores to cater to cost conscious shoppers who still want organic and natural products. From the nasdaq marketsite in times square, i'm jane king with your ag and energy report

5/22/2015 6am

The legislative session ended one week ago today - and lawmakers still do not have a plan to fix the state's budget crisis. They are working overtime to fix the 400-million dollar shortfall. Everyday they work extra - it costs you - the taxpayer money. We have this counter on our website so you can see just how much you are being billed. Right now. The cost of the overtime session is more than 210-thousand dollars. One way lawmakers are considering closing the gap is to raise taxes.

yesterday they voted to postpone their debate on the tax issue until next week - because the proposed amendments to the bill are not ready. The bill would raise the state's sale tax - and taxes on tobacco - alcohol and gasoline. The bill would also suspend an income tax exemption for 330-thousand business owners and farmers for two years. Now if you notice... Currently, no money is being added to the counter.that's because, lawmakers have gone home for the holiday weekend - and are not getting paid. The counter will resume tuesday when lawmakers return.

6/1/2015 430am

Some texas farmers are facing a total loss this year due to floods. And gas price gains are slowing down. Jane king is at the nasdaq with those stories and more in today's ag and energy report.

6/2/2015 12pm

The new terminal is just one of two big openings tomorrow. Costco will also open its doors on the east side of town. Tonight costco held a soft opening when many showed up. Akeam ashford joins us from kellogg and web to tell us what kind of impact the store may have on the city. Rick travis well we just need other alternatives other than the stores we have locally like the sam's club and it'll give us great diversity in employment and economy in wichita. Jeremy hill with wsu's center for economic development says shoppers as well as surrounding businesses will benefit from the 150-thousand square foot warehouse. Sot jeremy hill dir. Wsu it's immense of that kind of idea. People go to costco to purchase bigger items, but they'll want to purchase other items

6/4/2015 430am

U-s egg prices reach a record high. But flooding in texas could cause beef prices to drop. Jane king has our ag and energy report.

6/8/2015 430am

Riverfest officials say this year's attendance was even better than last. Preliminary estimates show 410-thousand people went out to enjoy the wichita festival. That's up from 380-thousand last year. Concerts were also a bigger hit... With three musical acts having more than 20-thousand people at them. Mary beth jarvis, the c-e-o of riverfest, says a big part of the festival's success is because of the thousands who volunteer to put it on each year.

6/9/2015 430am

A major tobacco merger gets its final approval jane king has our ag and energy report. Reynolds buyout of lorillard got the final approval needed to become a done deal. The 25 billion dollar deal will close this friday. Reynolds did have to sell 4 cigarette brands to get the merger approved. The group of seven leaders agreed that the world should end its use of fossil fuels by the end of the century. The leaders from the u-s, germany, japan, the uk and others say california is a test case for this, where 95 percent of cars are still running on fossil fuels. Oil companies predict fossil fuels will remain dominant into the 22nd century. The cost of fighting the bird flu outbreak is a budget buster. The ag secretary tom vilsack says the cost of compensating farmers for their losses may top a half billion dollars. About 45 million turkeys and chickens have been killed in the midwest because of the bird flu. The u-s supreme court is taking up a case involving tyson foods. The case is tyson's challenge to a 5 point 8 million dollar judgment against the company over worker pay at an iowa meat processing facility. From the nasdaq marketsite in times square, i'm jane king with your ag and energy report

6/10/2015 5am

The grain elevator in kiowa has already accepted its first truckloads of winter wheat. Kiowa is typically one of the first elevators in the state to begin getting wheat. The elevator doesn't expect to take in as many bushels this year as it usually does, but does say it will be better than last year. The national agricultural statistics service should release its new production forecast today. The outlook is expected to improve because of the past month's rain.

6/15/2015 12pm

gas prices are up again. But they are increasing at a slower pace. The national average jumped 3 cents in the past 2 weeks. It is now 2-dollars 87 cents a gallon. The average price in wichita is 2-62. That's up from 2-55 a week ago - but still below the national average.

6/18/2015 12pm

Taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is up 114 at 18-1-39. And the nasdaq is up 137 at 5-1-34. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

6/24/2015 430am

Your teen could have a tougher time finding a summer job. The bureau of labor statistics shows the number of teens working summer jobs has dropped dramatically since the 90's. Last summer, less than one-third of young adults were employed. Researchers say less entry level jobs, more schools starting before labor day and more teens taking summer courses could be the reasons.

6/26/2015 12pm

Taking a look at your markets now. The dow jones is up 37 at 17-9-27. And the nasdaq is down 44 at 50-67. We'll take a look at the rest of the markets in a moment

6/30/2015 430am

Get your shopping done now. Today is the last day to take advantage of the current sales tax rate. Tomorrow you'll start paying the extra half-percent sales tax. Pilar pedraza spoke with shoppers about how it will affect their spending habits. At herb snow and son's maytag shop... They've already seen customers coming in, trying to beat the rising sales tax. And the snows are concerned about how shoppers will be spending their money after the sales tax goes up half a percent on wednesday. Across town. The folks at eddy's toyota say.. They're not worried. Based on previous sales tax hikes.. They dont' expect that to change. That's because.. When someone's decided to spend 20 to 30 thousand dollars on a car.. An extra half percent isn't going to change their mind. So we wondered if you were planning to change your spending habits. Starting on wednesday.

Education

4/2/2015 10pm

A sports league for students with disabilities... Meets tonight to finalize plans for varsity athletic letters. While no final decisions will come tonight... The "tri-county sports league" says.... Before the end of this school year... Students will receive the same letters as students without disabilities. The issue came to light after a mother of a student with special needs at east high... Said her son was told a year ago to not wear a letter jacket... Saying he hadn't "earned" the letter. The school's principal says... The student was never told to remove the jacket... And has continued to wear it. See our past stories at k-w-c-h dot com... And an open letter from east high's principal about the issue.

4/5/2015 10pm

Thanks to the power outage, if your child goes to either of these schools - they won't have class tomorrow. Wineteer elementary in derby will be closed on monday because of the continued outage. In wichita, jackson elementary will be closed for the same reason. All other schools will still be in session.

4/8/2015 430am

A garden city parent is upset about an article published in a high school newspaper. It's a student review of the r-rated film...50 shades of grey. This morning, we're hearing from the parent as well as the teacher who stands by the article. Parent tim livermore took his concern to the board of education meeting. He says he was shocked to read the article, saying it called the film "exciting and adventurous and perfect for a typical date night or just a night with friends." livermore says... In high school, there are kids as young as 14, and they shouldn't be going to see this movie. He believes teachers should do more to monitor the material in the newspaper. English teacher monte moser is standing by the article. He says.... The kansas high school newspaper is protected by first amendment rights and adds... The article that was written was excellent. The school board president has declined to comment until she has an opportunity to look into the district's responsibility to advise students versus its responsibility to accept free speech.

4/9/2015 10pm

Buhler and collegiate facing off at the high school level. Top 6, 11-4 buhler, buhler hunter ogburn three run home run, now 14-4 bot 6, crazy play at the plate, after a slow roller, caleb egan tries to score from third, jumps over the tag, called safe... **replay**, 14-5. Bot 7, 18-6, buhler jacob burkhardt gets the strikeout swinging 18-6 buhler.

4/10/2015 6pm

Wichita state baseball is 3-7 in their last 10 games. The bats haven't been great with a .265 average. But their pitching is the story. The arms have a 7.29 era in that span. Our ace - dani welniak is live at eck stadium as the shox are just moments away from taking on illinois state.

4/15/2015 6am

A senate committee will continue to debate today to try and fix the "no child left behind" education law. Proposed changes would let states decide how to evaluate its teachers and fix struggling schools. Schools would also no longer face federal sanctions if they fail to make what is called "adequate yearly progress." the law is supposed to be revised every few years, but congress has been unable to find common ground since the law technically expired in 2007.

4/22/2015

430am

The maize school district considers dropping its police force. The district is one of a handful across the state to have their own. Pilar pedraza has more on the plan that was announced in a newsletter to parents. Tedman: at what point do we put more our value on our children and more value on the lives of our children and what they're going to be able to give back in the future? Parents at tuesday night's soccer game at maize high were still finding out about the district's plan to dissolve its own police force to save money. Michelle stedman got the district's emailed newsletter earlier in the day.... But was still concerned about what the proposed change would mean for her children at the high school. Stedman: "it kind of removes them from the area and just would make me a little bit concerned about that" maize *city* police chief matt jensby says... He, the city and the school district have been working on the plan for weeks. The school district might lose four officers.... But the city plans to add people to the city force.... As designated school resource officers. Jensby: we have plenty of resources. We have experienced officers. We will be hiring additional officers to put into those schools so there would be no change in the level of service. Chief jensby says there's really little choice about the decision.... Given state budget cuts. When lawmakers switched from the old school funding formula to the new block grant funding the maize schools lost hundreds of thousands of dollars over the next couple of years... And the district needs to cut as much as 351-thousand in the 2015-16 school year alone. Cutting the district police force would account for 80-thousand of that deficit. Jensby: "you know, this transition or change is no reflection of the personnel that are involved or their police department. You know? It's a direct reflection of the deep cuts that are coming from the state."

4/24/2015

10pm

Next school year... The price of your child's school lunch could go up. Monday the wichita school district will consider increasing prices for student lunches. It's to keep up with reimbursement requirements for the federal government's free and reduced lunch program. Here's a look at the change. Elementary and middle students will pay 10 cents more for lunch. High scholars will pay 15 cents more for lunch. Adults will pay a nickel more for both breakfast and lunch. Again, this is just for people paying *full price. 75-percent of wichita students receive free or reduced price lunches.

4/25/2015

8am

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4/27/2015

12pm

The price of your child's lunch could be going up. Tonight the wichita school board will discuss a proposal to increase the price of lunches across the district. Elementary and middle students would pay 10 cents more for lunch. While high scholars would pay 15 cents more. And adults will pay a nickel more for both breakfast and lunch. The increase is meant to help schools accommodate for students on the free and reduced lunch program and would only affect those who are already paying full price. Again, this is just for those who are paying *full price. That's just one of several issues district leaders will take on at tonight's meeting. They will also be considering a proposed bond project that would fund the building addition of a

new classroom and fema storm shelter at coleman middle school. On the agenda. It's recommended for the board to enter into a contract with a construction company for the project. In total... It would cost about 1 point 3 million dollars for the renovation. And possible changes are expected to be laid out regarding the district's policy on varsity letter jackets...this comes after a parent at east high claimed her son, who has down syndrome was told to take off his letter jacket at school.

The incident got national attention. Tonight, a report from a league for high school students with disabilities will include a recommendation to the board that schools award regular varsity athletic letters to its athletes who meet eligibility and participation requirements. That school board meeting starts at 6 tonight. We'll bring you updates on the board's decisions on air and online at kwch dot com.

4/30/2015 10am

A ruling by the kansas supreme court says -a district court panel has jurisdiction over appeals on the new school funding plan and a hearing next week may decide if that plan is enough, and whether it's fair. Schools and make funding more equal between districts. Lawmakers passed the block grants this session--- they're supposed to be a temporary measure, to give lawmakers time to come up with a new plan to fund schools.

5/1/2015 4:30am

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5/4/2015 12pm

new now. Parents in the norwich school district... Get a message telling them of a school threat? The superintendent would not give specifics on the threat... Only that the district learned of it after school on friday. He says police are investigating and providing extra security around the school. So far... There are *no* arrests...

5/5/2015 12pm

The maize school district has a new superintendent. The district just announced chad higgins will fill the position higgins comes from moundridge, where he's been superintendent since 2009. He says maize is considered one of the best schools in the state and he's not worried about moving there despite the current financial situation in kansas. He replaces current superintendent doug powers, who turned in his resignation, effective june 30th.

5/6/2015 5am

You will soon decide on funding for an 85 million dollar expansion plan for dodge city schools. School board members there voted to put the issue on the ballot june 25th... About half the project will be paid for through a state grant. Voters will decide if they want to continue the current property tax rate to help pay for the rest. Taxes would not go up. The proposal would add 24 new classrooms and project-based learning spaces to elementary schools. The middle school would get a new competition gym and 6th grade wing. The high school would expand to handle 800 more students. The superintendent says it will help handle rising enrollment... Of about 100 to 150 new students a year. if approved...the superintendent says construction could start next summer.

5/14/2015 10pm

a kansas school leader gives up his job - for the good of the district.

skyline superintendent mike sanders says he's resigning to save money during an education budget crisis. Lauren seabrook spoke with him tonight about his decision. 7:07-57:12 judy phillips but making that a priority right now - means making sacrifices in some districts. Like skyline - usd 438 - in pratt county. Superintendent mike sanders ... Will soon just be mike. He's stepping down from his leadership role with the district ... To put children first. The district also cut a counselor and music teacher - in addition to shortening p-e class.

And it reassigned or reduced the hours of 18 employees. Mike says leaving will be difficult, but the right thing to do.

5/15/2015 430am

As one generation marches across the stage... The next faces an education that may look nothing like it does today. The fight over school money led us to ask - what *is* the future of education in kansas?

Education reporter pillar pedraza takes a look in this special report.

Today's classroom is a far cry from the simple one room school house where kansas' educational system was born. And yet... It's still recognizable. An 18th century child would recognize a modern classroom. But will we see that same classroom in 10 years? 15?

5/19/2015 430am

New this morning...she may be the youngest in her class but she's definitely one of the smartest. Meet jaidyn hires. The 11-year-old is headed to high school. Jaiden tested out of several grades. She started the year in 6th but quickly moved to 7th and then 8thjaidyn says she's excited for to challenges to come, but is sad to leave some of her friends behind. Jaidyn says she wants to become a mechanical or environmental engineer.

5/28/2015 430am

Some high school seniors are turning to technology to help afford graduation. The graduating class at parker high school in janesville, wisconsin has been working for four years to raise more than \$7-thousand dollars for their ceremony. But unfortunately, they've come up short. The city has a history of economic struggle, after the 2008 recession forced general motors to close in town. The class set up a go fund me page to raise the last few thousand dollars. So far they've raised more than \$14-hundred dollars. The money will go to things like flowers or the printed programs.

6/9/2015 430am

Maize police officers will provide security at maize schools. School board leaders just passed a resolution to make it happen. The district had its own police force, but the school says it needed to cut the department to save money. It had four officers at that point. It will have two under the new agreement. The district will take care of 75 percent of the cost of those officers.

6/17/2015 430am

new this morning. Hoisington will be getting a new elementary school. The great bend tribune reports unofficial results are in and more than 870 people voted in favor of the bond issue. The bond will pay for construction and equipment for a new lincoln elementary school. The original elementary school was built in 1926. Barton county commissioners will meet monday for a final canvas.

6/20/2015 6pm

a lawsuit on kansas schools could alter the state budget signed by governor sam brownback earlier this week. Brownback is calling the lawsuit a wild card. Right now the state plans on increasing sales and cigarette taxes to help avoid a budget deficit. But a three-judge panel in *shawnee county district court* has ruled that kansas must boost aid to school districts by at least \$548 million a year. The state has appealed to

the kansas supreme court. The same panel has yet to rule on the constitutionality of a school funding law enacted in march to make funding more predictable.

6/23/2015 5am

a follow up to a story we first told you about last week. That's when the kansas board of regents approved a two percent raise for university presidents. Four out of five have responded to our question-will they accept the raise after the board also approved a tuition hike at most state schools. K-u's chancellor is the only one who hasn't responded. Wichita state president john bardo tells us- he will donate his seven thousand dollar raise back to the university. K-state's president is also donating his raise. The president at pittsburg state tells us that he is not accepting the salary increase at this time.

6/28/2015 10pm

Democrats i spoke with say they're ready to go back to work... And call the ruling a win. But republican leadership tells me. This isn't something they expect to be working on this week. They're counting on getting a stay... Putting off enforcement of friday's ruling until the state supreme court hears and rules on the state's appeal. But a stay isn't guaranteed. To date.. The courts have always ruled in the schools' favor. If that happens again... Stay or not.. The state will have to find more money for public education.

6/30/2015 430am

the state is now appealing a court decision... Requiring kansas to give *more* money to your child's school. Attorney general derek schmidt appealed the school funding lawsuit decision to the kansas supreme court. He wants the lower court's order put on-hold until the supreme court rules on the case. That lower court panel over-turned key parts of the new "school block grant funding plan"... And ordered the state to find more than 50 million dollars for schools by tomorrow. The chief financial officer of wichita public schools says.... Right now he's budgeting for what was given in the block grant funding system... And he'll adjust depending on what comes from this case. The state supreme court has not yet ruled on whether it will grant the stay.

Environment

4/1/2015 10pm

Breaking news tonight on the future of shocker coach gregg marshall where it appears he'll be staying at wichita state. Jacob albrecht will join us with more on that in just a moment but first. Part of kansas are dealing with severe weather tonight. Merrill has been tracking the storms all night. He joins us now with the latest.

4/2/2015 6pm

We are tracking some showers and thunderstorms in eastern colorado and northwestern kansas. Only a few of the storms are likely to turn severe after midnight. There will also be a chance for a few snow showers in far northwest kansas tonight but with little or no accumulation. Tomorrow will be cooler with decreasing clouds. Easter weekend should stay dry and mild. A few storms will be possible late sunday night. Storm chances will return wednesday night.

4/3/2015 5pm

Many of you have been calling our newsroom asking if it was a tornado you heard come through your home last night. Meteorologist rodney price show us how we know a tornado didn't form. The national weather service of wichita completing their storm survey of last night's wind damage and indicated they detected a microburst damage taking place with this storm across parts of northern wichita. About a tenth of a mile post snapped off at the base and leaning to the east there towards jabara airport and also that hangar that was completely destroyed all that debris was thrown towards the east. Now these are important clues in determining if damage is caused by tornadic winds or straight-line winds and this is how it's done. Tornadic winds usually in a convergent or circular pattern with the tornado damage. Meanwhile for a downburst or a microburst case the winds are divergent or spreading outward and usually microburst we're

talking about damage that's about two and a half miles or less in width. In a nut shell it doesn't matter if the wind is spinning or spreading outward it can cause intense damage.

4/4/2015 8am

A series of earthquakes shook up part of south kansas and oklahoma this morning. The u-s-g-s confirms three earthquakes hit perry, oklahoma just after 4 a-m. Folks here in wichita called our newsroom to say they felt it. If you felt it let us now on our facebook page or twitter.

4/5/2015 10pm

Everyone else heading to school or work tomorrow can expect a calm morning... But there could be another chance for thunderstorms later this week. Chief meteorologist ross janssen has your forecast. Ross?

4/6/2015 12pm

Increasing winds, dry grasses and warm temperatures combine to produce extreme fire danger this afternoon and evening over most of western kansas. Those temperatures will continue to be up to 20 degrees above normal the next couple of days.

4/7/2015 6am

Here in wichita, let's take a look at our four main routes. Kellogg here at southwest boulevard and i-135 north of kellogg are the two busiest spots. I-235 here at broadway a little quieter consistently and k-96 at greenwich quieter still. No accidents slowing you down here but, if you're out in butler county, watch for police near northwest 30th and highway 77. A car hit a deer there. No one is hurt. Stay tuned for more updates and views of some foggy areas. I'm back in about ten minutes.

4/8/2015 430m

Now - let's check in with mark larson - for today's travel forecast... Early wednesday, isolated storms are moving out of northeastern kansas with clouds covering the rest of our state. Temperatures range from the warm lower-60s in the south to the 40s to the north. A few areas are seeing patchy drizzle and fog. Wednesday will start out with patchy drizzle and low clouds but sunshine will return this afternoon. High temperatures will top-out around 70 north of i-70 but warm into lower-80s farther south. Scattered storms will develop after 3 p.m. Over the eastern half of kansas and move quickly to the northeast. Future track shows us... A mix of sun and clouds midday followed by strong/severe storms developing around 3/4 p.m. Then quickly pushing eastward this evening as a cold front blows through kansas. Looks like clearing skies, gusty northerly winds and cooler temps thursday. Winds will back-down thursday night and it will be mostly clear and pretty cool friday morning.

4/9/2015 10pm

These were sirens heard in western sedgwick county last night as a tornado warning was issued. It turns out many in wichita heard the sirens as well even though the severe weather was not threatening wichita. Three years ago the county adopted a selective siren warning system where crews can sound sirens in certain areas. Emergency management tells us that last night the system was taking too long to process which sirens needed to be sounded...so they decided to override the system and sound them all because when it comes to severe weather...waiting two to three minutes can cost lives. Emergency management is working with the programs creators to fix the problem.

4/10/2015 10pm

Future track shows us the weekend forecast. A check of current temperatures. Here's tonight forecast. A look at tomorrow's forecast. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us more showers and storms sunday then a few more scattered showers monday. Tuesday night will bring isolated o-night storms and more afternoon storm chances wednesday. Afternoon highs will warm back into the 70s this weekend then climb back into to around 80 again by the middle of next week.

4/11/2015 9am

The grass is wet this morning across south central and southeast kansas. Showers developed overnight and are now exiting the state. Another batch of showers and storms over the texas panhandle may bring a passing shower through the middle of the day, but overall skies will remain partly cloudy to mostly cloudy

through the day. Southeast winds this morning are drawing smoke into wichita and south central kansas from the flint hills and as long as the winds continue to blow from that direction, expect smoky conditions. Later today strong to severe storms may develop across western kansas. The primary threat from these storms will be hail to 1" in diameter and wind gusts to 60 m.p.h. Elsewhere skies will be partly cloudy to mostly cloudy across kansas. Storms in the west will move east overnight and weaken. Scattered showers and storms are in the forecast for central kansas overnight, severe weather is not expected. Highs today in the 70s and overnight lows in the 40s and 50s. A cold front moves into kansas on sunday and this system may produce strong storms with hail and gusty winds during the afternoon and evening. This does not look like a severe weather outbreak and an isolated severe storm may be possible, but rain and thunderstorms may bring some beneficial rainfall to parched areas of the state. April showers will bring may flowers. More showers and storms in the forecast towards the middle of the week.

4/12/2015 10pm

There have been no reports of any serious damage from this storm... Akeam ashford joins us live from north wichita... Akeam, what's the latest?

4/13/2015 530am

Storm team 12 chaser brandon ivey sends us this video from barber county.

That's where a tornado was reported. Ivey says, he never saw the funnel cloud touched the ground. No one was hurt in the storm.

4/15/2015 6am

Early wednesday, temperatures are in the 40s, skies are mostly clear west and mostly cloudy over the east. Winds are light out of the east/southeast. A few isolated storms may develop over far western kansas wednesday afternoon and a few could produce some hail and gusty winds, but coverage will be spotty at best. Afternoon highs will warm to near 70 with gusty southeast winds. Future track shows us... Clouds hanging tough across eastern kansas with some sunshine for the west early wednesday then mostly cloudy skies statewide later today with isolated storms for the west. More clouds tonight but drying-out. Thursday, another round of more widespread rain/storms for central and eastern kansas. Drying-out again thursday night into friday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Scattered showers or storms thursday then periods of rain and isolated storms likely friday and saturday. Locally heavy rains will be a threat at times. Lingering a.m. Showers sunday then dry by afternoon through midweek. Afternoon highs will be in the upper-60s and lower-70s.

4/16/2015 6pm

Future track shows us... Partly to mostly cloudy skies thursday afternoon with rain/storms rolling across western kansas late this afternoon. The rain will lift northward this evening and we'll be dry early friday morning. Another round of rain/storms will fire-up across central kansas friday afternoon and push north and east friday night into saturday morning.

4/18/2015 6pm

Future track shows us... A broad area of rain and storms across central kansas pushing east-northeastward through this evening. Late tonight fewer storms but lingering showers. Sunday we'll see morning showers the decreasing clouds for the west but more showers and a few storms east. It will be windy and cooler for everyone. Our 7-day forecast... Rain and storm-free days monday and tuesday followed by more off and on periods of rain/storms wednesday night through week's end. Saturday looks dry right now. Afternoon highs will range from the mid-60s to the mid-70s.

4/19/2015 530am

Farmers say... They're thankful for the recent rain. But it's too little too late.

In this area... We're more than an inch *above* rainfall totals for the month of april. But wichita is still about an inch and a half *below normal* for the year. We spoke to a clearwater farmer who says... The rain is good for his crop. But it's too late to save his wheat harvest. He says... The lack of rain this year is worse than he had predicted. The farmer says... He does have insurance that will help make-up for some of his loss during harvest this year.

4/20/2015 10pm

Our break from the rainfall will be brief as more moisture moves back toward the area by midweek. Overnight, skies will be mostly clear with low temperatures falling into the 30s and low 40s. The winds will calm down over the area and some patchy frost is possible in northwest kansas. Sunshine will be back for tuesday, but more clouds may try and sneak in for the late afternoon and early evening hours. Temperatures will be warmer with highs in the 70s and winds turning to the west/southwest. It should cool down some for wednesday with spotty rain chances across southern kansas. We will have a much better chance for widespread rains late thursday night and into friday.

4/21/2015 12pm

After a warmer tuesday, a cold front will move across the state overnight bringing cooler conditions back to the state. It also may bring some light showers to southern kansas overnight and very early tomorrow. The best chance for rain the rest of the week will come on friday. Hd future track shows the chance of showers tonight then dry weather into thursday morning. Here are the current conditions and forecasts.

4/22/2015 430am

Early wednesday, a few showers and storms are sinking southward away from the oklahoma state line. Winds are light and have shifted to the east-northeast and temps are in the 30s and 40s. Look for a mix of sun and clouds across northern kansas where temperatures will be near 60 this afternoon. Skies will be mostly cloudy over southern kansas where temps will top-out in the low to mid-60s. Future track shows us... A mix of clouds and sun wednesday afternoon with lighter winds and cooler temps. More clouds are on the way tonight into thursday but it will be dry during the day. Rain and storms will move through western kansas thursday night then push into eastern parts of the state by friday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Look for periods of rain and a few strong storms friday followed by a dry weekend then more shower/storm chances by the middle of next

4/23/2015 5pm

Many of you have asked how recent rain has effected the drought. You can see the downpour in wichita this weekend. The u-s-g-s just updated its drought map. Rodney price takes a look. We'll start by showing you the rainfall totals across kansas in the last two weeks. The most abundant rains were generally in central and eastern kansas, south of i-70. For wichita and sedgwick county, 1-3 inches was the average, while in stafford county, 5 to as much as 10 inches was reported. Sadly, our neighbors in southwest kansas got the short end of the stick again with most totals averaging less than one inch. now let's update you on the drought conditions. There were several rounds of rain and storms, keeping the drought from worsening. Many ponds are still low with runoff at a minimum. In barber county though. The drought classification improved slightly, from "extreme" to "severe drought" status. While recent rains have been great for the topsoil, more is needed to improve the overall drought conditions.

4/24/2015 10pm

Severe storms will continue to move north and east across kansas through the evening hours. Overnight temperatures will fall into the 40s west with low to mid 50s for central and eastern kansas. The winds will turn back to the west in the overnight and any severe weather will be moving out of the area by midnight. Saturday looks dry for most of kansas with diminishing north winds throughout the day. Highs will warm into the lower 80s for southwest kansas with 70s elsewhere. Skies will be partly cloudy for the afternoon. Clouds will return into sunday with a few sprinkles possible. There is a much better chance for rain and a few thunderstorms coming into the area for sunday night and monday. Severe weather is unlikely for monday, but some heavy pockets of rain are expected with dangerous cloud to ground lightning. It will be much cooler at the start of the week.

4/25/2015 8am

As the storm rolled in many of you sent in your storm shots. Nancy vap sent us this one of hail covering her porch in rawlins county. She wasn't the only one dealing with hail last night some of our storm chasers reported seeing hail as large as tennis balls ... Accompanied of course by a lot of wind and rain. All that

rain really added up in part of kansas. Tim myers sent us this shot of his rain gauge southwest of minneapolis. You can see just under 4 inches there.

4/27/2015 4pm

Hd super doppler radar show light rain and showers over extreme southern kansas moving to the west. No severe weather is expected today, just some nice rains. Things will be drying out and warming up through the week. Hd future track shows the rain departing tonight with the clouds in the south doing likewise. Here are the current conditions and forecasts.

4/28/2015 5pm

A warming trend will continue throughout the rest of the week. Much of the state will see above normal temperatures by thursday. Low temperatures overnight will fall into the 40s with light winds and mainly clear skies. Temperatures will be back above 70 statewide on wednesday. Warmest readings will be in the west with mid-70s. The winds will be very light throughout the day. It will get warmer thursday with highs near 80. Chances for showers and storms will return to western kansas friday night and into the weekend. For most of central and eastern kansas, storm chances won't increase until saturday night or sunday.

4/30/2015 10am

Expect a dry night for most areas but a few showers can't be ruled out in the northwest. Otherwise clear skies will be seen overnight in wichita with partly to mostly cloudy skies elsewhere. Lows are expected to bottom out in the 40s, while even a few 50s are possible too in places. The month of may will be off to a warm start, even a summer-like feel for some. Highs will top out in the upper 70s to lower 80s. This warmth will continue right into the weekend. Along with the warmth, we'll see isolated storm chances, especially for northwest kansas late friday afternoon and evening. While more isolated activity can't be ruled out there on saturday, storms should be on the uptick sunday night through the middle of next week. Stay tuned for additional updates.

5/1/2015 4:30am

The month of may will start with warm temps and rising storm chances through the weekend. Early friday, a few showers are passing through northwest kansas but the rest of us are dry under clear skies over central and eastern parts of our state. Southerly winds are a bit stronger over western kansas and temperatures are in the upper-40s and 50s. friday afternoon, look for a mix of sun and clouds and a few showers or storms across northwestern kansas later in the day and into the evening. Highs will range from the low to mid-70s northwest to near 80 elsewhere. Future track shows us... A mix of clouds and sun friday with widely scattered showers/storms developing near the colorado state-line later in the day. Showers/storms will fade as they push eastward this evening. Morning clouds saturday will give way to a mostly sunny and warm afternoon. Followed by more passing clouds and a few random, showers during the evening and into sunday. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us dry weather saturday then on and off rain/storms sunday night through the middle of next week. Afternoon will be in the low to mid-80s this weekend then cool

5/2/2015 10pm

Here's a look at hd super doppler. The weather timeline looks this way. Here's your sunday hourly forecast. Check out the comparison of sunday's high to normal. Hd future track shows your weather forecast tonight and sunday. A view this afternoon of capitol federal skycap 12. Here's tonight's forecast. A look ahead to you weekend finale. Here's the 7-day forecast. Now your regional 7-day forecast.

5/3/2015 530am

Just a week ago... Several small tornadoes touched down in the state. It's severe weather season. And researchers are trying to find ways to make forecasting severe storms more accurate ... By using new technology to collect data from the storm. Tonight, we take you to the national weather service in norman, oklahoma where researchers are studying this technology. Watch "the height of technology" tonight on eyewitness news at 10.

5/4/2015 12pm

Thunderstorms will become more widespread late this afternoon and tonight mainly over western and northern kansas.

5/5/2015 12pm

Rain is widespread over western kansas at this hour. The rain is moving to the northwest. The area of rainfall will spread to the east tonight with locally heavy rain, producing mainly street flooding, the main threat. Hd future track shows the rain and storms moving across the state. Here are the current conditions and forecasts.

5/6/2015 5am

Several more rounds of heavy rain and thunderstorms will, once again, plow across kansas wednesday through saturday along with a few episodes of severe weather. Early wednesday, locally heavy rains are lifting northward through eastern kansas where flood warnings continue but no severe storms. Temps are in the 50s and 60s and it's dry across the west under a cloudy sky. wednesday afternoon, look for decreasing clouds across western kansas while the central and east sees more scattered storms. A few could produce hail, high winds along with more locally heavy rainfall. Winds will be gusty again with highs around 80 over western kansas and in the 70s for the east. Future track shows us... Wednesday afternoon we'll see decreasing clouds for the west and a few more showers/storms for eastern kansas. We'll dry-out by early thursday morning under a mostly clear to partly cloudy sky. Thursday afternoon more widely scattered storms are on the way to parts of kansas but those will fade by evening and we should be dry by friday morning.

5/7/2015 10pm

here the latest map from the u-s drought monitor and you can see that a little less of kansas is in the red...or extreme drought. That map doesn't include the most recent rain we got these last two days. Ross how much of an impact has this rain had?

5/8/2015 10pm

it was what people were talking about tonight. This double rainbow was captured in wichita following some heavy rain. Many of you have sent in your photos. The rain isn't expected to be the only main issue tomorrow. A good part of kansas is under a moderate risk for severe weather. That risk includes the possibility of large hail...strong winds and even some strong tornadoes.

5/9/2015 6pm

Scattered showers and storms in kansas could be severe and produce some heavy rainfall. Storms will continue moving northeast through the night. Low temperatures will fall into the 40s for the northwest with 50s and low 60s elsewhere. The winds will remain from the south, but should change to the west or northwest for sunday. Mother's days looks mild with 60s and 70s for highs. Storms will be pushing east of the flint hills during the afternoon with highs in the 60s for the west and 70s central and east. Dry weather is expected for the start of the new week with sunshine and highs in the 60s and 70s. Northwest winds will still be breezy throughout the day.

5/10/2015 530pm

Storms will depart from kansas and quiet weather is expected for the next few days. Temperatures will be rather chilly heading into the night with lows falling into the 30s for central and western kansas. Salina, hutch, and wichita will have lows in the lower 40s with northwest winds. It will be breezy on monday with mostly sunny skies in the afternoon. Highs will range from 65 to 70 for much of the state. Northwest winds could gust as high as 30 mph. Clear skies and lighter winds are on tap for monday night. Lows will fall into the 30s and 40s once again. It does get warmer by tuesday with sunshine and winds turning to the south. Next chance for showers and storms will come into the picture for wednesday night and thursday. Severe weather is not expected at this time.

5/11/2015 10pm

It's been a wild past several days when it comes to wichita weather. On saturday our skycap in grainfield captured this tornado in northwest kansas. Tonight and into tomorrow it's not storms that is the big concern...instead its frost. Ross tells us more about that.

5/12/2015 430am

More rain expected today in places that don't need it. Parts of texas are expected to get hit with thunderstorms. This comes as people in van and other towns continue cleaning up from tornadoes and flooding. Cadaver dogs are being used to search debris in van even though everyone is accounted for. The powerful ef3 tornado leveled about a third of the tiny town...killing 60-year-old david tapley and his wife, brenda. The couple moved to van after retiring. Victims are trying to protect whatever they have left. Police have put in a curfew and are setting up check points.

5/13/2015 6pm

Rain showers will continue into the night with sunshine returning for thursday afternoon. Then more storms are in the forecast heading into the weekend. Low temperatures will fall into the upper 40s for the northwest, but 50s expected elsewhere. The winds will decrease to under 15 mph out of the south. After some early morning sprinkles, the sun will come out for the afternoon. Temperatures will warm into the lower 80s for central and western kansas. Upper 70s can be expected along and east of i-135. Wind conditions return for friday and saturday. A storm system could spark off a few storms friday evening or night, but a much better chance for storms will be coming saturday. Some severe weather is possible going into the weekend.

5/14/2015 10pm

The chances for isolated storms will increase heading into the weekend around most of the state. Some storms could be severe, especially saturday afternoon. Overnight, a few spotty storms may move across western kansas, but they will not be severe. Low temperatures will fall into the upper 50s and lower 60s. Friday will have some sunshine with temperatures warming above 80 degrees. The wind will be gusty from the south and most of the area will be dry. Scattered storm chances will increase for friday night, especially in central and southern kansas. Saturday will start with a chance for showers and storms. Those will slowly slide east and weaken. More storms will develop saturday afternoon in central and western kansas. Those will move east and could produce hail and high winds. Dry and calmer weather will return on sunday.

5/15/2015 430am

Friday will be quiet but there's another round of stormy weather set to plow into kansas by saturday afternoon. Early friday, a cluster of storms is lifting northward out of north-central kansas. The rest of the state is dry under a partly to mostly cloudy sky with temps in the upper-50s and 60s. Friday we'll see some afternoon sunshine with temperatures warming into the lower-80s. The wind will be gusty from the south and most of us will be dry through sunset. Future track shows us... A mix of sun and clouds friday, windy and warm conditions, and a few passing showers or storms possible. Friday evening we'll see more clouds then a few more showers/storms for central kansas early saturday morning. More storms are on the way saturday afternoon-evening, some could be severe. Look for decreasing clouds by sunday morning.

5/16/2015 9am

It's an overcast start to your weekend.... But you may want to get all your errands done this morning... Large hail, strong winds and even a few tornadoes could be on the way as the day progresses. Storm team 12 meteorologist dean jones has been keeping an eye on the storms headed our way.dean, you've been saying there are a lot of hit or miss factors in this forecast.

5/18/2015 430am

Enjoy another dry, mild day monday then get set to get wet again because there's more rain on the way very soon. Early monday, skies are mostly clear to partly cloudy with light northerly winds and temps in the 40s and 50s. Monday afternoon will be mostly sunny with highs ranging from upper 60s northwest to mid and upper-70s for south-central kansas. North to northeast winds will start out gusty the ease-up a bit later in

the day. Future track shows us... Quiet weather monday afternoon with mostly sunny skies but slightly cooler temps and north-northwest winds. Monday night look for increasing clouds with a few showers possible over far western kansas early tuesday morning. Tuesday afternoon, most of the rain and thunder will be over the western half of kansas, then push into the eastern half of our state, late tuesday night into wednesday morning. Today's forecast

5/19/2015 430am

Areas of rain are passing through western kansas tuesday and they'll be pushing into the eastern half of the state tonight into wednesday morning where a flash flood watch has been issued. Early tuesday, clouds are rolling in from the southwest and rain showers are marching into southwest kansas. Temps are in the 40s and 50s and winds are light from the east to northeast. Look for a gray day tuesday with periods of rain through passing through the western half of kansas where afternoon highs only top-out in the upper-40s and 50s. Central and eastern kansas will stay dry with highs in the low to mid-60s. future track shows us... Increasing clouds across eastern kansas but it'll be dry while the west sees rain and a few embedded, non-severe storms most of the day tuesday. The rain will push into the eastern half of our state tuesday night into wednesday morning while the west dries out. Wednesday afternoon through thursday morning will be cloudy to mostly cloudy but dry and cool.

5/20/2015 10pm

A break from the rain will continue into thursday with more sunshine expected for the area. Some thin spots can be expected in the overnight with lows ranging from upper 30s northwest to mid-40s in south central kansas. The winds will be light. Much of the state should have some sunshine for thursday with temperatures getting back into the mid-60s. Wind speeds should be under 20 mph. Rain will be back in western kansas late thursday night and friday morning. The chances for rain may diminish some friday afternoon, but scattered storms will be back saturday and sunday.

5/22/2015 6am

After a brief break from our soggy weather, there's more rain on the way for kansas. One round of rain will pass through our area by early afternoon followed by a cool, gray but dry evening. Highs friday will only top-out around 60, nearly 20 degrees cooler than normal.

5/23/2015 6pm

Heavy rain and storms covering much of eastern kansas on hd super doppler. Also strong to severe storms in eastern colorado. A tornado watch is in effect there until 7 p.m. Mdt. A flash flood watch is in effect for the east and the northwest. Here's your hourly forecast this evening. Numerous reports of street flooding. Here's tonight's forecast. Onto your sunday weather. Here's your 7-day forecast. Now your regional 7-day forecast.

5/24/2015 530am

Hd super doppler radar continues to shows thunderstorms in south central kansas and eastern colorado. The storms in the west could become severe as the evening goes on. Locally heavy rainfall will be possible in south central and southeast kansas. Hd future track shows the off and on chance for showers and storms over the next couple of days. Here are the current conditions and forecasts.

5/25/2015 5pm

Future track shows us... Storms fading this evening but gray skies will stick around through tuesday morning. Tuesday afternoon there will be some partial clearing followed by more isolated store. Developing over eastern parts of our state later in the day through early evening; the west will be dry. Highs tuesday will be in the 80s. Late tuesday night into wednesday morning we'll see decreasing clouds. Wednesday will be mostly sunny and storm-free. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us a dry wednesday with more showers/storms chances thursday through saturday. Highs will range from the mid-70s to lower lower-80s most of this week and into saturday: sunday and monday will be dry and warm.

5/26/2015 430am

Mcpherson county tells us it's doing ok, even after four inches of rain in just 90 minutes. That's how fast it fell in the city of marquette yesterday. The national weather service issued a flood warning for the smoky hill river in mcpherson county. It's expected to rise above flood stage today. Dispatchers tell us officers have been out to check it out, and they're not worried.

5/27/2015 5pm

Rain and storms will continue off and on through friday, and with the potential for heavy rain, flooding is a big concern. Overnight, storms will continue moving west to east with the severe threat diminishing. Pockets of heavy rain in central kansas will cause some additional flooding. Lows will fall into the upper 50s and 60s. After some early morning rain thursday, look for afternoon sunshine. Temperatures will warm back above 80 with more storms firing up in western kansas during the late afternoon and evening time frame. Heavy rain is expected thursday night. And more rain is possible friday with a cold front coming through. We still expect the weather to dry out heading into the weekend as temperatures cool and drier air overspreads the region.

5/28/2015 430am

The rain isn't just causing flooding problems, but insect ones as well. Exterminators say they're overloaded with calls for pests inside people's homes. That's especially true for ants. The rain fills up their hills, forcing the ants to look for dry ground. Experts say the best way to keep them from moving into your house is to seal up any cracks.

5/29/2015 430am

While you were sleeping, more showers and storms. The activity is well east of wichita. A check of temperatures out the door. Hd future track shows morning rain with a break in between expected second round mid-late afternoon into the evening. Your weekend looks quiet. Here's your friday forecast. Now your 7-day forecast.

5/30/2015 10pm

Expect quiet weather tonight on the weather timeline. Here's your hourly forecast for sunday. On hd future track, expect clouds to be a little more stubborn over eastern kansas tonight. Sunday expect more sunshine. Isolated storms can't be ruled out sunday night in parts of central and western kansas. A check of capitol federal skycam 12. Here's our temperature map. A look at tonight's forecast. Lows will drop into the 40s and 50s! You may be reaching for a jacket if you have evening or early morning plans. Sunday's weather will be downright delightful as skies will turn mostly sunny. We expect most areas to climb into the 70s for highs, with the far western part of the state reaching the lower 80s. On the 7-day forecast, we'll see a warm start to june with highs in the 80s and repeated overnight storms chances during the week. Now your regional 7-day forecast.

5/31/2015 530am

We're wrapping the month of may on a dry note after several weeks of rain. This has been the second-wettest may on record. I'm joined by chief meteorologist ross janssen with a look at what we can expect as we head into june.

6/1/2015 430am

We're tracking some showers and isolated storms in central kansas. Here's the temperatures out the door. Your hourly forecast. Here's a look at hd future track. This is your monday forecast. Now your 7-day forecast.

6/2/2015 12pm

Temperatures will be feeling like summer and chances for storms will increase for some areas of the state. Overnight, skies will be mostly clear with lows in the 60s with south winds. Wednesday will get even warmer with some areas in central and western kansas getting above 90 degrees. A warm front will be pushing north and should help develop storms across northern kansas into the evening and overnight hours.

Some of the storms could be severe with hail and high winds. The best chance for storms will be over northern kansas into wednesday night, while southern kansas remains dry. Temperatures are expected to remain rather warm through the rest of the week for most of kansas.

6/3/2015 5pm

Storms in eastern kansas are moving off to the southeast. More storms will develop to the north tonight, some may be severe. There will be a slight risk of severe storms again tomorrow. Hd future track shows the storms to the north moving to the east and southeast overnight. Here are the current conditions and forecasts.

6/4/2015 430am

Summer-like temps, high humidity and passing storms. Early thursday, a cluster of storms is rolling along and north of i-70 around northwest kansas while the rest of the state is dry. Temperatures are in the 60s and lower 70s under a mostly clear to partly cloudy sky with southerly winds. Thursday afternoon look for a mix of sun and clouds and highs around 90 degrees for much of the state with the hottest readings in the southwest. Gusty south winds will continue except around goodland and colby where the winds will be out of the northeast. Future track shows us... A stalled front snaking its way across the state thursday afternoon producing widely scattered storms across the north by this evening into early friday morning. Late friday afternoon-evening more of the same; scattered storms across the north, perhaps dipping as far south as highway 50 by saturday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us overnight storm chances thursday, friday and again sunday and tuesday. Highs will stay on the hot side, topping-out in the mid-80s to around 90 through early next week.

6/5/2015 5pm

Future track shows us... A stalled front will remain anchored over our area friday afternoon sparking more widely scattered storms across the west and north by this evening. Storms will lift northeastward and fade into early saturday morning. Late saturday afternoon-evening more of the same; widely scattered showers and storms across the west and north, dry elsewhere through early sunday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us late-night storm chances sunday then a better bet for rain/storms late tuesday into wednesday morning. Highs will stay on the hot side, topping-out in lower-90s this weekend followed by more mid-80s to around 90 through the middle of next week.

6/6/2015 8am

Another hot and humid day across kansas with plenty of sunshine in the forecast. Afternoon highs will reach the upper 80s and low 90s, which is about 6-10 degrees above normal for early june. A dry ending to river festival activities with temperatures in the 80s this evening and upper 70s by 10 p.m. isolated late day strong to severe storms are possible across western and northern kansas. The primary threat from these storms will be damaging wind gusts and hail between 1-2 inches in diameter. Storms should begin to diminish after midnight. Sunday will be another hot and humid day across the state. A cold front will move into the kansas, increasing chances of strong to severe storms during the late afternoon and evening hours. Strong storms will continue into the overnight and will begin to taper off towards monday morning. Highs on sunday will reach the low to middle 90s, the exception will be 80s behind the front across northern and western kansas. Isolated storms are possible monday night with tuesday through thursday remaining dry. More storms enter the forecast for thursday night into next weekend. Temperatures will stay in the 80s and lower 90s through next saturday.

6/7/2015 530pm

Scattered evening storms in kansas will continue to move east through the remainder of the night. A few could be severe with hail and wind the main threats. During the night, the chance for storms will ending statewide with lows staying in the 60s to near 70. Mostly sunny skies will prevail on monday with highs in the upper 80s to near 90. It won't cool off much with a north wind expected to be under 15 mph.

Dry weather continues through midweek, but chances for showers and storms will be back in the west wednesday night and elsewhere heading into thursday.

6/8/2015 430am

More 80s and 90s, high humidity and passing storms for some this week. Early monday, scattered storms are fading over southeastern kansas. Temperatures are in the 50s and 60s, winds are light and variable under a partly to mostly cloudy sky. Mostly sunny skies will prevail monday afternoon with highs in the upper 80s to around 90. A north wind, behind a weak cold front, will not cool things down too much at all. Future track shows us... Mostly sunny skies, light winds monday afternoon. Look for more of the same monday night into tuesday with mostly clear skies, a stretch of storm-free weather and tolerable winds, through early wednesday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us late-night storm chances thursday then afternoon or evening chances again friday and saturday. Temps will stay on the hot side,

6/9/2015 430am

Our june hot streak will continue through thursday followed by another stretch of wet, stormy weather. Early tuesday, skies are clear, winds are light and temps are in the 50s and 60s. Tuesday afternoon look for sunny to mostly sunny skies, light southerly winds and highs topping out near 95 for most of our state. Future track shows us... Mostly sunny skies, light winds tuesday afternoon followed by more the same tuesday night. Wednesday we'll see some scattered afternoon clouds then the possibility of a few evening/late-night showers/storms, for some, into early thursday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us late-night storm chances thursday then off and on shower/storms chances again friday through early next week. Temps will stay hot

6/10/2015 5am

Look for a wicked warm wednesday then some heat relief due to showers and storms thursday through the weekend. Early wednesday, skies are clear, winds are light and temps are in the 60s. Prepare for more big time heat wednesday afternoon! Most of kansas will see afternoon highs in the mid to near 100 degrees again under a mostly sunny to partly cloudy sky. Future track shows us... Mostly sunny to partly cloudy skies wednesday afternoon with gusty winds across the west. Look for a few strong storms to clip northwest kansas this evening. Storms will lift up into nebraska early thursday morning. Thursday will be dry during the day followed by another round of showers/storms passing through our area during the evening through friday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us off and on shower/storm chances friday through early next week. High temps will fall from the lower 90s thursday, into the low to mid-80s friday through our weekend the climb back into the upper-80s again early next week.

6/11/2015 10pm

Severe weather continues in parts of kansas tonight. Merrill has been tracking the storms all night. Merrill what's the latest. Here's hd super doppler with a look at all of the storms. Severe weather with large hail reported. Future track shows us scattered storms will roll eastward tonight into friday morning. We'll dry out friday afternoon through evening then see more rain/storms rise-up into southern kansas from oklahoma, saturday morning.

6/12/2015 430am

kansas health officials issue their first warning of the year for blue-green algae and a wichita lake is included. The chisholm creek park lake is under warning status. This is the lake that's on the north side of k-96 - between woodlawn and oliver. It's one of five bodies of water under a warning. This is a look at the

others. When a warning like this is issued - you should avoid contact with the water - and make sure your pets don't drink it.

6/13/2015 6pm

Here's a check of hd super doppler. Your sunday hourly forecast looks like this. Here's hd future track. A check outside in wichita this evening with capitol federal skycam 12. A look at current conditions around the state. Here's the overnight forecast. Sunday's weather looks like this. The 7-day forecast looks warmer with more chances to get wet. Now your regional 7-day forecast.

6/14/2015 530pm

He showers and storms in kansas now through monday evening will remain scattered. The main threat with the storms will be torrential downpours and some lightning, but severe weather is unlikely. Low temperatures will drop into the 60s and low 70s. Light winds can be expected monday with off and on showers and storms, especially over central and eastern kansas. The west will begin to dry out for the afternoon with some peeks of sunshine. Highs will be in the low to mid 80s. Most of the state will be dry tuesday with highs in the low to mid 80s. Wednesday is also looking to be dry through the afternoon, but scattered storms will return to western kansas wednesday night.

6/15/2015 12pm

all that rain overnight caused flooding problems - in a number of areas. Several streets in newton had to be blocked off due to high water - many have since reopened. And crews were also called in to rescue two drivers stuck in flood waters. Katie hatfield was at the scene of one of those rescues.

6/16/2015 430am

Just 2 percent of the winter wheat crop in the state has been cut since harvest activity started last week.that's about the same amount compared to last year - but well behind the 18 percent average about 29 percent of the wheat is reporting in poor to very poor condition. About 41 percent is in fair shape.

6/17/2015 430am

Early wednesday, a fading cluster of showers and storms is sliding along our state-line with nebraska. Temperatures are in the 60s and 70s under a partly to mostly cloudy sky and winds are light. Remnants of bill will pass nearby wednesday with the best chance for showers and storms over southeast kansas through wednesday night. High temperatures will once again top-out in the mid-80s with light southeast winds. Future track shows us... Some sunshine in the west and mostly cloudy skies, along with a few scattered showers, over the central and east wednesday afternoon. Tonight, a closter of showers/isolated storms will clip northwest kansas then around day-break, the southeast corner will see showers/storms. The rain will move away from the southeast thursday afternoon while the rest of us see decreasing clouds through early friday morning.

6/18/2015 12pm

The remnants of bill will be passing by thursday with the best chance for showers and storms over southeast kansas through tonight. Early thursday, an area of rain and isolated storms is nipping at southeastern kansas. The wet weather will stay well southeast of the kansas turnpike. Temperatures are in the 60s under a partly to mostly cloudy sky and winds are light. Thursday afternoon look for stubborn clouds to cling to southeastern kansas while the rest of the state sees mostly sunny to partly cloudy skies. Highs will range from the mid-80s central and east to near 90 in the far west.

6/19/2015 430am

The calendar says summer begins sunday and with hot temps this weekend there'll be no doubt it's here. Early friday, temps are in the 60s to around 70 under a partly to mostly cloudy sky and winds are light. Friday afternoon look for decreasing clouds, increasing winds across western kansas and warmer temps for everyone. Highs will range from around across the central and east to near 95 for parts of the west. Future track shows us... Decreasing clouds friday, warmer temps and gusty winds across the west. Look for mostly clear skies and quiet weather friday night into saturday morning. Saturday afternoon we'll see sunny to mostly sunny skies, gusty winds and hot temps statewide. Winds will back-off a bit saturday night and skies will stay mostly clear. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us a long stretch of hot, dry, and at times, windy, weather this weekend through most of next week. Highs will warm from around 90 friday, into the low to mid, and even some upper-90s, saturday through at least, the middle of next week.

6/20/2015

6pm

Most of kansas will be dry this evening, there is a slim chance of an isolated storm near i-70 in north central kansas. Nothing is on hd super doppler right now. Here's your hourly forecast for sunday. A check of hd future track. Expect lows in the 60s and 70s under clear to mostly clear skies. For sunday, it's father's day and the first day of summer. It will certainly feel like it with gusty south winds and a bit more humidity as highs top out in the mid to upper 90s. Here's tonight's forecast. A check of your father's day forecast. Here's the 7-day forecast: plenty of heat for the first half of next week. Temperatures should trend downward a bit along with increasing rain chances at the end of the work week. Now your regional 7-day forecast.

6/22/2015

430am

Breaking news overnight. Did you feel the earthquakes?? A 3 point 7 magnitude quake shook just before midnight near perry oklahoma. There was another one near edmond about an hour before that. That one measured at 3 point 4 magnitude. We want to know if you felt either earthquake. Let us know by commenting on this when you see it in your facebook newsfeed.

6/23/2015

5am

Few more hot, windy days here in kansas then some welcome heat relief friday and into our weekend. Early tuesday, temps are in the 70s under a partly to mostly cloudy sky with a fresh southerly breeze. Tuesday will not be quite as hot as monday but most of us will see highs topping out in the mid 90's and skies becoming mostly sunny by afternoon. Future track shows us... Decreasing clouds with mostly sunny skies and lighter winds by tuesday afternoon. Look for a few showers/storms to clip northwest kansas tuesday evening but the rest of us will stay dry. Wednesday afternoon will be mostly sunny, windy and very hot again. We should see mostly clear skies and quiet weather wednesday night through thursday morning. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us hot days wednesday and thursday followed by a chance for showers/storms thursday night into friday morning. The chance to get wet will be followed by heat relief as highs fallback into the mid-80s to around 90, friday through monday.

6/24/2015

430am

A couple hotter, windy days then some welcome heat relief friday. Early wednesday, temps are in the 60s and 70s, skies are mostly clear winds are still gusty out of the south-southwest. Gusty southwesterly winds and lots of sun wednesday and thursday will heat our afternoon highs back up into the upper 90's to near 100 degrees. Future track shows us... Mostly sunny skies, gusty winds and hot temps wednesday afternoon. Look for a few showers/storms to clip northwest kansas wednesday evening but the rest of us will stay dry. Thursday afternoon will be breezy and hot again with scattered clouds. Thursday night into friday morning, a front will sag through kansas sparking a few widely scattered showers/storms. Widespread severe weather is not expected. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us the last of the super-hot wednesday and thursday followed by shower/storm chances thursday night into friday morning. Friday will bring sweet, heat relief when highs fall-back into the mid-80s to around 90 then stay there through early next week.

6/26/2015

12pm

Here's a look at hd super doppler. A look at your hourly forecast. A check of current conditions in wichita and the rest of the state. Hd future track shows the cold front out of the state by this afternoon. Look for

much cooler temperatures with today's highs in the low to mid 80's. Here's your 7-day forecast. The cooler temperatures will continue for the start of your weekend with highs in the mid to upper 80's as well as lower winds and humidity. By sunday and early next week the heat will return as temperatures jump back into the 90's.

6/27/2015 9am

A look at the weather timeline for your weekend forecast. Let's check out the hourly forecast. Rain chances look slim. Here's hd future track showing you your beautiful weather to start the weekend. A check of your saturday forecast. Tonight's weather in kansas. Here's your 7-day forecast.

6/28/2015 10pm

Temperatures in the 90's will stick around all week with highs topping out in the upper 90's for tuesday and wednesday. There will an on and off again chance for storms starting wednesday and continuing throughout the week. We can't rule out the chance of storms in western kansas for saturday, july 4th. We will continue to refine and update our forecast throughout the week.

6/29/2015 430am

Here's hd super doppler. A check of current temperatures. This is your hourly forecast. On hd future track, a mostly quiet but hot monday is on the way. Here's today's forecast. Now your 7-day forecast.

6/30/2015 430am

Look for two hot days, then storm chances, followed by some brief heat relief. Early tuesday, skies are clear, temps are in the 60s and 70s and winds are light. Tuesday and wednesday will be the hottest days this week with highs in the upper 90's and a few triple-digits highs for some. Wichita could see its first 100 degree day this year wednesday. Future track shows us... Mostly sunny skies and hot temps tuesday afternoon. A few showers/storms could clip far northeast kansas tuesday night into wednesday morning, but the rest of us will stay dry under a partly to mostly cloudy sky. Wednesday afternoon will be hot again with mostly sunny to partly cloudy skies. Look for a few isolated shower/storms over eastern kansas wednesday evening as a weak front sags through our state. Our 7-day forecast... Shows us a bit of a cool-down after two hot days tuesday and wednesday with highs falling back into the upper-80s and lower-90s thursday through saturday, only to heat back up again sunday and monday. Other than passing shower/storm chances wednesday and thursday evenings, the next 7-8 days

Health & safety

4/1/2015 10pm

New at 10... Via christi health announces that it's expanding training when it comes to spotting warning signs that a patient may be a victim of human trafficking. Last year via christi launched its program...as part of the catholic health association's national awareness campaign to combat human trafficking. Today new training programs began for physicians...nurses...and others. The training programs continue tomorrow.

4/2/2015 6pm

Wichita police say a driver shot on east kellogg last night is not being cooperative with investigators. The 36-year-old is a documented gang member. He was shot in the shoulder... Driving eastbound on kellogg near washington. He's in serious but stable condition at a local hospital. Police are still looking for the shooter.

4/3/2015 5pm

New at five... State regulators shut down a home daycare. Surveyors say they were initially denied access to the lighthouse learning day care near oliver and crestview. They were also told the daycare was closed for the day, but inspectors discovered 12 children were in the home. Inspectors say five were under 18 months of age, which is more than the daycare's license allows. The report also says the daycare was not tending to the needs of the children.

4/4/2015 8am

While thousands are cleaning up the damage, one Kansas family is grieving the loss of one man killed in the storm. That happened in Scott City, western Kansas. Deputies say a man was inside of a mobile home when strong winds blew it off its foundation. Winds were recorded at approximately 100 miles per hour there.

4/5/2015 10pm

We're learning more details tonight- about a wreck that killed one person and hurt two others in northwest Kansas. It happened along I-70 in Trego County west of Ellis this afternoon. According to the crash report... The vehicle was going westbound... When it left the roadway. It missed the guard rail... And went airborne into a ravine. The Kansas Highway Patrol says three people were in the car that then crashed into a tree. One person died, two others were taken to area hospitals with unknown injuries. The names of those involved have not been released.

4/6/2015 12pm

No students were hurt when a school bus crashed on a highway on-ramp in Wichita this morning. The bus was going east on Kellogg and was exiting onto the ramp for northbound I-135 when it lost traction on the wet roads. It then slid and crashed into the cement siding on the ramp and ended up sideways on the road, blocking traffic. Three students, the bus driver and an adult aid were on board... The aid was the only person who was hurt and suffered only minor injuries. The Kansas Highway Patrol is investigating the accident.

4/7/2015 6am

We hope to learn more information this morning about a shooting in Butler County. Sheriff's deputies were called to a home in El Dorado late Sunday night. They found no victim and no shooter. But someone showed up at the hospital with a gunshot wound. He was taken to a Wichita hospital. Deputies have been going door to door talking with people in the area.

4/8/2015 4:30am

As Mark told us earlier, we could see some severe weather this afternoon and this evening. After a busy last few days... Westar rested many of their employees yesterday to prepare for any storm damage today. The Wichita School District is also preparing. It says your kids are its top priority. Devon Fasbinder tells us, the district has FEMA storm shelters, frequent emergency drills and even plans for bus drivers to keep your kids safe. A lock of safety for students is something one parent says was a requirement. The Wichita School District says it has 83 FEMA storm shelters. And the seven schools that don't, have designated safe places in case of severe weather. Once this FEMA shelter at Horace Mann is closed and locked, it stays that way until an "all clear" is given. There are also secondary shelters, like bathrooms, for students who have to leave a bus during a warning. The district says bus drivers know to find the first school they can and look for this sign. The principal says the plans are very organized and asks parents to trust the district. Something to keep in mind for parents...once that FEMA shelter is closed and locked, it will not open until the county issues an all clear. That means you would not be able to pick up your student while the shelter is locked.

4/9/2015 10pm

The death of an infant in Jetmore, Kansas continues to be under investigation. A Hodgeman County Sheriff's deputy is being investigated in connection to the death. The K-B-I is helping with the case. Authorities have not told us how the child died...so far no charges have been filed.

4/10/2015 6pm

The Wichita School District is still assessing the damage from last Friday's storms... But damage could cost more than 175-thousand dollars to repair. Damage has been found on 6 school buildings so far. The biggest issue found so far is the rooftop heating and air unit at Gammon Elementary. Monday the school board will consider a request for 175-thousand dollars from the district's emergency fund to begin repairs. Not all district buildings have been assessed yet. Additional money for repairs will be requested as needed.

4/11/2015 9am

Do you feel like going to the gym isn't giving you the results you want? If you have a fitness goal that you're having trouble reaching ... Dani wellie explains how changing your diet... Might be what you're missing. If you ever feel like your workout routine isn't giving you the results you want, it's probably because you haven't incorporated the other half of the puzzle. Nutrition is a big part of the vehicle for achieving those fitness goals. Incorporating nutrition into your lifestyle can be as simple as making small changes to your diet, or as complex as calorie counting. What you ingest pre and post workout affects how you work out...therefore affecting your results. During a workout...good ole h20 is really all you need...the goal is to take in as much as you sweat.

And if you are thinking about supplements, they can aide in reaching your goal...but aren't needed if you are eating healthy foods with a diet full of the calories you need. So start thinking about more than just your workout if you're not getting the results you want. If there's a workout you want dani to try...or a fitness trend you want us to explain-- email us! Send your ideas to "work it out" at kwch dot com.

4/12/2015 10pm

A semi truck crash shuts down parts of i-70 and sends one person to the hospital. It happened in lincoln county west of salina this morning. The kansas highway patrol says the driver of the semi was distracted... And rear-ended another truck carrying a load of logs. The semi driver had to be extracted from the cab of his truck. Neither driver was badly hurt, but one passenger was taken to a salina hospital.

4/14/2015 10pm

A pedestrian hit along a county road is in serious condition tonight and we just got some more information on the incident. Deputies say the man walking was at fault. He was crossing the street to get the mail and the driver didn't see him in time. Devon fashbinder has the latest.

4/15/2015 6am

A baby born near deaf is discovering new things. Check this out. With the help of tiny hearing aids, 9-week old elijah is hearing his mother's voice for the first time. You can see elijah look up at her when she says his name. He even gives a little smile. Mom says elijah was born with "severe" deafness in both ears.

4/18/2015 6pm

it's one of the toughest jobs out there... Being a parent. And many new dads will tell you... They didn't feel as prepared to handle a newborn as new moms. That's why "via christi hospital" is hoping to help-out new and expectant dads... With a special class just for them. Emily griffin talks with a few of them about why they feel this class is so important. It's not conversation you'd expect to hear from a group of grown men... But all this baby talk is part of via christi's boot camp for new dads... Getting them ready for what's to come. Steven james first came to the class when his wife was pregnant, and is back with his 6 month old... To help address questions and concerns many new dads face. And these dads will tell you... The hard part isn't just dealing with dirty diapers. Which is why they say it's important to get a few helpful hints now. Preparing them for some of the tough times... So they can also enjoy some of the best.

4/19/2015 530am

police say a man in his mid-30 was driving too fast on southbound maize road when he lost control, hit a curb and crossed the center line ... Colliding with two vehicles driving northbound at the time. Two of the vehicles involved in the crash caught fire. The man was pronounced dead on the scene. One person suffered serious injuries ... And two others were taken to the hospital with moderate injuries. Police and witnesses say it could have been much worse.

4/20/2015 10pm

According to data, the road has four accidents. City engineers say the road has performed well. drivers say they're concerned about the speed and visibility of traffic signals at 21st and maize road.

The posted speed limit along this intersection is forty-miles an hour. After the road was increased to four lanes three years ago to make room for two turning lanes, the viewer feels like the road is misaligned for north and south bound traffic. We contacted the city to get more data about the intersection. City engineers say the road has performed well since it was widened. According to data provided by the city -- maize road and 21st has four accidents. The city said it would need more time to put together more in depth information.

4/21/2015 12pm

all blue-bell creamery products are being pulled from stores... Because of growing listeria concerns. The company is recalling all ice-cream... After new samplings tested positive for the bacteria that causes listeria. It's the latest alert... In a story we've been warning you about for weeks. It all started march 13th... When ice cream contaminated with listeria was linked to three deaths at a via christi saint francis hospital in wichita. Five others in kansas and texas have been sickened with the disease. The listeria bacteria was tracked to a production line in texas. And later to a second line in broken arrow, oklahoma. The broken arrow facility will remain closed as blue bell continues to investigate what's causing it. The company says it's increasing testing on all products... And expects to resume distribution soon on a limited basis once it is confident in the safety of its ice cream. If you've recently purchased blue-bell ice cream...return it where you bought it for a full refund. We have a team continuing to follow the story for you today. Expect more... Tonight on eyewitness news at 4-5-and 6.

4/22/2015 430am

People had to evacuate a nearby bar after part of an antique business catches fire. New this morning - the fire chief says it started on the patio area of a loft above the business on south santa fe near iron avenue. Heavy smoke did spread to several stores nearby. There's still no word what caused the fire.

4/23/2015 5pm

More people are using beauty box subscription services that send makeup, skin creams and other products right to your door every month. Consumer reports checked some of the most popular packages to see just what you get. Jenn bates explains which ones are worth the price.

4/24/2015 10pm

The latest on a story *you've been asking us to give you updates. A 9-year-old girl hurt in a deadly crash... Is improving in the hospital. Natalie wesley is now in serious condition. Her family says doctors hope to move her out of intensive care this weekend. Natalie was hurt this weekend at 13th and maize... When police say a speeding car crossed the center line and hit her family's s-u-v. The driver of that car died. Natalie's mother and sister were also hurt, but are now *out of the hospital.

4/25/2015 8am

harley riders listen up nearly 46 thousand harley davidson motorcycles are now being recalled because they could stay in gear due to clutches that won't fully disengage. The recall covers certain electra glide, ultra limited, police electra glide, street glide, road glide and road king models from the 2014 and 2015 model years. The company says gas bubbles can cause the clutch master cylinder to lose its ability to fully disengage the clutch, especially if the bike has been parked for a long time. This could cause a rider to lose control of the motorcycle if it's started in gear.

4/27/2015 12pm

An important alert for dog owners we've followed since this morning. Nyla bone is recalling its puppy starter kit. The company says the dog chews may have been contaminated with salmonella and could sicken both you and your pet. The recalled product comes in a 1 point 69 ounce package with lot number 21-9-35 and an expiration date of march 22th 2018. If you have one of these starter kits you can return it to the store for a full refund.

4/30/2015 10am

so what is too far when it comes to posting messages. On social media and how can you help your child know about the consequences involved with stepping over the line. Jade degood spoke with a family therapist and the wichita school district to try to answer those questions. The internet has become a great

tool for students to learn and communicate. But with that... We've also seen how dangerous some of these sites can be. And the consequences that come when people go too far. When it comes to working with teens. Social media is a hot topic in mac mckenzie's therapy office. He says... Because kids are using social media at a younger age. Parents need to start even earlier talking with them about the dangers this tool brings... And monitoring their accounts. Terri Moses is the executive director of safety services at Wichita schools. She says a social media post crosses the line... When it affects the educational environment. She says... It's important for kids to know those posts could have lasting consequences.

5/1/2015 4:30am

diseases we once considered gone from the U.S. are making a comeback recently ... And some say it's because more parents are choosing not to vaccinate. Every time this topic comes up - hundreds of you let us know on our Facebook page how you feel about it. Factfinder 12 investigator Lauren Seabrook tells us about two parents who both have children dealing with severe health struggles. One is for vaccines...the other against.

5/2/2015 10pm

A semi truck fire closes southbound lanes of I-135 in McPherson County tonight. Take a look. This video was sent in from Danielle. The semi was hauling cars when it caught fire. Nobody was hurt, and no word on what caused that fire. The Kansas Highway Patrol says both southbound lanes from exit 72 to 65 will be closed to traffic as they work to remove the debris.

5/3/2015 5:30am

This is what a family in South Wichita woke up to early this morning. Police say a driver lost control ... Crashing into a parked car in the driveway of a home. We spoke to police and the woman who lives in that home. Who both say...? If the car wasn't there... This would have been even worse.

5/4/2015 12pm

new now. Parents in the Norwich School District. Get a message telling them of a school threat? The superintendent would not give specifics on the threat. Only that the district learned of it after school on Friday. He says police are investigating and providing extra security around the school. So far... There are *no* arrests...

5/6/2015 5am

Breaking news right now. Reports of cattle on the road right now near K-96 and 119th. Emily Griffin just got on scene.

5/7/2015 10pm

A possible case of whooping cough is reported in Hutchinson. The school district spokesman says staff and students at Hutchinson High School have been notified of the possible case. The Reno County Health Department and the Kansas Department of Health are investigating.

5/8/2015 10pm

The Food and Drug Administration says it was not told listeria had been found at a Blue Bell Creameries plant before an outbreak was linked to that plant earlier this year. An FDA investigation showed the company had found bacteria dating back to 2013 at its Oklahoma plant. Companies are required to report to the FDA if they find something that could make people sick. New documents show the plant in Oklahoma tested positive for listeria 16 times since 2013.

5/9/2015 6pm

Storm Team 12 has been telling you about the risk for severe storms all week. One wave of rain has already passed ... But storms are on the way through the evening. We have crews and chasers positioned across the state. We begin our team coverage with chief meteorologist Ross Janssen who's tracking storms that are starting to appear.

5/10/2015

530pm

Many times - people who have a bad experience at a restaurant or business go immediately to a review page or facebook to let the world know. But how harsh can you legally be - without facing a lawsuit? Imagine seeing this photo - and a caption that says it was taken at the very restaurant you were headed to. Would you think twice about eating there?

5/11/2015

10pm

Runners take note...before signing up for that next fun run make sure you're not signing up for a scam. Michael schwanke tells you about a new better business bureau warning. The better business bureau is urging you to be cautious when signing up for some so called color runs that never actually occur.they've branded it as a scam. The biggest red flag involves the color five mile races. We have the race website pulled up here which lists more than 100 events scheduled in more than 40 states including kansas. Locations listed on here include wichita and manhattan. You can see the site appears to be legitimate. Here's the manhattan race pulled up. You can see it says it's in july. The entry fee is about 45 dollars a person with an early bird entry fee that ended last month of 19 dollars. The operation collects that fee but doesn't actually conduct the race or cancels according to the better business bureau and you never get a refund. Here are some recommendations for you if you're interested in participating in color runs. Contact the venue to make sure the event is scheduled to be held there. The b-b-b is also urging caution regarding two other race operations...color in motion and run or dye. The issue they say is organizers charge high rates...cite questionable ties to charities and have a track record of cancelling or rescheduling races....and invoking a no-refund clause.

5/12/2015

430am

It's like a modern day nursery rhyme...macaroni salad is responsible for helping police catch three burglars. Police in rochester, new york say a someone broke into a restaurant over the week. The owner says things like security cameras, the cash register and other things were vandalized. Right down the road from the restaurant is where investigators found evidence of the crime.

they found parts of the cameras and cash register, but most important, the macaroni salad. Investigators say these three men took turns eating the macaroni salad while trying to get away. Leaving a trail of evidence, macaroni salad behind. All three men face burglary charges. One of them is also facing drug charges.

5/13/2015

6pm

We now know the type of dog that bit a three-year-old boy last night.

Causing the child to go to the hospital. A border-collie mix. But the child on the face at an apartment complex in riverside. The child had to go to the hospital for treatment. Wichita officers tell us... The boy will be released tomorrow. Animal control says... The dog will be held for ten days for a rabies check. If the owner wants the dog back, they must go to a hearing. Then, comply with the city ordinance on dangerous dog guidelines.

5/14/2015

10pm

there are still no signs of a missing helicopter pilot after three days of searching in nepal. Wichita native chris norgren was one of eight people on board the u-s marine helicopter that disappeared. Norgren was sent to nepal to fly disaster relief supplies following the strong earthquake that hit the country. Norgren's father tells us they've been in contact with marine representatives. They've also contacted members of congress in hopes more resources can be sent to nepal to help search the rugged terrain.

5/15/2015

430am

that's part of the first 9-1-1 call made.... After a ceiling collapsed near seneca and may in wichita. About a dozen people were hurt... And were taken to the hospital for their injuries investigators say. The weight of rain collecting on the ceiling caused it to give way.

5/16/2015

9am

Working out can put stress on your muscles but one unique practice can strengthen your muscles while *relieving* stress dani wilniak tells us more about wall yoga.

5/18/2015 430am

back here in wichita... We're also dealing with flooding issues. You can see high water covering roads and fields near the northwest ymca... And the cow skin creek area. Water levels at cow skin creek are falling. Water rose into backyards... But the deputy director of public works says it is not affecting any homes. One road in the area is blocked because of high water. Here's the area you'll want to avoid. 13th street just west of 119th street west. It's expected to be closed until late today or early tuesday.

5/19/2015 430am

you count on it to keep your basement dry. But repair companies say they're hearing from more of you... About your sump pump. Not only about pumps not working... But also pumps running for hours at a time. Factfinder 12 breaks down things you can do to keep your home dry. Have your sump pump checked every year. To make sure it's working correctly...

5/20/2015 10pm

Ome businesses in salina are evacuated this afternoon after this was found...an artillery shell. The device was dropped of at iron and metal scrap business. The fort riley explosive ordinance team took the shell to the salina bomb range to dispose of it safely. Officials weren't sure how long the shell had been at the business or where it came from but they wanted to take precautions.

5/22/2015 6am

students and parents will be allowed back at riverside elementary school today to pick up their things. The school was evacuated thursday because of a gas leak. Students and staff were evacuated to "riverside christian church." it was the last day of school, so kids have a lot of things to bring home. Those things can be picked up today. Crews have since repaired the leak.

5/23/2015 6pm

The heavy rains in wichita. Mean flooded streets... Making it difficult for drivers to get around. Devon fasbinder is at 3rd and bleckley... With a look at those flooded roads. Here's a look at some video we shot earlier of all of this flooding across the city. Some drivers took it easy through the flooded streets hugging the center of the road and taking safety precautions. Some turned around when confronted with flooding. But others decided to plow through the causing walls of water and maybe some danger to their engines. One wichita man often sits on his front porch and watches the cars pass through. People getting stuck, hydroplaning and tearing through the water is something he says he sees all the time. He says once it stops raining, the flooding usually will go down within a half hour or forty-five minutes.

5/24/2015 530am

all that rain saturday has caused flooding in parts of the state. Take a look at these photos from lyon county. The lyon county sheriff tells k-v-o-e that more than a dozen roads are closed because of flooding. Several surrounding counties have also shut down roads. A flood warning is in affect for lyon county until 10-45 tonight ... The county will remain under a flash flood watch until noon tomorrow.

5/25/2015 5pm

The unofficial start to summer means the unofficial start to grilling season. Consumer reports just finished testing dozens of grills. Jenn bates shows us the winners.

5/26/2015 430am

A fire breaks out at a pet store in lawrence...killing many of the animals. You can see people trying to give some of the pet's oxygen. Smoke poured out of the front and back doors of this pet world store. The store was closed at the time of the fire so it took firefighters almost 30 minutes to get inside all the dogs...ferrets...rabbits...and exotic birds inside died because of smoke inhalation. Just reptiles...iguanas and turtles survived. Many longtime customers say losing the locally-owned store is tough.

5/30/2015 10pm

Tate police say dale carter the driver of that white van failed to stop before slamming into the back of this semi-trailer carrying 4400 gallons of gasoline. Sgt mst brian grunder it was in the front two compartments of the tanker so it wasn't near the impact zone where the van struck. Carter was pronounced dead at the scene.

And the driver of the semi-truck was taken to wesley medical center in stable condition. The posted speed limit on that stretch of road is 55mph

A fast moving road -- trooper grunder says there's no evidence the driver of that van was speeding. Sgt mst brian grunder we do have possible witnesses who say he could have been going faster than that, but nothing nailed down he was exceeding the posted speed limit. 75 yards away when the crash happened michael uran says he heard a loud noise -- looked outside his window and saw the van on fire. Sgt michael uran when i got there i knew it was one of those deals where you needed to kind of get back and make sure everybody was safe. A licensed emt -- he was off duty at the time, but ran over to see if he could help. Noticing the van was fully engulfed -- he started moving people as far back as possible. Sgt michael uran about 20 feet away from a fuel tanker. Anybody knows if that's going down you want to be a long way from that situation.

5/31/2015 530am

Two kansans are dead after a van crashes into a semi in grant county. The two from ulysses were driving in the van on a county road saturday morning. When a semi... Driven by a 44-year-old from garden city... Didn't come to a complete stop at the intersection causing the van to crash into it. Earl and charla seger were pronounced dead on scene. The semi driver was taken to a local hospital.

6/1/2015 430am

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6/2/2015 12pm

It was the final flight out of the old terminal at dwight eisenhower national airport and it will be a memorable one for other reasons. It was breaking news only on eyewitness news at nine. Tonight a flight had to make an emergency landing at eisenhower airport after a passenger became ill. Lauren seabrook is live at the airport with what happened and reaction from passengers.

6/4/2015 430am

Breaking news this morning from reno county, that's where 9-1-1 dispatchers say a semi has overturned. Hannah davis is on the way to the scene right now. It's happening at highway 50 and victory road, just east of hutchinson. We're told one person is in serious condition, and that the crash was likely caused by cattle in the road. Dispatchers say one cow is dead, and crews are trying to round up more cattle at the scene.

6/5/2015 5pm

in a factfinder 12 consumer alert. Mazda is recalling nearly 540 thousand cars and pickup trucks to fix airbags that can explode with too much force. The vehicles are equipped with inflators made by takata. Last month the company agreed to recall 33 point 8 million of the devices, making it the largest auto recall in u-s history. The latest update affects some models of the mazda 6, mazda speed 6, the r-x-8 and the b-series pickup truck. Contact your dealer for a fix.

6/6/2015 8am

health officials are urging you to protect yourself. And your family from the west Nile virus. More standing water means more mosquitoes. And the Kansas department of health and environment says it's seen a major increase in the number of mosquitoes in sedgwick county... Including the type that may spread west Nile virus. When outdoors... Use insect repellent that contains DEET... Especially when mosquitoes are most

active at dusk and dawn. And get rid of mosquito breeding sites by emptying standing water around your home. So far there have been no reported cases of west nile in kansas...there were 76 cases last year.

6/8/2015 430am

a factfinder 12 alert if you drive a jeep grand cherokee. U-s safety regulators are looking into complaints the automatic brakes can come on for no reason in 2014 jeep grand cherokees. It covers about 20 thousand s-u-v. The braking system is designed to help avoid crashes. The national highway traffic safety administration has received 9 complaints so far. No crashes or injuries have been reported.

6/9/2015 430am

A bill aimed at strengthening the penalties in certain d-u-i cases is now law. In what's known as mija's law...there will soon be tougher penalties and expanded sentencing options in cases where a d-u-i causes significant bodily harm. That's what happened to mija stockman who was seriously hurt by a drunk driver in 2013. Mija was there when governor sam brownback signed the bill. The man who hit her had prior d-u-i convictions...but was sentenced to less than three years in prison.

6/10/2015 5am

Factfinder 12 looks at some simple things. You can do to make sure your kids are safe around the pool. Secure your pools with barriers such as a fence. Also place a safety cover on the pool when it's not in use. The american red cross also says you should consider installing a pool alarm that goes off if anyone enters the pool. Make sure to teach your children basic water safety tips. Finally...if a child is missing look in the pool first.

6/11/2015 10pm

When calling 9-1-1... Sometimes speaking out loud can put you at risk. That's one reason many kansas counties will be changing to a new 9-1-1 system... That allows texting. Jade degood went to check it out in reno county...

6/12/2015 430am

Breaking news overnight. One person has died after they were hit by a train. Police say a man in his 20's was trying to cross the tracks near k-15 and hydraulic just before 2 this morning. That's when the train conductor saw him, blew the horn and tried to slow down. But couldn't avoid hitting him. Right now, the railroad crossing is shut down, while crews are working to clear the scene. Hannah davis is on her way to the scene. Look for live reports from her starting at 5.

6/13/2015 6pm

New at 6. A house explosion in riley, kansas... Has sent a woman and three children to the hospital. The explosion happened in the 200 block of north high street in riley... Shortly after 12:30 this afternoon. The riley county fire chief says the explosion blew the garage door out into the street... And caused a large fire that destroyed the home, garage and a vehicle. A neighbor was first on scene... And crawled through a window to get one of the children out. The 30-year-old tenant and three kids were transported to a hospital in manhattan. Their injuries are unknown at this time.

6/14/2015 530pm

another day of showers and thunderstorms to end your weekend. And they're not over just yet. Chief meteorologist ross janssen is in the storm center to break down the threat those storms are bringing ... Ross?

6/15/2015 12pm

target is getting out of the pharmacy business. It announced plans to sell its pharmacy and clinic businesses to c-v-s health corporation for one-point-nine-billion dollars. But don't worry - you'll still be able to get flu shots and prescriptions filled at target stores. As part of the deal, the pharmacies and clinics will be rebranded with the c-v-s name and will operate under a store-within-a-store format. The deal affects

target's more than 16-hundred pharmacies and 80 clinics. C-v-s is also expected to open up as many as 20 new clinics in target stores in the next few years.

6/16/2015 430am

As you can tell from that 911 call - it's not a good idea to try and go through flooded roadways. Not only is it dangerous - it's not good for your vehicle because your engine can stall. It only takes about one foot of moving water to sweep our car off the road. Again - if you see any water on the road - the best advice is to turn around. If your engine does stall in high water and you are unable to restart your car - leave it there - and get somewhere safe.

6/18/2015 12pm

We are following breaking news out of hutchinson where there is a report of a drowning at a bible camp. It happened at the kansas bible camp in the 4500 block of west 65th avenue. Scanner traffic indicated the victim is out of the water let's go out to pilar who is live at the scene.

6/19/2015 430am

Moms and dads, if you smoke, the c-d-c says you should go outside your home a new report from the c-d-c says more than one-third of children whose parents smoke cigarettes may be exposing their children to second hand smoke if they smoke inside the house they recommend moving outside to light up...to lessen the effects of second hand smoke researchers found only 60 percent of parents have established voluntary 'smoke free rules' at home.

6/20/2015 6pm

ride-hailing company... Uber... Says no guns allowed inside an uber ride. The company changed its firearms policy this month... Based on feedback from riders and drivers. Before is had deferred to local law on the issue. Anyone who violates the new rule may lose access to the uber platform.

6/22/2015 430am

Flooding causing more problems in missouri. Neighbors and businesses kept a close eye on the water levels in rivers and creeks near excelsior springs. Flooding has caused some roads to be closed. Residents say every time it rains, their basements fill up with water. Public works say the water is going down.

6/23/2015 5am

All the rain didn't just affect people. Pets were also having a tough time when an animal shelter in texas flooded. All the animals had to be evacuated. Onlookers jumped into action, helping carry dogs and cats out. But it wasn't just people helping out. All 45 animals made it out alive. The dogs are staying at an old fire station while the cats were taken to petsmart.

6/26/2015 12pm

Morning showers and thunderstorms delay tee times by three hours for the air capitol classic. Meteorologist rodney price is in the storm center with an update on how much rain we got.

6/28/2015 10pm

A wichita child is home tonight after accidentally being shot in the face by a b-b gun. Wichita police say it happened around eleven this morning in the 22-hundred block of east maywood. The 7-year-old girl. And a 29-year-old man babysitting her... Were apparently playing with a b-b gun. And didn't realize a b-b was in the barrel. The gun went off and the girl was shot in the nose. She was taken to the hospital in serious condition, but was later released. Police are investigating whether charges should be filed.

6/29/2015 430am

If you own an acura listen up. The company is now recalling more than 100-thousand suv's over safety concerns. It effects 2014 and 2015 m-d-x suv's. The company says they were equipped with an air conditioner pulley that is prone to loosen or break, creating a hazard for other motorists.

if you have one of these vehicles, you can take it to a dealership to be fixed for free.
no crashes or injuries have been reported.

Politics

4/1/2015 10pm

Tomorrow kansas governor sam brownback... Will sign a gun rights measure into law. The measure approved by lawmakers last week allows residents to carry concealed firearms without a permit. With the signing...kansas will become the fifth state to allow this. Permits will still be issued for gun owners who want to carry concealed in other states that recognize kansas permits.

4/2/2015 6pm

Now the latest from the legislature... Where governor sam brownback points to school block grant funding as one of the major successes coming out of the legislative session this year. We've been asking for an interview with the governor for weeks... Today he met with *all media... To talk about how *he thinks the state's improved in the last three months... Pilar pedraza was there... And says education funding was the biggest topic discussed. The governor praised the school block grant funding bill as a win... Saying it gives schools more money and more flexibility in how to spend that money. He said... The problems some districts are having... Aren't because of the block grants themselves. The governor talked about where kansas education is at... And where he'd like to see it going... He said with the new block grant funding law... For the first time ever.... Kansas is spending 4-billion dollars on k-12 schools. But when we asked about specific districts having shorten the school year or close buildings....when pushed further about the case in concordia, a district having to end the school year early... The governor said the budget problem wasn't because of anything the state has done. He also denied that schools in larger cities... Like wichita... Are losing money under the block grants. He said districts will now have to decide for themselves where the money should be spent? Lawmakers have just two years to develop the new school funding formula. That's when the temporary block grants automatically end. Some here expect that to be the biggest issue of next year's legislative session. In topeka, pilar pedraza, eyewitness news.

4/3/2015 5pm

State lawmakers gathered in downtown wichita to try to convince you to vote "no" on a city initiative next week... Lowering penalties for some marijuana offenses. Anna auld spoke to the state representatives this afternoon....she explains what happened from the newsroom. We have been covering this issue for several months. And now... We are only four days away from voting. That's why supporters and opponents of the initiative met downtown and gave one last push for their side. Laws regarding marijuana have been changing nationwide and next week they could also change in wichita. Lawmakers are voicing their opinions just days before the vote, to let you know how it would affect the city and you. Leaders are trying to get you to vote "no" on the marijuana ballot initiative. Voting "yes" would make a first offense for possession of marijuana a lesser charge. Representative mark kahrs says he has several issues with the initiative. Other wichita leaders say we saw the affects the drug can have on children last summer with the seth jackson case. Jackson pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter after leaving his 10-month-old foster child in a hot car. Prosecutors say he was smoking pot when the little girl died. Esau freeman is one of the supporters for the marijuana reform initiative. He doesn't believe the lawmakers are making a good argument. People on both sides of the issue are asking you to voice your opinion by voting next week. You can find complete campaign 2015 coverage on our website, including our fact checks of ads in mayor's race. Just go to k-w-c-h dot com slash campaign 15.

4/5/2015 10pm

Thanks pilar. That coverage will begin once the polls close. We'll bring you updates on air and online throughout the night... You can also watch our live reports that night at nine and ten for the latest election results.

4/6/2015 12pm

Damage from friday's storm is shutting down a sedgwick county polling site. People planning to vote at the northside church of christ on north meridian will be relocated... To the law enforcement training center on west 37th street north. Polls will be open from 6 am to 7 pm tomorrow. You can find your polling place... And more information on what's on the ballot in the campaign 20-15 section at kwch-dot-com.

4/7/2015 6am

Senator rand paul is expected to announce his 20-16 presidential campaign today. The kentucky republican released a video sunday on social media. It highlights his political rise over the last 2 years. The video calls him a, quote, "different kind of republican leader." paul is a son of former texas congressman ron paul -- who ran for president three times.

4/8/2015 430am

Kansas attorney general derek schmidt says he plans to sue the city after voters pass an initiative to ease penalties for people caught with small amounts of marijuana. The issue passed last night. Lauren seabrook talked with the leader of a group of supporters about what they plan to do now that the initiative has passed. A group of very happy supporters gathered here at the anchor in downtown wichita to share their celebration after a long journey... And a lot of hard work to get to this point. Now - there's been some misinterpretation of this ordinance. It doesn't legalize marijuana use in wichita it lessens the penalty for first time offenders - changing it from a misdemeanor to a "criminal infraction" ... And reducing the fine from 25-hundred-dollars to only 50-dollars. This conflicts with state law. And the kansas attorney general says he plans to sue the city of wichita because of it. We asked the group's organizer what he plans to do now. You may remember this whole thing started with a petition ... And hundreds of signatures on that petition just to take this issue to a public vote. In downtown wichita, lauren seabrook, eyewitness news.

4/14/2015 10pm

There was a "changing of the guard"... At wichita city hall this morning. Newly-elected mayor jeff longwell was sworn into office this morning. The former district five council member won the election one week ago... Defeating challenger sam williams. Longwell knows the city has some challenges ahead. He says... It will be a team effort to find solutions. Wichita also has a new face on the city council. Bryan frye is taking over longwell's former seat in district five.

4/20/2015 10pm

governor brownback...vetoes a bill that would have upped regulations on ride-hailing companies like uber. The bill would require some drivers for uber and other similar companies to provide proof of broad insurance and undergo state background checks. Uber was against the bill...saying it could force the company out of the state. The bill passed with large majorities in both chambers and one republican lawmaker says they will attempt to override the governor's veto.in a statement brownback says the bill was "premature" and might stifle growth.

4/23/2015 5pm

Thursday morning the governor's staff presented his new plan for the state's budget through fiscal year 2017.it would save more than 200-million dollars. Education was *not* touched in this latest suggested cut. Most of the money came out of social services.... Mainly through the kansas department of health and environment.a spokesperson for the department says that doesn't mean *you'll* see any change in services. Earlier this week... The state's revenue department announced kansas is continuing to collect less in taxes and fees than expected... Meaning it has about a 400-million dollar shortfall.

4/28/2015 5pm

When lawmakers return to topeka tomorrow - they will be talking about raising your taxes. Anne meyer caught up to governor sam brownback today... To ask him about options to make up millions in projected shortfalls.... Anne?

5/3/2015 530am

The state of kansas is headed back to court this week. To defend how it funds your public school system. For years. Several school districts have argued cuts to education funding in kansas. Violate the state's constitution. This week's hearing will look at how the new block grant funding signed into law by the governor last month... Changes the situation. To date... The courts have agreed with schools. Telling the state funding is neither equitable nor adequate.

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5/6/2015 5am

Lawmakers in topeka continue to work on a plan to close out the projected budget deficit. The last day of the session is scheduled for may 16th. That gives them nine more days to fill an estimated 422 million dollar shortfall. Sessions can go into overtime. In fact...it's happened eight times in the past 20 years. Lawmakers say that half of that 400 million dollar deficit can be paid for with one-time transfers and budget manipulation. The remainder requires spending cuts or tax increases. Lawmakers began working yesterday on a plan to raise taxes. Homeowners will pay a higher property tax under a proposal endorsed in a senate panel. If the idea goes through it would be about a 46 dollar a year increase for most homeowners. They're also endorsing a measure to overhaul how property taxes are imposed on vehicles...this would save you money over all but boost property taxes collected by the state. Governor sam brownback has been pushing for increasing tobacco and alcohol taxes. This measure was tabled by the taxation committee. With higher taxes almost a certainty...we asked some of you where you think we could afford to raise taxes in the state.

5/8/2015 10pm

Marijuana laws in kansas could change this year as a bill that would lessen penalties for possession clears the house. It comes at the same time wichita-based koch industries pushes the feds and states to look at drug laws. Michael schwanke explains what changes with this new bill.

5/11/2015 10pm

A kansas house panel. Approves a bill to end business tax breaks. These are the same tax breaks pushed by governor sam brownback. The measure now goes to the full house for a vote. It repeals a tax break for 333-thousand business owners and farmers enacted in 20-12. That policy exempted their business income from taxes. Lawmakers say the bill clearing committee today would raise 134-million during the next fiscal year.

5/12/2015 430am

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5/13/2015 6pm

Just over an hour ago... The state supreme court issued a new order in the challenge against wichita's new marijuana ordinance. That ordinance, approved by voters in april, lowers penalties for first-time marijuana possession. While the order doesn't issue a restraining order. The city agrees not to take further action to implement the ordinance... Until the court case is cleared. We just talked with esau freeman, one of the people behind the petition drive that led to the vote. The state attorney general argues the ordinance conflicts with state law...

5/14/2015 10pm

It looks like the ride sharing program uber may not be dead in kansas after all. Today lawmakers came to an agreement to keep the company in the state. Jade degood has reaction from a driver and passenger.

5/16/2015 9am

The uber deal lawmakers are working on isn't moving as fast as they originally hoped. Statehouse reporter pilar pedraza first broke the story about the deal on twitter thursday. She explains what's slowing it down.

5/26/2015 4pm

The overtime counter is back up and running this morning as legislators head back to topeka. Lawmakers are were off yesterday for the holiday weekend... But it's back to work today.kansas' 90-day session was supposed to end one week ago... But several issues are still unresolved. They are working overtime to fix the 400-million dollar budget shortfall. Everyday they work extra - it costs you - the taxpayer money. We have this counter on our website so you can see just how much you are being billed. So far the total amount is well over 230 thousand dollars

5/27/2015 5pm

Emotions are high at the statehouse today... As kansas senators debate a bill to raise your taxes. Lawmakers are trying to close a 400 million dollar budget gap. Statehouse reporter pilar pedraza is in topeka... Following the debate that's expected to continue into tomorrow.

5/30/2015 10pm

Again, one part of the plan is to raise the sales tax to 6-point-6-5 percent. We've showed you this map before. Showing how kansas compares to other states in terms of our sales tax. If the hike is passed, kansas' rate would be among the highest in the nation.

5/31/2015 530am

Governor sam brownback announced his proposal this weekend... And a key part would increase the state sales tax. Right now, kansas sits at 6.15 percent. If the tax hike took effect... It'd go up to 6.65 percent.on average, that might cost a family of four about 100 dollars more on things like groceries each year. And while many are worried about what a tax hike would do to their own pocketbook... Some are concerned about how it reflects on kansas as whole. Lots of questions still up in the air for kansans... Which really isn't too far off from where lawmakers sit when it comes to a decision.most people i spoke with were not in favor of any kind of tax hike... But i did speak with one couple who says they wouldn't mind

6/1/2015 430am

Day 101 of the legislative session bled into day 102 overnight. The kansas senate began debate on a tax hike bill late yesterday afternoon... And didn't finish until the early morning hours. Statehouse reporter pilar pedraza says. Pilar: it took senators about seven hours and half a dozen amendments to decide they needed to get some sleep. The night was studded with confusion.. And occasional emotional outbursts. As the hours passed... Confusion grew... Leading at one point to this impromptu meeting of the rules committee.. To figure out what the senate had just voted on. The majority of the debate was centered on a proposal by senator Abrams that... Among other things would lower the general sales tax rate... And pay for it by removing dozens of sales tax exemptions. Eventually. The senators voted to keep the sales tax cut... But not the exemptions cut. Leaving them with an even bigger budget hole to fix than the one they'd started with. That was. Until senator les Donovan of Wichita introduced an amendment that re-worked everything into a bill similar to the governor's proposal.

6/2/2015 12pm

We've reached day 13 of this overtime legislative session and the cost to you continues to add up. We're at more than a half a million dollars on our counter at kwch dot com. And while no deal is in sight day 13 may have been a lucky one for the Kansas senate where senators are finally ready to move a tax bill forward. Statehouse reporter pillar Pedraza has the details.

6/3/2015 5pm

There is some movement in the statehouse for the first time in days. One chamber put forward another budget plan, and the other is working on a new tax plan. Devon Fassbinder continues our team 12 coverage from Topeka. Movement in the statehouse today is leaving many lawmakers surprised themselves. But it means we're one step closer to a budget and a tax plan. A budget bill passed the house today faster than anyone i spoke with would have imagined lawmakers had the chance to discuss the multi-billion dollar budget but instead, nothing. No questions or points raised...just a budget that funds block grants and Medicaid. But still leaves the state several hundred million dollars in the hole. How to make up for that money? It start with a tax plan the senate passed today too. It adjusts the food sales tax, grants amnesty to some income tax delinquents and requires elections for any property tax increases. But it doesn't fully cover the current budget gap... And will likely change with more debate. So there's movement in the statehouse but still, no definite end in sight. Lawmakers tell me they're hoping it can get figured out before any furloughs become a reality. At the statehouse, df, ewn.

6/4/2015 430am

The Kansas legislature honored Jaleel yesterday. Some of his friends accepted a plaque... Presented by senators Michael O'Donnell and Olathe faust-gudeau in recognition of his courage and selflessness. The plaque will be delivered to jaleel's family in saudi arabia. A vigil is planned tomorrow evening on Wichita state's campus. It's at 5 o'clock at the rhatigan student center's east patio. The public is welcome to attend. We are told president john bardo is among those who will be speaking.

6/5/2015 5pm

Where the Kansas house just voted down another tax plan. Lawmakers have until tomorrow night to pass a budget, or thousands of state workers will be furloughed. They just passed a motion that will let them work past midnight tonight. Devon Fassbinder has been in Topeka all week and explains why some say this plan may have had more support than yesterday's.

6/6/2015 8am

The countdown is on. Legislators have less than 17 hours to come up with a budget before thousands of state workers are furloughed. Last night a third tax plan went before the state senate...but they left without a vote around 2 a-m. This plan raises sales tax point four percent...lowers the food tax....and ads a 50 cent cigarette tax. Lawmakers will return to the budget debate at 10-30 this morning. That leaves them about 13 hours to make a deal. If they can't... Thousands of state employees will be furloughed. Jade degood shows us what that means for agencies across the state.

6/7/2015 530pm

Today is the first day in recent weeks where state employees can wake up without worry of furloughs. It's now the 108-th day of this legislative session making it the longest in state history. 18 days of overtime ... Nearly 800-thousand dollars in your money. But the process is still lengthy to get a budget and tax plan solved. Devon Fassbinder explains.

6/9/2015 430am

Many people we spoke with are at their boiling point with this entire thing. They feel lawmakers they sent to Topeka to represent them aren't listening to anything the people are asking for. People say they are paying attention because, as lawmakers continue debating the best way to fix the state's 400 million dollar deficit, the cost to them continues to go up. They say lawmakers have taken too much time.

6/11/2015 10pm

Factfinder 12 went through the legislature attendance records. Dating through this Tuesday, June ninth- we found 10 representatives have missed at least a third of the extra session. They all missed six or more days. It includes six republicans and four democrats. You did pay for these six while they weren't working. We reached out to all the lawmakers for their reasons for missing part of the overtime session. See what they have to say at kwch dot com.

6/12/2015 430am

It may be Friday here. But in the Kansas house its still Thursday. Lawmakers are still on the floor of the house working on a tax bill they started working on yesterday. Statehouse reporter Pilar Pedraza is on the floor with them - and joins us by phone. Pilar, why are you on the phone?

6/27/2015 9am

Governor Sam Brownback released a statement Friday afternoon denouncing the district court's decision. He says the panel violated its constitutional authority, and took powers upon itself that are clearly assigned to the legislative and executive branches. He goes on to say the court replaced the judgement of Kansas voters with the judgement of un-elected activist judges.

6/28/2015 10pm

The state plans to appeal the ruling on the school funding lawsuit. A ruling that would force the state to add 55-million dollars to public school finances by Wednesday. And re-work the state's new, temporary block grant funding formula. Democrats i spoke with say they're ready to go back to work... And call the ruling a win. But republican leadership tells me. This isn't something they expect to be working on this week. They're counting on getting a stay... Putting off enforcement of Friday's ruling until the state Supreme Court hears and rules on the state's appeal. But a stay isn't guaranteed.

Community Calendar:

Sunflower Broadcasting provides a beneficial service for our community by providing an online Community Calendar to our viewing public. The Community Calendar is available for local groups and individuals to promote their events free of charge. It can be accessed through three of our websites: kwch.com, fetchtoto.com and kansascw.com. We've designed our calendar to be used by the public and monitored by our staff. Each month we list hundreds of events that happen throughout our viewing area that services nearly the entire state of Kansas. Some of these events include, but are not limited to, non-profit events, fine arts events, civic club meetings, city hall meetings, family celebrations, church functions, movie screenings and local music performances.

FCC Report

Second Quarter 2015

Tours

KWCH offers tours to groups interested in learning how a television station operates. Tours are tailored to the individual needs of the group, which usually consists of school-age children. It focuses on the history of the broadcasting facility and explains the types of jobs offered in each department. Tours are conducted by the Promotions Department and questions are welcome throughout.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>TYPE</u>
April 2015			
4/13	11:45 AM	10	Senior Women's Group
4/20	6:30 PM	16	Cub Scouts
May 2015			
June 2015			
6/2	11:45 AM	10	Homecare Services Group
6/16	1:30 PM	17	Summer Camp Group

KBS (Sunflower Broadcasting, Inc.) airs public service announcements that address community issues free of charge for various nonprofit organizations.

	PSA Title	Length	KWCH	KBSD	KBSH	KBSL
913	KS Humane Soc Spay/ Neu	:30	84	42	34	49
914	Mental Health	:60	66	19	22	8
915	Mental Health	:30	64	41	35	47
920	NAB We are Broadcasters	:60	43	15	24	14
921	NAB We are Broadcasters	:30	54	37	40	45
930	Stroke Aware "When I Was 6"	:30	7	11	11	15
934	American Heart Assoc "Super Hero"	:30	32	40	38	39
935	American Heart Assoc "American Heart"	:30	26	38	42	39
936	American Heart Association "Waiting"	:30	23	39	42	38
938	Wildfire Prevention "Smokey's 70 th B-Day	:30	3	5	3	4
941	Shelter Pet Adoption "Palace Pets"	:30	10	19	17	19
942	Bully Prevention "Cairn Revised"	:60	6	9	7	8
943	Hunger Prevention "Jeremy Renner"	:30	8	22	19	16
944	Seat Belt Safety "Battlefield"	:30	7	22	19	16
945	Diversity "Love has No Labels"	:60	6	6	8	13
946	Recycling "Smile"	:30	2	22	19	19
947	Adoption from Foster Care "Suitcase"	:30	2	22	19	21
948	Adoption "Cookies"	:30	11	41	39	38
950	NAB Ok2Talk "Where do you want to be?"	:30	8	43	42	40
951	NAB Ok2Talk "Where do you want to be?"	:60	16	21	26	20
952	Recycling "Journey"	:60	4	15	17	21
953	Energy Efficiency "Next 30 Seconds"	:30	4	15	18	13
955	Discover Nature "Frog"	:30	2	22	27	22
957	Child Passenger Safety "Flashback"	:60	1	2	2	6
958	Boys Town	:60	2	16	21	21
959	Vet Affairs "These Hands"	:60	11	13	19	29
960	March of Dimes "Preemies"	:60	10	18	15	28
962	Wildfire Prevention "Bear Hug"	:30	3	23	24	27
963	People for Bikes	:60	4	30	13	26
964	National Runaway Switchboard	:30	2	43	33	44
965	Down Syndrome "My Great Story"	:60		17	20	21
975	NON PSA					
977	The ARC "Hages"	:60	6	18	20	14
978	AA "In Control"	:30	1	20	18	24
981	AA "In Control"	:60	2	10	8	2
988	US Forest Service "Redwoods"	:30	3	25	24	33

NON-BROADCASTING ENHANCEMENT

Joan Barrett, President & General Manager

Kansas State University Miller School Journalism Advisory Board
Carole Kneeland Project – Trainer and Board of Directors
Kansas Food Bank Board of Directors
Goodwill Industries, Board of Directors, Vice Chair
Wichita Collegiate Booster Club Volunteer
Wichita Chamber of Commerce - Board of Directors
Rose Hill High School Tech Advisory committee - member
Kansas Plains Advisory Board for the BBB
Wichita State University, Elliott School Advisory Board
Downtown Wichita Rotary, Member
Advance Kansas, Butler County Community College, Participant 2014

Laverne E. Goering, Director of Programming & Operations

Newton Rotary Club Member
Newton Chamber of Commerce Member
Harvey County Farm Bureau Member
American Quarter Horse Association Member

Mark Larson, Meteorologist

Member AMS local chapter
Risen Savior Lutheran Church Praise Team member
Risen Savior Lutheran Church Confirmation Guide
Risen Savior Lutheran Church Middle School Sunday School teacher
Volunteer food server Falcon Fellowship, Christ Lutheran Church
Volunteer carpool driver for the blind/visually impaired
Wichita Heights High School Booster Club concessions stand volunteer server/worker
Love Wichita Volunteer and coordinator

Merril Teller, Chief Meteorologist

Kansas Children's Miracle Network, Advisory Committee
AYSO Volunteer Referee
Member AMS/NWA local chapter
Member Us Too Prostate Cancer Awareness Group

Jeff Gibson, Engineer

C.E.R.T.
R.A.C.E.S. Emergency Operations Management volunteer

Amy J. Wintz, Account Executive

HCC communications strategic planning board member
Morgan PTO
Morgan Head room mother
Big Brothers and Sisters Reno county volunteer
HCC Leadership Program Mentor Board Member
Delta Zeta Alumni Chapter President

Jason Massingil, Photographer

Young Life Youth Ministry

Casey Lowmiller, Photographer

American Red Cross Member

Joseph E. Miller, Controller

Botanica, The Wichita Gardens, Trustee Emeriti & Development Committee Member
Wichita Arts Council, Trustee and Chair, Marketing Committee
Wichita Kennel Club, Member
Orpheum Performing Arts Center, Member
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton church, Usher
Wichita Art Museum, Member
City of Wichita Cultural Funding Committee, Vice Chairman

James M. Luce, Research Director

Mental Health Association Compeer Advisory Board
Outreach and Missions Ministry Team Leader, River Valley Community Church
Operation Noah Rescue, Team Leader

Dominic Gauna, Production Manger

USD 259's Digital Production Advisory Committee
Kansas Hispanic Education and Development Foundation, Board of Directors
Wichita Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Board Member
American Red Cross, Board Member
Advance Kansas Participant 2012

John Salem, Account Executive

Ballet Wichita – Board of Directors (ex officio)
Higher Ground (Tiyospay, Inc.) – Board of Directors (ex officio)
SER – Board of Directors
Tallgrass Film Festival – Programmer/Screener
Fraternal Order of Oddfellows – Lodge Member
Miracles, Inc., Wichita – Volunteer/Santa Claus
Wichita Jazz Festival – Member/Supporter
Friends University Jazz Festival – Volunteer/Supporter

Marcus Wilkerson, Local Sales Manager

Wichita Center for Arts, Member
Positive Directions, Volunteer
Run Wichita, Member
GoRun Racing Team, Member
Midwest Double Reed Society
Friends Community Orchestra, Member

Eddie Gilmer

Big Brothers Big Sisters - Bowl for Kids Sake Participant

Shelby Downing

Executive Leadership Committee Member – American Heart Association's Go Red for Women

Shawn Hilferty, Director of Marketing and Digital Media

Wichita State University Marketing Advisory Board

Ross Janssen, Meteorologist

National AMS Broadcast Board Chairman
AMS/NWA Wichita Chapter Treasurer

HOA President
Volunteer at Kechi United Methodist Church

Rodney Price, Meteorologist

Member AMS/NWA local chapter
Parish Unity Pillar - Saint Thomas Aquinas Church
Volunteer - Saint Thomas Aquinas School; Meals on Wheels; Gift bearers

Robert Marin, Executive Producer

Volunteer organist – Meridian Ave. Baptist Church, Wichita, KS
Volunteer pianist – Lakepoint Nursing Home, Wichita, KS

Jillian Blackburn, Max Relevance Project Manager

Kansas K-9 ResQ, volunteer

Sean Robinson

Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Altar Server instructor, choir member
Knights of Columbus, Pope John Paul the Great Council, Trustee and Past Grand Knight
Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, Alumni Association member and volunteer

Bailey Jacobs

Central Community Church, Praise and Worship Team

Public Engagements

Sunflower Broadcasting, Inc. serves the community by attending various special events where our employees emcee, educate, entertain and motivate throughout the year. Our employees have made special appearances to the following organizations.

DATE ORGANIZATION EVENT ATTENDANCE EMPLOYEE

April 2015

6	Oz Bicycle Club	Weather Talk	40	Mark Larson
6	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
10	Emmanuel Baptist Seniors	Weather Talk	80	Mark Larson
10 - 15	NAB	Conference	1000	Joan Barrett
16	Ctrl. Christian Academy 2 nd	Weather Talk	90	Mark Larson
20	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
21	Wichita Chamber	Event	200	Joan Barrett
22	Whitewater Middle School	Career Fair	150	Michael Schwanke
23	Wichita Chamber	Meeting	50	Joan Barrett
25	Heartspring	Autism Care Walk	5000	Scott Evans
27	Wichita State University	Bowling Team Celebration	100	Will Kunkel & Dani Welniak
27	DARE	Graduation Ceremony	150	Katie Hatfield
27	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
28	Maize Central Elem. 2 nd	Weather Talk	120	Mark Larson
30	Apollo Elem. Goddard 5 th	Weather Talk	110	Mark Larson

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DATE ORGANIZATION EVENT ATTENDANCE EMPLOYEE

May 2015

1	Fundamental Learning Ctr	Garden Party	150	Cindy Klose
2	KWCH	Top of the Class Breakfast	160	Roger Cornish, Jenn Bates, Melissa Scheffler
4	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
4	WSU	Elliot School Advisory Meeting	30	Joan Barrett
5	Union Rescue Mission of Wichita	Ladies' Luncheon	150	Melissa Scheffler
12	Vermillion Elem. Maize 2 nd	Weather Talk	130	Mark Larson
16	Victory in the Valley	Race Event	1000	Jenn Bates
18	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
19	Sunrise Christian Academy	Weather Talk (5 th)	60	Mark Larson
21	Kansas Cosmosphere	Coffee at the Cos	100	Rodney Price
21	Goodwill	Board Meeting	10	Joan Barrett
22	Leadership Wichita	Leadership Wichita	25	Joan Barrett

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DATE ORGANIZATION EVENT ATTENDANCE EMPLOYEE

June 2015

1	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
3	River Fest	Ice Cream Eating Contest	200	Jacob Albracht
3-6	Miss Kansas Pageant	Judging	400	Joan Barrett
4	Liberal (KS) Kiwanis Club	Luncheon	40	Mark Larson
8	Rotary	Meeting	200	Joan Barrett
9	Goodwill	Board Meeting	10	Joan Barrett
9	WBST	Dinner	10	Joan Barrett

10	KS Food Bank	Meeting	25	Joan Barrett
12	Butler Camp	Scholarship Program	90	Jade DeGood
12	Down to the Wire	Film Contest Judging	200	Hannah Davis
15	American Lung Association	Better Breathers Club	15	Dean Jones
15	Adopt a School	Golf Tounry	200	Joan Barrett
16	Cedar Chapel UMC Scouts	Weather Talk	45	Mark Larson
16	Wichita Chamber	Meeting	50	Joan Barrett
18	Child Start	Children's Champion Event	200	Cindy Klose
19	Splurge	Tee-off Party	200	Scott Evans, Jenn Bates, Will Kunkel, Mark Larson
23	Legislative Appreciate	Dinner	50	Joan Barrett
25	Wichita Area Marketing Association	Marketer of the Year Awards	150	Melissa Scheffler

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FACE THE NATION

04/05/15

Guests: Dr. Ernest Moniz, United States Secretary of Energy (1); Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC), Senate Armed Services Committee (2); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (3) (6); Margaret Brennan, CBS News State Department Correspondent (3) (6); David Sanger, The New York Times (3); Jeffrey Goldberg, The Atlantic (3) (6); former Senator Rick Santorum (R-PA) (4); Sarah Warbelow, Human Rights Campaign (5); Ruth Marcus, The Washington Post (6); Tracy Wolfson, sideline reporter, CBS Sports (7)
Guest Moderator: Norah O'Donnell, Co-Host, CBS THIS MORNING

1) Topics include: reaction to Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's criticism of the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 (China, France, Russia, The United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany) and Iran / restrictions in place to assure that Iran is complying with the agreement / questions regarding the timeline of the removal of sanctions against Iran / Iran's role as the chief destabilizer in the Middle East

2) Topics include: criticism of the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 and Iran / disparagement of President Obama's leadership and foreign policy skills / belief that Congress will require any deal negotiated with Iran to come to Congress for review / opinion that a new president, "without the baggage of Barack Obama", would be better suited to negotiate a deal with Iran

3) Topics include: the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 and Iran / Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's criticism of the nuclear deal / chief concern of the Gulf States regarding the nuclear deal with Iran / various criticism of the Obama administration

4) an interview with former Senator Santorum on the religious freedom law in Indiana, questions surrounding a possible run for president, and why Mitt Romney lost the last presidential election

5) an interview with Ms. Warbelow on the details and negative impact of the religious freedom law, proposed religious freedom bills in other states, and the role of the tech community in securing laws to offer nondiscrimination protection

6) Topics include: the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 (China, France, Russia, The United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany) and Iran / impact of the nuclear deal on the relationship between the United States and Israel / Obama administration's focus on Iran / criticism of the deal from potential 2016 Republican presidential candidates / response from the Gulf States to the deal / invitation from the Obama administration to the Gulf States for a meeting at Camp David / role of Congress in easing sanctions against Iran; religious freedom laws in Indiana and Arkansas / upcoming decision from the Supreme Court on same-sex marriage

7) a look at the April 6th men's national college basketball championship game in Indianapolis, featuring the Duke University Blue Devils and the University of Wisconsin Badgers

FACE THE NATION (continued)

04/12/15

Guests: U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry (1); Senator Rand Paul (R-KY), Republican Presidential Candidate (2); Senator Amy Klobuchar (D-MN) (3); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (4) (6); Reince Priebus, Chairman, Republican National Committee (5); Peggy Noonan, The Wall Street Journal, CBS News Contributor (6); Susan Page, USA Today (6); John Heilemann, Bloomberg Politics (6); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (6)

1) Topics include: response to personal criticism from Republican Senator John McCain regarding the nuclear deal with Iran / President Obama's response to Senator McCain / the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 (China, France, Russia, The United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany) and Iran; removing Cuba from the list of nations that sponsor terrorism; review process regarding the e-mails Hillary Clinton turned over to the State Department

2) Topics include: the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 and Iran; position on immigration reform / support for the Republican Party and belief that it is attempting to be more inclusive; criticism of Hillary Clinton; Senator Paul's greatest challenge as a candidate / clarification of his position on ending all foreign aid, even for Israel

3) Topics include: Senator Klobuchar's upcoming book; support for U.S. policy change on Cuba; reaction to Senator McCain's personal criticism of Secretary Kerry; thoughts on Hillary Clinton's soon to be announced presidential campaign

4) Bob Schieffer's announcement that Mr. Dickerson, CBS News Political Director, will be replacing him later this summer as the new moderator of FACE THE NATION

5) Topics include: latest Republican political advertisement criticizing Hillary Clinton, in anticipation of her upcoming announcement of her candidacy / criticism of Mrs. Clinton, pertaining to donations from foreign countries to the Clinton Foundation, the use of a private e-mail server while she was Secretary of State, and the claim that she paid her female staff less than others; advantage for Democratic candidates, based on the electoral map; what Hillary Clinton needs to do, in order to improve her standing with Republicans

6) Topics include: poll results indicating that Mrs. Clinton is viewed unfavorably in battleground states / Jeb Bush's video criticizing Mrs. Clinton / Ms. Noonan's critique of the way Mrs. Clinton will be announcing her candidacy; impact of the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 and Iran on the campaign for president; thoughts on Senator Paul and his presidential aspirations / other possible Republican contenders for president; reaction to Mr. Schieffer's decision to retire

04/19/15

Guests: Senator Marco Rubio (R-FL), Republican Presidential Candidate (1); former Governor Martin O'Malley (D-MD) (2); Senator Joe Manchin (D-WV) (3); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (4); David Catanese, U.S News and World Report (4); Nancy Cordes, CBS News Congressional Correspondent (4); Dana Milbank, The Washington Post (4); April Ryan, American Urban Radio Networks (4)

1) Topics include: reasons why Senator Rubio wants to be president / position on immigration reform / thoughts on potentially running against his friend and mentor, former Governor Jeb Bush / criticism of Hillary Clinton / challenges for the next president; current situation in the Middle East and its impact on the American homeland / the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 (China, France, Russia, The United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany) and Iran; climate change; views on gay marriage and whether or not homosexuality is a choice

2) Topics include: former Democratic Governor O'Malley's possible entry into the presidential race / reasons why he would be a better president than Mrs. Clinton / expression of respect for Mrs. Clinton / opinion that additional Democratic contenders would be beneficial for the whole process

3) Topics include: support for the nuclear deal reached between the P5+1 and Iran; support for Hillary Clinton as the best prepared to be president; announcement of his decision to run for re-election for his seat in the Senate

4) Topics include: the presidential campaigns of Republican Senator Ted Cruz and Democratic candidate Hillary Clinton / lack of Democratic challengers to Mrs. Clinton / “the Clinton machine” / public interest in former Governor O’Malley as a possible Democratic candidate / thoughts on the way Mrs. Clinton announced her campaign for presidency, as well as her subsequent trip to Iowa / Mrs. Clinton’s mode of transportation – the “Scooby-Doo” van / the Clinton legacy; Jeb Bush’s position within the Republican Party / the Bush legacy; impact on Mrs. Clinton’s campaign of her use of a private e-mail server while she was Secretary of State and the donations from foreign countries to the Clinton Foundation; questions surrounding the possible candidacy of former Arkansas Governor Mike Huckabee / Republican presidential candidates

5) FACE THE NATION Flashback topic: a somber anniversary – twenty years since the Oklahoma City bombing – one of the worst terrorist attacks the United States has ever seen

FACE THE NATION (continued)

04/26/15

Guests: Holly Williams, CBS News Foreign Correspondent (1); Orla Fagan, United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (2); Chris Skopec, International Medical Corps (3); Representative Elijah Cummings (D-MD) (4); William Bratton, Police Commissioner, City of New York Police Department (5); John Miller, Deputy Commissioner, Intelligence & Counterterrorism, New York Police Department (NYPD), former CBS News Senior Correspondent (5); Tony Perkins, Family Research Council (6); Evan Wolfson, Freedom to Marry (7); Ruth Marcus, The Washington Post (8); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director, (8); Kimberley Strassel, The Wall Street Journal (8); Peter Baker, The New York Times (8)

1) a report from Nepal on the current situation there, after a magnitude 7.8 earthquake hit that country yesterday

2) a telephone interview from Bangkok on the relief efforts underway to assist the earthquake victims in Nepal

3) an interview with Mr. Skopec on the response from the International Medical Corps and what people can do to help

4) Topics include: the protests in Baltimore following the death of Freddie Gray, who died last Sunday from a spinal injury sustained while in police custody / reasons why the protests turned violent / response from the local, state, and federal level / support for the investigation into the death of Mr. Gray

5) Topics include: status of the internal investigation into the death of Eric Garner, who died after police placed him in a chokehold during his arrest / advice for police departments across the country / dramatic improvement in the crime situation in America / current relationship between the police and New York City Mayor Bill DeBlasio / factors influencing relations between police departments and African-Americans; most recent terrorist threat from al Qaeda against American military personnel

6) an interview with Mr. Perkins highlighting the reasons behind some Americans' opposition to gay marriage, in light of the Supreme Court argument scheduled for April 28th

7) an interview with Mr. Wolfson highlighting the reasons why Americans should support the freedom to marry, in light of the Supreme Court argument scheduled for April 28th

8) Topics include: impact of the same-sex marriage issue for the Republican candidates in the 2016 presidential campaign / the Supreme Court argument scheduled for April 28th; relationship between money and politics, most notably the donations from foreign countries to the Clinton Foundation while Mrs. Clinton was Secretary of State

60 MINUTES

04/05/15

“Homeland Security” – an interview with U.S. Homeland Security Secretary Jeh Johnson, fourteen months into his tenure. Topics include: the rise of homegrown terrorism and the threat of domestic recruitment for ISIS (ISIL); 2015 study of the department; his decision to order a drone strike which killed Anwar al-Awlaki, an American-turned-terrorist in Yemen; overseeing an array of 22 federal agencies; and the 9/11 attacks in which he personally witnessed the destruction of the World Trade Center. Also includes an interview with Clark Evans, the former inspector general of the Department of Homeland Security. (C: Lesley Stahl – P: Richard Bonin)

“The Good Friday Agreement” – a report on the ongoing divisions amid the Catholic and Protestant neighborhoods in Northern Ireland, specifically Belfast, despite the “Good Friday Agreement” from 1998 which in theory ended the war, known as “The Troubles”. In 2001, in a secret project, Boston College recorded oral histories with fighters from both sides of “The Troubles”, called the “Belfast Project”. One of those fighters, Brendan Hughes, died in 2008; and in 2011, Northern Ireland Police subpoenaed the tapes from the “Belfast Project”. In the tapes, Hughes accuses Gerry Adams, Irish Republican politician and president of Sinn Fein, the political party of the Irish Republican Army (IRA), of actual involvement in the violent activities of the IRA and of complicity in the murder of Jean McConville in 1972. Adams denies these allegations. Also included is an excerpt of Brendan Hughes’ recordings. Includes interviews with: Gerry Adams; Helen McKendry, daughter of Jean McConville; Ricky O’Rawe, former member of the IRA contributed to the Belfast Project; and Bernadette O’Rawe, Ricky’s wife. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Patricia Shevlin)

“Wikimania” – a report on Wikipedia, the free Internet encyclopedia, and how the non-profit Wikimedia Foundation has kept the website among the ten most popular advertisement-free sites. Jimmy Wales, founder of Wikimedia Foundation and co-founder of Wikipedia, discusses his vision of this charity and how he’s trying to get more women involved as Wikipedians, the volunteers who write and edit Wikipedia’s articles. Includes interviews with: Jimmy Wales; Sue Gardner, former executive director of the Wikimedia Foundation; Lila Tretikov, executive director of the Wikimedia Foundation; Amanda Levendowski, Wikipedian; and Dumi Ndubane, engineer and Wikipedian. Also includes comments by unidentified people attending Wikimania event. (C: Morley Safer – P: David Browning, Jonathan Schienberg)

The Mail - selected viewer comments about the segment “Killing Cancer” (OAD: 03/29/15)

04/12/15

“The Attack on SONY” – a report on the cyberattack on Sony Pictures Entertainment’s computer network by North Korea last November, and the cybersecurity questions for corporations going forward. The attack forced the company to immediately revert back to workplace practices used before the advent of the Internet. Sony declined 60 MINUTES request for interviews. Experts believe it will take a technological breakthrough in cyber warfare defense to fully secure computer networks. Includes interviews with: James Lewis, director at the Center for Strategic and International Studies; Kevin Mandia, president at FireEye, Inc.; Matt Zeitlin, business reporter at BuzzFeed.com; and Jon Miller, vice president at Cylance, Inc.. (C: Steve Kroft – P: Graham Messick)

“Ambassador Kennedy” – an interview with Caroline Kennedy, U.S. Ambassador to Japan. Among the topics discussed: her relationship with President Barack Obama; the United States’ responsibility for the defense of Japan amidst the ascendance of China; and her close working relationship with Japan’s Prime Minister Shinzo Abe, despite his claims that the accounts of Japanese soldiers abusing “comfort women” during World War II are exaggerated. The Japanese have a great respect for Ambassador Kennedy’s father, President John F. Kennedy, which helped pave the way for a well-received reception upon her arrival in Japan in November 2013. Also includes an interview with Kuniko Inoguchi, Japanese political scientist and politician. Includes brief footage of Ms.

Kennedy's son, Jack Schlossberg, addressing an audience in Japan. (C: Norah O'Donnell – P: Draggan Mihailovich)

“Rush to Judgment” – an interview with Mike Pressler, former head coach of Duke University's men's lacrosse team, who was forced to resign nine years ago as a result of the Duke Rape Case scandal that turned out to be disproved. Pressler speaks about his life during and after the scandal and his loyalty to Bryant University. As head coach of Bryant's men's lacrosse team since August of 2006, Pressler has turned a Division II program into a Division I threat. Also includes interviews with: Chris Kennedy, senior deputy director of athletics at Duke; and Ron Machtley, Bryant University President. (C: Armen Keteyian – P: Coleman Cowan)

60 MINUTES (continued)

- 04/19/15 **“A Crime Against Humanity”** – a report on the August 2013 Sarin nerve gas attack on Syrian residents in the suburbs of Damascus which U.S. authorities estimate killed over 1,400 civilians, including many children. The rockets delivering the gas were types used by the Syrian army and launched from land held by the dictatorship under Syrian President Bashar al-Assad. No one has been held responsible. Includes interviews with: Kassem Eid, resident of Moadamiyah who shared video from the attack; Scott Cairns, chemist and lead inspector for the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons; and unidentified eyewitnesses of the attack. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Nicole Young, Katie Kerbstat)
- “TED Talks”** – a report on TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design) Talks, an online lecture series that has become one of the Internet’s most popular and powerful platforms, utilizing the slogan, “Ideas Worth Spreading”. Includes interviews with the following people who have given TED talks: Bryan Stevenson, attorney; Jill Bolte Taylor, neurobiologist; Amy Cuddy, psychology professor at Harvard University; and Maysoun Zayid, comedian and cerebral palsy advocate. Also includes an interview with TED Curator, Chris Anderson. (C: Charlie Rose – P: Henry Schuster, Rachael Morehouse)
- “Hoop Dreams”** – an interview with Bob Petrella, who has a mysterious condition called HSAM (highly superior autobiographical memory) and can remember almost every day of his life. Bob created a basketball team in his mind when he was 13-years-old and named it, “The Holland College Golden Knights”. Now at age 64, Bob can recall all 50 seasons of the Golden Knights’ games, from players’ names and statistics, to how many championships they have won and lost. Also includes interviews with: Dr. James McGaugh, professor of neurobiology at University of California Irvine (UCI); and Bobby Simmons, Petrella’s friend. Also includes comments by Bob’s friends: Nancy Oey and Mark O’Keefe. (C: Lesley Stahl – P: Shari Finkelstein, Jennie Held)
- The Mail - selected viewer comments about the segment “Rush to Judgment” (OAD: 04/12/15)
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- 04/26/15 **“Death in the Mediterranean”** – a report on the rising number of migrants trying to reach Europe by dangerous boat trips across the Mediterranean Sea out of desperation to leave Syria, Eritrea and other Middle Eastern and North African countries controlled by dictatorships. Overcrowded boats leave from Libya and Turkey. Once the vessel is in proximity to Italy, a distress call is made to the Italian Coast Guard and they are rescued and brought back to Italy. Up to 2,000 migrants have died this year, including the estimated 800 who perished last week when a boat capsized and sank. Traffickers have also been taking advantage of the situation by charging exorbitant fees. Includes interviews with: Arturo Incerti, Italian Coast Guard Officer; Mulu Amale, migrant; Captain Leopoldo Manna, Italian Coast Guard; Federico Soda, regional director for the Mediterranean for the International Organization for Migration; and Ahmad Zaid al-Abdu and his wife Fatima, migrants (through translator). (C: Clarissa Ward – P: Randall Joyce)
- “The Battle Above”** – a report on the US Air Force’s Space Command (AFSPC) and its task of launching and protecting the satellites in space on which our daily life and national security have come to depend. With no worldwide agreement regarding a code of conduct for space operations, the Chinese tested an anti-satellite weapon two years ago. Now AFSPC, with billions of dollars from the Pentagon, is making new satellites more maneuverable to evade attack and also more resistant to jamming. Includes interviews with: General John Hyten, Commander, AFSPC; Colonel Bill Cooley, Director of Global Positioning Systems (GPS) at the Space and Missile Systems Center; Lieutenant Colonel Todd Benson, Commander, 2nd Space Operations Squadron; Lieutenant General Jay Raymond, Commander, Joint Functional Component Command for Space; Brian Weeden, technical adviser to the Secure World Foundation; and Deborah Lee James, Air Force Secretary. (C: David Martin – P: Andy Court) **DOUBLE LENGTH SEGMENT**

Update: "Cardinal Sean" (OAD: 11/16/14)

48 HOURS

04/04/15

48 HOURS: “The Accidental Husband” - a report on Harold Henthorn, a twice-widowed man from Colorado whose two wives both died in unusual accidents, and whose changing account of events led family members to suspect that he murdered them. In 2012, Harold Henthorn surprised his wife Dr. Toni Henthorn, a successful ophthalmologist, with a weekend hike in Rocky Mountain National Park to celebrate their anniversary -- only to have it end in her death from a fall. Henthorn’s version of events to family members changed several times and they began to doubt his account of events and to suspect he was responsible for her death. While reporting on the case, investigative reporter Brian Maass received an anonymous email stating Henthorn’s first wife died in a freak accident as well. Maass looked into the accident and discovered first wife Lynn Henthorn had died 17 years earlier in another freak accident. He found: (1) both accidents occurred in very remote locations in Colorado; (2) Henthorn was the only witness; (3) the accidents were extremely unusual; (4) he had told numerous versions of the events; and (5) both wives had large life insurance policies, with him as the sole beneficiary. Federal investigators also discovered that Henthorn had not worked for the past twenty years. He had also taken out a fraudulent policy worth millions on his ex-sister-in-law, Grace Rishell, who now believes she was to be his next target. In 2014, two years after Toni Henthorn’s tragic death, federal authorities arrested and charged Harold Henthorn with her murder. His trial is scheduled to begin in the fall. **On-screen text graphic:** A judge will decide if Lynn’s death can be included in Henthorn’s trial for the murder of Toni. Henthorn has yet to receive any proceeds from Toni’s life insurance. Harold Henthorn declined our request for an interview. Interviewed: Barry Bertolet, Yvonne Bertolet and Bob Bertolet (Toni Henthorn’s brother and parents); Daniel Jarvis (friend of Harold Henthorn); Tammi Abbruscato, Christie Drews (Toni Henthorn’s co-workers); Brian Maass (investigative reporter); Grace Rishell (ex-sister-in-law of Harold Henthorn and Lynn Henthorn) and daughter Laura Rishell; Ann McNally, Nancy Hodges (co-workers of Lynn Henthorn); Patricia Montoya (offered aid during first accident); Lora Thomas (Douglas County Coroner); Arnold Wheat (48 HOURS consultant/ accident reconstruction specialist). (C: Peter Van Zant - P: Ruth Chenetz, Lindsey Gutterman)

04/11/15

48 HOURS: “Death After Midnight” - a report on the 2012 death of Ashley Fallis, a married mother of three who was found with a single gunshot wound to the head in the bedroom of her Evans, Colorado home. What is unknown is whether it was suicide, as her husband Tom Fallis maintains, or was it murder, as Ashley’s parents insist. Following a New Year’s Eve party at her home, Ashley’s parents left, as they had in the past, when Fallis got nasty. What happened next is uncertain: Tom Fallis maintains that his wife killed herself with a gun she kept hidden beneath the mattress. Police interviewed him that night, noting he was agitated, gave various versions of events and had scratches on his chest. The coroner ruled Ashley’s death a suicide and the police closed the case within days. Her parents were convinced their son-in-law had killed their daughter. Fallis moved to Indiana with the children to go to graduate school. In 2014, a local TV reporter began his own investigation after receiving a tip that something was not right. His investigation led to the case being re-opened and handled by a larger police department in the area. 48 HOURS consultant Scott Roder prepared a forensic recreation of events. He concluded that there is evidence that could be consistent with suicide, but there is also a case for an accidental discharge. There also exists some disturbing physical evidence that leaves many questions. Tom Fallis has now, years later, supplied letters written by Ashley that seem like suicide notes. Two years after Ashley’s death, Tom Fallis was indicted for murder and arrested in Indiana. He is out on bail, but must remain in Colorado. **On-screen text graphic:** Ashley’s parents are fighting for custody of their grandchildren. They have also filed a federal lawsuit against the Evans Police Department, alleging police misconduct. Authorities found no evidence to bring criminal charges against Evans Police Officer Michael Yates for the alleged discrepancies in his report. The court has not yet set a date for Tom Fallis’ trial. Interviewed: Jenna Fox and

Joel Raguindin (parents of Ashley Fallis); Bryce Fox-Raguindin (brother); Chief Rick Brandt (Evans, Colorado Police Chief); Justin Joseph (KDVR-TV reporter); Scott Roder (forensic recreation specialist). (C: Erin Moriarty - P: Lindsey Gutterman, Alec Sirken, Lauren Clark, Chuck Stevenson, Chris Young Ritzen, Doug Longhini)

48 HOURS (continued)

04/18/15

48 HOURS: "To Catch a Genius"- a report on the 1994 death of Linda Curry, a non-smoker who was found dead with a lethal amount of nicotine in her system, and the investigation which ultimately determined that it had been given to her, without her knowledge, by her husband, "Jeopardy" champion Paul Curry. Career woman Linda Curry worked at Southern California Edison San Onofre Nuclear Power Plants. She had many close friends; she dated, was a spendthrift, and owned a big house in San Clemente, California. At work, she met the much younger engineer Paul Curry. He was extremely smart, rubbed many people the wrong way, was a member of Mensa, and bragged about winning thousands of dollars on "Jeopardy". Only after they married in 1992, did she learn of Paul's two ex-wives and three children. She had several life insurance policies; Curry was the beneficiary on some. Curry also asked her to take out an additional \$1million policy, but she never did. Friends told her to dump him. In 1993, she became violently ill, needing hospitalization: poisoning was suspected after lab workers discovered lidocaine in a contaminated IV bag. The investigation focused on one person: Paul Curry. Five months later, she was again hit with a mystery illness. Her IV bag again was again tampered with. Friends believed that Curry wanted to kill Linda and cash in -- but Linda remained loyal. Six months later, Linda died. The cause of death was attributed to nicotine poisoning and Ambien overdose. Her death was ruled a homicide, but Paul Curry was never charged. Linda had drafted a note giving her sister half of her estate. Curry was beside himself even though she left him the house and close to a half-a-million dollars. The case grew cold. Afterwards, Paul Curry's lies came to light: he was a complete fraud. He was not an engineer; in fact, he did not even have a college degree. He left town. In 2002, the case was re-opened by the Orange County Sheriff's Department. In 2008, Sergeant Yvonne Shull felt she had enough information to present to the prosecutor. Curry was located in Salina, Kansas where he was living a new life. He was tricked into a meeting, believing he was talking to local detectives, but all the while talking to Sergeant Shull. Using the information he spoke about in the interview, he was arrested and charged with murder. At trial, the prosecutor used Mark Curry's own words to win the case. Curry was found guilty of murder in the first degree. **On-screen text graphic:** In her will, Linda Curry left ten thousand dollars each to ten special friends, including Merry Seabold and Frankie Thurber. Interviewed: Merry Seabold, Bill Sandretto, Frankie Thurber (Linda Curry's friends); Ebrahim Baytieh (Orange County Prosecutor); Mike Flower (Paul Curry's boss); Sherry Bundy (Registered Nurse); Sergeant Yvonne Shull (Orange County Sheriff's Department); Dr. Neal Benowitz (Professor of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco). (C: Erin Moriarty - P: Paul LaRosa, Gayane Keshishyan)

04/25/15

48 HOURS: "The Verdict" - an investigation into the 2010 death of Robert Cline in Seminole County, Florida, and the case against Anita Smithey, who was convicted of second-degree murder for killing him, her estranged husband. While the two were in bed, she claims that she was being violently raped and that she feared for her life. Smithey admits she shot and killed Cline, but she asserts it was not murder. Their relationship started out with promise: Cline was a widower with children and Smithey also had kids. After they married, things began to change in their relationship, which Smithey attributed to Cline's addiction to marijuana. He also demanded rough sex. They eventually separated, but continued to meet every Monday for sex. During their last fateful encounter, she says he started to rape her, and then she shot him. She also said he stabbed her with a knife. During a police interrogation, Smithey went from being a victim to a murder suspect when she admitted to stabbing herself. Her attorney maintained that police bullied her into making that statement. The case pitted the couple's extended families against each other, raised questions about their relationship and whether the shooting was justifiable homicide or murder. Prosecutors argued there was no rape and say the knife wounds were self-inflicted. At the trial's end, which many believe was

going the way of the defense, Smithey's attorney Rick Jancha, mistakenly opened the door to the jury being able to hear the 911 call that had been forbidden to be used. Smithey was found guilty. Just before sentencing, her attorney suffered a fatal heart attack, and another attorney has stepped in to plan an appeal. The Cline family continues to maintain that Smithey was the abuser. **On-screen text graphic:** Robert Cline's children were adopted by his sister, Belinda. Anita's children are being raised by her first husband. Interviewed: Anita Smithey; Drew Smithey (son); Stephanie Cline (daughter); Belinda Cline (Cline's sister); Jessica Flores (Smithey's best friend); Daniel Mattingly and Matthew DePanicis (detectives); Whitney Boan (Smithey's current attorney); Phil Andry, Audie Andry (Smithey's father and brother); Stacey Salmons and Kelly Jo Hines (prosecutors). (C: Peter Van Sant – P: Chris Young Ritzen, Tamara Weitzman, Patti Aronofsky)

CBS RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL SPECIAL

04/12/15

“Faith, Hope & the Burden of Addiction” – an interfaith special examining how the nation’s prescription drug and heroin epidemic is affecting communities in America, and what can be done to lift the shame and stigma of addiction. According to the Centers for Disease Control, there are more deaths from opioids in this country than from car accidents and gunshot wounds. (1) Michael Botticelli, Director of the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy, discusses the Obama administration’s efforts to reduce illicit drug use as it moves from the cities to the suburbs. The administration believes substance use disorders are a public health issue, not a criminal justice problem, and is working to put an adequate infrastructure in place to support this change in policy. (2) Scientific advances of the last twenty years have changed how we understand addiction as a chronic brain disease. Dr. David Gastfriend, CEO of Treatment Research Institute (TRI), in Philadelphia, PA, and Dr. Kathleen Meyers, a TRI Senior Research Scientist, explain why legal and illegal drugs of today are especially dangerous in the hands of young people and why more efforts around prevention and intervention are needed. (3) Rev. Richard Cizik, President of the New Evangelical Partnership for the Common Good in Washington, D.C., lost his 23-year-old son to a heroin overdose in December 2013. Today, Rev. Cizik shares his story to raise awareness about the vulnerability of young people to illicit drug use and believes the faith community could be doing more to help reduce the stigma of addiction. Cizik and his pastor, the Rev. Toby Larson of Celebration Church, started the first drug addiction task force in their hometown of Fredericksburg, VA. (4) In Scituate, MA, a grassroots coalition was formed in response to the opioid epidemic in young adults. Annmarie Galvin, co-founder of the Scituate FACTS Coalition, describes why she helped start this organization. The Scituate FACTS Coalition brings together local law enforcement, school officials and treatment providers as a means to help prevent teen drug abuse. In April 2014, local clergy partnered with the coalition and held a vigil at the local high school. Members of the Scituate Clergy Association -- including Rev. Mike Dunfee of First Trinitarian Congregational Church UCC, Rev. Dan Eddy of Christ Lutheran Church, Rev. Jenny Styers of Harbor United Methodist Church and Pastor Barbara Welch, a minister in the American Baptist Church – discuss their efforts. (5) Meghann Perry, a native of Scituate, discusses her 18-year struggle to overcome an addiction to heroin. Clean for the past five years, she credits her recovery, in part, to connecting with her spiritual self and community. Today, she is an active member of Harbor United Methodist Church. (Narrator: Ted Holmes. Producer & Writer: Elizabeth Kineke. Associate Producer: Natalie Baxter. Director & Executive Producer: John P. Blessington. Produced in consultation with: National Council of Churches; A Consortium of Roman Catholic Organizations; The Islamic Society of North America; New York Board of Rabbis.)

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FACE THE NATION

05/03/15

Guests: Wyatt Andrews, CBS News National Correspondent (1); Cornell William Brooks, President, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) (2); State Senator Catherine Pugh (D-MD) (3); Seth Doane, CBS News Correspondent (4); Representative Paul Ryan (R-WI) (5); Tavis Smiley, Host, Tavis Smiley, PBS (6); Sherrilyn Ifill, NAACP Legal Defense Fund (7); Ramesh Ponnuru, National Review (7); Julianne Malveaux, Economist (7); Michael Gerson, The Washington Post (7); Michele Norris, Host and Special Correspondent, National Public Radio (NPR) (7)

1) a report from Baltimore on the current situation there, after Friday's announcement from the state's attorney Marilyn Mosby, charging six police officers in the death of Freddie Gray

2) an interview with Mr. Brooks on the situation in Baltimore, the death of Freddie Gray, racial profiling, and the federal End Racial Profiling Act

3) an interview with Senator Pugh on the situation in Baltimore, the need to lift the curfew, support for the demonstrations, criticism of the misplaced violence, and the need to better train police officers

4) a report from Kathmandu, Nepal on the relief effort and current conditions in that country, a week after the earthquake

5) Topics include: lessons to be learned from the situation in Baltimore / Senator Ryan's tour of impoverished American communities / actions that the federal government could take to attack the root causes of poverty / Senator Ryan's thoughts on poverty and the "American dream"; his work with the Obama administration on the Trade Promotion Authority (TPA) and the need to increase trade to Asia

6) Topics include: role of poverty in the current situation in Baltimore / belief that Dr. Martin Luther King's warning of the triple threat that impacts American democracy -- racism, poverty, and militarism -- is still in play / praise for Senator Ryan for talking about the issue of poverty, but criticism of the Republican tradition of criticizing, but offering no solutions when it comes to job creation / belief that President Obama "has had a sort of hands-off approach to a hands-up crisis"

7) Topics include: causes of the current situation in Baltimore / concern over the use of violence by some protesters / today's decision to lift the curfew in Baltimore / reaction from faith-based institutions / poor relationship between the police and black communities / thoughts on improving police training / Toya Graham, the Baltimore mother who was seen on video physically removing her son and disciplining him for participating in the riots / lessons to be learned from the situation in Baltimore / actions that the federal government could take to attack the root causes of poverty / Senator Ryan's evolution and newfound commitment to fighting the war on poverty / the work of Mitt Romney's father, George Romney, in the Nixon administration

FACE THE NATION (continued)

05/10/15

Guests: former Governor Mike Huckabee (R-AK), Republican Presidential Candidate (1); Senator Bernie Sanders (I-VT), Democratic Presidential Candidate (2); Newt Gingrich, Republican Strategist (3); Stephanie Cutter, Democratic Strategist (3); John Heilemann, Bloomberg Politics (4); Susan Page, USA Today (4); Ron Fournier, National Journal (4); Mark Leibovich, The New York Times Magazine (4) (5); Jarrett Bell, USA Today Sports (5)

1) Topics include: Mr. Huckabee's proposals for conquering terrorism / clarification that the United States is at war with radical Islam and jihadism, not Islam; plan for saving Social Security; reaction to criticism for his participation in infomercials for questionable products, particularly one for a diabetes cure not supported by the medical community

2) Topics include: what it means to be an independent Socialist / Senator Sanders' choice to run as a Democrat in the Democratic primary process / opinion that he can beat Hillary Clinton / his decision to not have a Super PAC / reasons why he is a better choice than Mrs. Clinton

3) Topics include: how the 2016 election differs from the 2012 election for the Republicans / prediction that Hillary Clinton will be the Democratic nominee / lack of a substantial Democratic challenger at this time / role of Super PACs / advice for candidates hoping to win in 2016 / lessons to be learned for Democrats and Republicans from the recent elections in the United Kingdom / role of foreign policy in the upcoming election

4) Topics include: lack of a clear frontrunner for the Republicans / opinion that Mrs. Clinton is the "prohibitive favorite to be the Democratic nominee" / ethics problems facing former Arkansas Governor Huckabee / criticism of Mr. Huckabee for his handling of the question from Mr. Schieffer regarding the diabetes infomercial / the conservative Christian vote / potential Republican candidates Jeb Bush and Chris Christie / Democratic candidates Hillary Clinton and Bernie Sanders

5) Topics include: last week's report on "Deflate-gate" -- whether or not the New England Patriots deliberately deflated footballs they used against the Indianapolis Colts in the AFC Championship game in January 2015 -- and speculation regarding the potential punishments to be levied against Tom Brady and the New England Patriots

FACE THE NATION (continued)

05/17/15

Guests: Robert Sumwalt, National Transportation Safety Board (1); Senator Bob Casey (D-PA) (2); Robert Gates, former Secretary of Defense, author, "Duty: Memoirs of a Secretary at War" (3) (6); Governor Scott Walker (R-WI) (4); Representative Devin Nunes (R-CA), Chairman, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (5); Peggy Noonan, The Wall Street Journal, CBS News Contributor (7); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (7); Frank Rich, New York Magazine (7)

1) an interview with Mr. Sumwalt on the most recent developments in the investigation of the May 12th derailment of Amtrak 188 -- a train bound for New York City that derailed in the Port Richmond neighborhood of Philadelphia, killing 8 and injuring over 200 people

2) Topics include: possible role of speed in the derailment of Amtrak 188 / call to implement and deploy positive train control, technology that can override human error / possibility of a Congressional investigation into the derailment of Amtrak 188

3) a brief excerpt of Bob Schieffer's interview with Mr. Gates, in which he expresses his poor opinion of the presidential candidates for their lack of finesse regarding foreign policy

4) Topics include: important role of foreign policy in the upcoming presidential election / criticism of President Obama's foreign policy decisions / Governor Walker's foreign policy credentials / questions regarding the Iraq war; Governor Walker's statement declaring Ronald Reagan's ending of the 1981 air traffic controller strike as the most significant foreign policy decision to date; criticism of the negotiations with Iran over its nuclear capabilities; plan to announce whether or not he will be entering the presidential race by the end of June

5) Topics include: details on the weekend raid in Syria by US Special Forces, resulting in the death of a ISIS (ISIL) leader / the fight against ISIS (ISIL); June 1st release of five members of the Taliban, who were released from Gitmo as a prisoner exchange for Bowe Bergdahl last summer, from confinement in Qatar / belief that the prison facility at Guantanamo Bay (Gitmo) should remain open; support for the pending trade agreement in Congress

6) Topics include: nuclear deal with Iran; praise for Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State / controversy surrounding Mrs. Clinton's use of a private e-mail server when she was Secretary of State / questions surrounding foreign governments making donations to the Clinton Foundation while she was Secretary of State / question of Mr. Gates possibly voting for Mrs. Clinton for president; support for the trade pacts and President Obama's position regarding them; suggestion regarding the role of U.S. troops in defeating ISIS (ISIL); level of dysfunction in Washington, DC

7) Topics include: former Governor Jeb Bush's discomfort in answering questions regarding the Iraq War / Hillary Clinton's avoidance of the press as she campaigns for the Democratic nomination / focus on foreign policy during this campaign / Republican field of candidates; recent events involving the police and black Americans / impact of the current state of race relations in America on the campaign; President Obama's recent summit with Arab leaders; divisions within the Democratic Party regarding the trade agreements

FACE THE NATION (continued)

05/24/15

Guests: Jericka Duncan, CBS News Correspondent (1); Clarissa Ward, CBS News Foreign Correspondent (2); Senator John McCain (R-AZ), Senate Armed Services Committee (3); Representative Adam Schiff (D-CA), Ranking Member, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (4); David Rohde, Reuters (5); Rajiv Chandrasekaran, author (5); Peter Arnett, author, "Saigon Has Fallen" (6); David Hume Kennerly, Politico (6); Bill Plante, CBS News Senior White House Correspondent (6); Laura Palmer, author, "Shrapnel in the Heart: Letters and Remembrances from the Vietnam Veterans Memorial" (6)

1) a report from Cleveland, OH on the current situation in that city after yesterday's acquittal of Officer Michael Brelo in the shooting deaths of Malissa Williams and Timmy Russell

2) a report on the past week's victories in Iraq and Syria by ISIS (ISIL)

3) Topics include: criticism of President Obama's strategy against ISIS (ISIL) / call for more American troops on the ground; the deal with Iran to limit their nuclear capabilities; the Iraq War; thoughts on the current field of Republican candidates for president / questions surrounding Hillary Clinton's accomplishments during her tenure as Secretary of State

4) Topics include: analysis of the current situations in Iraq and Syria / the war against ISIS (ISIL) / call for bringing the Sunnis into the Iraqi government and military / belief that ISIS (ISIL) poses a threat to America's homeland security; failure of Congress to extend the Patriot Act, the National Security Agency's (NSA) surveillance program

5) Topics include: ISIS (ISIL) as a threat to America's national security / sense of discouragement amongst White House senior officials that President Obama's strategy against ISIS (ISIL) is not working / what is needed from Iraq in order to strengthen the fight against ISIS (ISIL)

6) Topics include: how the Vietnam War changed as it progressed / role of photography in portraying the war / the fall of Saigon / reminisces of the war from each of the reporters participating in the roundtable discussion / impact of the war on each of the four panel members / lingering perception that the press somehow lost the Vietnam war for the United States / stringent restrictions now in place for covering combat / Mr. Kennerly's work with then-President Gerald Ford / parallels between Vietnam and the current situation in Iraq / dangers of covering the Middle East, as compared to the relative safety of Vietnam / impact of the Vietnam war on the American consciousness

FACE THE NATION (continued)

05/31/15

Guests: former Governor Jeb Bush (R-FL) (1); John Brennan, Director, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) (2); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (3); Dan Balz, The Washington Post (3); Peggy Noonan, The Wall Street Journal, CBS News Contributor (3); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (3)

1) Topics include: belief that the nation's security will be in danger if National Security Agency (NSA) surveillance program -- the Patriot Act -- is allowed to expire; threat posed by ISIS (ISIL) / need for a strategy that is both military and political in Iraq / potential role of American troops in Iraq / call for better training of the Iraqi military / criticism of the Obama administration's policy in the Middle East; reaction to accusations that Mr. Bush is violating campaign laws / Mr. Bush's unwillingness to declare his candidacy for president; thoughts on immigration reform / opinion that President Obama's executive actions on immigration are unconstitutional; raising the retirement age for Social Security; thoughts on the donations from foreign countries to the Clinton Foundation while Mrs. Clinton was Secretary of State; potential impact of his brother, former President George W. Bush, on Mr. Bush's possible candidacy for president / difficulties faced by family members of a political candidate / promise of a forthcoming decision regarding his candidacy

2) Topics include: call for Congress to extend the Patriot Act, the National Security Agency's (NSA) surveillance program / ramifications should the NSA's resolution to collect information expire / belief that the nation's security will be in danger if National Security Agency (NSA) surveillance program -- The Patriot Act -- is allowed to expire / terrorism continues to be the main threat to U.S. security / concern over the threat posed by ISIS (ISIL); current relationship with Israel; support for President Obama's Middle East policy / gains made by ISIS (ISIL) in Iraq and Syria / what needs to be done to defeat ISIS (ISIL); negotiations to try to limit Iran's nuclear power capabilities; June 1st release of five members of the Taliban, who were released from Gitmo as a prisoner exchange for Bowe Bergdahl last summer, from confinement in Qatar

3) Topics include: today's Senate session, where members hope to deal with the looming deadline to extend the Patriot Act, the NSA's surveillance program / the alternative USA Freedom Act, passed by the House of Representatives / Republican presidential candidate and Kentucky Senator Rand Paul's opposition to the Patriot Act / ramifications should the NSA's resolution to collect information expire; the "cavalcade of presidential candidates" / former Governor Jeb Bush's position on immigration; how Hillary Clinton's campaign will change after the announcement scheduled for June 13th, formally launching her candidacy / yesterday's announcement from former Governor Martin O'Malley (D-MD) of his 2016 presidential bid

60 MINUTES

05/03/15

“The Lesson of War” – a report on the effects of the ongoing conflict between Gaza and Israel upon the children who live amid the fighting, which began in 1947. Last summer, Israel and the Palestinians of Gaza led by Hamas, fought their bloodiest war since 1967. More than 500 children in Gaza died, and the child survivors of both sides are feeling scared, anxious, and withdrawn. Includes interviews with: Rachele Fraenkel, mother of Naftali Fraenkel, 16-year-old Israeli boy who was kidnapped and shot by Palestinian terrorists; Scott Anderson, deputy director in Gaza of the U.N. Relief and Works Agency; Dr. Jim Gordon, psychiatrist assisting both sides of the conflict and founder and director of The Center for Mind-Body Medicine; Azar Jendia (through translator), child in Gaza; and Ahmed Karim Audha, Gaza civilian (translated by Scott Pelley). (C: Scott Pelley – P: Ashley Velie)

“All-American” – an interview / profile of "patriotic philanthropist" David Rubenstein, billionaire co-founder of the Carlyle Group -- one of the world's largest private equity firms, who is giving away most of his money to support the preservation of some of America's most iconic monuments and documents. Among his recipients: The Washington Monument; Thomas Jefferson's home, Monticello; the Declaration of Independence; the Iwo Jima Memorial; and the National Zoological Park's Giant Panda Habitat. Also includes interviews with: Warren Buffett, billionaire philanthropist and investor; and Jonathan Jarvis, director of the National Park Service; and comments from Bettie Rubenstein, David's mother. (C: Morley Safer – P: Katy Textor)

“Whisky Island” – a report on the small island of Islay, in the Hebrides Islands off the coast of Scotland, where eight small distilleries produce some of the world's premium single-malt scotch whiskies. Includes interviews with: Jim McEwan, master distiller at Bruichladdich distillery; John Campbell, master distiller at Laphroaig distillery; and Ailsa Hayes, chemist at Laphroaig. (C: Bob Simon, Steve Kroft - P: Harry A. Radcliffe II, Vanessa Fica, Terry Manning)

The Mail - selected viewer comments about the segment “The Battle Above” (OAD: 04/26/15)

05/10/15

“The Spy Among Us” – an interview / profile of Jack Barsky, a former spy for the Soviet Union's KGB, assigned to the United States during the last years of the Cold War, with the aim of infiltrating President Jimmy Carter's White House. Barsky, born Albrecht Dittrich in East Germany, was recruited by a Russian KGB agent. Failing at his original mission, he then worked at MetLife in IT, where he stole IBM source code for the Soviets. He also led a double life, with a wife and son in Germany and a wife and daughter in the United States. Recalled by the KGB in 1988, he made the decision to stay in the U.S. with his daughter. He lied to the KGB by telling them that he was dying of AIDS. He had another child, a son, and settled down with his family in Mount Bethel, Pennsylvania. The FBI started observing Barsky, and in May of 1997 had gathered enough evidence to question him. After the interrogation, the FBI concluded that his spy days were over and that he would be most useful in supplying information as to how the KGB operated. He now lives in upstate New York as director of software development for an undisclosed company that manages New York's high-voltage power grid. Also includes interviews with: Joe Reilly, former FBI agent; and Chelsea (last name not disclosed), Barsky's daughter. (C: Steve Kroft – P: Draggan Mihailovich) DOUBLE LENGTH SEGMENT

“Misty Copeland” – an interview / profile of Misty Copeland, a solo ballerina with American Ballet Theatre (ABT), and one of ballet's few African-American stars. Copeland overcame an underprivileged childhood in Gardena, California and a potentially career-ending injury with six stress fractures in her tibia to become one of the top classical dancers in the country. In 2014 the commercial she starred in for Under Armour went viral, garnering almost eight million views online. Also includes interviews with: Cindy Bradley, ballet instructor; and Kevin McKenzie, American Ballet Theatre director. (C: Bill Whitaker – P: Patricia Shevlin)

Update: "Lumber Liquidators" (OAD: 03/01/15)

60 MINUTES (continued)

05/17/15 **“A Monumental Project”** – a report on the progress the construction and development of the National Museum of African-American History and Culture (NMAAHC) located on the National Mall in Washington D.C. and scheduled to open in 2016. Eighty years ago, the idea of the museum was authorized by Congress, but they failed to fund it. In 2003, President George W. Bush signed the law creating the museum and Congress contributed \$250 million. Smithsonian conservationists have been working for years to restore artifacts resonating with slavery and the Civil Rights Movement. Includes interviews with: Lonnie Bunch, founding director of NMAAHC; Paul Gardullo, NMAAHC lead curator; Mary Elliott, NMAAHC curator; Nancy Bercaw, NMAAHC curator; Air Force Captain Matt Quy and his wife, Tina Quy; Ret. Lieutenant Colonel Leo Gray; and Carlos Bustamante, NMAAHC project manager. Also includes comments by NMAAHC curator Renee Anderson. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Nicole Young)

“Child Suicide Bombers” – a report on child suicide bombers recruited by the Taliban in Afghanistan and Pakistan and how they have become one of the most effective weapons of terrorism. Afghan police have locked up child suicide bombers in prisons. In Pakistan, an unidentified psychologist working with the Pakistani army at a school called Sabaoon, is trying to rehabilitate some of the children trained into martyrdom by the Taliban. At Sabaoon, children partake in religious training about a moderate Islam, and once they renounce terrorism, they are released and monitored by school officials and authorities. Includes interviews with: Major General Asim Bajwa, Pakistani Army; unidentified man who claims to be a Taliban commander with ties to al Qaeda (through translator); an unidentified psychologist; and an unidentified boy who was a child suicide bomber (through translator). (C: Lara Logan – P: Tom Anderson)

“Falling Apart” – a report on the deteriorating condition of America’s infrastructure. Currently, roads and bridges are crumbling, airports are out of date, and seaports are in danger of becoming obsolete. Democrats and Republicans in Congress agree that something has to be done, but both sides have yet to come up with a way to raise capital. Includes interviews with: Ray LaHood, former U.S. Transportation Secretary; Andy Herrmann, former president of the American Society of Civil Engineers; Ed Rendell, former Governor of Pennsylvania; Rep. Earl Blumenauer (D-OR); and Joe Boardman, Amtrak President and CEO. (C: Steve Kroft – P: James Jacoby, Michael Karzis, Maria Gavrilovic) (OAD: 11/23/14 - includes an update)

05/24/15 PREEMPTED FOR 60 MINUTES PRESENTS: “War Stories”

60 MINUTES (continued)

05/31/15

“The Cleveland Division” – a report on the division between the police and the public in the city of Cleveland, Ohio. The Cleveland Police Department is under investigation by the Justice Department for widespread use of excessive force. Protesters echoed this notion after the recent killing of twelve-year-old Tamir Rice, who was shot and killed by a rookie Cleveland police officer. The city’s chief of police, Calvin Williams, is attempting to reform the department. Includes interview with: Cleveland Police Chief Calvin Williams; Cleveland officers Shane Bauhof and Eric Newton; Cassandra and Joell Anderson, the mother and brother of Tanisha Anderson, a mentally ill woman who died after the use of excessive force by police in an attempt to take her to a hospital. Also includes comments by Cleveland residents Brandon McCruel and John Eberhard Jr. (C: Bill Whitaker – P: Michael Radutzky, Guy Campanile, Andrew Bast) (OAD: 01/25/15 - includes an update)

“Water” – a report on the depletion of groundwater across the globe, as the aquifers that supply irrigation water for the world’s agriculture are being drained -- focusing on the Central Valley of California, entering its fourth year of a record-breaking drought. NASA satellite technology called GRACE (gravity recovery and climate experiment) has proven that there are substantial amounts of water reduction in major food-producing regions of the world. Includes interviews with: Jay Famiglietti, earth sciences professor at University of California, Irvine; Steve Arthur, Vice President of Arthur & Orum Well Drilling; Claudia Faunt, hydrologist at U.S. Geological Survey; Mike Watkins, head of the science division at NASA’s Jet Propulsion Laboratory; and Mike Markus, general manager of the Orange County Water District. (C: Lesley Stahl – P: Shari Finkelstein, Jennie Held) (OAD: 11/16/14 - includes an update)

“Who is Larry David?” – an interview / profile of Emmy-winning comedian and television star Larry David, known for co-creating the popular sitcom, “Seinfeld” and creating and starring in HBO’s “Curb Your Enthusiasm”. David talks about his childhood in Brooklyn, his legacy, and the Broadway play he wrote and currently stars in, “Fish in the Dark”. Also includes an interview with: Anna Shapiro, director of “Fish in the Dark”. (C: Charlie Rose - P: David Browning, Tanya Simon, Nichole Marks) (OAD: 03/01/15 - includes an update)

48 HOURS

05/02/15

48 HOURS: “A Vision of Murder” - an investigation into the 2010 death of Kelly Brennan, and her friend Sheila Trott’s dream in which she perceived Brennan to be in danger. Brennan was later found bludgeoned to death near Mark’s Landing in Indiatlantic, Florida and Trott was subsequently arrested for her murder. To some, Trott is a clairvoyant who was able to provide information to help the police; to others, she is a killer. The investigation uncovered an alleged love triangle between Trott, Brennan and Trott’s estranged husband, Dan Trott. Trott says she encouraged the match to free herself from a bad marriage; prosecutors believe the relationship led to murder. Prosecutors say Trott spoke about the dream to her mother and her sons, making statements that she had hurt someone -- basically confessing to the crime, as her mother related in a 911 call to police. Four-and-a-half years later, Sheila Trott remains behind bars, awaiting trial. Though the case is admittedly circumstantial, prosecutors believe they have a strong case. As the trial is scheduled to begin, Trott has her own problems. Her lawyer has been disbarred and she must rely on a public defender. They plan to point the finger at Dan Trott. In 2014, as the trial progresses, her two sons take the stand against her -- testifying for the prosecution. Sheila Trott then had a new defense - her dream was really an eyewitness account of what had really happened to Kelly. Her attorneys make no mention of this, but try to pick apart the State’s case, pointing the finger at Kelly’s jealous husband, Gino Rallo. The jurors reach a verdict: Sheila Trott is guilty of first-degree, premeditated murder. **On-screen text graphic:** Creighton and Graham Trott recently visited their mother in prison. They told 48 HOURS “...We unequivocally believe in our mother’s innocence and stand by her.” Interviewed: John Copola (Brevard County Sheriff’s Department); Lou Iervasi (friend of Kelly Brennan); Sheila Trott; Margaret Byers (Sheila Trott’s mother); Major Tod Goodyear (lead investigator); Alison Bartlett (friend of Sheila Trott); Samantha Barrett and Jim McMaster (prosecutors); Todd Deratany (former defense attorney). (C: Peter Van Sant - P: Taigi Smith, Clare Friedland, Michelle Feuer, Alicia Tejada)

05/09/15

48 HOURS: “Father and Son: The Verdict” - a followup to “Father and Son” (OAD: 04/12/14), a report about the 2011 death of Uta Von Schwedler, and her son Pelle Wall’s efforts to prove that his father, pediatrician Dr. Johnny Wall, was responsible for her death. Von Schwedler, a university research scientist, was found dead in the bathtub of her Salt Lake City, Utah home by her boyfriend Nils Abramson. The cause of death was listed as “undetermined”, leaving open the possibility of suicide. Investigation revealed long-standing issues between the divorced couple. Pelle Wall believed his father to be responsible and was determined to prove it. He risked everything, including his relationship with his father and future financial security, by filing a wrongful death suit against his father. This caused the authorities to re-examine the case. Dr. Wall was charged with murder. The trial began in February 2015. DNA results did nothing to clarify things and the trial became a battle of expert witnesses, with the defense suggesting Nils Abramson was responsible. Although Johnny Wall did not testify in his defense, it was ultimately his own words, in an interview with police, which led to his conviction. Original on-screen text graphic: Johnny Wall is expected to stand trial for murder by the end of 2014. Tomorrow, April 13th, is Uta Von Schwedler’s birthday. **On-screen text graphic for the 05/09/15 followup:** Just a week before her death Uta Von Schwedler had made a breakthrough in childhood leukemia. Johnny Wall is scheduled for sentencing in July. Interviewed: Pelle Wall; Klaus Fiebig (family friend); Heidi Schubert and Orly Ardon (friends of Uta Von Schwedler); Wendy Wall (Johnny Wall’s sister); Fred Metos (defense attorney); Nils Abramson (Von Schwedler’s boyfriend); Amy Oglesby (Pelle Wall’s family friend). (C: Susan Spencer – P: Marcelena Spencer, Josh Gelman, Aimee deSimone, Avi Cohen)

48 HOURS (continued)

05/16/15

48 HOURS: “Janet’s Secret” - a report on the murder of Janet Walsh and the 34-year search to find her killer, as new forensics technology allows detectives to re-examine evidence left from the initial investigation into the death of the Monaca, Pennsylvania woman in 1979. In a case which confounded investigators from the start, 23-year-old Janet, who had recently separated from her husband, Scott Walsh, was found dead in her bedroom after a night out dancing. Investigation led to a long list of suspects: (1) her husband Scott Walsh; (2) Robert McGrail, a man she met dancing; (3) Ron Ciccozzi, her boss; (4) an unidentified man; (5) Victor Ciccozzi (says he dated her/ no relation to Ron); and (6) Scott Hopkins, a secret lover. The case turned cold; no one was ever arrested. In 2011, a cold case unit took a second look at the case. They re-interviewed the suspects and using technology not available at the time, they were able to identify DNA from the sheets, nightgown and bathrobe tie. Police and prosecutors eliminated everyone except Scott Hopkins, an influential retired businessman/politician. In 2012, Hopkins was arrested. At trial, the prosecution used the DNA evidence to define the case, even calling celebrity forensic pathologist Cyril Wecht to testify. The defense countered with an expert of their own, but in the end, Hopkins was convicted of third-degree murder. **On-screen text graphic:** Hopkins is appealing his conviction based on several arguments. Among them: science cannot determine the time a DNA sample is left at the crime scene. Interviewed: Andy Gall (Assistant Chief of Detectives, Beaver County District Attorney’s Office/ original investigator); Francesco Caltieri (Janet Walsh’s brother); Brittany Smith and Frank Martucci (prosecutors); Rich Matas (Pennsylvania State Trooper); Sue Niedergal (friend of Janet); Scott Walsh (husband); Robert McGrail (suspect); Rocco Demailo (cold case detective); Scott Hopkins; Larry and Georgeann Musgrave (Hopkins’ friends); Karen Hopkins (Hopkins’ third wife); Chad Bowers (Hopkins’ defense attorney); Dr. Cyril Wecht (forensic pathologist); and Dr. Mark Perlin (defense expert). (C: Peter Van Sant - P: Susan Mallie)

05/23/15

48 HOURS PRESENTS: “Cal Harris: Deadlocked” - a followup to “A Time to Kill” (OAD: 06/24/08), updated (02/13/10). A review of the case against Cal Harris, whom prosecutors in Northern New York believe is guilty of killing his estranged wife, Michele, to preserve his fortune. This followup report includes the first interview with Cal Harris. Twice, he has been tried and found guilty, and twice those convictions have been overturned. Harris has claimed that Michele did not return home on September 11, 2001. He denied any involvement in her disappearance and suggested to investigators that they take a closer look at her personal life. Investigation discovered she was involved with two different men, both of whom had seen her on the night she disappeared. Two days after the initial search, blood specks were found in the home, making it a potential crime scene. Focus shifted to Cal, and in 2005, without a body or a murder weapon, Harris was arrested for his wife’s murder. He was tried and convicted in 2007, but while awaiting his sentencing, a new witness emerged, and the conviction was overturned. In 2009, a jury reached the same verdict. The case was overturned on appeal. In February 2015, Harris went on trial for the third time, but not in Tioga County where he lives, but in Schoharie, NY, with a new defense team, a new prosecutor, a new judge and new rules. Despite all this, after 12 days of deliberation, the judge was forced to declare a mistrial. Harris is out on bail, but his future is far from certain. **On-screen text graphic:** Lawyers are scheduled to meet in August to set a date for a fourth trial. Interviewed: Cal Harris and his children: Cayla Harris, Taylor Harris, Jenna Harris, Tanner Harris; Barb Thayer (nanny); Nikki Burdick (Michele’s friend); Cindy and Tom Turner (friends of the couple); Greg and Shannon Taylor (Michele’s brother and sister-in-law); Bruce Barket and Donna Aldea (Harris’ attorneys); Sue Mulvey (NY State Police senior investigator); Mike Myers and Mike Young (investigators); Steve Anderson (NY State Police forensic specialist); Brian Earley (boyfriend of Michele Harris); Kevin O’Hara (Cal Harris’ friend); Jerry Keene (DA, Tioga County); Kevin Tubbs (local farmer); Kirk Martin

(District Attorney). (C: Erin Moriarty – P: Lisa Freed, Ruth Chenetz, Marc B. Goldbaum,
Anthony Venditti)

48 HOURS (continued)

05/26/15

48 HOURS: “Kiss of Death and the Google Exec” (10:00 – 11:00p) - an updated rebroadcast about the investigation into the 2013 drug-related death of Google executive Forrest Hayes and an investigation of Alix Tichelman, the woman charged with killing him, whose ex-boyfriend also died of a lethal overdose. Hayes, a successful, wealthy, married Santa Cruz, California technology genius was found dead from a heroin overdose aboard his 46-foot yacht. The yacht had been outfitted with a sophisticated security system, which eventually led investigators to Alix Tichelman, a young woman with whom he had a secret liaison aboard the yacht. Hayes and Tichelman met on an online dating service known for connecting wealthy men with women looking to be spoiled. The video footage recorded Tichelman injecting Hayes, cleaning up the scene and stepping over him to leave. At issue is whether Tichelman knew Hayes was in distress when she left, as police maintain, or if his death was accidental, as public defenders representing Tichelman claim. Tichelman led a troubled life which included eating disorders, drugs, and specialized schools. Investigators learned that just months before Hayes’ death, Tichelman’s then-boyfriend, Dean Riopelle, an Atlanta night club owner, also died from a heroin overdose. After an elaborate sting, Tichelman was arrested for the death of Forrest Hayes. Riopelle’s death, originally classified as accidental, is being given a second look by Georgia authorities. **UPDATE: On May 19, 2015, after nearly a year in jail, and now clean and sober, Tichelman pleads guilty to involuntary manslaughter as well as lesser charges and is sentenced to six years in the local jail, but with credit served, she will likely serve just over two years. Then, a bombshell from the prosecution: the Hayes family told them they never wanted Alix Tichelman charged and would have been happy if the case had been dismissed. They never wanted the video from the yacht from the incident and the previous six months to be made public, as the public defenders has been requesting for months. On-screen text graphic for the 05/26/15 updated rebroadcast: Alix Tichelman is expected to be released July 1, 2017. She will be 29 years old.** On-screen text graphic: Alix Tichelman pleaded not guilty to manslaughter in the death of Forrest Hayes, and pleaded not guilty to prostitution and drug charges. Tichelman’s next court appearance is on February 23, 2015. If convicted of manslaughter, Tichelman could face a maximum of fifteen years in prison. Interviewed: Stephen Baxter (Santa Cruz Sentinel/48 HOURS Consultant); Michael Daly (Daily Beast investigative reporter/48 HOURS Consultant); Steve Clark (Santa Cruz Deputy Police Chief); Brandon Wade (“Seeking Arrangement” dating website owner); Chad Cornell (Tichelman’s boyfriend); Ashley Kent (dorm mate at the Hyde School); Khristina Bocker (Dean Riopelle’s former assistant); Jerry Christense and Larry Biggam (Tichelman’s public defenders); Alex (no last name/schoolmate); Todd (no last name/friend of Riopelle’s) (C: Maureen Maher - P: Allen Alter, Patti Aronofsky, Elena DiFiore; Producers for the 05/26/15 rebroadcast: Allen Alter, Patti Aronofsky, Alec Sirken, Elena DiFiore) (OAD: 01/24/15)

48 HOURS (continued)

05/30/15

48 HOURS: “Last Chance for Freedom” - a followup to “Reasonable Doubt” (OAD: 11/01/99), and its retitled rebroadcast, which included an update, “Impossible Mission” (OAD: 07/10/00). This followup continues the report on Crosley Green, who in 1990, despite his claims of innocence, was convicted of the murder of Charles “Chip” Flynn in a Titusville, Florida orange grove and sentenced to death. Green has spent the last 26 years, with help from lawyers and private investigators, trying to prove his innocence. This report reveals new evidence that suggests Crosley Green is innocent. At the time of the murder, Green was a small-time drug dealer who said he was two miles away when Flynn was killed. Green was arrested after Flynn’s former girlfriend, Kim Hallock, told police that she and Flynn had been carjacked by a black man with a gun and driven to a remote orange grove. Flynn was killed, but Hallock escaped. She identified Green from a picture photo lineup. Green’s state appeals -- nine of them -- are now exhausted, but his current attorneys Keith Harrison, Bob Rhoad and Jeane Thomas, along with an original private investigator Joe Moura (now a 48 HOURS consultant) have one last hope: federal court. They believe they have enough evidence that the conviction is part of a distinct pattern and practice of government misconduct in Brevard County. Three other men, Bill Dillion, Juan Ramos, and Wilton Dedge have had their convictions overturned; two of them were prosecuted by Christopher White. Green’s attorneys believe that what makes this case different is a mountain of evidence that demonstrates Crosley Green is actually innocent. At the heart of their case are notes from Assistant State’s Attorney Christopher White’s meeting with officers Mark Rixey and Diane Clarke (who speak to 48 HOURS for the first time). Green’s lawyer says that their notes say they think the girl (former girlfriend Kim Hallock) killed Flynn. White is asked about the possibility that Flynn’s death was a result of something other than intentional murder. He says he believes the judicial system worked. **On-screen text graphic:** The Florida Attorney General’s Office is fighting to uphold Crosley Green’s conviction. They say Green failed to meet a filing deadline for his appeal. Interviewed: Crosley Green; Keith Harrison, Bob Rhoad, Jeane Thomas (Green’s attorneys); Tim Curtis (bodyshop owner/friend of Chip Flynn); Joe Moura (private investigator/48 HOURS Consultant); Sheila Green (sister); Lisa DiMeo (criminologist); Mark Rixey and Diane Clarke (Brevard County officers); Christopher White (prosecutor); Bill Dillion (falsely convicted); Mike Pirolo (Dillion attorney); Wilton Dedge (falsely convicted). (C: Erin Moriarty – P: Gail Abbott Zimmerman, Doug Longhini)

CBS NEWS SPECIAL BROADCASTS

05/10/15

SPECIAL EDITION of “60 MINUTES” (8:00 - 9:00p)

“An Unlikely Informant” – a report on Michael Blutrigh, a white collar criminal turned undercover informant. Blutrigh was a lawyer and owned the Scores strip club in New York City, where he was being extorted by the Mob. He opened Scores with money he’d stolen with partners from the National Heritage Life Insurance Company in Florida -- theft totaling four hundred and forty million dollars. To avoid anticipated punishment, Blutrigh cooperated with the FBI to gather evidence against the Mob. According to authorities, Blutrigh recorded about one thousand hours of conversations with mobsters, which led to the indictments of many Mafia members in 1998 including John Gotti Junior, whom the FBI considered the acting boss of the Gambino crime family. Blutrigh served no jail time for racketeering, tax evasion, and receipt of obscene materials in New York; but in Florida he served thirteen years in prison for insurance fraud. Also includes interviews with: Stephen Sergio, alleged associate of the Gambino crime family; Joe Judge, former FBI investigator; Judy Hunt, former Assistant U.S. Attorney; Bill Ready, New York FBI agent; and Art Leach, former prosecutor. (C: Anderson Cooper – P: Deirdre Cohen, Sarah Koch)

“The Unknown America” – an interview with famed deep sea explorer Robert Ballard as he works on his next project, “The Unknown America”. Ballard, credited with discovering the wreck of the Titanic, is currently exploring U.S. territorial waters with a keen interest in war wreckage. Aboard the Nautilus, a state-of-the-art ship for deep sea exploration, Ballard is mapping the journey and working with the Okeanos Explorer ship, operated by NOAA, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Also includes an interview with Larry Mayer, director of the Center for Coastal and Ocean Mapping at the University of New Hampshire. (C: Lara Logan – P: Max McClellan)

“The King of CrossFit” – an interview / profile of Greg Glassman, the creator of the CrossFit workout, a physical fitness program that mixes elements of weightlifting, calisthenics, and gymnastics. CrossFit has become the largest chain of gyms in history and a leading athletic brand through their partnership with Reebok. (C: Sharyn Alfonsi – P: Keith Sharman)

05/24/15

60 MINUTES PRESENTS: “War Stories”

“Ending America’s Longest War” – a report on the end of America’s combat involvement in the ongoing war in Afghanistan. The Afghan military has been trained and equipped by the U.S. to combat the likes of al Qaeda and the Taliban. However, Afghanistan’s President Ashraf Ghani is unsure about the hard deadline set by President Obama to end the U.S. mission in December 2016. Includes interviews with: U.S. General John Campbell; Ashraf Ghani Ahmadzai, Afghanistan President; and comments (through a translator) by Qari Abdullah, Taliban fighter. (C: Lara Logan – P: Max McClellan, Jeff Newton) (OAD: 01/04/15 on 60 MINUTES)

“Coming Home” – a report on the former members of Golf Company, 2nd Battalion of the 8th Marines, a US Marines unit which suffered high casualties in the Afghanistan War. Five years after the first segment “Golf Company” (OAD: 10/11/09), the men held their annual reunion in Washington, D.C., where they visited the graves of their fallen comrades at Arlington National Cemetery. For some of the veterans the war was a defining, motivating experience, while others are struggling with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and other effects from going to battle. Includes interviews with Golf Company veterans: Lance Corporal Jonathan Quiceno; Corporal Rory Hamill; Colonel Christian Cabaniss; Second Lieutenant Dan O’Hara; and Devin Jones. Also includes an excerpt of First Sergeant Robert Pullen calling the roll of the dead in 2009. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Henry Schuster) (OAD: 03/08/15 on 60 MINUTES)

“A Forgotten Corner of Hell” – a report on the BentProp Project, a group of volunteers who use modern technology to locate the remains of U.S. airmen declared missing in action in the waters off Palau, a South Pacific island nation and site of many World War II. This report focuses on the search and eventual recovery of the remains of crew

members of the B-24 Liberator bomber number 453, which disappeared in September 1944. Includes interviews with: Dr. Pat Scannon, founder of BentProp Project; and Casey Doyle, U.S. Marine and BentProp volunteer. Also includes comments by: Jo Schumacher, niece of an MIA soldier from WWII; and Eric Terrill, scientist with Scripps Institution of Oceanography. (C: Anderson Cooper – P: David Schneider, Joyce Gesundheit) (OAD: 11/23/14 on 60 MINUTES)

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FACE THE NATION

06/07/15

Guests: Governor Chris Christie (R-NJ) (1); Mayor Bill de Blasio (D-New York City) (2); Representative Michael McCaul (R-TX), Chairman, House Homeland Security Committee (3); former Governor Rick Perry (R-TX), Republican Presidential Candidate (4); Susan Page, USA Today (5); Ron Fournier, National Journal (5); Nancy Cordes, CBS News Congressional Correspondent (5); Jamelle Bouie, Slate Magazine (5)

1) Topics include: reaction to Hillary Clinton's claim that some Republican governors, including Governor Christie, are making it harder for young and minority people to vote; criticism of the new law that strips the National Security Administration (NSA) of its authorization to collect phone metadata records in bulk; potential 2016 bid for president / concerns for voters regarding New Jersey's economy and Governor Christie's unpredictability; criticism of the Obama administration's handling of the economy; drug rehabilitation / pledge to reverse course on the federal government's permissiveness towards states that have legalized marijuana; recent change from formerly supporting, to now opposing the Common Core

2) Topics include: Governor Christie's reaction to Mrs. Clinton's assertion regarding Republican governors and voting rights within their states / voting restrictions in New York City and State; details of Mayor de Blasio's thirteen-point progressive plan for Democrats, which includes raising the minimum wage, as well as other solutions to income inequality; ongoing efforts to thwart another terrorist attack in New York City

3) Topics include: massive data breach involving the records of four million current and former federal government employees / opinion that the Chinese government is behind the cyber-attack; recent terrorism threat in Boston, involving a self-radicalized individual wanting to behead police officers; worldwide need to close security gaps for foreign fighters hoping to travel to Iraq and Syria and then back to Europe or the United States; ninety-five percent failure rate for Transportation Safety Administration (TSA) airport screeners in detecting dangerous and forbidden materials

4) Topics include: how this campaign for president will differ from Mr. Perry's previous run / opinion that current and former governors have executive experience, which sets them apart from other presidential candidates / criticism of President Obama; time spent studying foreign policy; income inequality / call to regulate Wall Street; reaction to Mrs. Clinton's assertion regarding some Republican governors, including former Governor Perry, are making it harder for young and minority people to vote

5) Topics include: current and possible Republican presidential candidates Rick Perry and Chris Christie / impact of Republican presidential candidate Rand Paul's recent opposition to the Patriot Act on his campaign; Democratic presidential candidate Hillary Clinton's claim that some Republican governors are making it harder for young and minority people to vote / strategy behind Mrs. Clinton taking on the issue of voting rights / Democratic presidential candidates Bernie Sanders and Martin O'Malley

FACE THE NATION (continued)

06/14/15

Guests: Senator Bernie Sanders (I-VT), Democratic Presidential Candidate (1); Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC), Republican Presidential Candidate (2); Robby Mook, Clinton Campaign Manager (3); Mark Halperin, Bloomberg Politics (4); Ruth Marcus, The Washington Post (4); Peggy Noonan, The Wall Street Journal, CBS News Contributor (4); Robert Costa, The Washington Post (4)

1) Topics include: large crowds attending Senator Sanders' campaign stops; reasons for his opposition to the Obama-endorsed trade policy, the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) / differences between his and Mrs. Clinton's position on the TPP, as well as other key issues; Citizens United Supreme Court decision / Senator Sanders' decision to only accept small donations and not have a Super PAC / corrupt campaign finance system

2) Topics include: Senator Graham's desire to put more U.S. troops in Iraq, in spite of resistance from military leaders / criticism of President Obama's military strategy in Iraq and Syria; opinion that any other Republican running for president -- except for Rand Paul -- would be better in terms of foreign policy than Hillary Clinton; recent comment from former 2012 Republican presidential nominee Mitt Romney that embracing self-deportation was his biggest campaign mistake / Senator Graham's embrace of a comprehensive approach to immigration reform; how Mr. Graham's experience as a senator sets him apart from the other candidates with gubernatorial experience; Senator Graham's bachelor status

3) Topics include: poll results indicating that voters have a trust issue regarding Hillary Clinton; Mrs. Clinton's position on the issue of trade / reaction to the perception that she has been on the sidelines regarding key issues, such as a potential trade bill; Mrs. Clinton's lack of access to the press; praise for Mrs. Clinton as a "fighter"

4) Topics include: yesterday's campaign rally for Mrs. Clinton on Roosevelt Island in New York City / Republican reaction to yesterday's rally / poll results indicating that voters have a trust issue regarding Mrs. Clinton / Mrs. Clinton's decision to include insights and details into her background, especially stories about her mother, in yesterday's speech / differences in the campaign styles of Mrs. Clinton and Senator Sanders / possible strategy behind the perception that Mrs. Clinton has been reluctant to take a stand regarding key issues, such as a potential trade bill; state of the Jeb Bush campaign, in anticipation of tomorrow's announcement that he will seek the GOP nomination; the Marco Rubio campaign; the Scott Walker campaign; impact of the Bush legacy on Jeb Bush; appeal of Ohio Governor John Kasich / potential candidacy of New Jersey Governor Chris Christie

FACE THE NATION (continued)

06/21/15

Guests: Jeff Pegues, CBS News Justice Correspondent (1); Senator Tim Scott (R-SC) (2); Cornell William Brooks, President, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) (3); Mary Ellen O'Toole, former FBI Senior Profiler, George Mason University (4); Sherrilyn Ifill, NAACP Legal Defense Fund (4); Clarissa Ward, CBS News Foreign Correspondent (5); Representative Devin Nunes (R-CA) (6); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (7); Gwen Ifill, co-anchor, "PBS NewsHour"; moderator, "Washington Week" (7); Michael Gerson, The Washington Post (7); Hugh Hewitt, host, "The Hugh Hewitt Show", author, "The Queen: The Epic Ambition of Hillary and the Coming of a Second 'Clinton Era'" (7)

- 1) a report from Charleston, South Carolina, on the investigation into Wednesday's shooting at Mother Emanuel African Methodist Church, where a gunman shot and killed nine people during an evening Bible study class
- 2) Topics include: reaction to gunman Dylann Roof's manifesto, stating that there is not enough racism in the world / positive reaction from the diverse population of Charleston and South Carolinians / what the Confederate flag represents / calls for the Confederate flag to be removed from state buildings / opinion regarding President Obama's wish to strengthen gun control laws
- 3) Topics include: Wednesday's shooting at Mother Emanuel African Methodist Church in Charleston, SC / need to address the level of hate crimes and racist ideology in the United States / call for vigorous investigation and prosecution of hate groups / the Confederate flag / incredible level of forgiveness displayed by the victims' family members toward the shooter
- 4) Topics include: criminal profile of Dylann Roof and his crime / evidence of the rise of right wing extremist groups in America, first mentioned by former Homeland Security Janet Napolitano in her 2009 report / warning signs / call for leadership in Congress and law enforcement to fight this form of domestic terrorism
- 5) a report from Yemen on the current situation there, as the Saudi Arabian-led coalition continues to bomb the country, with the goal to push out the Houthi rebel forces, whom the coalition views as a proxy for Iran
- 6) Topics include: significance of Yemen in the war against terrorism; U.S. drone strike that killed the number two in command for al Qaeda / high threat level from ISIS (ISIL) sympathizers in the United States / concerns over the ability to secure the July 4th holiday / use of social media by ISIS (ISIL) / opinion that Wednesday's shooting at Mother Emanuel African Methodist Church in Charleston could qualify as domestic terrorism from a layman's point of view
- 7) Topics include: U.S. drone strike that killed the number two in command for al Qaeda / significance of Yemen in the war against terrorism; Wednesday's shooting at Mother Emanuel African Methodist Church, where a gunman shot and killed nine people during an evening Bible study class / incredible level of forgiveness displayed by the victims' family members toward the shooter / the Confederate flag / issue of violence against African-Americans / level of gun violence in America versus that of other nations / opportunity for Republican and Democratic candidates to discuss seriously violence and racism

FACE THE NATION (continued)

06/28/15

Guests: Chad Griffin, Human Rights Campaign (1); Russell Moore, Southern Baptist Convention (2); Representative Paul Ryan (R-WI), Chairman, Committee on Ways and Means (3); Representative Elijah Cummings (D-MD) (4); Representative Trey Gowdy (R-SC) (5); Governor John Kasich (R-OH) (6); Peggy Noonan, The Wall Street Journal, CBS News Contributor (7); David Ignatius, The Washington Post (7); April Ryan, American Urban Radio Networks (7); Reihan Salam, National Review (7)

- 1) Topics include: Friday's landmark decision by the U.S. Supreme Court to overturn same-sex marriage bans, legalizing same-sex marriage across the United States / battles ahead to secure full and comprehensive nondiscrimination protections / acknowledgement that there are still people who do not support same-sex marriage and LGBT rights
- 2) Topics include: Friday's landmark decision by the U.S. Supreme Court to overturn same-sex marriage bans / opposition to the ruling for religious reasons / Roe v. Wade analogy / legal options / need to hold to First amendment protections for people of faith
- 3) Topics include: reaction to the Supreme Court's ruling on the Affordable Care Act ("Obamacare") and President Obama's declaration that "Obamacare" is now the law of the land / need for a Republican to win the 2016 election / advice for 2016 presidential candidates / opinion that the Affordable Care Act ("Obamacare") is unfixable; agreement with President Obama on his trade policy, the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)
- 4) Topics include: support for the removal of the Confederate flag / call to address racial disparities and inequalities / current situation in Baltimore, a few months after the death of Freddie Gray, who died from injuries sustained while in police custody and the subsequent protests / messages contained within President Obama's eulogy for the Reverend Clementa Pinckney
- 5) Topics include: recent revelation that former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton did not turn over all of her e-mail records relating to Benghazi / reaction to criticism from the Clinton campaign that Republicans on the Benghazi committee are inventing a scandal / possibility of asking current Secretary of State John Kerry to testify
- 6) Topics include: problems with the Affordable Care Act ("Obamacare") / the pushback from conservatives when Governor Kasich accepted Medicaid money / importance of taking care of all people / disappearing value of empathy in America; Friday's landmark decision by the U.S. Supreme Court to overturn same-sex marriage bans / reaction from conservatives to the ruling; Governor Kasich's possible 2016 presidential run
- 7) Topics include: Friday's landmark decision by the U.S. Supreme Court to overturn same-sex marriage bans / President Obama's evolution from formally opposing to now supporting same-sex marriage; a divided Supreme Court / the Supreme Court's ruling on the Affordable Care Act ("Obamacare"); anticipated litigation regarding same-sex marriage from the religious community; lack of a Republican alternative to the Affordable Care Act ("Obamacare"); changes in President Obama's temperament / President Obama's eulogy for the Reverend Clementa Pinckney / need for conservatives to connect with minority voters

60 MINUTES

06/07/15

“Colorado Pot” – a report on Colorado’s progress after becoming the first state to legalize the recreational use of marijuana as of January 1, 2014. Dispensaries of the green drug are thriving, however most banks refuse to handle the profit due to federal regulations, causing marijuana businesses to be conducted almost entirely in cash. Nebraska and Oklahoma are suing to have the U.S. Supreme Court declare Colorado’s recreational pot market unconstitutional, claiming marijuana is crossing their borders. Includes interviews with: Meg Sanders, CEO of Mindful, a chain of four marijuana retail stores; Phillip Hague, Mindful’s master grower; John Jackson, Greenwood Village Police Chief; Andrew Freedman, Colorado’s Director of Marijuana Coordination; and Governor John Hickenlooper (D-CO). (C: Bill Whitaker – P: Marc Lieberman) (OAD: 01/11/15 - includes an update)

“The Storm after the Storm” – an investigation into the allegations that thousands of homeowners were denied their flood insurance claims after the effects of Hurricane Sandy in 2012 due to fraudulent engineers’ reports. The insurance companies in question (HiRise Engineering, Wright Flood, and U.S. Forensic) all declined requests for interviews and claim the reason the reports were changed was to allow for a peer review process. The New York attorney general’s office is investigating possible criminal activity. The insurance companies in question are overseen by FEMA, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, who admitted to seeing the fraudulent reports and say they are in the process of negotiations to settle the claims. Includes interviews with: Bob Kaible, homeowner in Long Beach, NY denied full flood insurance after Sandy; Steve Mostyn, Texas trial lawyer helping Sandy victims; John and Gail Mero, married homeowners in East Rockaway, New York denied full flood insurance after Sandy; Andrew Braum, engineer for HiRise Engineering; and Brad Kieserman, FEMA Deputy Associate Administrator for Insurance. (C: Sharyn Alfonsi – P: Oriana Zill de Granados, Michael Rey) (OAD: 03/01/15 - includes an update)

“Bradley Cooper” – an interview / profile of actor Bradley Cooper, who recently received his third Oscar nomination in as many years for his performance as the late Navy SEAL Chris Kyle in the movie, “American Sniper”. Cooper is currently starring on Broadway, playing deformed British man John Merrick in “The Elephant Man”. Also includes comments by: Gloria Campano, Cooper’s mother; and Clint Eastwood, director of “American Sniper”. (C: Steve Kroft – P: Michael Karzis) (OAD: 02/15/15 - includes an update)

06/14/15

“Recruiting For ISIS” – a report on radical Muslim fundamentalists in the United Kingdom and how they are playing an integral role in the recruitment of fighters for ISIS (Islamic State in Iraq and Syria). Also discussed is the use of online videos, used to recruit Westerners to join jihadi fighters for ISIS. Includes interviews with: Anjem Choudary, British Muslim preacher and activist; Abu Rumaysah, convert to Islam and Sharia patrol organizer; and Sir Peter Fahy, Chief Constable of Greater Manchester Police, who is in charge of a program called “Prevent”, which combats the radicalization of British Muslims. (C: Clarissa Ward – P: Randall Joyce) (OAD: 11/02/14 - includes an update)

“The Spill at Dan River” - a report on Duke Energy, America’s biggest utility company, and its approach to handling the over 100 million tons of coal ash waste it has accumulated in thirty-two ash pits, or “ponds” in North Carolina. A spill in the Dan River in February 2014 has exacerbated this problem. There are no federal regulations in place for the removal of coal ash. Duke Energy is considering these removal options: using lined landfills, which entails lining the bottom and top of the ponds but leaving the ash there; or the less costly option of cap in place, which only covers the top of the pond. Includes interviews with: Lynn Good, Duke Energy CEO; Governor Pat McCrory (R-NC); and Frank Holleman, attorney for Southern Environmental Law Center. Also includes comments by Kemp Burdette, a local (NC) environmentalist. (C: Lesley Stahl – P: Shachar Bar-On) (OAD: 12/07/14 - includes an update)

“The Smartest Dog in the World” - a report on scientific investigation into the intelligence of dogs, focusing on John Pilley, a retired psychology professor, and his border collie, Chaser, who recognizes more than 1,000 words. Also interviewed are: Brian Hare, an evolutionary anthropologist at Duke University; Dr. Greg Berns, a physician and neuroscientist at Emory University, Atlanta, GA, who conducts brain scans on dogs. (C: Anderson Cooper - P: Denise Schrier Cetta) (OAD: 10/05/14)

60 MINUTES (continued)

- 06/21/15 **“The Director”** - the conclusion of a two-part interview with FBI Director James Comey, who discusses the circumstances and criteria of government electronic surveillance of American citizens; the increased threat of cybercrime posed by new cellphone software available from Apple and Google; and ongoing FBI initiatives to combat terrorism. (See also: “The Director”, OAD: 10/05/14 -- Part one of the two-part interview.) (C: Scott Pelley - P: Pat Milton, Robert G. Anderson) (OAD: 10/12/14 - includes an update)
- “The Cost of Cancer Drugs”** - a report on the high price of cancer drugs, and the revolt against this situation, led by some prominent cancer doctors. Drugs discussed by name are Zaltrap and Avastin (colon cancer drugs manufactured by Sanofi and Genentech, respectively), and Gleevec (a leukemia drug manufactured Novartis). Includes interviews with: Dr. Leonard Saltz, a leading expert on colon cancer, and chief of gastrointestinal oncology, Memorial Sloan Kettering Hospital, New York City; Dr. Peter Bach, Sloan-Kettering’s in-house expert on cancer drug prices; John Castellani, president and CEO of PhRMA (“Pharma”), the drug industry’s trade and lobbying group in Washington, D.C.; Hagop Kantarjian, chair, the department of leukemia, M.D. Anderson, Houston, Texas. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Richard Bonin) (OAD: 10/05/14 - includes an update)
- “Saving History”** - a report on how Italy’s decaying architectural treasures -- including the Colosseum, the Trevi Fountain, and the Spanish Steps in Rome, and the Rialto Bridge in Venice -- are being restored by money from the fashion industry. Includes interviews with: Kimberly Bowes, director of the American Academy in Rome; Rossella Rea, director of the Colosseum; Diego Della Valle, CEO of Tod’s, the luxury leather goods company; Silvia Fendi, Fendi fashion house; Renzo Rosso, owner, Diesel jeans. (C: Morley Safer - P: David Browning, Sabina Castelfranco) (OAD: 10/19/14)
- 06/28/15 **“The Tax Refund Scam”** – a report on a tax refund scam that has gone viral, costing tax payers 5.2 billion dollars with no end in sight because the IRS (Internal Revenue Service) has not found a way to stop it. For the scam, con artists utilize stolen social security numbers to file bogus tax returns online and collect a refund check from the IRS -- all before the identity theft victims have filed their own return. Includes interviews with: Wifredo Ferrer, U.S. Attorney for Southern Florida; George Piro, Special Agent at the FBI’s Miami Field Office; Corey Williams, scam perpetrator arrested for committing tax fraud; John Koskinen, Commissioner of the IRS; and North Miami Beach Police Officer partners George ‘Rocky’ Festa and Craig Caitlin. (C: Steve Kroft – P: Ira Rosen) (OAD: 09/21/14 - includes an update)
- “Cleaning Up The VA”** – a report on the reorganization of The Department of Veterans Affairs under the new leadership of Secretary Robert McDonald. The former secretary, Eric Shinseki, was forced out after the public learned that tens of thousands of vets were waiting many months for medical care. Secretary McDonald will introduce new legislation tomorrow, and believes by next year there will be one website for veterans, instead of twelve, new patients will see a doctor within thirty days, and no one will wait for their benefits. Includes interviews with VA Secretary Robert McDonald; Dr. Katherine Mitchell, whistleblower and former co-director of the ER at the Phoenix VA; and Sloan Gibson, U.S. Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Guy Campanile) (OAD: 11/09/14 - includes an update)
- “Foo Fighters”** - an interview/profile of musician Dave Grohl (formerly of Nirvana) and his rock band, Foo Fighters. “Sonic Highways” is the title of the band’s new album as well as the title of a multi-part documentary series which Grohl is producing for HBO. The series will trace America’s musical history through the band’s visits to, and participation in, the distinctive musical heritages of eight American cities, including New Orleans and Chicago. (C: Anderson Cooper - P: Keith Sharman) (OAD: 10/26/14)

48 HOURS

06/02/15

48 HOURS: “Temptation in Texas” (10:00 - 11:00p) – a followup to “Temptation in Texas” (OAD: 05/03/14), a report about the 2011 shooting death of Greg Williams, and the question of whether he was killed with his own gun by an intruder inside his suburban Dallas home - as his wife Michele Williams has claimed - or if Michele herself was guilty of the crime. Investigation exposed a web of strained family relationships, bondage/domination allegations, claims of extramarital affairs, and estranged relatives, including Michele’s own children from previous marriages. Michele changed her story to say that Greg killed himself and she cleaned up the scene to protect their young daughter from the truth. Police believed Michele was the killer, but with little physical evidence, the district attorney offered a plea deal – plead guilty to tampering with evidence and “deadly conduct”. She accepted. While being interviewed by 48 HOURS for the original broadcast, Michele changed her story once again, contradicting herself. The judge threw out the deal and ordered her to stand trial for murder. During the trial, Michele changed her story again, this time saying it was a suicide. The prosecution used the 48 HOURS interview to their advantage, because she had added an additional fact, claiming that it was not only an intruder, but that she thinks she knew who it was. She was found guilty of murder. Following the conviction, Michelle Fletcher, Greg Williams’ sister and the widow of his best friend, Brynn Fletcher, says that she now believes that Michele Williams was also somehow responsible for Brynn’s death, also by gunshot, which authorities had classified as a suicide. She suggests that Fletcher was about to tell her brother truths which Michele Williams did not want Greg to learn about. Michele Williams denied any involvement. **On-screen text graphic:** Michele Williams was sentenced to sixty years in prison. She will be eligible for parole in thirty years at age seventy-four. Included are 2014 interviews with Michele Williams, Laura Cuisick (Michele’s sister); Andrew and Lee O’Brien (Michele’s sons); Gene Wallis (Michele’s fiancé); Taylor Williams (Greg’s daughter). 2015 interviews include: Jack Strickland (prosecutor); Michelle Fletcher (Greg’s sister); Michael Williams (Greg’s brother); Cody Cofer (defense attorney). (C: Peter Van Sant – P: Alec Sirken, Ryan N. Smith, Shoshanah Wolfson)

06/06/15

48 HOURS: “Mommy Dearest” - a report on the case of Linda Cooney, a woman who became the center of attention in two shootings - two decades apart - both with the same gun. Linda Cooney, shot her ex-husband, attorney James Cooney, while her 10-year-old son Kevin, peeked out of a hole in his bedroom door. The case rocked their exclusive Palm Beach, Florida enclave and captivated locals when the aspiring socialite went on trial for murder. Investigators say she was found not guilty, largely on the weight of Kevin’s testimony. Locals believed she had gotten away with murder. Cooney left Palm Beach, ending up in Las Vegas with her sons. In 2011, Linda Cooney reported another shooting; this time her son Kevin had a gunshot wound to the neck and would end up being paralyzed. Investigation revealed the gun used to shoot Kevin was the same one that had been used to shoot his father. Authorities were shocked when they found out she had asked to have the gun returned to her after the acquittal. Prosecutors believed Linda Cooney was desperate to control her grown sons and tried to kill Kevin because he wanted to move out. The defense painted a different story: Kevin was mentally unstable and accidentally shot himself. But the story that Kevin actually tells about his mother at trial startles everyone -- he himself claims that it was an accident, even though he had told the nurses in the hospital the opposite. However, in the end, it is not enough and Linda Cooney is found guilty on all charges. **On-screen text graphic:** After the verdict, Bob Cooney tried to visit Kevin. Kevin refused to see him. **Updated 06/06/15 On-Screen Text Graphic:** After the verdict, Bob Cooney tried to visit Kevin. Kevin refused to see him. Both Kevin and Christopher feel their mother’s verdict was just and hope it is overturned on appeal. Kevin and Christopher talk to their mother on the phone every week. Interviewed: Las Vegas Detectives Robert Schmidt and Lance Landholm; Las Vegas prosecutors Shanon Clowers and Michael Staudaher; Bob Cooney, brother of

James Cooney; Palm Beach gossip columnist Jose Lambiet; Lt. Scott Smith; former girlfriends of Kevin Cooney, Karina Taylor and Clarita Kendall; Linda Cooney's attorney Michael Becker. (C: Richard Schlesinger - P: Patti Aronofsky, Jonathan Leach) (OAD: 10/04/14)

48 HOURS (continued)

06/09/15

48 HOURS: “The Millionaire, The Model & The Hit-Man” (10:00 - 11:00p) - an investigation into the relationship between Dino Guglielmelli, a millionaire health supplement distributor/ wannabe rock star, his model wife, Monica Olsen, his business partner/presumed hitman Richard Fuhrmann, and the \$80,000 “hit” Guglielmelli ordered on his wife. In 2008, Olsen, a model-turned-housewife, wanted to re-start her career, Guglielmelli was not happy. He became very controlling, dating other women and eventually filing for divorce. He tried various schemes to discredit his wife. In 2012, when he couldn’t get his way in the divorce, he confided his problems to business associate/friend Richard Fuhrmann, asking him to “take care” of his wife; Fuhrmann told Guglielmelli that he would take the job. Instead of murdering Olsen, he went to the authorities in Los Angeles, California, and agreed to wear a wire. In October 2013, Fuhrmann got Guglielmelli to repeat that he would pay \$80,000 to have Olsen killed. To the authorities, it was a clear-cut case of murder for hire; Guglielmelli was arrested. Guglielmelli, in a telephone interview from jail, claims he is the victim; he was conned by Richard Fuhrmann. Authorities agree that Fuhrmann is a con man, but the conspiracy to kill Olsen was very real. In a surprise move, they offered Guglielmelli a plea deal: plead guilty to attempted murder in the second degree and serve only nine years in jail. He accepted. In a telephone interview from prison, Guglielmelli discusses his decision. Olsen is proceeding with the divorce and worries about the future. Fuhrmann fears what will happen when Guglielmelli is released from prison. **On-screen text graphic:** Because Dino took a plea deal he cannot appeal his conviction. Interviewed: Dino Guglielmelli; Monica Olsen; Rick Fuhrmann; Emilio Guglielmelli (brother), Gino Guglielmelli (brother); Letitia Devine (Dino’s ex-wife); Olya Banar (Monica’s friend); Emily Cole (Deputy District Attorney) (C: Troy Roberts - P: Judy Rybak, Greg Fisher) (OAD: 01/31/15)

06/13/15

48 HOURS: “Wounded by Love” - an investigation into the death of Phillip Peatross, who was shot in the bedroom of his girlfriend, Caryn Kelley. Kelley claimed Peatross shot himself, but the police suspected foul play. After a night of drinking and arguing, Peatross left Kelley’s Orlando, Florida home. Later that night, Kelley, believing an intruder had gained access to her home, drew her gun. She then realized the “intruder” was actually Peatross. Kelley says there was a struggle for the gun, with Peatross telling her “I’m not going to live my life without you,” and then he shot himself. He was dead at the scene. Police were initially leery of Kelley’s story and interviewed her on cell phone video immediately following the shooting. This video became important to the case when police claimed that she changed her version of what happened days later. Famed Orlando Chief Medical Examiner and reality show star Dr. Jan Garavaglia also had doubts about Kelley’s version of events. Kelley was arrested and charged with Peatross’ murder. Secrets then came to light regarding Peatross: he was still married, which was one of the reasons a previous girlfriend had left him, something Caryn Kelley was unaware of. Throughout her ordeal, Kelley always said that Peatross was responsible for his own death. In May 2013, the trial began, with prosecutors using what they said were Kelley’s different stories, along with autopsy findings to build their case. Kelly’s lawyer was able to use the cell phone video and differing forensic opinions to Kelly’s advantage, and she was found not guilty. **On-screen text graphic:** Caryn Kelly’s gun was legal in Florida. The State does not require gun owners to register firearms. Interviewed: Caryn Kelly; Tamara Lawton, former girlfriend of Phillip Peatross; Diana Tennis, Kelley’s defense attorney; Dr. Jan Garavaglia, Orlando Chief Medical Examiner; and Matt Conway, forensic scientist, Florida Department of Law Enforcement. (C: Troy Roberts – P: Paul LaRosa, Michelle Feuer, Alicia Tejada) (OAD: 04/05/14)

48 HOURS (continued)

06/16/15

48 HOURS: LIVE TO TELL: “One Last Hug” (10:00 - 11:00p) – an updated report on growing dangers of dating and breakup violence, focusing on Melissa Dohme, who agreed to meet a former boyfriend, Robert Murton, for one last hug before they broke up forever. The decision nearly cost her her life: in an instant, she was stabbed 32 times and left for dead. Their relationship had started out lovingly, but Burton told her if she ever broke up with him, he would kill her. The couple eventually split up and Burton began calling her. He woke her up on the night of January 24, 2012 and begged her for one last hug. She agreed to meet him in front of her Clearwater, Florida home. After the attack, a police officer responding to the scene did not believe Dohme would survive. Melissa Dohme, police, EMS, doctors and Dohme’s family describe their learning of the attack, Melissa’s treatment, the hunt for Murton, her recovery, facing her attacker in court... and how this event led her to find a solid relationship and a new purpose in life. Also included is an interview with Audrey Mabrey, herself a victim of a domestic attack. Her husband, Chris, an NYPD officer, bludgeoned her with a hammer and set her on fire. Epilogue: the men who attacked Melissa Dohme and Audrey Mabrey will spend the rest of their lives behind bars with no chance of parole. Melissa and Audrey believe they were spared to help themselves and others. Both are advocates at Hands Across the Bay, an organization founded by philanthropist Julie Weintraub, whose goal is to prevent domestic violence and help families in crisis. **VIDEO EPILOGUE:** Eighteen months later, life has changed for the better for Melissa Dohme. She is living out her purpose: working full time as a domestic violence prevention advocate, and she and her boyfriend, Cameron got engaged in May. **On-screen text graphic:** Melissa and Cameron plan to be married in the spring of 2017. Interviewed: survivors Melissa Dohme and Audrey Mabrey; Melissa Harris (Clearwater Police Department officer); Vincent Supernor and Cameron Hill (Clearwater Fire & Rescue); Joanne Dohme (mother of Melissa); and Dr. Jeffrey Johnson (Bayfront Health Medical Center). (C: Troy Roberts - P: Liza Finley) (OAD: 05/31/14)

06/20/15

48 HOURS: “Kristen’s Secret” - a report about Kristen Cunnane, a former All-American swimmer who kept quiet about years of sexual abuse by a trusted female teacher and how her decision to go public led to the revelation that she was not alone: by speaking out, she gave three other women at the same school the strength to come forward. Cunnane was a student at Joaquin Moraga Intermediate School in Moraga, California. She caught the eye of gym teacher Julie Correa and they became close friends. Two years later, Correa began her abuse; Cunnane felt powerless to do anything about it. Correa became increasingly obsessed with Kristen, even slipping into the girl’s home and hiding in the closet. In 2010, Cunnane’s memories resurfaced. She was diagnosed with PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder). Eventually, with the help of her former high school sweetheart, now-husband, Scott, she went to the police. Despite being in possession of physical evidence, the police asked her to call Correa and attempt to get her to confess to the abuse. She cooperated and Correa was arrested. Cunnane then went public with the story and as a result, three other women who also attended the same school came forward: the three had been sexually abused - in the same time period - by a different teacher, Dan Witters, a popular science teacher. It was discovered that administrators knew of Witter’s abuse and did nothing. In the fall of 1996, Witters, in the midst of allegations of misbehavior, committed suicide and the story died too. The Moraga School District eventually paid out a multi-million dollar settlement to the women, and the current administration apologized to the women who were abused. Julie Correa worked out a plea deal and was sentenced to eight years in prison. Original on-screen text graphic: The School District paid out a total of \$18.65 million to Kristen Cunnane and the three other victims who filed civil lawsuits. Julie Correa is eligible for parole in 2018. In May 2013, Kristen gave birth to her first child, a baby girl. **On-screen text graphic for the 06/20/15 rebroadcast:** The school district paid out a total of 18.65 million dollars to Kristen Cunnane and the three Jane Does who filed civil lawsuits. Julie Correa is eligible for parole in 2018. Her husband has filed for divorce, and sole custody

of their children. In May 2015, Kristen gave birth to her second child, a baby boy.
Interviewed: Kristen Cunnane; Scott Cunnane (husband); Maggie Rinow (friend and
classmate); Dave Ring (attorney for Jane Doe); Jeanne Lewis (Kristen Cunnane's
mother); Malaika Fraley and Matthias Gafni (journalists, Bay Area News Group); Berch
Parker (Detective, Lafayette Police Department) (C: Tracy Smith - P: Paul LaRosa)
(OAD: 10/18/14)

48 HOURS (continued)

- 06/23/15 **48 HOURS: "Devil's Island" (10:00 - 11:00p)** - an updated rebroadcast on the disappearance and death of Yvonne Baldelli, a California woman who moved to Panama with her boyfriend Brian Brimager, an ex-Marine trying to make a go of it as a bar singer, but who turned out not to be as perfect to her as he seemed. Baldelli routinely sent happy emails to family members, but they suddenly stopped. About a month after the last message, Yvonne's sister Michele Valenzuela got a text from Brimager saying he was back in the U.S., but without Baldelli. He had sent an email that he and Yvonne had broken up, which was somehow overlooked by her family. Police went to Panama and back to San Diego. The family learned that Baldelli and Brimager were not as happy as had been suggested. There were stories of heavy drinking and fighting. They learned Brimager was leading a second life and had gotten married to Kristin Werkoven. Even though Michele Valenzuela was sick with cancer, her hunch about the origins of an email allegedly from her sister Yvonne, set her on a mission to prove Brimager had murdered Yvonne. In Panama, police searched for a body. The FBI joined the investigation to search waters in Panama. Finally, forensic analysis yielded a positive result: Brimager was arrested by the FBI and is now in custody. Since the arrest, Yvonne Baldelli's remains have been found: she never left Panama. Original On-screen text graphic: Michele Valenzuela lost her brave battle to cancer last week. The United States is in talks with Panama to move the prosecution of Brian Brimager for Yvonne's murder to San Diego. **UPDATE:** In April 2015, five months after the death of Michele Valenzuela, and following complex negotiations between Panama and the United States, it was announced that the United States will prosecute Brian Brimager for the murder of Yvonne Baldelli, as a foreign murder of a U.S. national. Now, the family is one step closer to justice for Yvonne and to bringing her remains back to the United States for burial. **On-screen text graphic for the 06/23/15 updated rebroadcast:** Brian Brimager is due in court next week. A federal judge is likely to set a trial date. Interviewed: photographer Jack English; Yvonne's sister Michele Valenzuela; her father and step-mother Jim and Lillian Faust; Yvonne's niece Lauren Beyer; local bar owners in Panama: Stephen and Joan Crabtree, Penny Tom, Jeff Salzman; Brian's friend Jim Mertens; and ex-U.S. intelligence officer Don Winner. (C: Peter Van Zant - P: Chris O'Connell) (OAD: 11/15/14)
- 06/27/15 **48 HOURS: "Dangerous Beauty"** - a report on the 2003 murder of Russel Douglas on Whidbey Island, Washington, and how the investigation led to the involvement of Peggy Sue Thomas, a one-time Washington beauty queen-turned-high-end limo driver. The investigation determined Douglas' marriage was in trouble, his wife Brenna was in debt, and that Thomas had once worked with Brenna. The case went cold until a tipster called police from Florida, saying that his friend and former bandmate, Jim Huden, who was also from Whidbey Island, had admitted to him that he killed Douglas and that Huden's then-girlfriend, Betty Sue Thomas, was also involved. Huden disappeared in 2004, and it was eventually discovered that Huden's wife, Jean Huden, had helped him to get out of the country. In the meantime, Betty Sue Thomas married Mark Allen, a multi-millionaire oilman and thoroughbred horse owner. The marriage was over in seven months with Thomas becoming a wealthy woman. By 2011, Jean Huden's life eventually fell apart, and she began cooperating with investigators. Jim Huden was arrested in Mexico, returned to the U.S., stood trial and was found guilty of murder. Betty Sue Thomas was also arrested. Just weeks before the trial was about to begin, Thomas was offered and accepted a plea deal on a reduced charge of rendering criminal assistance. She still claims she is innocent, but she wouldn't have gotten a fair trial. Original on-screen text graphic: Under the terms of her plea deal, even if additional evidence is uncovered, Peggy Sue Thomas cannot be charged with murder. Peggy Sue Thomas is eligible for parole on August 12, 2016. Jim and Jean Huden are still legally married. They have not spoken in years. **Updated 06/27/15 on-screen text graphic:** Peggy Sue Thomas cannot be charged with murder if additional evidence is uncovered. She is eligible for parole on August 12, 2016. Jim and Jean Huden are still legally married. They have not spoken in years. Bill

has passed away in October 2014. Interviewed: Betty Sue Thomas; Mark Plumberg, lead investigator; Vicky Boyer, Thomas' former friend; Greg Banks, Island County prosecutor; Bill Hill and Jean Huden, informants; Jorge Mabarak, friend of Jim Huden's and CBS News Consultant; Mark Allen, Thomas' former husband; Craig Platt, Thomas' defense attorney; and Brenna Douglas. (C: Peter Van Sant - P: Chris O'Connell, Greg Fisher) (OAD: 04/26/14)

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“Meditation, Mindfulness & Spirituality” – an interfaith special exploring how the practice of meditation and mindfulness affects personal growth and social transformation, as well as its uses in our secular society. Featured on the program are: (1) Sharon Salzberg, author, Buddhist meditation teacher, and co-founder of the Insight Meditation Society in Barre, Massachusetts. Salzberg discusses her discovery of Buddhism and meditation as a young college student in 1970. That interest led to a four-year study abroad in India, and upon her return to Barre, she co-founded the Society. Today, she is one of the most sought-after teachers in the country, and explains the practice of meditation and mindfulness, and why it has become so popular. (2) Yael Shy is the Senior Director of Global Spiritual Life at New York University. In 2009, she founded the Mindfulness Project at NYU, and today it is one of the largest campus-wide meditation initiatives in the country. NYU undergrads created a student-only group called “Generation Meditation”. Several students involved with the group -- Michelle Huang, Jeremy Wedeem, and Arjun Madgavkar -- discuss how meditation and mindfulness has helped them deal with the everyday stresses of college and in figuring out their life’s purpose. (3) Sakyong Mipham Rinpoche, head of the Shambhala Buddhist lineage, discusses today’s “mindfulness movement” and how it can be used for social transformation. The Shambhala community is an international network of meditation and retreat centers known for their secular approach to meditation. It is based on an appreciation of “innate human goodness” and was founded by the Sakyong’s father, the Venerable Chogyam Trungpa Rinpoche. Trungpa Rinpoche, a Tibetan Lama who came to North America in 1970, is widely regarded as a pioneer of mindfulness meditation and for bringing Tibetan Buddhism to the West. Also appearing: Janet Hasz, Director of the Creating Peace Project, and Aarti Tejuja, Director of Social Engagement, both with the Shambhala Meditation Center of Chicago, Illinois. They discuss the work of the center in reaching out to Chicago area neighborhoods. (Narrator: Ted Holmes. Executive Producer: Elizabeth Kineke. Associate Producer: Natalie Baxter. Director & Senior Executive Producer: John P. Blessington. Produced in consultation with: National Council of Churches; A Consortium of Roman Catholic Organizations; The Islamic Society of North America; New York Board of Rabbis.)

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