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Fall 2019 Semester kicks off with various renovation projects

Khalid Ghanchi
Staff Writer

This fall semester, Emporia State students are greeted with renovations all around campus. The biggest of them being the Morse project.

“The plan to save Abigail was one that made financial sense,” said Cass Coughlin, director of residential life. “That particular building had the least maintenance needed, and as the first campus residents hall, (it’s) part of the history.”

The housing master plan, which started in the fall of 2016, includes renovations and additions in Morse hall, Visser hall, Roosevelt hall and the Memorial Union.

The construction of Morse hall has been a topic of conversation since 2010. Morse has been part of the campus for over a century. It was originally

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Cass Coughlin, director of residential life stands in front of a Morse renovation sign to explain the project to community members on Aug. 28. Northeast Morse is in the process of complete demolition while the original Morse hall prepares for complete renovation. It is currently unknown what will happen with Central Morse, according to Coughlin. MARGARET MELLOTT | **The Bulletin**

Associated Student Government planning safety walk

Margaret Mellott
Editor-in-Chief

The Associated Student Government will hold their annual safety walk following the next senate meeting on Sept. 19.

“I just wanted to put on your radar about the campus safety walk that’s gonna be on Sept. 19 following the sen-

ate meeting,” said Paul Frost, ASG president and senior accounting major, “That’s where we will walk around campus and identify areas that maybe aren’t safe for the students or whatever it may be.”

Students are welcome to attend the walk.

“We’ve invited administrators to attend, and then senators go,” Frost said. “There will

actually be Hornet announcements being released just to get student involvement...It’s a great way to get involved and have your voice heard about the safety of our campus.”

Senate resolution 20002, a resolution opposing the Cengage and McGraw-Hill textbook merger, was passed favorably.

“There’s a lot of fear with

the merger of Cengage and McGraw-Hill,” Frost said. “The textbook market would become too small, raising textbook prices even higher. Something that the students advisory committee within Kansas Board of Regents has done in the past years is they submitted a survey that students are already paying significant amounts in textbook

pricing.”

This resolution passed 22 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstentions.

“This is just one of our ways of reaching out to say ‘This shouldn’t happen,’” Frost said.

The next ASG meeting will be at 5:15 p.m. on Sept. 19 in the senate chambers on the third floor of the Memorial Union, according to emporia.com.

The Bulletin changes print publication schedule, increases Web presence



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Margaret Mellott
Editor-in-Chief

Since 1901, *The Bulletin* has been a voice for the students at Emporia State.

As technology has changed, the newspaper has changed with it. The newspaper’s current website is something that would have been undreamed of just a couple of generations ago.

Now, esubulletin.com—along with the newspaper’s social media presence—are integral parts of our coverage, supplementing but not replacing the traditional print editions. The focus groups we have conducted over the past few years tell us that students like having the print edition. We do, too.

But many regional newspapers, faced with declining

ad revenues and changing readerships, have reduced their publication schedules or changed their delivery methods. The Wichita Eagle, for example, recently announced it would stop Saturday publication, but put more resources into a weekend package edition. And, the Emporia Gazette dropped carrier delivery in May in favor of postal delivery. So, too, must the *The Bulletin* adapt to a changing media landscape.

As of this semester, we will reduce our print publication schedule to every other week during the semester. This will be an experiment in saving printing costs, as well as a way to channel more resources into our online presence.

The cost-cutting measure is made necessary by a combination of two things: declining

ad revenues (which all newspapers have experienced in the past few years) and a reduction in our fee allocation two years ago by Associated Student Government.

Despite many cost-saving measures implemented in the intervening time period—and an emergency grant last semester by Students Affairs—we face the unpleasant task of having to make significant cuts.

The question was whether we would keep the weekly print schedule as it has been for the past decade, or whether we would reduce coverage. Our decision is to cut back on the print edition, but to continue the vigorous, independent coverage we’re known for.

The print edition will continue to be delivered on Thurs-

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Karst joins governor’s office as communications coordinator

A recent Emporia State graduate and former editor of the campus newspaper, *The Bulletin*, has been named communications coordinator for Gov. Laura Kelly.

Rayna Karst, who graduated with a bachelor’s degree in English and a minor in Journalism in 2018, began her job in August. She is part of a three-person communications team, including the director of communications and the press

secretary, at the governor’s office in Topeka.

Karst duties include helping the team handle press inquiries, write press releases, draft speeches, and post to social media.

“We were pleased to welcome Rayna to the team as our new communication coordinator,” Dena Sattler, director of communications, said in a

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Corky’s Fuzzy Friends

JADA

She is super friendly with lots of energy!

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1 year

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\$25

Those interested in adopting Jada should fill out an application to adopt at the Emporia Kansas Animal Shelter, 1216 Hatcher St. Jada, like all animals at the shelter, was picked up as a stray. Infographic by Kalliope Craft | THE BULLETIN

Kappa Delta Chi to resume recruitment next semester

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Staff Writer

Kappa Delta Chi, a primarily Latina sorority, suspended recruitment this semester, ac-

ording to Lendcy Reyes, chapter president and senior business major. “This semester we just decided to focus more on the chapter itself, since we recently launched

(our) scholarship,” Reyes said. “Next semester we will be recruiting.”

The scholarship, ‘My Dream, My Future’ was created in 2018 to help DREAMers, minor immigrants who have been granted residency status, according to Mayra Murillo, chapter vice president, standards officer and senior sociology major.

“It’s open to everyone, but we do place a special focus on students who don’t receive FAFSA or other student aid,” Murillo said.

According to Reyes, they wanted to help students through their education.

“We wanted to provide at least one scholarship, so they don’t have to come up with too much money out of pocket,” Reyes said. “It’s our way to help them get by in school, even if it’s just \$1,000.”

In lieu of recruitment, the sorority is hosting Project Penguin for interested students, Reyes said.

“We’re trying to keep them involved since we’re not recruiting this semester, to make sure we’re what they want,” Reyes said.

Reyes added that Kappa Delta Chi is open to everyone, not just Latina students.

“We like to say that we’re Latino founded and multiculturally grounded, so we’re open to

everyone,” Reyes said.

Members played sand volleyball at a social on Sept. 6 at Sonic Drive-In.

Their next social event will be a picnic at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 20. The location has not been announced.

Julissa Razo, chapter treasurer and senior nursing major, said that the sorority brings more awareness of diversity to the campus.

“Emporia is almost half Hispanic, but we don’t get that representation on campus,” Razo said. “Kappa Delta Chi gives that community a say in the student body and representation.”

The sorority also partners with local schools and community organizations.

Reyes said she enjoyed their recent partnership with Logan Avenue Elementary.

“We started a girls-only program focused on mostly 4th and 5th graders,” Reyes said. “We talked about things you wouldn’t normally talk about during school like bullying, consent, and self-image.”

Reyes, Murilla and Razo all mentioned the positive impact the sorority has had on their personal and professional development.

“I’m really glad I joined,” said Razo. “It’s great to be around other empowered women.”



Kappa Delta Chi plays sand volleyball at their social event on Sept. 6. Their next social event will be a picnic at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 20. The location has not be determined. VANESSA PRUITT | The Bulletin

Faculty Senate addresses updates

Lucas Lord
Staff Writer

Faculty Senate held their first meeting for the semester Sept. 3. Points of the discussion were the Labor Day storms, Can the Bods, and staggered enrollment.

“I’d like to say we’ve had a very smooth first two weeks,” said David Cordle, provost. “That is until the night when half the roof blew off Visser hall. As you may know, it was a mess, and still is to some extent, but our facilities folks were on it very quickly and have at least a temporary patch in place now that is secure, so I guess it could have been a lot worse than it is.”

The yearly Can the Bods competition was also men-

tioned, as it will be kicking off soon.

“It’s our annual food competition with Washburn Rural where we raise perishable and nonperishable food items for Corky’s Cupboard,” said Paul Frost, Associated Student Government president and senior accounting major. “There needs to be more collaboration across departments to help raise our total amount...We will be challenging departments to raise \$156 which will count towards the competition.”

ASG will be distributing jars to collect money on Oct. 4 and the competition between departments will run from Oct. 7-18.

“The department that raises the most amount of money

will be placed on a plaque outside Corky’s Cupboard,” Frost said.

Gregory Schneider, Faculty Senate president and social sciences professor, mentioned the Kansas Board of Regents may be passing down changes regarding an increase in Open Educational Resources to be made more readily available for students.

“They’re still meeting this year, so nothing has been distributed yet, but that’s a big thing,” Schneider said. “There’s also the issue of the bachelor degree being redefined. There’s supposed to be a two-year pilot program to see how this would work, which would affect how we accept transfers from community colleges. So, that’s some-

thing that may come down the pipeline.”

The faculty affairs committee reported that they are working on allowing shorter times to be made available for the parking meters around the union for activities.

“Staggered enrollment this year will start on October sixth for seniors, (the) seventh for juniors and sophomores and the eighth for freshman,” said Shelly Gehrke, assistant provost. “We wanted to start on the weekend since seniors should know what they need to take and it gets them to start thinking about it earlier.”

Faculty Senate meets the first and third Tuesday of every month from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Skyline room of the Memorial Union.

Koch day hosted by business school, career services

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Staff Writer

Koch college hosted various programs on interview tips, resume feedback, internship opportunities and mock interviews from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sept. 5 in Cremer hall.

“Koch day is very valuable to business students because it’s an opportunity for professionals in the field to provide feedback on resumes and interviewing,” said Erin Zimmerman, senior accounting major and former intern of Koch College. “Koch is a company that cares to help Emporia State’s students be best equipped for their lives after college.”

Matt Wallace, a digital transformation analyst for Koch college, was present on site working with his staff and other students.

“We have got a few different tables (in the first floor of Cremer hall),” Wallace said. “There is an informational booth for students to find out about internship and what opportunities we have; in Roe Cross room we are looking over resumes giving

some tips and feedback to students, answering any questions they might have just about work, internship; (we are) going to do a few classroom visits as well to answer any more questions that they might have.”

Kalyn Meseke, a Koch college accountant and ESU alumna, was working the information table on first floor.

“Practice interview tips, that is kind of what we are doing with

mock interviews,” Meseke said. “(We) have them go through a real feel of what an interview would feel like...and also (give) them tips on resume helping them make it stand out compared to other people.”

Career Services collaborated with the business school and Koch college in organizing this event and facilitating mock interviews.

“Participating in mock inter-

views builds skills that employers are going to be looking for in a real career setting,” said Martina Miller, student assistant at career services and a sophomore business administration major. “By participating in mock interviews, students can get feedback from people who actually are involved in the hiring process. This can help ease interview anxiety and allow students to learn how they can respond to questions.”



A Koch employee leads a discussion during their event on Sept. 5. Outside of giving presentations, they also gave tips, helped with resume and held mock interviews. SHELBY HAMBLETON | The Bulletin

Police Reports

Logs from ESU Police and Safety

Sept. 4

Officer responded to a fire alarm call in Singular Trusler Zone 215. No problem was found.

Cram Science Hall fire zone 151. Officer reset faulty alarm.

Singular Trusler zone 1 and 215 fourth floor North stairway pull station and fourth floor duct detector. Unknown mechanical error and technician looking into it.

Diana Kuhlman reported a parking problem at Gold Lot 9 Gold parking #7. Parking enforcement issued a citation.

Officer assisted Emporia Police Dept. with an attempt to locate suspect at 1100 East St. Reference a foot chase by the PD.

Sept. 5

Female subject requested to speak to an officer in regards to giving the football team cookies after the game. Officer directed subject on what to do.

Residential Assistant Drew Losey reported a suspicious odor coming from the 6 th floor of South Towers. Officer was unable to find the cause of the odor.

Officers engaged in a community contact with subjects at the Tailgating areas.

Officers checked welfare on a male subject who hit his head right outside of the ticket booth on the West side of Welch Stadium. He advised that he was going to Newman Regional Hospital to get checked out.

Trusler Residential Complex fire alarms went off. Mechanical error.

Officer completed deposits for Business Office and Parking Dept.

Sept. 6

Female student requested to speak with an officer at headquarters.

Officer helped direct traffic for the football game.

Officer completed deposit for the Foundation.

Male student requested to speak with an officer by Plumb Hall.

Officer completed deposits for the Memorial Union and Sodexo.

Sept. 7

Officers caught and released a bat from Plumb Hall.

Parents requested welfare check for Aaron Kubacka at Schallenkamp East 307.

Officer admitted student, Debra Fiegembbaum, into King Hall room 8.

Officer provided jump start assistance for KS 683MAU in Sector 7.

Sept. 8

Officer assisted KS 343EIL with changing a flat tire at 1829 Merchant St.

Officer checked the Trusler Sports Complex.

Officer checked the Earl Center.

Sept. 9

Officer checked Trusler Sport Complex.

Officer provided lock out assistance for KS 032BWG at King Hall.

Officer engaged in community contact with subject outside of Towers.

From recitals to bar gigs, Tarnished Brass plays across Emporia

Faith Burgoon
Staff Writer

A brass band full of Emporia State alumni and students, Tarnished Brass, played on Sept. 4 at Radius Brewing Co. The band that started in 2017 as a brass quintet includes: Josh Cook, Javier Chavez, Bob Haselhuhn, Grant Perkins, Billy Bostic, JD Pederson and Adrian Ingles. Each member has attended classes of some kind at ESU, according to Chavez. “Around my freshman year, we played at an event called ‘Live in the Lot’ over the summer,” said Javier Chavez, tenor saxophone player. “Josh Cook, our lead trumpet player got us all together.” Working around their schedules can be a challenge, according to Josh Cook, lead

trumpet player. They have to balance their own careers, class work and rehearsals. “We try to schedule our rehearsals when we all have free time,” Cook said. “Unfortunately for us, that means we devote Sunday evenings to rehearsals.” Recitals are very different from the gigs they’ve played at bars, such as Radius. They go from strictly formal attire with a more solemn atmosphere, to a laid back atmosphere where they act as background noise. “I’d say my favorite part, aside from being in a group where everyone is a close friend, is probably playing the music,” Cook said. Radius Brewing Co. was happy to have the band there for their performance and future events, according to Chad

Swift, bartender. “It was pretty impromptu, and in the future we hope to

promote them some more,” Swift said. “We are gonna have them come back for October-

fest and hope to give them a bigger crowd.”



Emporia State students and alumni, play in Tarnished Brass, on Sept. 6 at Radius Brewing Co. Their next performance will be this Saturday at Mulready’s Pub. ZIYU ZHANG | **The Bulletin**

About 25 people forced to leave Lawrence homeless shelter

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — Homeless advocates in Lawrence say they did what they could for people forced to leave city’s only overnight homeless shelter but they are concerned that some of them had nowhere to go. About 25 people left the Lawrence Community Shelter on Sept. 6 after shelter officials said financial difficulties forced them to drop the number of people it could serve. The shelter announced in early August that it would reduce its capacity from 125 to 65 people. It stopped accepting new guests on Aug. 8 and found alternate arrangements for others, leaving 25 people with no housing plans when

the deadline arrived, The Lawrence Journal-World reported. David Miller was one of those who had to leave with no idea where he would go. He’s been temporarily sleeping in a nonresidential building with the owner’s permission but he said the shelter’s closing was a blow. “The bottom fell out and I’ve just been really screwed up,” Miller said. “Like, you know, from that point on, I started having health problems and dental issues.” The shelter’s assistant director, Kenny Yates, said many guests left with donated camping supplies, toiletries and bags of snacks that were donated after the shelter’s plans

were announced. “We had put together some resource book bags that were full of things like rain jackets, tarps and little things like instant coffee, sunscreen, bug spray, mini first aid kits and various things like that,” Yates said. “Given some of the circumstances we knew people would be facing, those are the things that would help them the most.” Yates said based on conversations he heard, he expected some of those who left will be camping. There are no other overnight homeless shelters in Lawrence but homeless people can use services during the day at a drop-in center down-

town, which provides showers, laundry facilities, water, coffee and snacks. The Drop-in And Respite Center opened in June, said center director Loring Henderson. Henderson said many of the people forced to leave the shelter don’t have a place to stay. “They don’t know what they’re doing,” Henderson said. “What I’m getting more than anything is, ‘Where am I supposed to go?’ There is not a good answer to that.” The shelter reduced its capacity because of a funding shortfall of hundreds of thousands of dollars and changes to what the shelter considers safe staffing levels. The city

and Douglas County significantly increased their funding levels for the shelter for 2019 and 2020 but not by as much as the shelter requested. City commissioners indicated they might review the city’s sales tax receipts early next year to see if it would allow the city to provide the shelter with additional money. Shelter board president Thea Perry previously told the Journal-World the shelter is raising money with the hope of being able to increase its capacity before winter. Perry said the shelter would need to raise about \$150,000 to pay for the staff, food and other expenses needed to increase the capacity by just 30 people.

Zoiks! springs into action with workshop, auditions

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Staff Writer

Zoiks!, the improv based comedy group at Emporia State, held their first workshop for the year last Wednesday night at Bruder theater in preparation for auditions. “The workshop is for people who want a head start in the audition process,” said Myra Cassady, senior recreation major. “We’re gonna be going over some of the games we play and the skills we use that will help people be successful in improv.” About 16 people attended the workshop. “I’m the technical director for Zoiks!,” said Lucas Coble, junior theater major. “I’m mainly responsible for the technical needs that they have, (like) figuring out the lights for their spac-

es, figuring out the pre-show and post show music.” According to Cassady and Coble, the group has done a lot more in recent years to get the word out about events like the workshop. Cassady said she didn’t know about when she was a freshman. “I did Improv in the thespian convention for three years in high school and it was something that was really fun,” said Jack Jaworski, freshman secondary English education major. “It seems like a good way to grow as an actor and have fun, make people laugh.” Jaworski was one of several participants who came for the workshop in preparation for the auditions Sept. 6. There are lots of learning opportunities at the workshops, according to Coble.




Students audition for Zoiks! improv group Sept. 6 in Bruder theater. There are currently 12 members in the group. KRISTIN ANDERSON | **The Bulletin**

“I think the benefit (of having workshops) is for people who are kind of a bit timid and haven’t tried it before to get that experience of doing improv which is super helpful,” Coble said.

Coble said individual growth is another valuable aspect of Zoiks!. “I would say the benefit of joining Zoiks! is growing as an individual...It’s also great for teambuilding because you

aren’t the only one on stage, you have multiple partners to help build this scene together,” Coble said. “Its another outlet for you to act.” The first Zoiks! show will be Oct. 25 in Bruder theater.



EMPORIA EATS

Buzzin About Do-B’s


LUCAS LORD

A mere couple blocks away from campus lies one of the cornerstones of Emporian cuisine, Do-B’s. Best known for their burgers and philly cheesesteaks, I was interested in what else they had to offer. As a locally owned and operated store, it was sprinkled with regulars, some speaking to someone who happened to be the father of the owner. They had a pretty good selection of sandwiches, burgers and melts, and even a couple vegetarian options. I decided on the lighter Mad Greek, a chicken breast with nutmeg, cinnamon, feta cheese and onion on flat-

bread with a smooth tzatziki sauce. I also got a side of sweet potato fries. The restaurant wasn’t too busy for an early afternoon, and I got my food in about eight minutes. In the meantime, they were playing an episode of the Adam’s Family. I always prefer to eat at places where you can see them cook the food. Having made food both in front of and away from customers, I find that the food is usually prepared with greater care when people can see what you’re doing, especially with

the owners themselves helping out in the kitchen. The fries were all freshly cut and almost too hot, but they had a perfect crunch to them. The flatbread was surprisingly filling, much more than normal bread. The cinnamon and nutmeg went surprisingly well on the chicken. For about \$12, it was well worth stopping by for lunch. While I was there, a couple football players came in and the owners father recognized them

and started talking. It’s nice to eat at places with a certain level of familiarity with their customers. I certainly prefer it to the estranged nature of fast food or anything like a sports bar. With a fairly priced menu, and a good selection of sandwiches, if you find yourself near campus, you should buzz on over to Do-Bs.



Staff Ed

Don't let stress control you

Whether we realize it or not, many of our friends, family members and classmates struggle with mental health or mental health issues.

This time of year can be very difficult. For many, they're still adjusting to life away from home. For others, it's preparing for midterms (because yes, they are in just a few weeks).

Whatever it may be, mental health is important for people to pay attention to. Balancing work, school, and life in general, is no easy task.

One in five college students consider suicide, ac-

cording to a survey of 67,000 college students in a study done last September by Harvard Medical School.

On top of moving away from home for the first time, college students are faced with higher expectations, new relationships and any number of situations.

There are a lot of challenges that can pop up and are unavoidable, like tests and projects. But, it's really about finding and using healthy coping mechanisms to minimize the stress.

In an article from the American Psychology Association, there are seven main tips to dealing with

stress: Understand your stress, identify your sources of stress, recognize how you deal with stress, learn your own stress signals, recognize how you deal with stress, find healthy ways to manage your stress, take care of yourself and reach out for support.

While paying attention to your own mental health is imperative, reaching out to others that might also be struggling is also important.

Pay attention to not only those close to you, but to your classmates. Even if you don't feel comfortable talking to someone individually, notifying a teacher can go a

Student Wellness Center resources



Hours of operation
Mon-Fri: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.



Schedule an appointment
Mon-Fri: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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long way.

So, check in on your friends, even the ones who

seem the most healthy, because you never know what's going on behind the curtain.

Football teams shortening practices: Help or Hinder?



Faith Burgoon

Opinion Editor

It's a Saturday afternoon in late October, you're geared up in your Emporia State attire: A bright gold hoodie, black skinny jeans and face stickers. You're pumped and ready to support those Hornets. But, will they win or lose?

According to a new rule being enforced by both the NCAA and NAIA, practices are only allowed to be three hours long.

Shortening practice does in fact help football teams all around the state of Kansas.

Football along with other sports who have vigorous practices, often forget that these players are student-athletes. Not athlete-students. The shortening of practice will make more time for academics. Whether that be homework or study time, we are all here for our education.

The shortening of practice also helps prevent athletes from becoming burnt-out.

We've all experienced that feeling of just being so tired of doing the same thing that we can't do it anymore. Often times these players end up with the same feeling after doing two-a-days.

This change will prevent coaches from overworking their athletes so they can focus on how much their love of the sport, instead of wishing for the moment they could lay down and rest.

I've seen it countless times with people close to me. Those football players just can't catch a break. Perhaps, by making this change, football players will be able to focus more on being well-rounded students rather than just perpetual motion machines.

This may seem like an unfair rule to those that believe there shouldn't be a limit on how many hours the team should practice. Coaches might only see the aspect of needing the extra practice to win the games throughout the season.

While winning looks good for the school, it is important that these athletes get to focus on their well-being. The main goal should be making them better students while still being involved in extracurricular activities. Coaches and the school overall need to acknowledge that these players are here for their education.



Lucas Lord

Staff Writer

When I walk into the dining room of the buffet, I am usually prepared to be swarmed by a sea of customers making their way to the stack of fried chicken that was just brought out.

I was not prepared to see three EMTs rush through the restaurant on their way to resuscitate an elderly customer who seemed to pass out in his plate of food.

Amidst the chaos of the two firetruck sirens and clashing

dishes, I was shocked to see a group gorging themselves on chicken and pizza mere feet away from a man who was being carried out on a stretcher, a man who himself had been eating minutes ago.

Working at a buffet, you feed a lot of people, and you get used to the constant demand for food and the need to clear tables the never-ending stream of people who want to eat is tireless.

Seeing a customer nearly die while no one around them seemed to care made, reconsider my actions.

In its very nature, a buffet must be able to produce a lot of food, not necessary of quality. People come in large groups expecting there to be enough food for everyone to have seconds, thirds, fourths and dessert if they choose.

With so much food being served it's, unavoidable that people are going to take

more than they need or can finish. As a result, a concerning amount of food is thrown away, often untouched.

Buffets encourage overeating and wasteful practices. I have seen children throw up because their parents wanted them to eat more, when they clearly didn't want to.

Seeing a store full of people continue to eat indifferently after that incident isn't appetizing. I was told it was nothing to worry about, but I can't help but think that I served someone a heart attack or contributed to a clogged artery.

For the same amount of money, a single, quality meal rather than something mass produced is sure to be equally fulfilling. But, buffets will surely continue to reap in massive crowds.

All I ask is that you clear off your plate first and to space out your servings. There will always be more food.

YIELD, watch for bikers



Margaret Mellott

Editor-in-Chief

As a fairly small college campus, there are so many different forms of transportation to get from class to class.

Some people drive, others walk and some ride their bikes.

However, between bikers and drivers, you have to be careful and remember to share the road.

So, to both bikers and drivers, here's your reminder to not be a dick and share the road.

I don't know what it is, but people really don't seem to understand that bikers are allowed to share the road with cars.

It's not like the speed limits across campus are that fast, so slowing down a little more for a biker shouldn't be an issue, and neither should moving over enough when you pass one.

Running a biker off the road can be a terrifying thing. For the driver, you're probably angry at the biker and didn't really what happens to the biker after you run them off the road.

I can tell you from experience, it's not a fun thing. When I was younger, my dad, sister and I used to race bikes, which required quite a bit of training.

One day (thankfully I wasn't there), my sister and dad got ran off the road by a car full of teenage boys. I

cannot begin to express how frightening that is.

Even with protective gear, the damage that can be done by driving a biker off the road can be so much more than you'd think.

If you do happen to run someone off the road, please always check on them afterwards.

Yes, they might yell at you (as they should), but checking on someone's safety is more important than your pride.

It's also not that difficult to make sure you're following the law, because when you don't, you know you get a ticket.

If you're a biker, make sure you're also following the rules. They're there for your protection.

All-in-all, keep a good look out not just for your safety, but for the safety of fellow students and community members.

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Amanda Adkins kicks off run for Congress in Kansas

OVERLAND PARK, Kansas — A Kansas business executive with political ties to former Republican Gov. Sam Brownback has officially kicked off her campaign to challenge freshman Democratic Rep. Sharice Davids.

Amanda Adkins made the announcement Monday. It was expected after she filed paperwork last week with the Federal Election Commission creating a campaign committee for a run for the GOP nomination in the Kansas City-area

3rd Congressional District.

Her move sets up a contested GOP primary for the right to challenge Davids. Former National Down Syndrome Society CEO Sarah Hart Weir opened her campaign in July.

Adkins is a vice president for the medical computer systems firm Cerner Corp.

She managed Brownback's successful U.S. Senate re-election campaign in 2004 and was Kansas Republican Party chairwoman when Brownback was elected governor in 2010.

Marijuana use by US college students up, highest in 35 years

NEW YORK (AP) — U.S. college students are using marijuana at the highest rates in 35 years, according to a report released Thursday.

About 43% of full-time college students said they used some form of pot at least once in the past year, up from 38%, a University of Michigan survey found. About 25% said they did so in the previous month, up from 21%.

The latest figures are the highest levels seen in the annual survey since 1983.

About 6% of college students said they used marijuana 20 or more times in the past month. For adults the same age who weren't enrolled in

college, the figure was 11%.

"It's the frequent use we're most worried about" because it's linked to poor academic performance and can be detrimental to mental health, said John Schulenberg, one of the Michigan researchers.

College-age adults are the biggest users of marijuana than any other age group. Use among high school students has been flat for a few years.

The 2018 findings are based on responses from about 1,400 adults age 19 to 22, including 900 who were full-time college students and about 500 who were not.

The survey only has comparable data on college kids

going back to 1980. So it doesn't say how common marijuana use was in the 1960's and 1970's — a time when marijuana use on college campuses was considered widespread.

Marijuana use has been rising in college-age kids for more than a decade. Schulenberg said it seems to be tied to views about risk — in the early 1990s, about three-quarters of young adults said pot was risky. But last year it was down to 22%.

The survey also found about 11% of college students said they vaped marijuana in the previous month — more than double the figure in the 2017 survey.

Kansas confirms state's first death linked to vaping

WICHITA, Kansas — Kansas health officials have confirmed the first death in the state related to an outbreak of a lung disease linked to vaping.

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment said in a news release Tuesday the recent death involved a Kansas resident over the age of 50 who had a history of underlying health issues. The unidentified patient was hos-

pitalized with symptoms that progressed rapidly.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention says there have been 450 possible cases of lung disease related to vaping reported in 33 states. As many as six cases nationwide have ended in death, including the now confirmed Kansas death.

The agency says no evidence of infectious diseases have been identified, meaning

the illnesses are likely associated with chemical exposure. It says no specific substance or product has been linked to all cases, though many cases involve people who reported vaping THC, marijuana's high-inducing chemical.

Health officials said they do not have detailed information on what specific e-cigarette products were used by the deceased patient in Kansas.

"Our sympathies go out

to the family of the person who died," Governor Laura Kelly said in the news release. "Health officials are working hard to determine a cause and share information to prevent additional injuries. As that work continues, I urge Kansans to be careful. Don't put yourself in harm's way, and please follow the recommendations of public health officials."

The state has had six re-

ports associated to the national lung disease outbreak, including three which they believe to be confirmed or probable cases. The remaining three are still under investigation.

"It is time to stop vaping," KDHE Secretary Lee Norman said. "If you or a loved one is vaping, please stop. The recent deaths across our country, combined with hundreds of reported lung injury cases continue to intensify."

Man convicted of drug crimes in Lyon County dies at Larned

LARNED, Kan. (AP) — Kansas prison officials say a 29-year-old man convicted of drug crimes in Lyon County died at the Larned Correctional Mental Health facility.

Michael Jared Fancher was pronounced dead Sunday afternoon.

An autopsy will be conducted to determine Fancher's cause of death.

Fancher was convicted in Lyon County in 2018 for possession with intent to distribute methamphetamine. The Kansas Department of Corrections says he was transferred from El

Dorado to Larned in February and would have been eligible for parole in July 2024.

He had previous convictions for drug possession and drug sales.

The corrections department and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation are conducting a joint inquiry into Fancher's death, which is normal protocol in such cases.

Western Kansas congressman opens Senate bid to block Kobach

TOPEKA, Kan. (AP) — Western Kansas' congressman launched a Senate campaign on Saturday, pitching himself to fellow Republicans as a pragmatic conservative who can keep the seat in GOP hands by thwarting immigration hardliner Kris Kobach's bid for the party's nomination.

Two-term Rep. Roger Marshall entered the race facing some skepticism from the right despite his anti-abortion and gun-rights views and a consistent record of voting with President Donald Trump. Marshall ended June with \$1.4 million in campaign funds, giving him a jump on fundraising.

Marshall kicked off his campaign at the state fair, making the announcement at a podium festooned with state's ubiquitous sunflowers. In an AP interview beforehand, he stressed his rural ties and portrayed himself as part of a line of western Kansas congressmen who later served in the Senate, including former Senate Majority Leader and Kansas political icon Bob Dole.

Marshall and Kobach are among five GOP candidates actively campaigning to replace four-term Republican

Sen. Pat Roberts, who is not seeking re-election in 2020. Kobach, a former Kansas secretary of state, built a national profile by advocating tough immigration policies, though he lost the Kansas governor's race last year after his take-no-prisoners style alienated moderate voters.

"Nobody is more pro-life or pro-Second Amendment than I am," Marshall said. "Am I a kinder, gentler voice? Probably. Am I going work across the aisle to solve problems? You bet."

Despite his assertion that he'd be a more congenial presence in the Senate, Marshall's announcement Saturday included a scathing rebuke of what he called Democrats' "liberal, socialist agenda trying to take your way of life" — a clear appeal to the Kansas GOP's conservative base.

Many Republicans fear a repeat of last year, when Kobach narrowly won a crowded GOP primary only to lose the governor's race to Democrat Laura Kelly. Some prominent Republicans have been nudging U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo to jump in, though Marshall said Pompeo was "encouraging" about Marshall's candidacy when they spoke a few

weeks ago.

Marshall, who describes himself as a "fifth-generation farm kid," said he is confident he can win a crowded GOP primary by building on his western Kansas political base. His 1st District covers roughly 60 percent of the state and Dole, Roberts and Kansas' other senator, Republican Jerry Moran, all held the House seat previously.

The safe Republican district's GOP voters tend to turn out in disproportionately high percentages in primaries, putting Marshall in "a very good spot," said Bob Beatty, a Washburn University political scientist.

"He fits the classic Kansas U.S. Senate mold, the traditional mold," Beatty said.

Kobach relied on a strong conservative base to win the Republican nomination for governor. He contends that he'll benefit from the greater voter turnout in a presidential election year and a focus on issues such as immigration. He said in opening his campaign in July that Kansas doesn't need "a quiet senator."

Kobach's campaign held to that tack Saturday.

"Marshall has disappointed conservatives on multiple issues, from immigration

to government spending, and Kansas conservatives aren't going to support him," said Kobach spokeswoman Danedri Herbert.

Marshall said he's determined to fight proposals from Democrats, such as "Medicare for All" government health coverage and the sweeping Green New Deal aimed at combatting climate change.

Some Republicans question whether Marshall can win over the hard right and even described him as a moderate in the weeks before he entered the race. The conservative interest group Club for Growth gives him a 61 percent rating through 2018, which is the lowest for any Republican member of Kansas' congressional delegation.

Marshall, a 59-year-old physician, won his House seat in 2016 by ousting tea party Rep. Tim Huelskamp in the GOP primary. Huelskamp had clashed with House leaders and was stripped of the state's traditional seat on the Agriculture Committee, which was returned to Marshall.

"He can't get the Huelskamp people," said Tim Shallenburger, a former state treasurer and Kansas Republican Party chairman.

Also actively campaigning for the GOP nomination are Kansas Senate President Susan Wagle, Dave Lindstrom, a Kansas City-area businessman and former Kansas City Chiefs player, and Bryan Pruitt, a conservative gay commentator. Matt Schlapp, the American Conservative Union's president, and Alan Cobb, president and CEO of the Kansas Chamber of Commerce, also are considering the race.

The Democrats with active campaigns are former Rep. Nancy Boyda, former federal prosecutor Barry Grissom and Usha Reddi, a city commissioner in the northeast Kansas town of Manhattan.

Marshall had the backing of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce in his 2016 race against Huelskamp. But Scott Reed, who is the group's senior political strategist and who managed Dole's 1996 presidential campaign, said it also has encouraged Cobb to explore the race and is waiting to see who runs and "who's making their marks."

"We'll get with many of the other right-of-center groups in D.C. and in Kansas and try to make a decision all together," he said. "This is a must win."

Hornets for Hope help the community through prevention walk

Katie Donnelly

Assignments Editor

After Melissa Kurtenbach lost her sister to suicide, she founded Beacon for Hope Suicide Prevention. The Hope Links Us Together Suicide Prevention Walk took place last Saturday in the Clinton Boyer building.

“Having an event, an organization that is open and non-judgmental where you can go, you know you’re going to get help and directed to the help you need,” Kurtenbach said. “I think is critical for our community and any community to really start empowering themselves. If I can reach out for help, help is there and I can start feeling better.”

Kurtenbach founded the non-profit in 2017 with the intent of offering those struggling with the loss of a loved one, or of suicidal thoughts, a supportive community.

Attendees could partici-

pate in the walk, raffles, face painting and could even learn about several resources in the community. Color Street, SOS, and Flint Hills Community

Health Center were present to name a few.

“We want to be able to give back to the community, make sure our community is healthy

as well,” said Brandon Stiner, marketing manager for Flint Hills Community Health Center. “It helps our future generations that will be our lead-

ers, our school teachers, so we need to help them where they are at the moment.”

Hornets for Hope, an on-campus organization dedicated to offering resources and ending the stigma against mental health, was also present.

“You’re not putting an idea into someone’s head by talking about it,” said Eli Wright, president of Hornets for Hope and senior photography and art education major. “You’re addressing something that they’ve already thought about, helping them think through it, talk about it, get a release that they need to help them get to a better place.”

Students that are struggling can reach out to the Student Wellness Center. Students can make an appointment by calling 620-341-5222 or stop by the office, which is open Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., according to emporia.edu.



Community members walk to help spread awareness about suicide prevention month on Sept. 7. They began their walk in the Clinton Boyer building and looped back around to end there as well. GABE MOORE | **The Bulletin**

Diversity Book Club plans for an eventful year

Faith Burgoon

Staff Writer

The diversity book club plans to have many events throughout the year while partnering with different groups such as the Black Student Union, and even help host an art event at Emporia High School.

The club is open to students and staff of Emporia State that introduces authors of diverse novels and gives students a chance to read outside regular classwork. The first group meeting will take place on September 10th in the

Diversity Lounge.

“My mantra as I take on this job is to spread out beyond color and cover all kinds of things under the scope of diversity,” said Teresa Taylor-Williams, diversity and inclusion coordinator.

Williams serves as the club’s facilitator. The club is an open dialogue group where any member at any point can choose to start a discussion based on whatever chapters they had read. The main purpose of the club is to open the dialogue about what it means to be part of diversity.

“I really like that the club is

open dialogue, personally,” said Sarina Durrant, graduate art therapy student. “I think it’s the only way to facilitate growth in a group of strangers.”

The first book will be based on Hispanic Heritage Month called “The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao” by Junot Diaz.

“There’s a book regarding most things (such as) Hispanic Heritage Month and Black History Month,” said Jan Bard, sophomore Information Systems major. “It really exposes me to cultures I wouldn’t otherwise get.”

The club will start their next book on October 22nd by partnering with the food pantry to discuss food insecurity. Later in the semester, they will host an art event from Emporia High School.

“We really believe that talent doesn’t have an age. We just want to have something for everybody and know that it’s a safe space because all perspectives are welcome,” Williams said.

The club hopes the hosting of different events will attract more people to become a part of diversity events on campus.



Members of the diversity book club meet for the first time on Sept. 10 in the Diversity Lounge. This month’s book is “The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao,” by Junot Diaz. ZIYU ZHANG | **The Bulletin**

Nerf Nation: A group for real life gamers



Players rush for ammunition during the all-out nerf-war on Sept. 1. They meet every other Sunday from 8 - 10 p.m. in the Memorial Union. GABE MOORE | **The Bulletin**



Emma Grace Boyd



Helpful hints from a fellow hornet

“Travel the world when you’re young!” “Study abroad if you can!” Especially as students, we hear these phrases a lot. I decided to heed this advice, and although it is well worth it in the end, studying abroad can be an intimidating experience. Therefore, I’ve decided to dish out some tips and tricks for traveling abroad:

1. Understand that the process is a lot of work

Of course, figuring out where you want to spend your abroad experience is a challenge in itself, but there is a whole lengthy process between picking the place and getting there. It includes a lot of emails, meetings, paperwork, and stress.

It can be difficult, but there are always people who are willing to help.

2. Communication is key

You will be communicating with everyone (ESU, your host university, professors, advisors, coordinators, government officials, and more) before, during and after your trip.

You will have a lot of questions, and so will everyone else. Choose your main advisors and keep them updated on every step of the way.

3. Pack light!

You may think you should bring your entire bedroom with you, but DO NOT. Only

bring the essentials. Find out what your residence is providing to you.

Keep in mind that you can purchase a lot of the items you want when you are abroad and sell them back before you leave. Photos are a great way to make your living space feel more like home.

All I’m saying is that you should be prepared to lug your bags through airports, train stations, on buses or trams, up and down stairs, across streets, through your residence, etc. So, try to keep your bags lightweight.

4. Know that you may be intimidated when you first arrive

You are in a completely foreign place. You are not used to the way people drive, the public transportation system, the currency, the language, manners, etc. You will be confused, and you may feel scared or lost.

Just breathe.

I suggest booking a flight that lands in the morning, so you have all day to find where you are supposed to be. There are kind people in every part of the world. There will always be someone willing to help you.

Best Wishes from Bern, Switzerland,

Emma Grace

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Schrader alleges reverse sex discrimination against ESU

Margaret Mellott

Editor-in-Chief

Editor's note: Max McCoy, professor of journalism, is named as a defendant in the complaint against the university. McCoy is adviser to The Bulletin and was adviser during the Jane story coverage. In an effort to avoid a conflict of interest, McCoy did not advise on this story and will not advise on subsequent coverage. Kelsey Ryan, a former Bulletin editor, will advise The Bulletin on this coverage.

A complaint was filed against Emporia State and five employees by Brian Schrader, a former professor of psychology, in which he alleges that he was the victim of reverse sex discrimination and was falsely accused of sexual misconduct.

Schrader was at the center

of a campus controversy in Spring of 2017 after *The Bulletin* published the Jane stories, a series of articles about Jane, an anonymous student who alleged sexual misconduct against Schrader.

After a second student came forward alleging sexual misconduct against Schrader, he was forced to submit his resignation in December 2018, according to the complaint.

Allison Garrett, president, David Cordle, provost, Ray Lauber, director of Human Resources, Lisa Moritz, former ESU employee, and Max McCoy, professor of English, modern languages and journalism and *Bulletin* adviser, have all been named in the suit.

The complaint asks for

ESU to pay Schrader's "...back pay, including wage increases and reimbursement of any lost fringe benefits, retirement plan benefits, pension benefits, Social Security contributions, an award of front pay, emotional pain and suffering, mental anguish, inconvenience, loss of enjoyment of life, for punitive damages, for pre-judgment interest, for reasonable attorney fees, for costs, all in excess of \$75,000.00."

Schrader is being represented by Theodore Lickteig, a Lenexa based lawyer with experience in employment and business law.

The complaint alleges that McCoy, as a university employee, didn't do enough to enforce the Non-Disclosure Agreement that both Schrader

and J.J. (Jane) signed.

"Beginning in February, 2018, the University student newspaper, '*The Bulletin*,' published several stories and articles regarding 'J.J.' (Jane) including quotations from 'J.J.' that contained false and defamatory statements about Schrader."

However, McCoy had no grounds to prevent publication, according to Mike Heistand, senior legal counsel for Student Press Law Center.

"Unless the adviser actively encouraged and/or aided the student in violating the NDA she signed I don't see that he's done anything wrong," said Heistand. "He was not a party to that agreement and, in the end, an adviser at a public college would have no legal au-

thority to stop a student editor from publishing the student's remarks."

Frank LoMonte, director of The Brechner Center for Freedom of Information, said the First Amendment protects student journalists from prior review.

"First, and most importantly, the first amendment prohibits journalism advisers from telling students what they can and can't publish, that's very, very clear," said LoMonte. "If the student journalists learn of a news story, even if the journalism adviser disapproves of the story, he has no authority constitutionally to stop it."

Schrader did not respond to *The Bulletin's* requests for an interview.

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prepared statement. "Rayna has already hit the ground running with solid contributions in communications for Gov. Kelly and the team. It's clear that Rayna came to us well prepared to tackle the

writing and social media responsibilities of our office."

Karst was editor-in-chief of the campus newspaper from 2017-2018. After graduation, Karst worked for a year as a reporter for The Joplin Globe newspaper in Southwest Missouri. She grew up on a farm near Rush Center, in west central Kansas.



Gov. Laura Kelly stands next to Rayna Karst, Emporia State alumna and former *Bulletin* editor, during Karst's first week working as communications coordinator for Gov. Laura Kelly. Karst graduated in 2018 with a bachelor's degree in English and a minor in Journalism. | Photo Courtesy of Rayna Karst



Construction workers in the original Morse work in the attic to replace the flooring on Aug. 28. Morse is currently gutted and in the process of a being renovated for students to live in. Margaret Mellott | **The Bulletin**

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the women's dormitory for the Normal School named after Abigail Morse, a teacher and the dean of women.

The present contract sum for the Morse hall project is over \$8.5 million, which will cover demolition, renovation and two new landscape additions to the north, according to Coughlin.

"There are also other projects such as Visser hall and

the new Starbucks. The Starbucks is said to honor gift cards.

Paula Galvez, sophomore physics and math major, said she's looking forward most to the new Starbucks.

"New Starbucks sounds very interesting," Galvez said. "It will have a whole Starbucks menu and it will also have more hours and options to buy from also attract students to spend time at MU, I cannot wait to see that."

The projects in both

Visser and Roosevelt are to allow more entrances, labs and rooms. This is all set in motion to make the campus more accessible and modern.

"Both projects are similar to other projects across campus in the past few years to increase collaboration and study spaces for students within the individual academic buildings," said Gwen Larson, assistant director of marketing and media relations.

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days, to all of the campus and community locations it had before. There is, however, a change in the deadline to submit press releases and advertising to us. This is made necessary because, among all the other changes

we're facing, we have also had to change printers. *The Bulletin* will no longer be published at the Salina Journal, which has ceased publishing onsite (but continues as a solid community newspaper, but printed elsewhere). Our new printer is at the Hutchinson News. This change has made it necessary to

have earlier deadlines. Beginning now, all press releases and advertisements intended for the next print edition must reach us by noon on Friday preceding publication.

The publication dates for this semester are: Sept. 12 and 26; Oct. 17 and 31; and Nov. 14.

Change is often painful, but

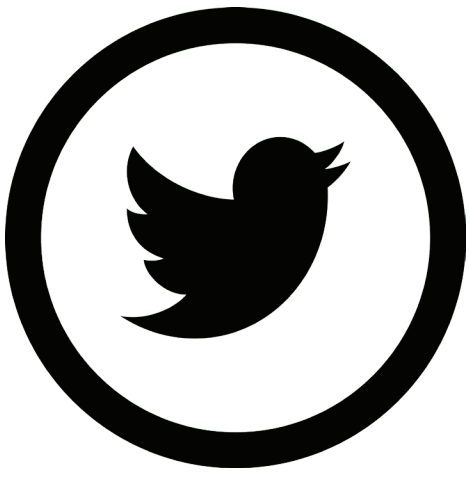
is necessary for growth. In our more than a century of publication, *The Bulletin* has seen many changes. When we began, women didn't have the right to vote, antibiotics had yet to be invented, there had been no world wars, and commercial radio was still a couple of decades away.

What lies ahead? Well, it's risky to predict the future. We don't know how, in the next few years, technology will transform us. We just know that it will continue to do so. What we do know, however, is that journalism will continue to be vital to democracy—in whatever form it is delivered.



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Chloe Flynn dribbles across the pond



Chloe Flynn (left), senior defender, laughs at the words she had to change coming to the United States. “The number three I would say ‘tree’ like a tree outside, so people would look at me like ‘huh?’.” Chloe (above) dribbles during a scrimmage on the improved soccer field. She prepares herself physically for games in and out of practice. KRISTIN ANDERSON | **The Bulletin**

Katie Donnelly
Assignment Editor

Chloe Flynn, senior defender and self-proclaimed funny girl, made the choice to be away from her home in Dublin, Ireland for the past four years to attend school is Kansas.

Most of Chloe Flynn’s fondest childhood memories involve soccer. Coming home from practice and having any one of her mother’s large meals waiting for her is something she often thinks

about when she misses home. From a young age, both her and her family knew she had potential in the game.

“Straight away we knew when the coach looked at her, he saw she had a spark,” said Michael Flynn, her father.

Chloe Flynn would not be able to play soccer while earning an education had she stayed in Ireland.

In the United States, she has the ability to play the game she loves, while also earning her degree.

“I’ve only played one season with Emporia State, and then my senior season so it’s pretty exciting because last year we went to the National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament,” Chloe Flynn said. “It’s kind of like it set the standard for us, and for me, because I’ve never really been here on a losing team.”

Even with the occasional homesickness, Chloe Flynn has passed up plane tickets home because she enjoys Emporia so much.

The special place Emporia has in her heart is not only a result of her success as student-athlete, but because of the people here.

“I played for like a really good club so people would travel four hours for practice, so you wouldn’t see them as much,” Chloe Flynn said. “You wouldn’t see your friends outside, but I see my friends in class and I see (them) in the evenings because we live so close.”

At home and on the field, Chloe Flynn takes pride in

her ability to not take life too seriously. She said that while she didn’t have a best friend on the team, she has a strong relationship with each player. She better enjoys the game in the United States compared to back home because of the close bond she has with her teammates.

“I love thinking about Chloe,” said Daniela Cardona, senior midfielder. “Thinking about her makes me happy. She is so much fun and she is friends with everyone.”

Women’s volleyball to up their game despite small numbers

Katie Donnelly
Assignment Editor

This year, the volleyball team is made up of 13 girls compared to the 19 they had in 2018.

With the small numbers, they are also missing height this year. Tatum Graves, 6’2”, graduated last year.

“We will have to bring more speed,” said Bing Xu, head coach. “We have new people step in right now because they know it’s their turn, their time, they work hard. Fill in those spots. I think we should be alright.”

Yuchen Du, senior setter and outside hitter, said although the team is smaller, it feels like more of a family.

A smaller team means closer girls but also a higher risk of injuries. The health

of the women is important so they can be ready for the Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association tournament games and the upcoming games.

Out of the 24 there are no games that Xu says he is most looking forward to. Every game the women must be prepared. He teaches them not to let the stats of other teams influence the way they walk into a game. They must always be ready to fight their A game no matter who are they are against.

“Every game is a blessing,” said Emma Dixon, senior setter.

With or without height, Xu, has great confidence in the abilities of the players on and off the court.

“They come here and they



Volleyball players celebrate after scoring a point in their set against William Jewell on Sept. 6 in Topeka. They play next this weekend at the Mountain Lion invitational in Denver, Colorado. EMMA SHA | **The Bulletin**

love this campus and also they love the team,” Xu said. “We pretty much recruit good people with- really be grateful, respectful, truthful, and you know, coachable.”

Hornet Home Games

Volleyball

- Sept. 20: University of Nebraska - Kearney
- Sept. 24: Washburn University
- Sept. 26: Missouri Western State University
- Oct. 1: Fort Hays State University
- Oct. 18: Northwest Missouri State University
- Oct. 19: University of Central Missouri
- Nov. 1: Newman University
- Nov. 2: University of Central Oklahoma
- Nov. 8: Missouri Southern State University
- Nov. 9: Pittsburg State University

Tennis

- Sept. 20: Cowley County Community College
- Oct. 6: McPherson College

Soccer

- Sept. 20: Fort Hays State University
- Oct. 4: Missouri Western State University
- Oct. 6: Northwest Missouri State University
- Oct. 18: University of Central Oklahoma
- Oct. 20: Newman University
- Nov. 1: Washburn University
- Nov. 3: University of Nebraska - Kearney

Football

- Sept. 21: University of Nebraska - Kearney
- Oct. 5: Northwest Missouri State University
- Oct. 19: University of Central Missouri
- Nov. 2: Washburn University
- Nov. 16: University of Central Oklahoma

Cross Country

- Sept. 27: Emporia State Invitational