

# Kaw Valley Almanac

November 11 - 17, 2024

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Day	Moon rises	South	Moon sets	% Illum/Phase
Monday	02:46 PM	08:47 PM	01:46 AM	77%
Tuesday	03:12 PM	09:36 PM	02:59 AM	86%
Wednesday	03:39 PM	10:28 PM	04:14 AM	93%
Thursday	04:09 PM	11:23 PM	05:31 AM	98%
Friday	04:46 PM		06:51 AM	Full Moon
Saturday	05:31 PM	12:23 AM	08:11 AM	99%
Sunday	06:25 PM	01:25 AM	09:25 AM	95%



Apioperdon pyriforme is the only puffball mushroom found in Kansas that lives on wood; other puffball mushrooms can also be found in prairies and woodland edges this time of year. Puffballs are edible all of their flesh is white, but check [Kansas Mushrooms](#) first!



## Sun

Mars S at dawn, Saturn SE, Jupiter E, Venus W at dusk

Day	Gets light	Sunrise	Sunset	Gets dark
Monday	06:05 AM	06:59 AM	05:10 PM	06:13 PM
Tuesday	06:06 AM	07:00 AM	05:09 PM	06:13 PM
Wednesday	06:07 AM	07:01 AM	05:08 PM	06:12 PM
Thursday	06:08 AM	07:03 AM	05:07 PM	06:11 PM
Friday	06:09 AM	07:04 AM	05:06 PM	06:11 PM
Saturday	06:10 AM	07:05 AM	05:06 PM	06:10 PM
Sunday	06:11 AM	07:06 AM	05:05 PM	06:09 PM

Live outside the Lawrence area? Get rise and setting times, moon data where you live at: <https://www.timeanddate.com/astronomy/>

§ The Pleiades, the Hyades and Orion all rise in the east around 9pm this week, with the moon marching across the sky, moving further east and growing larger each successive night, becoming full on Friday night, when it rises at sunset: a beautiful sight to behold. When the moon is so bright, you can still see Saturn to the south, Venus to the west, and Jupiter rising after the moon in the east.

§ When people think of ducks, they probably are thinking of dabblers, the ducks that float along the water, dipping their heads under water and their tails sticking up toward the sky, unlike divers, who fly and dive under water to catch their food. Dabblers include mallards, wood ducks, shovelers, teals, widgeons and pintails. Right now, there are over 100,000 dabblers at Loess Bluffs Wildlife Refuge near the Missouri River, so check out a reservoir near you.

§ This Sunday, Nov. 17 is the peak day for deer-car accidents, with around 700 of the 10,000 annual deer collisions in the Kansas occurring on that day. Drive carefully, especially around dawn and dusk

§ This Friday and Saturday, Chris Helzer, prairie ecologist from Nebraska will be giving two talks in the Lawrence area; check the Lawrence Bird Alliance [calendar](#) for details.

§ This week is perfect hiking weather. Carpe diem!