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MEET THE AUTHOR—and retired Texas Ranger, Bob Favor.

A Very FAVORable Meet the Author

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101st YEAR

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443

NUMBER 7

Frances Wilson Thornton and Bob Robinson Tell Tales at Cottonwood on Saturday

Local folks, Frances Wilson meetings! Thornton and Bob Robinson will Cottonwood Saturday, May 1st.

Coffee and visiting begins at 9 be the guest speakers at the a.m. The meeting starts at 10 a.m., Historical followed by lunch. Bring a Association's Annual Meeting covered dish: a vegetable, salad this coming Saturday, May 1st. or dessert. Barbecued brisket, Come and hear them talk about sausage and chicken, as well as This new supplement features a growing up in Cottonwood bread, iced tea and coffee, will be furnished by the association.

Come and hear them talk about The Varner quilt, a quilt that was growing up in Cottonwood and presented to Schoolmaster Harry Cottonwood Community Center about some of the colorful S. Varner upon his retirement that in Cottonwood. Everyone in the Cottonwood residents of the past. was recently donated to the area with an interest in Share you stories and tales about association by the Varner Family, Cottonwood—past and present— Cottonwood, too, during the will be on display at the meeting, is welcome to join in.

as well as other old Cottonwood

The long-awaited "New Supplement" to the Cottonwood Cookbook will be available for \$20 after lunch at the meeting. second ring binder with more recipes, history and photos.

The meeting will be held at the

First Baptist Church Children's Choir **Present Spring** Musical

The Children's Choir of First Baptist Church will present their annual Spring Musical this coming Sunday, May 2nd, at 6:30

This year's presentation is Simon Says: The Rockin' Trial of Simon Peter. This is the trial of the century! Simon Peter will finally have his day in court and through the testimony of various witnesses, the evidence will prove that Jesus Christ was truly the Son of God and the Messiah.

All are welcome to come and enjoy the program. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

High School in 1951 and served Oklahoma; and worked as a in the US Navy from 1952-1956. hunting guide on a large ranch He had 42 months of sea duty in the Davis Mountains. aboard minesweepers. In 1954, Incredibly, he somehow found he married his high school the time to write his memoirs at sweetheart, Beth Farmer. They the request of his children! You have 4 daughters and 7 won't want to miss the grandchildren, and just fascinating stories Bob Favor celebrated their 56th anniversary! will tell about his life during our

Highway Patrol in 1958 serving Cross Plains Public Library on in Seminole, Abilene, and Baird. May 4 at 7 PM. As usual, there He was accepted into the Texas will be no charge and Deadline to apply for Beta Rangers in 1967 serving for 25 refreshments will be served. Mr. Dayton, Ohio, and the other in more details.

When asked, how many people from active duty in 1992 and would say they dream of being a moved back to Clyde in 1998. Texas Ranger? A cowboy? How Since 'retiring,' he has worked

about a Texas hunting guide? as a contract investigator for a Work for a major Texas oil major oil company in Midland, company? Work on a movie New Mexico, and Louisiana; location? Well, Bob Favor, done security work on two author of My Rangering Days, movies filmed in West Texas; has done all these things and cooked on a chuck wagon for various events in Texas and Bob has lived in Callahan Oklahoma; been a guest speaker County off & on for most of his for the Sundowners Club of the life. He graduated from Eula Cowboy Hall of Fame in

Favor joined the Texas next "Meet the Author" at the

Slogan Contest for Cross Plains Centennial

In January of 1911, a drawing to three suggestions. for city lots was held on the banks of Turkey Creek to establish the delivered to the Cross Plains City of Cross Plains in its present Public Library, City Hall, the location. So Cross Plains will be Senior Citizens Center, or Texas celebrating its 100th Anniversary Heritage Bank during normal throughout the year of 2011.

The slogan must be five (5) words should be provided along with prize of \$25 will be awarded. or less. Individuals may submit up

Submissions may be hand business hours. Suggestions the Cross Plains Review. All The Centennial Planning may also be emailed to Committees is looking for a City centcp@yahoo.com. The writer's tag line or slogan to be used name, address, phone number panel of writers and others who during 2011 and perhaps beyond. (and email address if available)

each slogan suggestion.

The contest will close at 1 p.m. on September 30, 2010. The winner will be contacted after judging takes place, and announcement will be placed in decisions are final.

The entries will be judged by a have not entered the contest. A

Mother's Day Luncheon to Feature "Red Hat Alliance"

those who choose to honor their United Methodist Church, make plenty of food for all. mother, daughter, sister or good starting at 11:30 a.m. friend on Saturday, May 8, at the Mother's Day Luncheon Brownwood, a group of women sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi. Not who belong to the Vintage Rose only will the guests feel Red Hat Society of Brownwood, pampered, be served a delicious will be performing, in costumes lunch by doting hostesses (no and in great humor, their skits and buffet line to stand in), with impersonations for all to enjoy. beautiful decorated tables, but You don't want to miss this. they will be entertained in the

Cross Plains went to her heavenly

home on Sunday, April 25, 2010

in Abilene. Funeral services were

held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday,

April 28, 2010 at the First Bap-

tist Church in Cross Plains with

Pastor Ronnie B. White officiat-

ing. Burial was in the Cross Plains

She was born on June 6, 1951 in

Coleman, Texas to Jimmie Lee

and Virginia Ruth (Neeb) Payne.

She graduated from Cross Plains

High School in 1969. Shortly

thereafter she married Ray

Purvis on July 5, 1969 in Cross

Plains. She worked at Bryan's

Variety Store after graduation,

then for JRB Grocery Store

before returning to school at

Howard Payne University in

Brownwood. Kathy and her son

Kevin both graduated the same

year, he from high school and she

from college graduating Sum

She worked in Eula for a year,

and then returned to teach

in Cross Plains. Kathy loved

teaching and so enjoyed

Cum Laud.

Memorial Cemetery.

A special treat is in store for all Fellowship Hall of the First NOW, as the BSP ladies want to

The "Red Hat Alliance" from

Take the time out of your busy most fun and delightful manner. schedules to treat yourself and/or The event will be held in the others and make your reservations

learn in school as well as in

Vacation Bible School, Before her

illness she sang in the church

choir and would sing specials on

Sunday mornings. She always

enjoyed doing the music for VBS

and the children would always get

excited and look forward to

going to see Mrs. Purvis and learn

songs and see the Puppets. Kathy

was a shinning example of a

Christian woman. She loved God

above all else, then her family, her

Sunday School Class, her

students and community. She

lived by her favorite scripture

She is survived by her husband,

Kevin Ray Purvis and wife,

Yvonne of Watauga; daughter,

Angela Sue Purvis and partner

Albuquerque, New Mexico;

brothers, Jerry Payne and wife

Laura of Brownwood, James

Payne and wife Edith of Fort

Stockton; and sister, Melissa

Baughman and husband Kenny of

Magnolia; and mother, Virginia

She was preceded in death by

Payne of Rising Star.

Methavin

Philippians 4:13.

Rhonda

Services Held for Local

Teacher Kathy Purvis

Tickets are \$10 for the lunch, entertainment and plenty of door prizes. Call Wanda Merryman at 725-4492 for reservations.

Beta Sigma Phi is an international non--collegiate friendship organization, and Cross Plains' chapter, Alpha Rho Zeta, has been here for over 35 years. Alpha Rho Zeta's fundraising efforts are used for local scholarships and service projects in the local area. The chapter also makes contributions annually to the volunteer fire departments of Cross Plains, Cottonwood and Burkett: the Cross Plains EMS, the Cross Plains Library, Project Pride and Kathy Sue Purvis, age 58, of and used it to help her students to Project Graduation.

Submitted by **Carol Bennett**

Beta Sigma Phi Scholarship **Deadline Approaching** April 30th

Sigma Phi Scholarship will be years working in Corpus Christi Favor will have his books here soon! Seniors may pick up , Brady, and Midland . While on available for purchase and will an application from the School duty, he tracked 2 escaped be happy to autograph them for Counselors office or contact her convicts, apprehending one in you. Call (254) 725-7722 for at 725-6121.

Other applicants can also stop Shelby , Montana . He retired by the CPHS counselor's office to pick up an application or you may contact Wanda Merryman at 254-725-4492 for an application to be mailed to you.

This annual scholarship in the amount of \$500 is made possible through community support of various events sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Don't forget.....the deadline to submit your application for this scholarship is April 30, 2010.

Submitted by

Day of Prayer at the First United Methodist Church of Cross Plains finger sandwiches, cookies, tea on Thursday May 6, 2010 at 12 noon to 1:00 pm. The purpose is to lift up and cover our country and its leaders with the power of participate and get back to work

with praise songs and then go into come. "The Lord is good, a corporate prayer and scripture Lavonne Childress reading led by pastors. Small group and individual prayer time

PBR World Champ Bullfighter

and several Texas country music

artists including Roger Krieger.

the Bake Good Silent Auction.

help support the local Volunteer

Fire Department!!!!!

Pies and cakes are needed for

Come out for a great meal and

Come celebrate the National will be available. There will be visitation and lunch time with and water. We promise not to keep you past 1 pm, so those who work will have the time to come and on time. Everyone is welcome so At twelve noon we will start please mark you calendar and refuge in times of trouble. He cares for those who trust in Him." Nahum 1:7

> We are sorry to announce that Palace **Drug in Rising Star** will be closing Permanently as of May 15, 2010. We appreciated your business and your loyalty.



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Honor Roll Parade Photos

Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department Fish Fry and Guitar Auction this Friday The Cross Plains Volunteer Fire children \$3.00. Carry outs will be Rodeo Hall of Fame & 15 time

Department is hosting a FISH FRY and Guitar Auction Friday, April 30, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Ray Purvis of Cross Plains; son, First Baptist Family Life Center on Main Street. The menu will include fried fish, French fries, coleslaw, hushpuppies, dessert and iced tea.

available.

Proceeds will go towards much needed firefighting equipment and training for firefighters.

Donations will also be gladly

The GUITAR AUCTION will begin at 7:00 p.m. The guitar is

Adult plates are \$7.00 and autographed by Rob Smetz, Pro

Terry Jane McWilliams Wyatt

Scholarship Applications Now Available

Counselor. All Cross Plains High School seniors are eligible for the Emily Harris.

McWilliams Wyatt Scholarship

Scholarship applications for the awards \$1,000.00 to one, or each year at the Barbarian Terry Jane McWilliams Wyatt \$500.00 to two, high school

The scholarship is made possible applications are judged by out-of-Each year the Terry Jane from proceeds of a raffle held town judges.

Festival. The Barbarian Festival Scholarship are available now seniors who plan on furthering committee, local businesses and from the Cross Plains I.S.D. their education. Last year's those attending the festival each recipients were Jake Estes and year all contribute to making the award possible. Scholarship

educating her students on science and imparting knowledge that she had learned. Her students were her father, Jimmie Lee Payne. her children and she loved each Kathy never ceased to learn; she 699, Cross Plains, TX 76443.

taught herself to play the guitar

In lieu of flowers the family and every one of them and would request that donations be made to help them in anyway that she the Cross Plains Cancer Fund, c/ o Texas Heritage Bank, P.O. Box

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

9:45 AM
9:45 AM 11:00 AM 6:00 PM
6:00 PM
7:00 PM

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Sunday....10:00 am Wednesday....7:00 pm

Pastor Max Evans

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Rowden Baptist Church

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Pastor: Len Smith

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PSALM 55:17

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OBITUARY

Juanita Rogers

Juanita Rogers, 78, died Sunday, April 25, 2010, in a nursing home in Lubbock. Funeral services will be held Thursday, April 29, 2010 at 2:00

p.m. at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Ronnie B. White officiating. Interment will follow in the Cross Plains Memorial Cemetery.

She was born October 14, 1931 in Luther, Texas to Otto and Edna (Haney) Cook. She graduated from Balmorhea High School in 1951. Shortly thereafter she married O.D. "Jack" Cain in 1951 had four children, Donna, Deborah, Danita and Dorian. Later she married Robert J. Thompson Sr. in 1963 and they had a son, Robert J. Thompson, Jr. Juanita married John Ray Rogers in 1993 in Lubbock and he preceded her in death in 2004.

She enjoyed sewing, crafting and had a green thumb for both indoor and outdoor plants. She enjoyed participating as Scout Leader with her sons in Boy Scouts. She was a good steward of the earth in her recycling efforts. She loved her family and particularly in her last days, expressed her love for her Lord Jesus Christ.

Survivors include Donna Jennings and Deborah DeAx and companion David White all of Big Spring, Danita Cain and Dorian Cain and wife Beverly all of Lubbock; Robert Thompson and wife Stephanie of Cross Plains; three sisters, Dolly Bryant of Midland, Vera "sissy" Martin and husband Benny of Big Spring, Maggie Linda Hall and husband Randy of Lake City, FL; sister-in-law, Liz Cook of Balmorhea; a brother, Jack Cook and wife Sherry of Odessa; grandchildren, April Netzhammer, Amber Jennings, Chad DeAx, Allen DeAx, Mikey DeAx, Cody Dunn, Heather Dunn, Jamie Ohmans, Zachery Thompson and When your money is TIGHT, hometown just right!

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

CALLAHAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE NEWS Roger Corn, Presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Kristan Marie Bancroft, posession of marijuana.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Lisa Gay McCarty, motion to dismiss motion to revoke probation and order releasing cash bond granted.

Jaime Lomas, motion to revoke probation and adjudicate

Sherry A. Floyd, motion to dismiss to harassment granted in the interest of justice.

James Herchel Thomas, order amending conditions of probation granted.

Cody A. Angus, motion to dismiss motion to revoke pro-

Clifton Boyd Lindsey, motion to revoke probation

granted. Austin M. McDonald, plea of guilty to possession of mari-

juana, 15 days in jail, \$500 fine, \$360 court costs. Mary A. Burge, motion to

dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of jus-Jeff R. Honea, motion to dis-

miss to theft granted, defendant in prison on other case. Barbara C. Matlock, motion to dismiss to possession of

marijuana granted in the interest of justice. Teresa Ray, plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated (DWI), 1 year probation, \$500

fine, \$424 court costs. Teresa Ray, order amending conditions of probation granted. James F. Autrey, plea of guilty to DWI - Class B, 1 year

probation, \$500 fine, \$424 court

Roy Lee Lamoree, Jr., plea of guilty to assault - family violence, 10 days in jail, \$200 fine,

\$264 court costs. Jennifer R. McKelvy, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of jus-

tice. Roberto Ramos, plea of guilty to DWI, 10 days in jail,

\$424 court costs. Roy Lee Lamoree, Jr., mo-

tion to dismiss to assault granted in the interest of jus-

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

Criminal Indictments

Benjamin R. Quarles, possession of a controlled substance.

Matthew C. Parrott, unlawful restraint.

Mark A. Moreno, burglary of a building.

David W. Byrd, burglary of a building.

Criminal Minutes

Michael W. Salazar, order discharging defendant from probation, no deferred adjudication.

End of term order discharging defendants under deferred adjudication: April D. Dow; Joseph B. Mobley.

Cynthia Marie Wheeler, order amending conditions of probation granted.

Clayton S. Ireland, plea of guilty to possession of a controlled substance, 2 year probation, \$750 fine, \$258 court costs, \$140 restitution.

Civil Filings

The State of Texas vs. Otis William Carter, application for writ of habeas corpus requesting reasonable bail.

Casey Don Stayton vs. Natalie Nichole Stayton, di-

Celeta Marie Gilbert vs. James Walker Gilbert, divorce.

Civil Minutes

Kimie Nichol Bartlow and Preston Charles Bartlow, divorce granted.

Brandi Nichole Brown and Michael Joe Wayne Brown, Jr., divorce granted.

Juanita Dunn and husband, Lon Ed Dunn vs. Mal Enterprises, Inc., order of dismissal.

Coleman County State Bank vs. Brian D. Moss and Alisha M. Moss, default judgment, plaintiff to recover the sum of \$5,131.74 from defendants.

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SUNDAY SERVICE



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"beaming" coming from the bean, bread, tea and coffee. Terstegge household. Joe's have just become Chiefs fans.

fire truck should be arriving soon. from Cottonwood are new to the If it's here in time, we'll get Joe area—we look forward to seeing to show the truck off at the you at the meeting. Historical Association Meeting on Saturday.

Faye Gillam this week.

vegetable or dessert for lunch.

If you notice a strange glow We'll have barbecued brisket, over Cottonwood, it's just chicken and sausage, as well as

Guest speaker for the Annual nephew, Jon Asamoah, who plays Meeting are local residents football for Illinois, was picked Frances Wilson Thornton and 68th in the NFL Draft. He'll be Bob Robinson. They've got some wearing a Kansas City Chiefs interesting stories about growing jersey this fall. The Tertegges up in Cottonwood and about some of the old-timers who used to live And speaking of the Terstegges, here. Bring your best Cottonwood Fire Chief Joe reports that stories and tales to share at the Cottonwood's bright shiny new meeting, too. Whether you're your Mother baked by one of

This new book "Volume Two" features a second ring binder and Donald Ray Gillam from Royse more recipes and photos and lots City, Texas visited his mother of history. The ring binder also has plenty of room for the first This Saturday is the big day in cookbook supplement to fit in it. Cottonwood—the Cottonwood It'll be a great addition to your Historical Association Annual Cottonwood Cookbook and Meeting starts at 9 a.m. with Supplement. You can pre-order coffee and visiting, with the meet- the New Supplement and it will ing beginning promptly at 10 a.m. be shipped out during the next is a new phone number for Bring a cover dish—salad, week. Send \$20 plus \$4.50

shipping to Cottonwood historical Association, P.O. Box 704, Cross Plains, TX 76443. Give me a call for shipping costs on multiple books at 254-725-7369

The Quilting Club will hold their Annual Mother's Day Bake Sale on Saturday morning, May 8th the day before Mother's Day-in front of Village Market. Good time to get something sweet for Cottonwood's great cooks.

We're happy to announce that the Cottonwood Community Center has a new refrigerator and microwave—just in time for reunion season! A few months ago the Quilting club donated a new stove. And, we have a new air conditioning unit in the kitchen. We're ready for your reunions, meetings and family gatherings. To book your event call Cookie Robinson at 325-660-5771. This

Celebrate Recovery Meets Locally

Have you had enough of anger, guilt, addiction, bitterness, anxiety, depression, pain, reliving the past? Celebrate Recovery is a safe place to get real about your hurts, habits and hang-ups. You're invited to be a part of Celebrate Recovery.

CR is a Christ-centered and Bible-based 12 step Recovery Program. By working the 12 Steps and the 8 Beautitude Principles, groups open up, share experiences, and explore hope. In this way we become willing to accept God's grace in solving our problems.

This group is sponsored by the Cottonwood Baptist Church. The leaders are Christians who have been through 12-step recovery themselves. They understand.

Meetings are held from 7 to 8:30 pm on Wednesdays at the Main Street Pool House in Cross Plains. A light meal is served at 6:30. (Child care is not available)

Turkey Creek Rodeo Club to Meet April 29th

The Turkey Creek Rodeo Club will be having their monthly meeting Thursday, April 29th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Cross Plains Community Center.

If you have any questions or would like to join, please call 254-725-4469.

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April 19-23, 2010

Patrons:		140
Programs	s:	15
LAP	7	
Lapsit	1	
Other	7	
Books Ch	ecked Out:	104
Copies:		55
Reference	sce Goode :	6
Internet l	Jsers:	61

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Volunteers: Azalee Womack Arlene Stephenson **Ginny Hoskins** Sue Bennett Beverly Ross Helen Parson Kathy Anderson Wilma Lawrence

Cross Plains Area Genealogy Society meets at the Library every first and third Mondays at 1:00 p.m.

Local American Legion to Meet this Thursday

The Cross Plains American Legion Post #423 will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, April 29th, at 6:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall on N.E. 1st Street. An enchilada meal will be

All members and prospective members and their wives are invited to attend.

Admiral Cemetery Association annual membership meeting/workday

The Admiral Cemetery Association will conduct its annual membership meeting and workday at the cemetery on Saturday, May 1st. The event will begin at 8:30 a.m., and conclude at noon. Families with loved ones buried in the cemetery are asked to come out and held remove trash, trim trees and bushes, and fill-in graves that have settled. The business meeting will include a financial report and an election to fill the expiring terms on the Board of Directors.

The Admiral Cemetery Association is a non-profit corporation chartered by the State of Texas for the purpose of improving and maintaining

this historic site. All donations to the Admiral Cemetery Association's Maintenance Fund are greatly appreciated and are accepted at any branch of the First National Bank of Baird or may be mailed to 7257 CR 474, Baird, Texas 79504.

Callahan County DPS Report

Calls received by the Callahan County Department of Public Safety from April 18, 2010 through April 24, 2010 include:

Cases Investigated Warnings—90 Complaints—27 DWI-1 Possession of Marijuana—1 Driving While License Invalid-3

Vehicle Accidents There were three vehicle accidents investigated during this time span.

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SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER ACTIVITIES: BY AMBER THOMAS

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES Monday, 3rd - Movie Monday 10am, Cokes and Popcorn. Tuesday, 4th-11 am Exercise Class. Mexican Train Dominoes

Wednesday, 5th-Nutrition Education. Thursday, 6th - 11:00 am Exercise Class. Friday.7th- No Planned Activities.

Senior Center Needs A few items the Center could really benefit from... ROASTER OVEN - LARGE CROCK POTS

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

MAY 3-7

California Blend/ Cheese, Corn, Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk Bread & Dessert, Tea/Coffee/ THURSDAY-Roast Beef, Pota-

Rice, Broccoli, Bread & FRIDAY-Chicken Salad Sand-Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk WEDNESDAY-Beef Stroganoff, Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk

MONDAY-Hamburger Steak, Noodles, Green Beans, Bread & toes, Black Eyed Peas, Bread & TUESDAY-Smothered Chicken, Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk wich, Copper Pennies, Pears,

Barbarian Festival Car Show June 12

Rev Up Your Engines—the your registration form early! year's car show proves to be participants to register. bigger and better than ever. Enter You'll want to show off your ride your hot rod, antique car, old in the Barbarian Festival parade! pickup or custom ride in one of The parade starts at 9 a.m. with these categories: Coupes—1950- parade line up beginning at 8 a.m. 1970, Sedans—1950-1970, Pony at the north end of the CPISD Cars (Mustangs, Cameros, Football Field, and continues Cudas), Orphans (Manufactures through town to the Barbarian no longer in business), Street Festival location, the large lot Rods (Coupe and Roadster), next to Dollar General, just north Classic Customs, Classic of the Hwy 206-Hwy 36 Originals, Convertibles, Antiques intersection. (pre-1949), Muscle Cars, Unfinished, Trucks and Open.

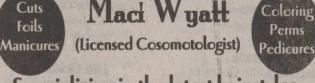
judged for the "People's Choice," and "Best of Show" Awards.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday, June 12, and continues through 10 a.m. Judging ends at 2 p.m. Get Vocal Talent Contest, Live registration form and all the Music and other fun family on line BarbarianFestival.net. Send in

Barabarian Festival Car Show is T-shirts and goodie bags coming Saturday, June 12th. This are presented to the first 50

The Barbarian Festival, held the second Saturday each June in All entered vehicles will be conjunction with Project Pride and Robert Howard Days, features a Parade, Car Show, Antique Tractor Show, Games. Kids Booths, Craft Booths, Antiques & Collectibles, Food, at attractions.





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BREAKTHRU

By Charles Chesshir Cross Plains Church of Christ

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1st Grade Morgan Buchanan Lanye Ellis Hayley Hughes Hannah King

Madilynn Shepard

2nd Grade Cole Bryant Trent Tollett Josh Wilson

Jacy Bien Hannah Crockett Kenzie Kleiber Trenton Potter Jackilann Shepard

3rd Grade

4th Grade Joseph Crockett **Brittany Crouch**

Creed Goode Katy Jo Morgan Larson Walker

5th Grade Dylan Bryant Hannah Cowan

6th Grade Teagan Fortune

Elementary "A-B" Honor Roll for 5th-6 Weeks

1st Grade Caley Box River Bradley Wade Byrd Brooklyn Duncan Chelsea Gartman Jacob Hale Makayla Key Kinlee Mathews Kolby McKinney Timmy Munion Kylie O'Briant Chloe Potter Austin Rankin

2nd Grade Destinee Cooper Gabrielle Courture Chloe Hollis Savhanna Perez Corey Proctor Kaydence Smoot

Gavin Walters Heather Yates

3rd Grade Paxton Byrd Madison Duncan Hanna Fortune Ashlyn Millican **Brian Morales** Kayden Oskins Wayne Snell **Kyler Stout**

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5th Grade Mackenzie Byrd

Alexander French Grace Goode Isaiah Guerrero Logan Phillips Tristan Potter-Hargrove

> 6th Grade Darrin Ames Kelli Bennett Colton Bradley **Brittany Bush** Rebekah Crockett Ashley Fulcher **Zachary Gartman** Debra Land

Shelby McWilliams **Evelyn Morales** Kaitlyn Potter Inez Salazar **Phoenix Sanders** Charles Thompson **Zachary Thompson**

Cross Plains Junior High and High School "A" Honor Roll 5th-6 Weeks

7th Grade Natalie Anderson Bronc Dillard Taryn Estes Brenna Kleiber Morgan Manley Bridgette Mayfield Kaylee Potter Stephen Saltus Blake Self Jurnee Thomas

8th Grade Michael Carpenter **Texas Sanders**

9th Grade Cheyenne Cowan Victoria Creamer Riley Lawrence

10th Grade Lauren Goode Skyler Halsel Tiffany McCaghren Rosa Salazar Zoie Walker

11th Grade Shawna Lewis Clemens Odenwaller Dillon Whiteley

12th Grade Shasta Bacon Emma Bennett

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Michelle Drew Christopher French Yannick Giroud Kathrine Goode Joe Holland

10th Grade Rachelle Allen Shelby Ames Charleen Avants Samantha Dickson Cody Self Kenzie Taff

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The Chapter President and of America.

Cross Plains Public Library.

Officers of the Future Farmers

of America, or FFA, will be

presenting the program giving an

overview of the FFA organization.

They will be sharing information

about different areas like

leadership, judging

Cross Plains I.S.D. Board of Trustee Minutes

of Trustees met in a regular the Deaf (SSA). For 6 Against 0 Clarence Tennison (261) meeting with the following members present: Bryan Bennett, McWilliams, Michael Cowan, and Donnie Dillard.

The following administrators and guest were also in attendance: Superintendent, High School Principal, Elementary Principal and guest, Marc Morgan.

Motion was made by Dillard and seconded by Bennett to approve the minutes with corrections. For 5 Against 0 Jim Cook Abstained Motion was made by Bennett

and seconded by McWilliams to

pay the bills. For 6 Against 0 Motion was made by Ames and seconded by Cowan that they pay Level I Portion (\$297 per employee) of the Blue Cross Blue Shield Insurance for 2010-11 year. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by McWilliams and seconded by Bennett that they join the Abilene

SCHOOL

LUNCH

MENU

MAY 3-7

BREAKFAST

MONDAY-Sausage, Biscuit,

TUESDAY-Breakfast Pizza,

WEDNESDAY-Pancakes, Sau-

sage, Fruit, Assorted Juice, Milk

THURSDAY-Donut, Yogurt,

FRIDAY-Hot or Cold Cereal,

Toast, Fruit, Assorted Juice, Milk

LUNCH

MONDAY-BBQ on Bun, Corn

on Cob, Pickles, Sliced Peaches,

TUESDAY-Salisbury Steak,

Brown Gravy, Mashed Potatoes,

Green Beans, Roll, Diced Pears,

WEDNESDAY-Tacos, Salad,

THURSDAY-Chicken & Rice,

Peas & Carrots, Bread Stick,

FRIDAY-Hot Dog, Chili &

Cheese, Baked Fries, Fruit Cup.

Have a great week!

Corn, Brownie, Milk

Mixed Fruit, Milk

Milk

Milk

May 5th Last After School

Adventure Program at

May 5th will be the last After showing of animals. Awards and School Adventure Program, or scholarships will be discussed

ASAP, for the school year at the that are made available to

Fruit, Assorted Juice, Milk

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The Cross Plains I.S.D. Board Regional Day School Program for Maintenance Supervisor— Motion was made by Dillard and Bus Drivers —Mitchell Atchley Tommy Ames, Jim Cook, John a Letter of Reasonable Assurance Sliger (177). for 2010-11 for employment to: Secretarial — Krisi Reed (217 days) and Suzi Pillans (217)

Educational Aides—Lurene McNutt (226) Tammie Tennison

Educational Aides— Amber Kleiber (187), Carolyn Morgan (187), Brenda Montgomery (187), Debra Childers (187), Beverly Pope (187), Evelyn Harris (187), Shana Reed (187), Keeka Byrd (187) and Kari Shepard (187)

Technology Coordinator— Mack Taff (261)

Custodian/Maintenance—Billy Bell (261)

Cafeteria —Barbara Barnett (187), Deborah Thomas (182),

seconded by McWilliams to give (187), Bud Dillard (177), Lenell

Motion was made by Dillard and seconded by Ames to accept the subject list for 2010-11. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Bennett and seconded by McWilliams to accept all resignations as listed: Amber Green, Roy Richey, Homer Parsons, Gaynelle Callaway and Terri Mize. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Dillard and seconded by McWilliams to hire Dusty Navmann as an Ag teacher. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Bennett and seconded by Ames that they hire Dixie Lewis for Special Ed teacher. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Bennett Inez King (182), Lorna Muniain and seconded by Dillard to adjourn. For 6 Against 0

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Festival of Gardens (across from the Zoo) 3-7 pm **Bring Shot Records. Parent** or quardian must accompany

students under 18. Call 2-1-1 for more

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Beginning SY 2010-11, this is a 7-8th grade requirement. This vaccine protects you against a serious bacterial infection that could be fatal. College students who live in dorms are at an unusually high risk for the disease. (Higher than those who live off campus). Meningococcal disease is easily spread by coughing, sneezing, sharing drinks and kissing.

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Submitted by

Linda Burns

Library Director

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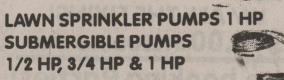


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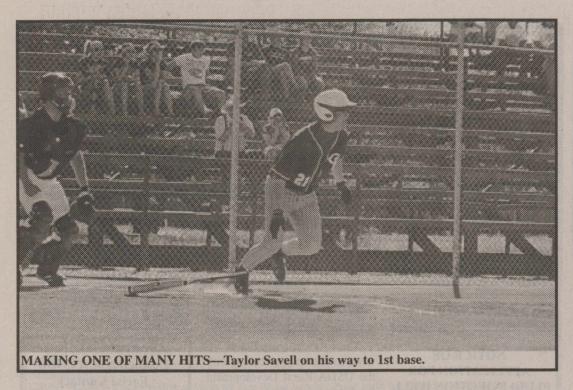
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Cross Plains Buffaloes Qualify for Baseball Playoffs

The Cross Plains Buffaloes to score. day after a week of rain.

Neither team scored in the 1st Plains 1. two innings, as the game became The Buffs failed to score in their ball game was a pitchers duel. a pitcher's game.

In the 3rd inning, after 1 out, the 5th. Ryder was walked. He was forced After 2 outs, a walk put a man 2nd place in district. Cross Plains on Reese's double.

In their 3rd inning, De Leon's a 4 to 1 lead. first batter hit a single. An at- Pat hit a single; Taylor reached the district. tempted pick-off was wild and on an error and Travis hit the ball the runner went to 3rd base. in a close play the tag on base was

hosted the De Leon Bearcats Another base hit and another Tuesday afternoon. It was a nice error allowed two more runs making the score De Leon 3 Cross

4th inning. De Leon scored 1 in

out at 2nd base, thus Cody on 1st and a missed flyball alreached 1st, stole 2nd and scored lowed the runner to score going into the last inning. De Leon held

Another wild throw allowed him late. Pat scored when a base

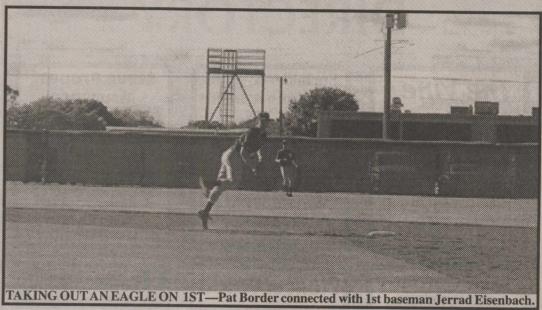
running mistake ended the game De Leon 4 Cross Plains 2.

Taylor pitched the entire game giving up 5 hits and had 11ks. The Buffs had 4 hits with 6 ks. The

With the loss, Cross Plains finished tied with Goldthwaite for and Goldthwaite will have a game Saturday at 5:00 p.m. at Brownwood High School field to determine 2nd and 3rd place in

For the year Cross Plains finished 12-5 and 7-3 in district. See you at the game!

PLAYOFF BOUND TEAM—Buffaloes win 2nd place in District.



Buffs Finish Second in District in Baseball

The Cross Plains Buffaloes and a run. the Goldthwaite Eagles finished district tied for 2nd and 3rd place inning. with 7-3 records. The two teams play in the playoffs.

Buffs scored 2. After 2 outs, Allan and Taylor. singled and Pat walked. Taylor After one out, Travis was hit by

scored 1 run then 1 error and a The Eagles scored 1 in their 3rd walk followed by a single drove inning. At the end of 3 innings the

Neither team scored in the 2nd 2

played a game to determined who control of the game by scoring 8 finished 2nd and 3rd, as the place runs. Reese walked, Allan and Pat to score. you finish determines who you singled and loaded the bases. A pass ball allowed Reese to score gave 4 hits and had 10ks. The The Buffs and Eagles met in Pat and Allan advanced to 2nd Brownwood last Friday to play and 3rd. Taylor and Nick hit was Cross Plains 10 Eagles 3. the game. In their 1st at bat, the singles which drove in Allan, Pat With this win, the Buffs finished

singled and Nick scored Allan and a pitch and Blake walked to load the bases. Ford and Reese hit Hopefully all the details will be In the Eagles' 1st at bat they singles which drove in 4 runs.

score was Cross Plains 10 Eagles

The rest of the game was a In the 3rd, the Buffs took pitchers duel. The Eagles scored 1 in the 4th, while the Buffs failed

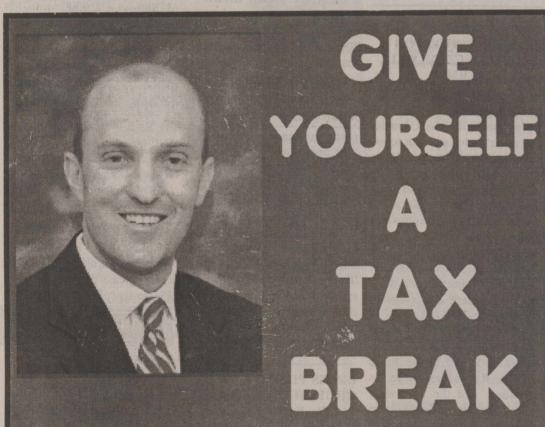
> Taylor pitched the 7 innings. Buffs had 14 hits. The final score

> 2nd in District. The Buffaloes will play Eula in Bi-District but the location has not been determined. in next week's edition.

Submitted by **Coach Mitchell Atchley**

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1170 feet. 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide property located at 101 George Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of

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form 2295 to 2560 feet. LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of

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sification District. Anyone interested in this ing any aspect of the application change is enouraged to attend the meeting. Persons with special needs should contact City Hall at least 4 hours prior to the meeting at 254.725.6114.

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HEALTHCARE UPDATE—Susan Schaefer updated the Kiwanis Club on the accounting impact of the new health care bill as it will affect small businesses. She also told about the Anasazi Indians of New Mexico and the Four Corners area. The Kiwanis meet every Tuesday at noon at Jean's Feedbarn. The public is invited and there is always something to learn from the programs.

Design Image Contest for Cross Plains Centennial

The Cross Plains Centennial —Design may include a Planning Committee has announced a contest to choose an official Centennial logo that will be used throughout 2011 in conjunction with the City's 100th anniversary celebration. The winning logo will appear in print memorabilia.

Design criteria are as follows; —Logo must be printed or drawn on 8.5" X 11" heavy white paper or cardstock (a file in .jpg or similar format may also be submitted on CD)

- —Design should include 'Cross Plains' and '1911-2011'
- —Margin must be 1 inch on all four sides
- —Allover design must be no larger than 6.5" X 9" and no smaller than 4.5" X 7'
- —Orientation must be landscape (not vertical) Design should be simple
- enough to be reduced or enlarged with minimal distortion
- -Design must use no more than awarded. three colors

Centennial slogan suggestion

of five words or less

-Artist's signature may be incorporated inside the design. Submission can be delivered to the Cross Plains Senior Center any weekday except federal and on t-shirts, banners, and other holidays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., or emailed to centcp@yahoo.com. The artist's name, address, phone number and email address should be provided on a separate sheet and clipped (not stapled) to the art. SUBMISSION WILL NOT BE RETURNED.

> Questions may be directed to centcp@yahoo.com or leave a message at 725-4446. The contest will close at 1 p.m. on September 30, 2010. The winner will be contacted after judging takes place, and an announcement will be placed in the Cross Plains Review. All decisions are final.

> The logo design will be blindjudged by a panel of artists and others who have not entered the contest. A prize of \$50 will be

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Scranton Musical set for Saturday

The Scranton Musical will be Saturday, May 1st at the Scranton Community Center. Mark Ray is the emcee and invites all area musicians to call 325-692-2057 to reserve a time for your group.

The hosts in the kitchen this month are Robert & Sue Shrader of Austin. They will be serving a great meal of Sue's Pasta Casserole, salad and garlic bread. The dinner includes a drink. You may also purchase sandwiches and home made pies. The weather is nice, days longer so come out and enjoy good food and

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West Central Texas Council of Governments recognizes April as 9-1-1 education month

the Regional 9-1-1 Program of West Central Texas Council of Governments (WCTCOG) began a month-long campaign the incredible and ongoing to help Americans of all ages recognize the importance of 9-1-1 and the role they play in ensuring effective and efficient emergency response in times of crisis. Groups including the United States Congress and the National Emergency Number Association (NENA), a leading public safety association, have also recognized April as National encouraging the media, the 9-1-1 community, the wireless industry, and public information providers to engage in 9-1-1 awareness and education activities this month.

emergency services," said serves, especially in light of an NENA CEO, Brian Fontes.

ABILENE, TEXAS - Today, "Public education and ever-evolving awareness throughout the years have NENA has also made a number contributed in large measure to success of the emergency communications system as a whole. It is our hope that all groups interested in promoting and enhancing the safety and welfare of the public will help deliver critical 9-1-1 messages this month."

As consumers utilize new

and devices, 9-1-1 education 9-1-1 Work for YOU!. The 9-1-1 Education Month, and are takes on an increased importance for everyone, but especially for children, teens, and parents. Joe Rogers, Director of the WCTCOG's Regional 9-1-1 Program says: served as the vital link between have the tools to educate the the American public and citizens that the 9-1-1 system

initiatives telecommunications market." of public safety educational resources for the media, 9-1-1 professionals, public educators, and citizens available via its National 9-1-1 Education Month webpage, HYPERLINK "http://www.nena.org/ education/911-educationresources"

www.nena.org/education/911education-resources, including communications technologies an E-Brochure entitled Making brochure is designed to provide essential information to the general public, children, teens, and parents about the 9-1-1 system and emergency

"It is vital that those who For more information about "For forty years, 9-1-1 has disseminate 9-1-1 information the WCTCOG Regional 9-1-1 Program, go to: HYPERLINK "http://www.wctcog.org/ wctcog/911_index.php" http:/ /www.wctcog.org/wctcog/ 911_index.php

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A Wake-up Call to City Hall

Cross Plains is a "General Law City" consisting of five councilmen and a mayor. The mayor must conduct each meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Code 551. The mayor does not run the City, he presides over the meeting, keeps order, and follows the agenda. He only votes in case of a tie.

The council is the legislating group and government entity. The City is a government entity.

The "Administrator" does not run the city. The word administrator is a title given to an appointed person by the city councilmen. All administrative action by the council is made through the Administrator/Secretary. HELLO—People, wake up call, next year elect three new councilmen, three honest conservative people who will spend your tax money wisely.

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City-Wide Garage Sale is this Saturday!

The annual City-Wide Garage be handed out beginning at meal at 11:00 a.m.

piled into a brochure. The bro-street from Clyde City Hall.

Sale sponsored by the Clyde 7:00 a.m. on Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce is this First United Methodist Church Lunch will go toward Chamber of Clyde Fellowship Hall, located of Commerce Projects. Take out Over 60 sales have been com- at 217 Oak street across the orders are welcomed. Please join

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Taylor Electric members gather for annual meeting

Membership Meeting at the utility company. cooperative's headquarters on

a.m. to 1 p.m., at 226 County credits to members. The work within Taylor Electric's 11-Road 287, just south of cooperative has retired nearly county service area. Interstate-20 between Abilene and Merkel.

electricity to rural communities, to members. Taylor Electric is a memberowned, not-for-profit utility with years as a cooperative, the lunch. 10,000 member-owners in 11 members will donate \$48,000 April's edition of Texas meeting is when members departments who are honored features a registration card that gather for fellowship, elect guests at the meeting. Members Taylor Electric members should directors for the board, receive contribute all year to a "Round

Taylor Electric Cooperative hear updates about the energy nearest dollar. The money goes will host its 71st Annual industry and news about their into a fund designated for

This year, Taylor Electric will Thursday, April 29th, from 9 distribute \$400,000 in capital \$9 million in patronage capital

counties. The annual business to area volunteer fire Cooperative Power magazine capital credit refund checks, and Up" fund by rounding up their monthly statements to the 325-793-8538.

charitable giving. This year, the cooperative members will give \$2,000 to 24 area VFDs that

The event also will feature a funds since 1951, when it first health fair, education about Founded in 1939 to provide began the distribution of funds energy conservation, giveaways, door prizes, In addition to celebrating 71 entertainment and a barbecue

bring to the meeting.

For more information, call

County Salary Grievance Committee renewed Officials?

sioners' Court voted to continue Gunter, and County Clerk Donna to have seven elected officials Bell. and two public members serve on the Salary Grievance Com-

The commissioners' court took the action Monday, April 26th public comments, there was during a regular commissioners' court meeting held at the Callahan County Courthouse in made a motion to not renew the Baird.

On a motion by Commissioner Bryan Farmer and a second by Commissioner Cliff Kirkham, the commissioners' court voted 5-0 to continue the Salary Griev- Adrian Rogers came before the ance Committee as it has been in the past with seven elected officials and two public members. The seven elected officials include the District Clerk, the County Treasurer, the County speed limit for County Road 119 Tax Assessor, the County Attor- at 35 MPH. Commissioner ney, County Judge, County Clerk and County Sheriff. The public names were drawn by Sheriff John Windham out of the 2009 Grand Jury pool and put on the committee list. If needed, the first two available Building Project for Precinct #4 public members on that list will be asked to serve on the com-

Other agenda items brought before the commissioners' court

-Callahan County Judge Roger Corn called the regular onded the motion and the mocommissioners' court meeting to order at 9:41 a.m. Those present included Precinct #1 Commissioner Harold Hicks, Precinct #2 Commissioner Bryan Farmer, Precinct #3 Commissioner Tom Windham, Precinct

The Callahan County Commis- County Treasurer Dianne

—The minutes of the previous commissioners' court meetings were reviewed and signed.

-During time set aside for

-Commissioner Windham contract with Indigent Health Solutions. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion and it was approved with a 5-0 vote.

-Boyd Zimmerman and commissioners' court to request the speed limit for County Road 119 be set at 35 MPH. After some discussion, Commissioner Hicks made a motion to set the Kirkham seconded the motion and the motion passed with a 5-

-Commissioner Kirkham made a motion to publish specifications on the Maintenance in order to receive bids. Commissioner Farmer seconded the motion and the motion passed

—Commissioner Farmer made a motion to pay the approved bills. Commissioner Hicks section carried with a 5-0 vote.

-A motion was made by Commissioner Windham and seconded by Commissioner Kirkham to adjourn the commissioners' court meeting at 10:06 a.m. The motion carried #4 Commissioner Cliff Kirkham, with a unanimous 5-0 vote.

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chicken figurines.

"The very first chickens I got pass them up." chicken or two in and finally my they know how much she likes every time she said something. husband said 'if you bring chickens. One wall of her house that. And I'm getting older. I've there was medication for people them." wondered what in the world I'm like me." going to do with all these van just to move the chickens." a while to dust her chickens.

Each of her chickens is "Well over two days. That's the numbered and referenced in a only thing about my chickens I book to tell where it came from. don't like. I have to take a cloth

"I'm the chicken lady. My son Her collecting is on hold now."I and take each one out of its little in law calls my house the chicken ran out of space. I had to quit. compartment and dust it, dust the coop."Helen Wilkerson lives at There's no place to put another compartment and put it back. It Carterville, just north of Garden chicken. I look at them longingly takes a long time. I have to stand City. She collects porcelain when I see one I don't have, but on a ladder to reach the top so far this year I've been able to ones."Helen's house has pictures, doilies, place mats, cups, aprons, were from a friend of mine when Helen has bought a lot of the shirts and robes all in a chicken I got married. I really like chickens, but her friends and motif. Chickens make her happy. chickens so I'd keep bringing a family give them to her because During our visit, she laughed

"Everything in my house has to another chicken in this house I'm has been converted into a display do with chickens. My sister and leaving.' So I quit for a few years area for her collection."These are I travel a lot together and and decided he wasn't going to shadow boxes that I have put everywhere we go we try to get a leave so I started again. I have together and painted. I really chicken. That's fun to look at around four thousand now." I told enjoy looking at them. A woman them and remember when we her she can never move." I know saw my collection and told me were on the trip and where we got

Her favorites are some salt and The wall full of chickens is peppershakers called nodders. chickens. It would take a moving eight feet by twelve feet. It takes They're like bubble heads that nod up and down.

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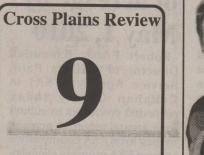
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To the Citizens of Cross Plains

Well James, once again I must respond to your recent articles in the newspaper. If you're going to print something James, you should at least print the truth and not your opinion, although you are entitled to it. You should just not pass it off as the "TRUTH", when in fact it is far from it.

First, let me respond to the reinstatement of city taxes. Again, James, no city puts the "tax" issue out to the voters. It is the City's right to establish a tax to help pay for the City's budget. The citizens of Cross Plains were blessed for 30 years to NOT have a City tax. Now mind you, you paid a school tax and a county tax to fund those organizations with no complaining, but when the economy reached the point where the City needed the revenue to operate, you didn't like that. Well guess what, neither did the council, but using good sound logic and common sense, the Council knew it must be done.

Now let's discuss the water & sewer rates. The City's minimum cost is \$17.00 for Water w/\$3.75 per thousand and \$18.00 for Sewer. Let's look at some of the other cities in the area. Santa Anna, Water \$32.00 minimum w/\$5.50 per thousand thereafter, Sewage \$12.00 w/\$2 each thousand gallon water usage up to \$24; Clyde \$19 for 1st 1,000 gallons, \$3.45 2nd 1,00 gallons, and the price continues to rise as water usage does, Sewage fee \$20.95 minimum, and \$1 up to 8,000 gallons; Baird, Water \$13.00 minimum w/\$4.25 per 1,000 up to 12,000 then the price continues to rise. Sewage is \$16 flat rate. Santa Anna's tax rate is .7756 per 100 valuations, Baird's is .81904 per 100 valuations and Cross Plains is .39875 per 100 valuations. Notice James that we are still very comparable to these cities and they have been charging taxes for years.

And what about that \$1 donation to the improvement to Treadway Park. Now let's see, that's \$12 a year, right James. There are no usable restroom facilities at this site and have not been for several years now. Oh, there are restrooms there, but I have heard over and over women say that there was no way they were going in THOSE restrooms. So why have them if they are unusable. The roping club tries to have events down there and they are forced to pay hundreds of dollars every time an event is held just for portable restrooms, as does the City when they have events there. This is not a frivolous want, this is an actual need, if you don't believe me, ask all the folks who have been involved the last couple of years trying to raise funds to help defray the cost of the restroom facilities. You see James, if you were involved on one of these committees like I am, you would see that the community is the ones who have been pursuing the facilities and not the City Council. This is a need that the community has approached the City Council for and the Council has listened to its citizens. Please James, don't donate, that way when Treadway Park is finished and we have restroom facilities and other amenities you can stand up and say that you had no part in it.

Now let's talk about Jarrod Potter being sent to school to be our next Police Chief. Well you are right that the City paid Jarrod's tuition of \$1,200 with the understanding that if Jarrod did not finish the school or stay with the City for two years, he would have to repay the City for the tuition and other incidental costs associated with the school. After talking with the City Council, it is my understanding that they decided that since the City was wanting to replace our last patrolman, who stayed one year, and the fact that prior to Don Gosnell becoming the City's Chief, the City had went through 25 policemen in 25 years. (Gosnell is currently working on 12 years) The council felt that it would be a good idea to hire someone from Cross Plains who wanted to raise their family here. Since Jarrod already worked for the City they felt he would be an ideal candidate. After discussing the issue with Jarrod in great detail, all was agreed that this situation would be best for the City. The "travel" car that you refer to, in my opinion was a long overdue need the City has put off for a long time. The fact that Jarrod is using the car to go back and forth to school in is due to the fact that his city issued pickup will not make the daily drive. Upon completion of this school all city employees will use the car when traveling. Currently, when City personnel travel in their personal vehicle the City reimburses those employees at a rate of 55 cents per mile for travel costs. This vehicle will in the long run save the city a lot of money. If this is such a poor idea of the City Council, why does our local school system have several travel cars, as well as all the surrounding cities. No James, this was not a bad idea, it was a really good idea and will save the City many dollars, which you claim should be the main goal. Why are you against saving money?

You know James, not only do I have sixteen (16) years experience working for the city, I continue to work closely with the City Staff in and advisory position, I serve on the EDC Board, and I Chair the Planning and Zoning Board. I also serve as chair of the "Restroom Facility" committee. Maybe you should become more involved with hands on activities so that you can know what is REALLY taking place instead of sitting and listening to all the local negative gossip directed toward City Hall.

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Callahan County 4-H Shotgun **Team visits Montague County**

Shotgun Team traveled to the Montague County 4-H Shoot at Willawalla Creek Shooting Center at St Jo held on Saturday, April 24, 2010. consisted of three members pictured above, (left to right) Mary Seay, Brandon Hobbs and Sam Seay, all in the intermediate division. It began as a cool and very windy

climbed to a pleasant 76 degrees, but still having the traitorous winds to deal with. Our team fared well during the competition. Event Awards won were; Brandon Hobbs: 1st Place in Whiz Bang, 2nd Place in American Trap (with a 5 round shoot off for first place) and High Over All in Men's Intermediate Division; and

Sam Seay: 3rd Place American Skeet. Members of the shotgun team will travel to San Angelo next Saturday, May 1st, for their annual Tom Green County 4-H Whiz Bang. All who have entered are looking forward to the great competition and the excellent hospitality of the Tom Green County 4-H

USDA reminds local farmers to submit your annual report

of acreage by May 1, 2010 Robert Frost, Executive

Director of USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) in Callahan County today reminded producers to submit their annual report of acreage to their local FSA county office to meet FSA program eligibility requirements.

"Producers must file their reports accurately and timely for all crops and land uses, including prevented and failed acreage, to ensure they receive the maximum FSA program benefits possible," said Frost.

Accurate acreage reports are necessary to determine and maintain eligibility for various programs, such as the Direct and Counter-cyclical Program and newer programs authorized in the 2008 Farm Bill. Programs include the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payments Program (SURE), Average Crop Revenue Election Program (ACRE), Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP), Tree Assistance Program (TAP), and Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and Farm Raised Fish Program (ELAP).

Acreage reports are considered timely filed when completed by the applicable final crop reporting deadline, which is May 1, 2010 for Callahan County. Prevented acreage must be reported within 15 calendar days after the final planting date. Failed acreage must be reported before the disposition of the crop. Producers should contact their county FSA office if they are uncertain about reporting deadlines.

Late-filed provisions may be available to producers who are unable to meet the reporting deadline as required. Reports filed after the established deadline must meet certain requirements to be accepted and may be charged late fees.

Producers should visit their county FSA office to complete acreage reporting. For questions on this or any FSA program, including specific crop reporting deadlines and planting dates, producers should contact their county FSA office. More information on FSA programs is at: "http:/ /click.icptrack.com/icp/ relay.php?r=50481974& msgid=214375&act=YNN3&c= 590864&destination=http% 3A%2F%2Fwww.fsa.usda.gov%2F Link opens in new window" \t "extWindow

www.fsa.usda.gov.

April 29, 2010 Kendrick Cemetery

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Association annual meeting set for Saturday

The Kendrick Cemetery Association of Denton Valley, Inc. will hold its 2010 annual meeting on Saturday, May 1st. A cleanup time will begin at 10:00 a.m., and the annual business meeting will start at 11:00 a.m.

The business meeting will be followed by a covered dish lunch with drinks and meat furnished by the association. The meeting and lunch will be held at the Denton Valley Baptist Church, across the road from the cemetery.

Everyone with an interest in the cemetery is encouraged to attend. The association would like to thank all of you that made donations, gave memorial gifts or designated funds to the trust fund this past year. Without your support this association could not continue to provide the level of care currently provided. Donations may be mailed to the association at 405 Stephens Street, Clyde, Texas 79510

Blanket's **Annual FFA** Junior Rodeo on Tap

Dust off your Stetson and give those boots a shine. It's time for the 57th annual Blanket FFA Junior Rodeo.

Beginning at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday night, April 30 and May 1st at the Blanket FFA arena. the rodeo is set to continue its longstanding tradition of skilled rodeo youth combined with high energy entertainment.

"The rodeo is a tradition for the Blanket FFA, and serves as its primary source of fundraising," said Justin Hopkins, Blanket ISD Ag instructor and FFA advisor.

The rodeo is operated entirely by local FFA members and supporters as well as community volunteers. Youths of all ages are invited to compete. Three age divisions are offered: pee-wee for ages 10 and under; junior, ages 11 to 14; and senior, ages 15 to

There will be jackpot for all events nightly, with a jackpot donkey race open to the world. Books open at 6:00 p.m. and close at 7:30 p.m.

Rodeo livestock will be furnished by stock contractor, T-G Rodeo Company. Gate prices are \$2.00 students and contestants and \$4.00 adults.

For more information contact Justin Hopkins AST at 325-642-9594.

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Big Country Immunization Coalition offers free immunizations April 29th

Big Country Immunization Coalition (BCIC) In Recognition of National Infant Immunization Week(Offering Childhood Immunizations at the Zoo **Festival of Gardens**

Who: BCIC-Abilene-Taylor County Public Health District, Patty Hanks Shelton School of Nursing, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas, Caring for Children Foundation, Abilene Care Van, Medical Care Mission, 211-United Way, Texas Department of State Health Services, Texas Medical Association Foundation, Taylor-Jones-Haskell-Callahan Medical Alliance

What: In recognition of National Infant, Immunization Week, April 24- May 1, Big Country Immunization

Coalition (BCIC), Abilene-Taylor-Calllahan County Public Health District and other community agencies will offer FREE immunizations for children 0 to 18 to years of age. Due to the changes in the immunization requirements for all Texas schools, BCIC is encouraging parents to be proactive in immunizing their children to avoid long lines in August. Parents are asked to bring immunization records. In addition to immunizations, parents and children will be able to enjoy the family festival with face painting, games and prizes. Blue Bear, Health and Wellness Ambassador for Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Texas will be there along with the Pet Therapy dogs. FREE bicycle helmets will be offered to children 4 to 12 years of age provided by Taylor-Jones-Haskell-Callahan County Medical Society Alliance.

Where: Festival Gardens (across from Zoo)

2070 Zoo Lane Abilene, Texas When: Thursday, April 29, 2010 3 PM - 7 PM

Why: National Infant Immunization Week (NIIW) is April 24 - May 1, 2010. NIIW celebrates the successes of immunization programs around the country and highlights the importance of immunizing our children.

In addition to recognizing NIIW, this is a good opportunity to get school age children immunized. Texas is continuing its Immunization Requirement Phase on schedule that began last year. New requirements this year were added for kindergarten and 7th grade students for the 2009-2010 school year. There is a new bacterial meningitis requirement for students entering college at all Texas Universities. Please refer to http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/ immunize/school/ default.shtm for additional information.

Fraudulent letter from Department of Transportation seeks banking info

The Better Business Bureau information to the facsimile would like to alert business number cited in the letter. owners about a fradulent letter Department of are fraudulent! Transportation Procurement Seventh St. requests a financial information release financial information". release form to be faxed to 202-595-3880. The form requests the businesses' banking account number.

form which is attached to the procurement. letter and DO NOT release any

The US Department of which appears to be from the Transportation warns the letters

The last batch of these letters Office. The letter bears the US came thru the Abilene area in DOT logo and the address of March of last year. These fraudulent letters request that Washington DC 20390. The current or potential contractors letter is signed Julie P. Weynel, register with DOT by submitting Senior Procurement Officer. their company's financial Previous letters were signed information on a release form Joshua Greenberg. The letter entitled, "Authorization to

Please be aware that the Department of Transportation does not require any financial information to be submitted in DO NOT complete the release order to be eligible for

Dates Announced for 2010 Coleman PRCA Rodeo

dates for the 73rd edition of the custom spurs to event winners. Coleman PRCA Rodeo. Coleman will welcome back the top stock contractor in the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association. Stace Smith Pro Rodeos.

Smith produces more rodeos Sonny Burgess. than any other stock contractor in the PRCA. He has been named you can expect the returns of Stock Contractor of the Year, the Coleman County Cowgirl every year, since 2004.

Pro Rodeo Sports News, the during rodeo week. official magazine of the PRCA, recently listed the money paid to way down Commercial Avenue at contestants in each sanctioned 10 a.m. Saturday, June 19. rodeo in 2009. Out of 89 PRCA rodeos in Texas last year, Coleman was 19th on the list of added money paid, surpassing many larger cities. For this reason, Coleman attracts cowboys and cowgirls who more routinely compete in the Wrangler www.colemanrodeo.com or Final Rodeo in Las Vegas.

Coleman Rodeo Association will

June 17, 18 and 19 are the once again award hand-made

The Friday night dance will feature country music recording artists Josh Abbott Band and Kyle Park. The Saturday night dance will feature rodeo favorite

In keeping with local tradition, breakfast on Tuesday morning

The annual parade will make its

Other events include the Special Rodeo for Children to be held on June 19th and the Coleman County Team Roping scheduled for Sunday, June 6.

You can also find information check out Coleman PRCA Rodeo In addition to prize money, the on Facebook and become a fan.



MARY SEAY, BRANDON HOBBS AND SAM SEAY The Callahan County 4-H morning as the temperature

City and Rural Rides receives 2010 Outstanding Rural Transit System in Texas Award

Local transit system, City And Rural Rides has been awarded the Texas Transit Association's "2010 -Outstanding Rural Transit System in Texas". The award was presented during the Annual Texas Transit Association Conference and Expo held in Corpus Christi, Texas on April 20, 2010. The Texas Transit Association which was organized in 1986, includes members composed of the metropolitan transit districts, and rural transit districts in the State of Texas, as well as associate members of private and public entities

from across the nation. C.A.R.R. was selected from the 39 Rural Transit Districts serving areas with a population under 50,000. J.R. Salazar,

General Manager stated, "We are so proud to receive this recognition from the Texas Transit Association whose membership includes representatives of Transit systems throughout the State." He added, "I would like to thank all of the staff of City And Rural Rides and our Board of Directors for their hard work, dedication, and efforts on behalf of our riders."

City And Rural Rides provides Rural Public Transit s authorities, small urban transit eleven counties including: Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Nolan, Runnels, Shackelford, Stephens, and Rural Taylor counties. City And Rural Rides is operated by Central Texas Rural Transit District. For more information on services please call 1(800)710-2277.

Open-House Style Public Meeting Statewide Long-Range Transportation Plan 2035

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration will host two series of open house-style public meetings for the development of the Statewide Long-Range Transportation Plan 2035. This plan will establish a framework for addressing the challenges of our aging infrastructure, urban densification, and a growing population through 2035. The plan will also address the need for improvements to all modes of transportation including roadways, pedestrian and bicycle facilities, transit, freight rail, passenger rail, airports, water ports, pipelines, and Intelligent Transportation

The purpose of this first series of meetings is to present an overview of the project and to solicit comments and input to aid in the development of the plan. Information will be available for viewing at the meetings including exhibits and videos about the planning process. Representatives from TxDOT will be in attendance to discuss the development of the plan and answer questions. Forms will be provided for submitting written comments.

The open-house style public meeting in the Abilene District will be held on Tuesday, May 11, 2010, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 pm at:

Texas Department of Transportation, Abilene Area Office 1350 N. Arnold Blvd. Abilene, Texas 79603

Information regarding additional meeting locations throughout the State can be found at http://www.txdot.gov/ public involvement/transportation plan/default.htm or by calling the project's toll-free information line at 1-888-5-TX-PLAN (1-888-589-7526).

For those unable to attend the open house-style public meeting, written comments will be accepted on the project website at: http:/ /www.txdot.gov/public involvement/transportation plan/ default.htm key word: transportation plan 2035, by email at: (TPP_txtranplan @dot.state.tx.us), or by mail at: Peggy Thurin, P.E., Project Manager, Statewide Long-Range Transportation Plan 2035 4544 Post Oak Place, Suite 224 Houston, Texas,

Persons with special communication or accommodation needs may call Mary Beth Kilgore, Abilene District Public Information Officer, at 325-676-6806. Requests should be made no later than three days prior to the meeting. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate needs.

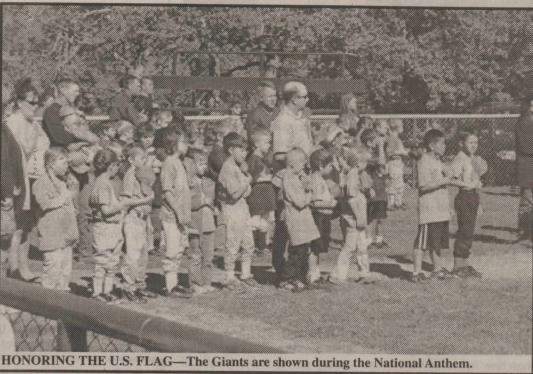
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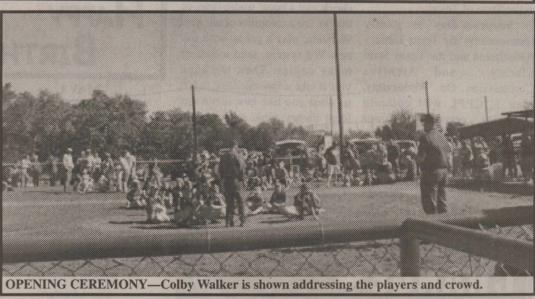
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By Vanda Anderson

Little League's season opening. energy. Downtown was lined with Each team was recognized spectators from Dollar General to and every player personally the Church of Christ awaiting announced. There were 150 plus their "special" baseball player(s). players represented. It takes effort

impressed by the large number of parents. demonstrated by the parents, outstanding. grandparents, etc. who came to The t-ball teams led off the cheer them on.

the announcer at the Opening very entertaining. Ceremony. Reverend Harris Come out and support these Worcester led the group in prayer young athletes! and his wife, Julie, sang the

national anthem. Walker thanked the entities who contributed to the recent improvements at the Saturday, April 24th, was a baseball fields and the volunteers beautiful day for Cross Plains who contributed their time and

The kids were excited and the to get the players to their practices town was busy with activity. I was and games thanks to caring

children participating in the Hats off to all those who various age levels of either hard volunteer their time to coach the ball or softball and the support teams. Their dedication is

games for the day which are quite Colby Walker served as a sight to see. These little ones are

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VISITOR FROM CANADA—Rob Pronk of Calgary, Alberta in Canada has been a fan of Howard's writings since he was a young boy and was so impressed with the creative style of his favorite author that he got a Master's degree in English. He works as a purchasing manager for the Nexen Oil Company, acquiring everything from equipment to contracts, but still dreams of becoming a writer. Pronk was on a business trip to Houston and scheduled a side trip to Cross Plains, just to visit the museum and our library. Rob Pronk is pointing out his hometown on the world map at the museum.

"Texas Library Snapshot Day"

Library is joining libraries across the state in participating in Texans. "Texas Library Snapshot Day" on Wednesday, May 5, 2010, to to the State of Texas.

The Cross Plains Public Texas to show how libraries provide valuable services to

Wednesday, May 5, will be a great day for you to come by the show how important libraries are library at 149 North Main and check out a book, audio tape, or "Snapshot Day" is jointly movie, use a computer or our new sponsored by the Texas Library Webcam, play a game with our Association and the Texas State new Wii system, send a Fax, or and Archives make copies. Then we hope Commission. On Wednesday, you'll take a few minutes to tell May 5, CPPL will compile us what you like best about our statistics, record customer local library, what services you comments, take photographs, use most - or share a story about and gather other data chronicling the library. If you come at 4:00, a typical library day. The results you can also see what goes on at collected at CPPL will be added our monthly After School to those of other libraries across Adventure Program (ASAP).



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Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau Calls on Local Farmers to Speak Up

Callahan-Shackelford County sources. Farm Bureau President Phil Williams.

made, "Williams said. "We need

Proposed Obama administration ensures that we can grow our own Now they plan to cut even more." budget cuts will likely hit food and fiber in this country farmers and ranchers hardest, says without dependence on foreign Obama administration proposal

in the 2008 Farm Bill while Research funding, along with "They don't realize the almost doubling the amount spent farm and crop insurance sacrifices farmers have already on nutrition assistance for government welfare programs," to reduce spending but this Williams said. "Agricultural proposal sends the wrong spending accounts for less than 1 message. Our farm program percent of the federal budget.

Producers are now facing an that would cut \$812 million from "Washington cut \$7 billion the budget fro the 2011 fiscal year. programs, were cut in 2008. Support for nutrition assistance programs is a major part of the 2008 Farm Bill.

Great Turnout at Blood Drive on April 20th in Cross Plains

in the blood drive which took donation process in order to save place on April 20 at the First lives." know how much we appreciate to give blood.

Thirty-four donors participated their willingness to go through the

Baptist Church. "This is the First Baptist Church hosts blood highest turnout in Cross Plains in drives in Cross Plains every eight two years," said Frances Baker, weeks. Helen Parson serves as the donor recruiter. "These donors Blood Drive Chairperson. She is represent community service at its an asset to Meek Blood Center finest. Blood is a precious with her willingness to place resource that is often taken for posters around town and by granted. I want each donor to recruiting and encouraging others



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Jess Gourley Bullriding **Benefit Saturday May 1**

A Bullriding will be held Roping Arena to benefit Jess Dana 325-370-7015. Gourley. Gourley is a well known had a stroke.

The calcutta will begin at 7:00 p.m. and the bullriding at 7:30 enjoy watching the events for a p.m. There will be a calf scramble great cause. and bull fighting competition.

To enter the events please Saturday, May 1st at the May contact Toby 325-642-2347 or

All proceeds of the event will. bull rope maker who has recently benefit the Jess Gourley Relief

Come out and participate and

Vocal Talent Show Featured at this Year's Barbarian Festival

grabs in this year's Barbarian www.barbarianfestival.net. You Festival Vocal Talent Contest, can also get more information on slated for Saturday, June 12, 2010. the contest and have a registration Contestants will compete in three form mailed to you by calling categories: Children, Teens and Adults.

The Talent Contest, an audience favorite at the Barbarian Festival, will be a competition between Solo Vocalists performing Festival.

be found on the Barbarian attractions.

\$500 Prize Money is up for Festival's website, http:// Talent Contest Coordinator Mary Dunn at 254-725-7136. Registration fee is \$25.00.

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