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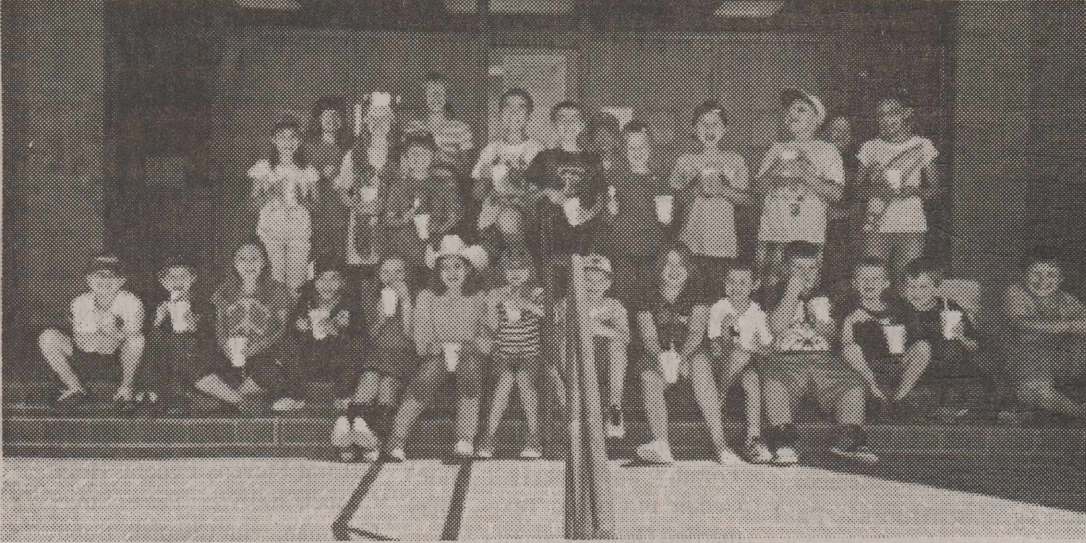
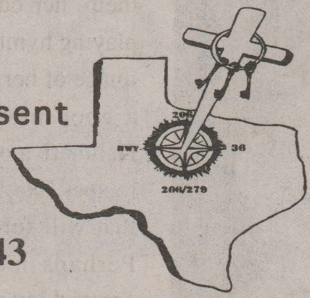
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The Second through Sixth grade students at Cross Plains Elementary who achieved their Accelerated Reading Goal for the first 6 weeks ate ice cream and received free time in the gym to celebrate. The students are encouraged to read and acquire AR points each 6 weeks There will be a party to celebrate the winners.



Little ghosts have invaded the cabinets in the children's area in the Cross Plains Library.

To enter contest, guess how many ghosts are visiting in the cabinet. Fill out an orange entry with your name, phone number and guess. The closest guess will win a gift certificated to Subway! Winner will be announced Oct. 30th.



Colton Bradley and Rylan Reed at the "Pink Out" pep rally.



Sheriff Jeff Lambert escorts Lowery From court room following guilty verdict.

Lowery found guilty and sentenced to life

A Comanche County jury on Tuesday found Michael Lowery guilty of first degree murder and sentenced him to life imprisonment.

The trial got underway Monday, September 29 with the selection of a jury. The trial opened on Tuesday and testimony was heard over the next five days.

Final arguments were heard on Tuesday morning and the jury began deliberations on the guilty or innocent phase at 10:26 a.m. The jury returned at 12:25 p.m. with a verdict of guilty.

After instructions from Judge Phil Robertson, the jury next began deliberations on the punishment. At 3:15 p.m., the jury returned with a sentence of life. Lowery will not be eligible for parole until he has served thirty years. The case was prosecuted by West Mau, special prosecuted from the

Attorney Generals office. District attorney B.J. Shepherd said, "we appreciate the jury and their verdict, and now we think Comanche County is safer because of the work they've done." District Attorney BJ Shepherd stated that he will have more complete information regarding the trail this next week. Lowery was charged in early

August 2013 with first degree murder with bond set at \$1,000,000. He was accused of murdering his wife, Amber Christian Lowery.

On July 31, 2013, during a search of the property, badly burned human remains were located, collected and sent to the Forensic Service Unit at the University of North Texas. On January 8, 2014, Comanche County authorities were informed by the Forensic Service Unit that the DNA confired were those of Amber Lowery.

Registration underway for Children's Program

Registration is now underway for "Learn About"... Program and LAPSit Program at the Cross Plains Public Library.

The "Learn About"...Program is a preschool program for children ages 3-5. Your child MUST be age 3 by September 1, 2014. The Children will have the opportunity to do finger plays, sing, hear stories, have refreshments, check out books and 'learn about' a variety of activities.

The LAPSit program is for Children birth to 3 years (not yet

eligible for LAP program). Each Child enrolled MUST be accompanied by an adult. The children listen to stories and do finger plays and other activities as well.

Both programs meet on Wednesday mornings from 10:00 to 10:45, beginning November 5th and continuing until the end of April 2015. You may register your children at the library Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1-5p.m and on Tuesday from 11a.m. -7 p.m The library is Closed on Fridays

Flu Shots!!! Get Your Flu Shots Here!!!

A Flu and Pneumonia immunization clinic will be held, Friday, October 17, 2014 from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm at the Cross Plains Senior Center. Stephen F Owen, R.PH pharmacist from Owen Pharmacy in Abilene will be at the Center to provide both influenza and pneumonia vaccines. Primary Medicare Part

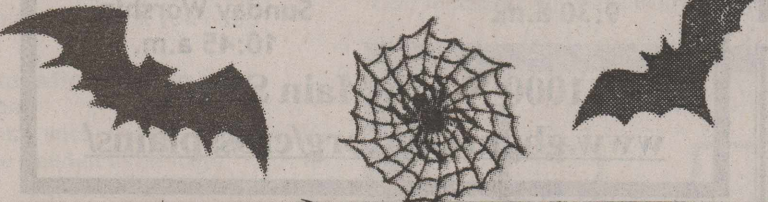
B, Medicare HMO, and Tricare insurance will pay for these vaccines or pay only \$20.00 for anyone without these types of insurance. Mark your calendar, October 17, 2014 9:00-3:00, Cross Plains Senior Center 108N. Main St. If you need additional information, call 254 725-6521.

Don't Miss the Dungeon of Dread!

Don't forget the Dungeon of Dread sponsored by the Cross Plains Public Library to be held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 15, 16, & 17 from 6:00 to 9:00 PM. Come to the old building that was formerly J's Art & Soul and use the basement entrance on the east side.

Admission is only \$5.00, and children under 8 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Be ready for your guide to take you to some very scary places.

Concession stand available at the end of your tour.

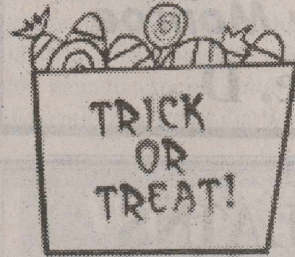


Come and enjoy one of the most unusual Fall celebrations. That will take place from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., October 29th at First Baptist Church, Cross Plains. "Trunk or Treat" is an event where participants use their vehicles' trucks and dress up using a variety of themes to hand out treats and entertain youngsters of all ages and their families. There will be treat bags filled with goodies, popcorn, drinks, and fun activities for kids, too. The purpose of Trunk or Treat is to give kids a safe alternative to the traditional Halloween experience. We look forward to seeing you there!

Cross Plains Junior Varsity
Buffaloes will Play the Miles Bulldogs here in Cross Plains
Thursday October 16, 2014 at
5:00 pm

Fall Festival 2014

On October 25, 2014 at the Cross Plains High School Gymnasium from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Come join the family fun!!!! Marriage booth, car bash, bingo, face paint, football/basketball toss, ring toss, nerf gun, jail, plinko, cake walk, haunted house/hay ride, toilet paper bowling, pie throw, fortune telling, photo booth, refreshments and popcorn.



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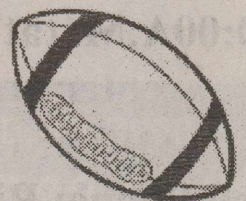
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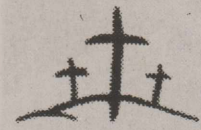


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10:00A.M. (at the church activity center on East Hwy 36)
Office: (254-725-6117)
Cell Phone: Rick - (918) 348-6859

OBITUARY



Myrtle Ann Stephens

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Myrtle Ann Stephens, age 81, of Valera passed from this life on Thursday morning, October 2, 2014 at the Brownwood Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 PM Monday in the Allcorn Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Ralph Howell of the Valera Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in the Voss Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Sunday from 4 - 7 at the funeral home.

She was born January 26, 1933 in Voss, Texas the daughter of the late Truman and Myrtle (Skelton) Pepper. She graduated from Talpa High School where she was the class valedictorian. She was raised in Coleman County and later moved to New Mexico. She had been a resident of Valera for the past 20 years moving there from Abilene. She was very active in the Valera Baptist Church and the Valera Quilting Club and had been a homemaker most of her life.

Ann's legacy of love of family and her faith in God will be

carried on through her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. Memories of "Grannie Annie" will forever be held dearly in their hearts, among them, her contagious laughter, playing hymns on the piano, the image of her sitting absorbed in a good novel or watching a Hallmark movie, and her special recipes like "Bunkhouse Rolls" that will forever be cherished. Perhaps most of all, Ann's greatest joy was in her family - having a house full at the holidays, a large meal cooking, and the sound of grandchildren playing.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Steve Stephens of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Wade Stephens and wife Pat of Cross Plains, Jamey Stephens and Randall Modinger of Los Alamos, New Mexico, Jenye Stephens of Los Alamos, New Mexico, and Damon Stephens of Jemez Springs, New Mexico.

Her grandchildren, Paul Dugan, Aleasha Curley, Stephenie Di Biasi, Janeal Yancey, Shaylene Stephens, Shauna Stephens, Tara Cope, Erin Sakai, Simon Wilkins, Jeanne Stephens, Garrett Stephens, and Jesse Stephens. Her great grandchildren, Brittany, Thaddeus, Issaiah, D'Andre, Kyle, Haley, Vallie, Wyn, Colt, Brody, Clayton, Aaliyah, and Stormy. A great-grandson to be arriving soon, Dillon James. Her Sister, Joyce Laws of St. Charles, Mo. And a host of other family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Truman and Myrtle Pepper, a son, Shane Stephens,

and a great granddaughter, Kieleigh. Friends are encouraged to sign the guestbook at www.allcornfuneralcare.com

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Mary Rachel Clower

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Mary Rachel Clower, 96, of Cisco passed away October 9, 2014 at Homestead Nursing Center in Cisco, Texas. Mary was born October 29, 1917 to Tommy and Pearly (Hale) Geddie in Colfax, Texas. Mary married George Everett Clower, August 17, 1935 in Van, Texas. George preceded her in death February 4, 2013. They were married 77 years. She was a homemaker and a member of Pioneer Baptist Church.

She is survived by her three sons, Dennis Clower and wife Carole of Cisco, Jerry Clower and wife Barbara of Abilene and Reverend Dwaine Clower and wife Cheryl of Sabanno, Community. Brother; Billy Dean Geddie and wife Sandra of Colfax, Texas and Sister; Marlene Bird of Tucson, Arizona. Grandchildren; Steven Clower and wife Karen; Shelly Neibuhr and husband Ralph; Jeri Lukens and husband Jake; Todd Clower and wife Laura lei; Keith Clower and wife Gayle; and Wendy Forbus and husband Jody, and twelve great

grandchildren.

Graveside Services will be held 2:30 P.M. Sunday, October 12, 2014 at Murray Cemetery in Carbon, Texas, officiated by Rev. Jody Forbus, under the direction of Kimbrough Funeral Home of Cisco. The family will receive friends from 5:00 to 7:00 on Saturday October 11, 2014 at the Funeral Home. Memorials can be made to West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Death Notices

Robert Marsh Kleiber

Robert Marsh Kleiber, 69, of Burkett, died Friday, October 10, 2014 at Holiday Hill Nursing Home. Funeral service were 2:00 p.m. Sunday, October 12, 2014 at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, 400 West Pecan Street, Coleman, with Chaplain Bobby Machen officiating. Burial was in the Burkett Cemetery, under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

Georgia Mary (Pharr) Curtis

Georgia Mary (Pharr) Curtis, age 92, of Bryan, TX, formerly of Fort Worth, passed away on Thursday, October 9, 2014 in St. Joseph's Hospital with her family by her side. Funeral services was held on Sunday, October 12, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at the Higginbotham Chapel in Cross Plains with Ronnie White officiating; burial followed in the Romney Cemetery.

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SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Oct. 20th - Oct. 24th

Monday 20th - Swiss Steak, Butter Noodles, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert

Tuesday 21st - Sweet & Sour Chicken, White Rice, Broccoli Bread, Dessert
Wednesday 22nd - Goulash (meat macaroni, tomatoes) Turnip Greens, Bread, Dessert

Thursday 23rd - Chicken Strips Potatoes, Gravy, Carrots, Bread, Dessert

Friday 24th - Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce/Tomatoe, English Pea Salad, Bread, Dessert

MEAL IS SERVED - 11:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Monthly Menu may be picked up at the Senior Citizen Center

Come Join the Weight Warriors

Weight Warriors is still meeting on Tuesdays at the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall. We are a group of like-minded folks with a common goal of health eating habits and group support. A new contest involving money challenge is beginning in September. Anyone is welcome to join our group. We meet at 5:30 every Tuesday. Come join the fun we share with each other.

Love Fund

A Love Fund has been opened for Rickey Thomas at Texas Heritage Bank for medical Expenses!

Love Fund

There is a Love Fund set up for the family of Billy Bell at the Texas Heritage Bank

LOVE FUND

A love fund has been set up at Texas Heritage Bank In Memory of Ricky Smith to help the family with expenses. Ricky is the son of Ileen Smith and the father of Holly Smith both of Cross Plains.

Love Fund

A Love Fund has Been Set at Texas Heritage Bank in Memory of Brenda Waggoner to help the family with expenses.

Love Fund

Has been established at Texas Heritage Bank For Owen Turner son of Joseph and Allison Turner and grandson of Greg and Dannes Turner

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Sunday School 9:30

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Cottonwood News

By Beverly Brown

The Revues are in! The Mister Relay Contest at the Cancer Walk was a big hit and the highlight of the evening. Everyone is talking about it. All of the contestants could have been winners! The men did a great job. Ronnie White won first place; Kevin Morton came in second place and Don Childers third. Cottonwood was well represented by Erik Woodard (in a stunning pink wig), David Estes (with long flowing gold locks) and Lady Wendella (Wendell Draper) who was every elegant with a flowing cream colored chiffon dress and big hat. Reggie Pillans (of near Cottonwood - Atwell) was also a elegantly dressed. Thanks to all of the men who donned dresses in support of the Cancer Fund. We're looking forward to seeing you all again in next year's Cancer Walk.

We enjoyed visiting with Diana Miller and the other ladies at the Cross Plains Garden Club booth. The Cottonwood Baptist Church had a walking team and Thomas Estes and Meagan Gooding sang for the crowd. Marsha and Bob Ossowski worked on the Silent Auction and

the Children's Auction. Everyone had a great time.

Cold weather arrived and it feels like fall. Rain gauges around Cottonwood reported anywhere from 2 to 3.5 inches on Friday night and another inch or so on Sunday night. Ashley Hall received 2 inches at her place on Friday and another inch Sunday night.

Turkey Supper night is coming up soon - on Friday, October 24 at the Cottonwood Community Center. You'll get the turkey, dressing and all the trimmings plus the Cottonwood Musical.

The following weekend, Saturday November 1st, Deer Season Opens. Circle the date on your calendar if you haven't already. And that night, or more exactly at 2 a.m. on November 2nd Daylight Savings time ends. You'll be setting your clocks back one hour.

The Burn Ban is off. Remember to exercise extreme caution if you do decide to burn - and call the Sheriff's office to let them know you will be burning before you light the match. Their number: 325-854-1444.



Teri Coburn and Caden Coburn



L to R Josh Coburn, Teri Coburn, Bobby Clarkston, Maci Coburn, Caden Coburn, Clay Price and Mandy Coburn sharing the love with the Senior Center



Therennie McCrohan and Sally Whiteley

Pretty in Pink

Therennie McCrohan and Sally Whiteley, long-time friends are enjoying the nice cool breeze on a wooden bench donated to the Cross Plains Senior Center by

Doris Grider's nieces, Alecia Knauf and Laurna Bacon. in loving honor and memory of Taylor and Grider family members Come sit a spell and enjoy an afternoon.

Donations made to Cross Plains Senior Citizen Center

Teri Coburn has been a strong supporter of the Cross Plains Senior Center for many years and has instilled this generosity into her family.

In honor of Teri's birthday and in loving memory

of Clara McDermott Coburn, her family purchased canned fruits and vegetables, cooking oil, pinto beans and sugar for the Center.

We are truly blessed!

Cancer Walk T Shirts Are Available

Cancer Walk T-Shirts are still available. You can get yours at the Senior Citizens Center. Shirts are \$15 each. Proceeds benefit the Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund.

Save the Date - The MAGI'S BAZAAR coming soon

The Altar Society of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Parish in Cisco will have their 19th annual MAGI'S BAZAAR on Saturday, November 1st, in our Parish Hall at 1106 Avenue F (behind Brookshire's) in Cisco. Details for our baked goods, jams and jellies, and handcrafted items will be announced next week.

We will have scrumptious breakfast selections - breakfast burritos, biscuits with sausage gravy, cinnamon rolls, and scones with coffee. Lunch selections will include chili, frito pie, and enchiladas with coffee and tea. So remember the date, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.!

Community-wide Yard Sale a Huge Success

Our community-wide yard sale is now over and members of Beta Sigma Phi would like to thank all those who participated. We sold lots of great items at our location and netted over \$500 for local scholarships and community organizations. The Cross Plains Chapter, known as Alpha Rho Zeta, raises funds to support a \$500 scholarship for a CP graduating senior; host the 7th grade trip to Austin in the spring; and donate excess funds to local EMS and VFD chapters. Members also volunteer at church and school functions, the senior center, food pantry, library, and at other programs.

not available in those difficult times.

Most important, there was a need for friendship and support from other women. Beta Sigma Phi was created out of this need. It did not take long before Beta Sigma Phis were helping others. Now in the 21st Century, over 165,000 members find themselves more valuable to our communities. Membership in the organization provides opportunities to contribute to the community, develop lifelong friendships, and polish leadership skills.

Members raise more than \$3 million for local charities and donate over 200,000 volunteer hours in an average year. Each chapter determines its own service projects and participation is always voluntary. For more information on our Cross Plains chapter, contact president Michelle Kaiser at 254-725-7174.

NEED \$\$\$ FOR THE HOLIDAYS? CALLING ALL CRAFTERS!

The Cross Plains Public Library will be hosting a craft sale on Friday, Dec. 5, from noon until 5 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 6, from 8 am - noon. We are putting out the word now, so that crafters can be working on holiday projects to bring in some extra \$\$\$ for the holidays. A reserved space will be approximately 8'x10' for only \$10, if you contact us before November 1 - after November 1 the cost is \$15. Contact the library at 725-7722 to reserve your space now.

Alpha Rho Zeta was founded in 1977 in the home of Dora Warlick (our only active charter member). There are currently 12 active members and 4 members-at-large. In 1931, during the Great Depression, there was a need for an organization that could bring women together and expose them to a social, cultural and educational climate that was

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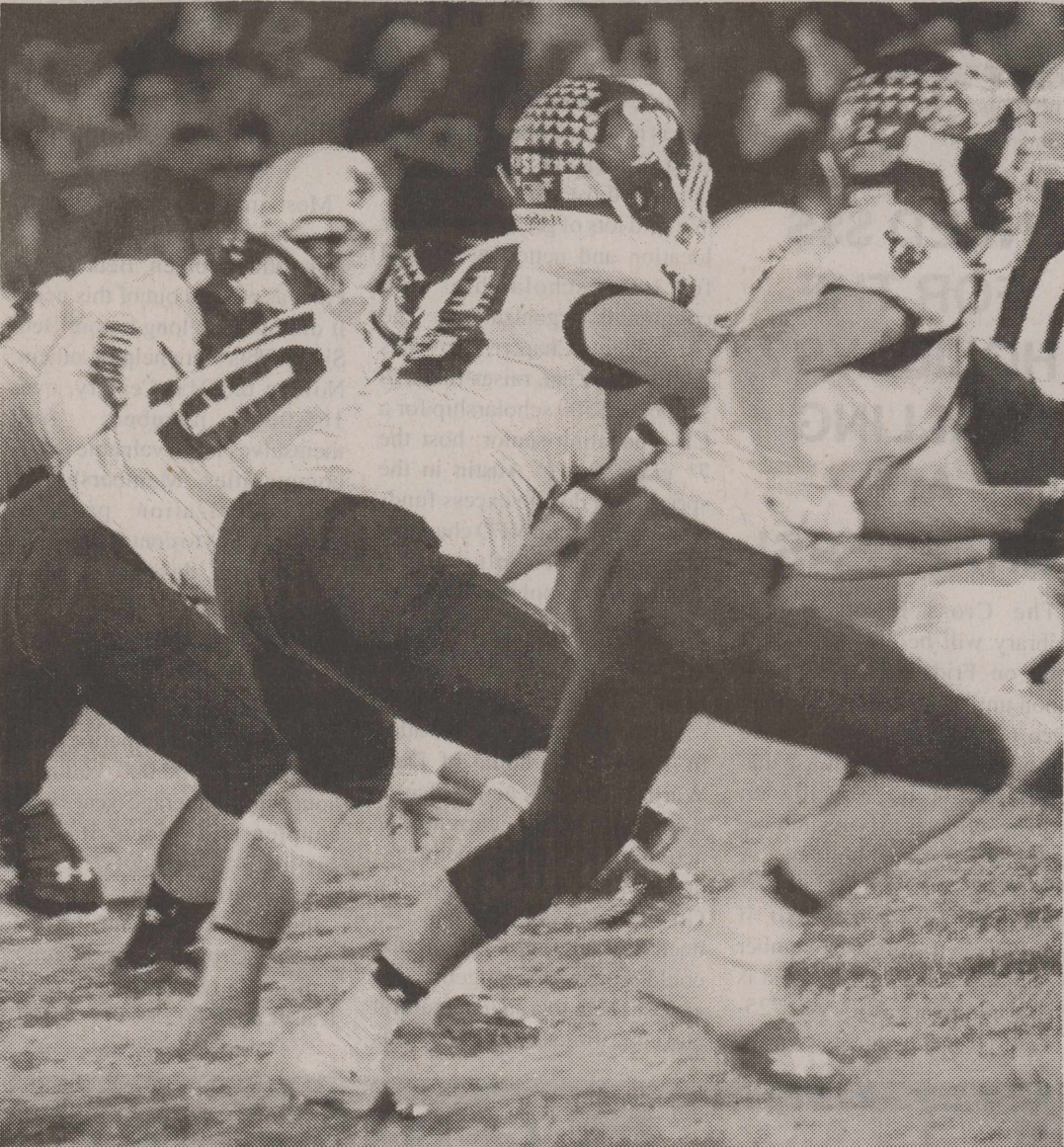
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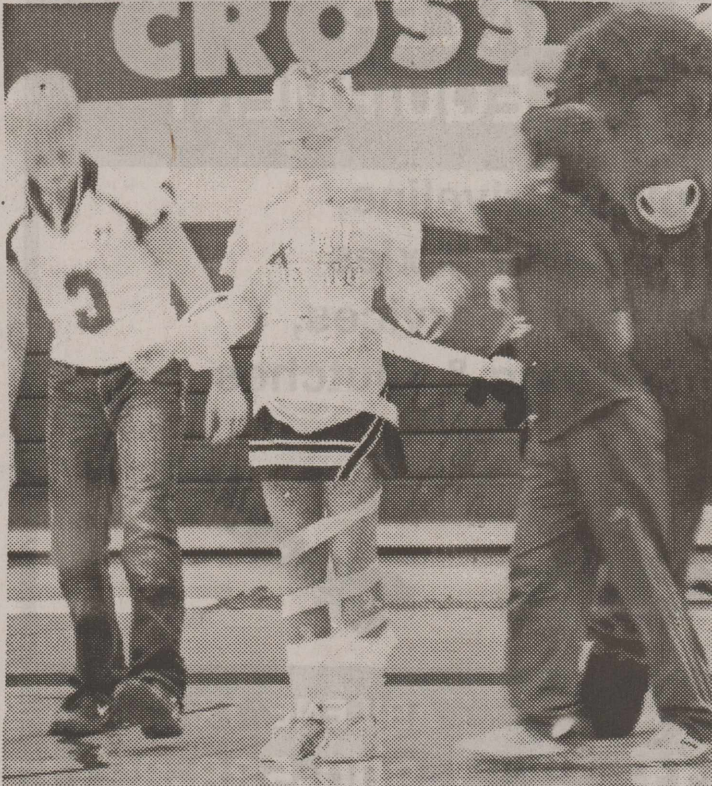
The fighting Cross Plains Varsity Buffaloes.



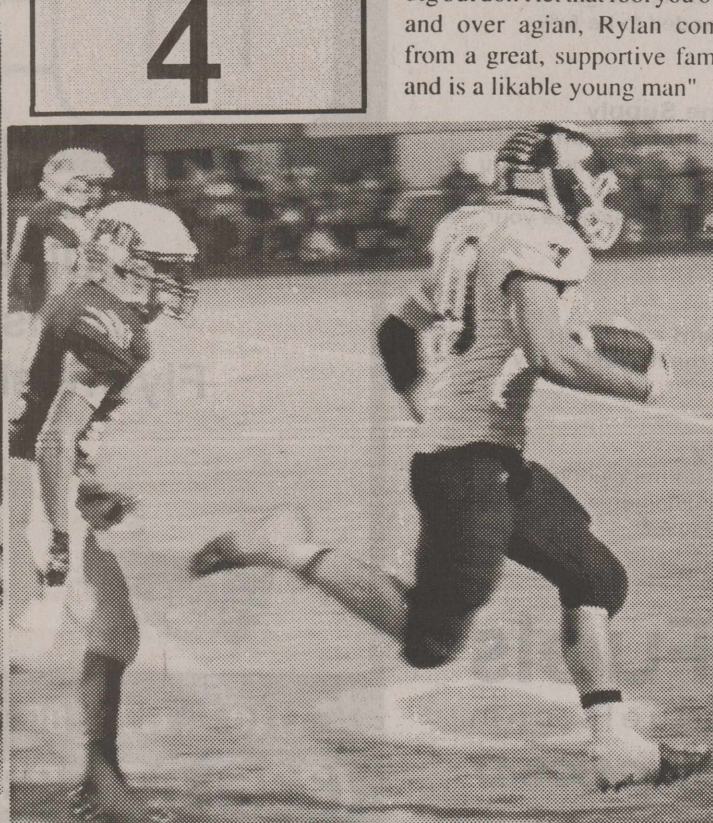
Varsity Cheerleaders, Loralei Woodard, Shelby McWilliams, Shana Yates, Teagan Fortune, Alexis Maurico, Kersey Wyatt, Ariell Sneed and Buffy the Buffalo.



#58 Bronc Dillard #70 Nain Martinez #2 Kaiden Petree



Kaiden Petree, Kersey Wyatt, Buffy and Sam Horan - trying to win the game.



40 Keifer Steinle making a run

Cross Plains Falls Short to Santo

The Cross Plains Buffaloes traveled to Santo on Friday, October 10th, to play their third district game against the Wildcats. The Buffaloes put up a fight, persevering through the wind and the rain, but despite their valiant efforts, the Buffaloes fell short of a win. The final score was 28-10. Laminack had a total of 66 rushing yards and 91 receiving yards. Senclair had a total of 19 rushing yards and made a one yard run to score a touchdown. Steinle had 49 rushing yards. The Buffaloes are practicing hard to gear up for the next game on Friday, October 24th, against the Baird Bears.



7 Holden Senclair

Date	Team	Place	Time
Oct. 3	*Ranger	Cross Plains	7:30pm
Oct. 10	*Santo	Santo	7:30pm
Oct. 17	*****	OPEN*****	
Oct. 24	*Baird	Cross Plains	7:30pm
Oct. 31	*Albany	Albany	7:30pm
Nov. 7	*Perrin-Whitt	Cross Plains	7:30pm

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Cross Plains' Laminack receives 2A Football honor

Cross Plains junior Rylan Laminack was named the Class 2A 2014 Built Ford Tough Texas High School player of the Week for Week 6 on Wednesday. Laminack a running back and linebacker, forced a fumble and returned it 57 yards for the go-ahead touchdown, early in the third quarter in the Buffaloes' 40-28 victory over Ranger II game on Friday. The 5-foot-8, 160-pound laminack picked off a pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 30 yards to set up the Buff's final score. Laminack also rushed for 213 yards on 25 carries, including a 20-yard TD-run. "Rylan may have changed our season with one play" Cross Plains Coach Daniel Purvis said about the fumble return. Purvis added: "Rylan is a speed burner. He can flat out fly. He's not very big but don't let that fool you over and over again, Rylan comes from a great, supportive family and is a likable young man"

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The Junior High Buffalo Cheerleaders with their pink pom poms.

Cross Plains Defeats Santo

The Cross Plains Jr. High played at home against Santo on Thursday, October 9th. After practicing hard, the Jr. High succeeded in winning against Santos eighth grade team, winning the game 16-0. The Cross Plains Jr. High is practicing hard to prepare for the next game on Thursday, October 23rd, against the Baird Bears.

2014 Cross Plains Buffaloes JR High Football Schedule



Date	Team	Place	Time
Oct. 2	*Ranger	Ranger	5:00pm
Oct. 9	*Santo	Cross Plains	5:00pm
Oct. 16	*****BYE*****		
Oct. 23	*Baird	Baird	5:00pm
Oct. 30	*Albany	Cross Plains	5:00pm
Nov. 6	*Perrin-Whitt	Perrin-Whitt	5:00pm

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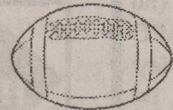
JH Cheerleaders, Jacklilann, Hanna Fourtune, Lexie Thompson, Hanna Crockett, Mallory McCreedy and Kenzie Kleiber.

2014 Cross Plains Buffaloes JV Football Schedule



Date	Team	Place	Time
Oct. 2	*Ranger	Ranger	6:00pm
Oct. 9	*Santo	Cross Plains	6:00pm
Oct. 16	Miles	Cross Plains	5:00pm
Oct. 30	*Albany	Cross Plains	6:00pm
Nov. 6	*Perrin-Whitt	Perrin-Whitt	6:00pm

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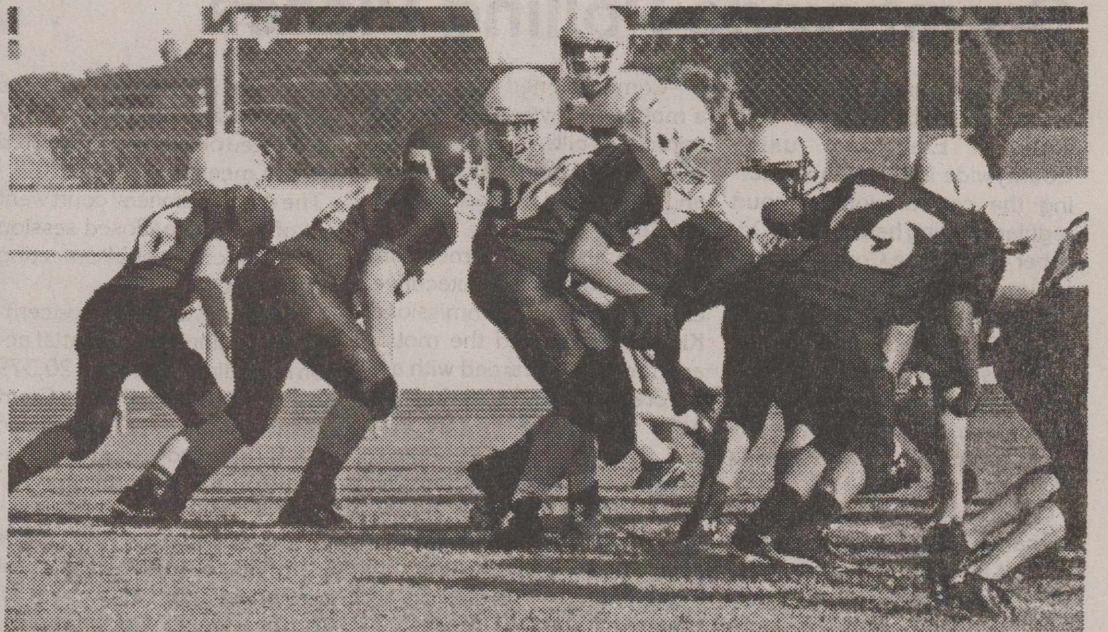
24 Gage Brock on a run



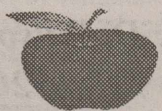
#45 Sterling Switzer carrying the ball.



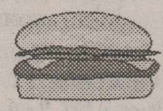
Junior High Cheerleaders making a breast cancer sign with their pom poms.



Cross Plains Junior High Buffaloes on Offense.

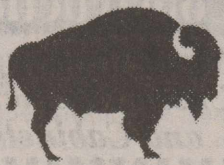


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	MONDAY 20	TUESDAY 21	WEDNESDAY 22	THURSDAY 23	FRIDAY 24
B	Pancake wrap	Chicken-n- Biscuit	French toast	Cereal	Muffin Choice
R	Yogurt	Cereal	Bacon	Toast	Sausage
E	Cereal	Fruit	Cereal	Cheese stick	Cereal
A	Fruit	Juice	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
K	Juice	Milk	Juice	Juice	Juice
F	Milk		Milk	Milk	Milk
A					
S					
T					
L	Asian Chicken	Steak fingers w/gravy	Tex-Mex Stack	Chicken Parmesan	Beef or Chicken
U	Brown Rice	Mashed potatoes	Spanish Rice	Breadstick	Patty on bun
N	Baby carrots w/ranch	Seasoned Corn	Refried Beans	Green Beans	Hamburger garnish
C	Broccoli	Baby carrots w/ranch	Salsa	Garden Salad	Potato rounds
H	Chilled pineapple	Roll	Garden salad	Fresh fruit bowl	Western Beans
	Juice	Sliced peaches	Cinnamon apples	Milk	Pears
	Sugar cookie	Milk	Milk		Milk

2014 Cross Plains Buffaloes Breakfast Schedule



Date	Breakfast Location	Time
October 17	*****Open*****	
October 24	First United Methodist Church	7:00a.m.
October 31	Cottonwood Baptist Church	7:00a.m.
November 7	Church of Christ	7:00a.m.
November 14	First Baptist Church (Playoffs)	7:00a.m.
November 21	First United Methodist Church	7:00a.m.



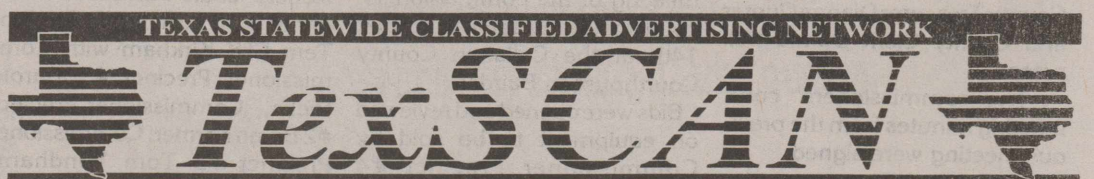
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Commissioners vote to continue Countywide Polling Places

Callahan County Commissioners voted to continue to hold County Elections using Countywide Polling Places during the commissioners' court regular meeting held Friday, October 10th at the County Courthouse in Baird.

On a motion by Commissioner Bryan Farmer and a second by Commissioner Cliff Kirkham, the commissioners' court voted 5-0 to continue to hold County Elections using Countywide Polling Places.

Countywide Polling Places allow any registered county voter to cast an election ballot at any of the Countywide Polling Places. Other agenda items brought before the commissioners' court included:

The meeting of the commissioners' court was called to order at 9:31 a.m. by Judge Roger Corn with Commissioner Precinct #1 Harold Hicks, Commissioner Precinct #2 Bryan Farmer, Commissioner Precinct #3 Tom Windham, Commissioner Precinct #4 Cliff Kirkham, County Treasurer Dianne Gunter and County Clerk Donna Bell present.

The commissioners' court meeting minutes from the previous meeting were signed.

Under public comments, there were none.

No action was taken on the Countywide Burn Ban. The Burn Ban remains lifted.

Commissioner Farmer made a motion to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Callahan County and the Abilene Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Inc. Commissioner Windham seconded the motion and the motion carried with a 5-0 vote.

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to review and pay the approved bills. Commissioner Windham seconded the motion, and the motion passed with a 5-0 vote.

Commissioner Farmer made a motion to go into executive/closed session. Commissioner Kirkham seconded the motion and the motion carried with a 5-0 vote. A closed meeting was held pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code (consultation with attorney) for the Commissioners' Court to consult with an seek advice from its attorney regarding: (1) Cause No. 20,379 now pending in the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, styled Bob H. Robinson, et al v. Callahan County Commission-

Commissioners approve bids on surplus equipment

The Callahan County Commissioners' Court approved the sale of three bid items during a called meeting of the commissioners' court held Tuesday, October 14th at the Callahan County Courthouse in Baird.

Bids were opened and reviewed on equipment to be sold by Commissioner Precinct #4 (Cross Plains). Commissioner Cliff Kirkham made a motion to award the following bids:
Mack Truck—bid of \$2,001.05 to Benny D. Free.
Pickup—bid of \$550.00 to Clovis Backhoe Service.
International Tractor—\$900.00 to Clovis Backhoe Service.
Commissioner Farmer seconded the motion and the motion passed with a 4-0 vote.
Other agenda items brought

ers' Court, including all matters related to that suit; and (2) any topic listed on the agenda posted for this meeting.

The commissioners' court went out of executive/closed session and resumed the public meeting at 10:50 a.m.

No action was taken concerning discussion and potential action regarding Cause No. 20,379 now pending in the District Court of Callahan County, Texas styled Bob H. Robinson, et al v. Callahan County Commissioners' Court.

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to adjourn the commissioners' court at 10:55 a.m. Commissioner Windham seconded the motion and the motion passed with an unanimous 5-0 vote.

before the commissioners' court included:

The meeting of the commissioners' court was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Judge Pro-Tem Cliff Kirkham with Commissioner Precinct #1 Harold Hicks, Commissioner Precinct #2 Bryan Farmer, Commissioner Precinct #3 Tom Windham, County Treasurer Dianne Gunter and County Clerk Donna Bell present.

No action was taken on the Countywide Burn Ban. The Burn Ban remains lifted.

Commissioner Windham made a motion to adjourn the commissioners' court meeting at 9:35 a.m. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion, and the motion was approved with an unanimous 4-0 vote.

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Cross Plains' retail sales in 2014 are 4% ahead of 2013

The City of Cross Plains' one percent city sales tax payments in 2014 are just over four percent higher than 2013, according to the Texas State Comptroller's office.

Texas State Comptroller Susan Combs reported the city's sales tax payment on Wednesday, October 8th.

Cross Plains' 2014 sales tax payments for the year totalled \$196,278.58, which is 4.05 percent higher than the \$188,623.17 in sales tax rebate payments collected in 2013.

The payment to the city for October 2014 was \$21,437.61, which is 7.28 percent lower than the \$23,121.22 payment made in October 2013.

Texas Comptroller Susan Combs said today, Wednesday, October 8th, that state sales tax revenue in September was \$2.17 billion, up 7.9 percent compared to September 2013.

"Significant growth in sales tax revenues occurred across all major economic sectors, reflecting strength in both business and consumer spending," Combs said. "The gains were led by remittances from the oil and natural gas-related and manufacturing sectors, as well as from restaurants and retail trade."

Combs will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts their October local sales tax allocations totaling \$621.7 million, up 7.2 percent compared to October 2013.

Combs sent Texas cities \$403.7 million in October 2014, which is higher by 5.6 percent compared to October 2013 and higher by 6.4 percent year-to-date.

She reported \$41.4 million in October 2014 allocations to Texas counties, which is higher by 8.6 percent compared to October 2013 and higher by 5.2 percent year-to-date.

The Texas transit systems received \$138.7 million in October 2014 sales tax allocations, which is 7.4 percent higher than October 2013 and up 6.9 percent year-to-date.

Special Purpose Taxing Districts received \$37.9 million in October 2014 allocations, which is 24.2 percent higher than October 2013 and higher by 19.8 percent year-to-date.

Total sales tax allocations were \$621.7 million in October 2014, which is 7.2 percent higher than October 2013 and up 7.1 percent year-to-date.

The sales tax figures represent monthly sales made in August.

For details of October sales tax allocations to individual cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose districts, locate the Monthly Sales Tax Allocation Comparison Summary Reports on the Comptroller's Web site at www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/allocsum/compsum.html.

Other Callahan County towns reporting sales tax payments for this month include:

—The City of Baird reported that sales tax payments in 2014 started the year 31.65 percent

CROSS PLAINS SALES TAX PAYMENTS

	2013	2014
Total yearly sales tax payments	\$188,623.17	\$196,278.58
Total monthly sales tax payments	\$23,121.22	\$21,437.61

higher than the 2013 payments. The city has received \$162,428.63 in 2014, while the 2013 tax payments to the city totalled \$123,377.41.

Baird's monthly payment for October 2014 was \$16,610.02, which is 5.97 percent higher than the \$15,673.90 payment made in October 2013.

—The 2014 sales tax payments in the City of Clyde are 17.82 percent higher than the payments made to the city in 2013. The sales tax rebates for the City of Clyde have amounted to \$598,732.56 in 2014. The 2013 payments to the city during the same payment period were \$508,171.74.

The City of Clyde's monthly payment for October 2014 was \$46,617.03, which is lower by 9.83 percent compared to October 2013 when \$51,703.96 was reported.

—The City of Putnam reported the 2014 payments to the town totalled \$8,834.98, which is lower by 35.37 percent from the 2013 payments to the city in the amount of \$13,671.22.

Putnam's tax payment for the month of October 2014 was \$819.26, which is lower by 75.06 percent compared to the October 2013 payment of \$3,286.12.

—Countywide, sales tax payments for 2014 in Callahan County are higher by 15.88 percent compared to the 2013 payments in the county. Callahan County towns received sales tax payments in 2014 amounting to \$966,274.75 while the 2013 payments to the county towns totalled \$833,843.54.

The tax rebates in Callahan County for the month of October 2014 was \$85,483.92, which is lower by 8.85 percent compared to the October 2013 payment in the amount of \$93,785.20.

Merchants collect the state and local sales tax and send it to the Comptroller's office with their tax returns. The state keeps its 6 1/4 percent share and returns the local one percent sales tax each month to the local governments. Cities and counties may levy a combined tax of up to two percent above the state's sales tax.

Clyde businesses collect 2.00%, including one percent for the City of Clyde, one-half of one percent for the Clyde Economic Development Corporation and one-half of one percent to reduce property taxes (Pro-

ceeds to benefit the Clyde Volunteer Fire Department).

Cross Plains collects 2.00% in local sales taxes, of which 1.00 percent is allocated to the city and 1.00% is allocated for economic development in the town.

Baird collects 2.00% in local sales tax of which 1.00% is allocated to the city, 0.50% is allocated to the community's economic development corporation and 0.50% of one percent to reduce property taxes.

Putnam collects 1.00% in local sales tax of which all 1.00 percent is allocated to the city.

All local sales taxes must be approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city or county expenses. Most areas put the money in their General Fund and use it for normal operations like fire fighting, maintaining roads and law enforcement, the Comptroller said. Some cities use up to an additional one percent of city sales tax to help fund local economic development and to reduce property taxes.



TIME TO START GETTING YOUR CHRISTMAS FLOATS READY!

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce is hosting a Christmas Parade. Friday, December 5 2014. The floats will be judged, so put your best into it! This will be a great parade for the family! Looking for something fun before the parade? Check out the Kiwanis Annual Stew Supper 5pm-7pm, and the library will be hosting the ornament painting for the children. Also Santa will be at the Stew Supper to take pictures. We hope to see you there! For more information Myleah at the chamber office 254-725-7251.

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- 512 S. Main, R.S.-3BR-1B **UNDER CONTRACT** ed **Reduced**.....\$69,900
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- 325 NW 4th, CP-Beautifully landscaped 3BR-2B MH w/ 2-car garage...\$119,900
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Billie Pointer



Cross Plains High School Marching Band during their marching competition.

Cross Plains Marching Band Excels in Marching Competition

On Saturday, October 11th the Cross Plains High School band traveled to Early to march in the Heart of Texas Marching Festival. The band performed their patriotic half time show and the band received a I, II, II.

This is an excellent accomplishment! They have worked very hard and our future looks very bright with the upcoming band members! Congratulations Buffalo Marching Band!



Fire Prevention Week At Cross Plains ISD



Firefighter Josh Loftis shakes the hand of each of the children at the Fire Prevention Week program.



During the program, firefighter Josh Loftis, demonstrated how a fireman put's on his gear.

Hamburgers and Hotdogs on Halloween

Hamburgers and hotdogs and sausage will be hot on the grill in front of Lowe's Market on Halloween, Friday, October 31st from noon until 6 p.m. Come by and get lunch or dinner! Proceeds from the cookout will benefit the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.



Brenna Klieber



Community Members for Promoting Cross Plains Luncheon

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring a Luncheon for discussion forum on ideas to help promote the City of Cross Plains.

When: Thursday October 23, 2014

Where: Jean's Feedbarn.

Time: Lunch 12pm-1pm, Your Dutch Treat. Please call ahead to order.

Please select one representative from your community group, or business. Open to community individuals also.

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Inca Dove

Much as in human families, there are species in the animal kingdom that have a tendency to play "second-fiddle" to more conspicuous members of the same family. Many people are familiar with most members of the bird family Columbidae, the doves and pigeons, although one unique species here in west Texas is typically overlooked.

The Inca Dove (*Columbina inca*) is a diminutive species of dove that can be seen in six states in the Union, ranging from southern California eastward to southwestern Louisiana. It is a non-migratory species that can be observed in the southern three quarters of Texas year round.

Although this small species is somewhat drab in coloration, it is a subtly attractive species of dove that exhibits gray colored upperparts with feathers that have dark outer edging, giving it a distinctive "layered" appearance, much like a shingled roof. The head coloration and pattern match the upperparts. It has a dark, slightly curved bill, and the throat is grayish and typically unmarked. The legs are comparatively short and pink colored while the tail is long and square. With a body length of about eight inches and a wingspan that approaches twelve inches, it is the second smallest species of dove that can be encountered in the United States.

Primarily a terrestrial species, the Inca Dove can be most commonly observed while searching for food while walking on the ground, many times alongside other bird species and occasionally chickens and other barnyard animals. They feed almost exclusively on grains and other seeds. When not walking around on the ground, the flight pattern is easily recognizable as it is a direct path with strong and rapid wing-beats. The rapidity of the wing-beats will often cause a fluttering beat, much akin to an artist's drum solo. Flight speed has been documented at twenty-eight miles per hour.

These social birds typically prefer to live in either pairs or small groups throughout the year, often huddling together for warmth during the colder winter evenings. They are known to pair up during the breeding season, with the male and female remaining monogamous during such time. The nest is generally



Inca Dove
(*Columbina inca*)

found in trees or shrubs up to twenty feet above ground, and is made up of leaves, twigs, and other small sticks. Typically the male gathers the materials while the female is charged with the nest building. The two to seven eggs that are laid in the nest are small (less than one inch in length) and are unmarked and white. These eggs hatch in less than two weeks after the males and females alike take turns at incubating them. After hatching, the female is the primary care-giver to the helpless young until they leave the nest just two weeks after hatching. Many times, however, the male parent will continue to watch over and care for the young for another week after they have abandoned

the nest. Juveniles are colored similar to the adults, and up to five broods per year have been recorded.

Inca Doves, while a common to abundant bird throughout their range in Texas, typically go unnoticed by most people. This is one species of bird that has adapted quite well to human habitation, with many individuals seen foraging in lawns and open pens. Use man-made feeders and birdbaths to attract this subtly appealing and inconspicuous species of dove to your yard.

Editor's Note: Michael Price would love to hear from folks! He can be reached by email at www.fullprice71@gmail.com.

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Lords Acre plans picking up speed

With several other worthy causes behind them, the folks at the First United Methodist Church are turning their full attention to the annual event scheduled for Saturday, November 8th.

Folks are rapidly signing up to donate the green beans, sweet potatoes, cakes, hot rolls, cranberry sauce, to cook the turkeys and to make the pans of dressing to feed an anticipated 250-300 hungry community folks who come out to support the mission programs at FUMC.

The delicious dinner will again cost \$8.00 per plate and will be available for dining in or for carry-outs. Home deliveries will also be available for those who have no way to attend the festivities.

A few of the early items promised for the Little Store, the silent and live auctions are home-made chow-chow and pickles, bird houses, a fancy dog house, quilted pillows and fudge. The popcorn cake, the snowman sweatshirt in honor of Terry Jane Wyatt, fancy apron in memory of Sharon Koenig, and beautiful cakes and pies will most likely make their annual appearance as well.

Additional details will be available as we get closer to the date. Or you can call the church at 725-4993 for further information.

Hope you have the date on your calendar and can keep it clear all day in order to enjoy the full range of activities at the annual Lords Acre.

Cottonwood Community Turkey Supper & Musical is Friday, October 24th

Fall is in the air. The aroma of turkey and dressing will be permeating from the Cottonwood Community Center soon.

It's time for the annual Cottonwood Community Turkey Supper and Country Musical. The event will be held Friday, October 24, 2014 at the Cottonwood Community Center.

Serving of the meal of turkey and dressing and all the trimmings will begin at 5:00 p.m.

The charge for the meal is \$7.50 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 10 years of age. The Country Musical will begin at 5:30 p.m.

A drawing for a beautiful quilt handmade, quilted and donated by the Cottonwood Quilting Club, will be held at 8:00 p.m.

Proceeds from this fundraiser will be used for the maintenance and repair of the Cottonwood Community Center.

In the past year, the Cottonwood Historical Association has replaced the flooring in the kitchen, and installed a new door, along with other minor repairs. Plans are to have one of the bathrooms converted to handicapped accessible before

time for the Turkey Supper. In the coming year, painting of the outside of the building, and cool coating of the roof are some of the plans.

If anyone would like to make a monetary donation to the community center, you may send your donation to:

Cottonwood Historical Association
P O Box 704
Cross Plains, Texas 76443
Any donation is greatly appreciated.

For any questions call Cookie Robinson at 325-660-5771.

Mark your calendars for Friday, October 24, 2014 and come out to the Cottonwood Community Center. It will be a night of enjoyment with your friends and neighbors of good food and good country music.

Fax Any School Related News To Us At 254-725-7225

Senior Citizens Center Activities

Oct.-20th - Oct. 24th

Monday-20th Exercise 11:00

Tuesday-21st Exercise 11:00/Game Night 600

Wednesday-22nd Exercise 10:45/Bingo 11:15,

Blood Pressure- Check Girling Home Health

Thursday -23rd Exercise 11:00

Friday -24th Exercise 11:00

Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center seeks to nurture our aging population through nutritional, social and educational programs our goal is for all seniors, both well and frail, to utilize our services to enrich their lives.

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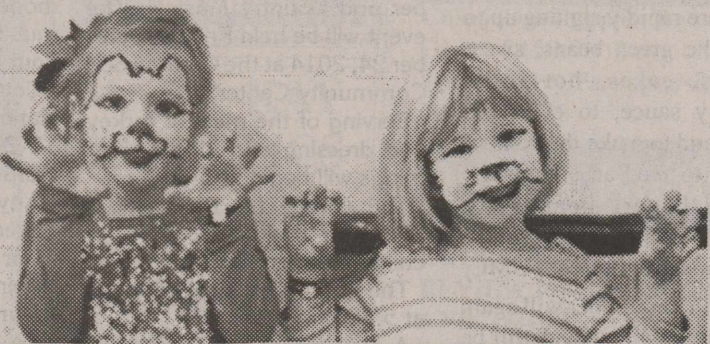
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The Cross Plains Community Cancer Walk



Frannie(Frankie Hyles)



Nine brave men donned dresses in support of the Cancer Fund in the Miss-ter Relay Contest. Similar to a Cinderella Contest, the "Ladies" worked the crowd for donations for the Cancer Fund. This group of dedicated individuals raised over \$1000. They deserve our applause. From left to right: Frannie (Frankie Hyles), Dorothy with Toto in a basket (Jim Kaiser), Erika (Erik Woodard), Kevilina (Kevin Morton), Rondella (Ronnie White), Davida (David Estes), Reggina (Reggie Pillans), Donna Dean (Don Childers) and Wendella (Wendell Draper).



Miss-ter Relay Contest Winners: Ronette (Ronnie White) Miss-ter Relay Winner; Kevilena (Kevin Morton) 1st Runner Up; and Donna Dean (Don Childers) 2nd Runner Up.



Donna Dean (Don Childers) and his daughter Shea Phoenix.



Reginna (Reggie Pillans)



The team from Salamander's Apparel. Very front, Connie Swift. Second row: Mandy Sowell, Rhonda Swift, Jackie Sowell. Back Row: Barbara Sowell, Stuart Sowell and Matt Sowell.



Wendella (Wendell Draper)

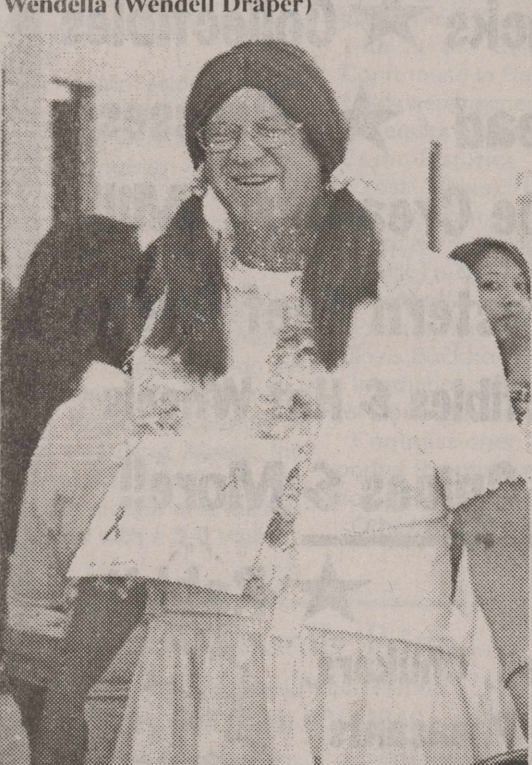


Rondella (Ronnie White) with Stacy Montgomery.

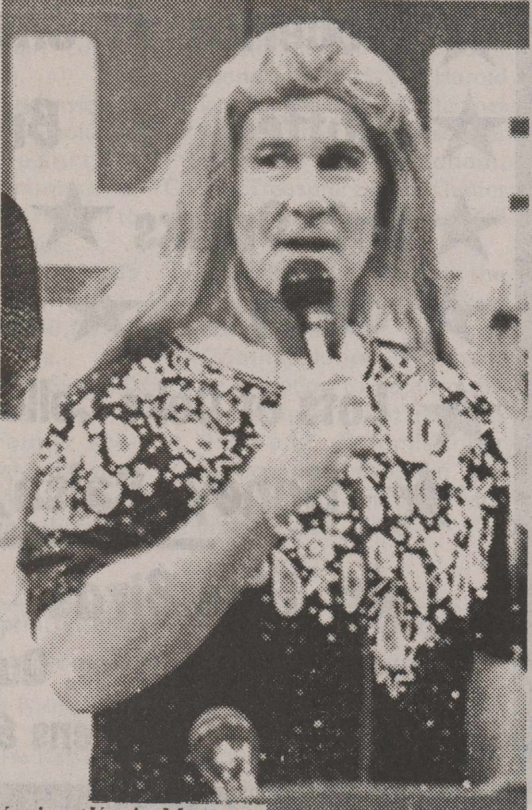


Sanders Family Ricky T Team. Their orange shirts read, "Keep Calm and Fight On" "Fighting with Ricky T" is on the back.

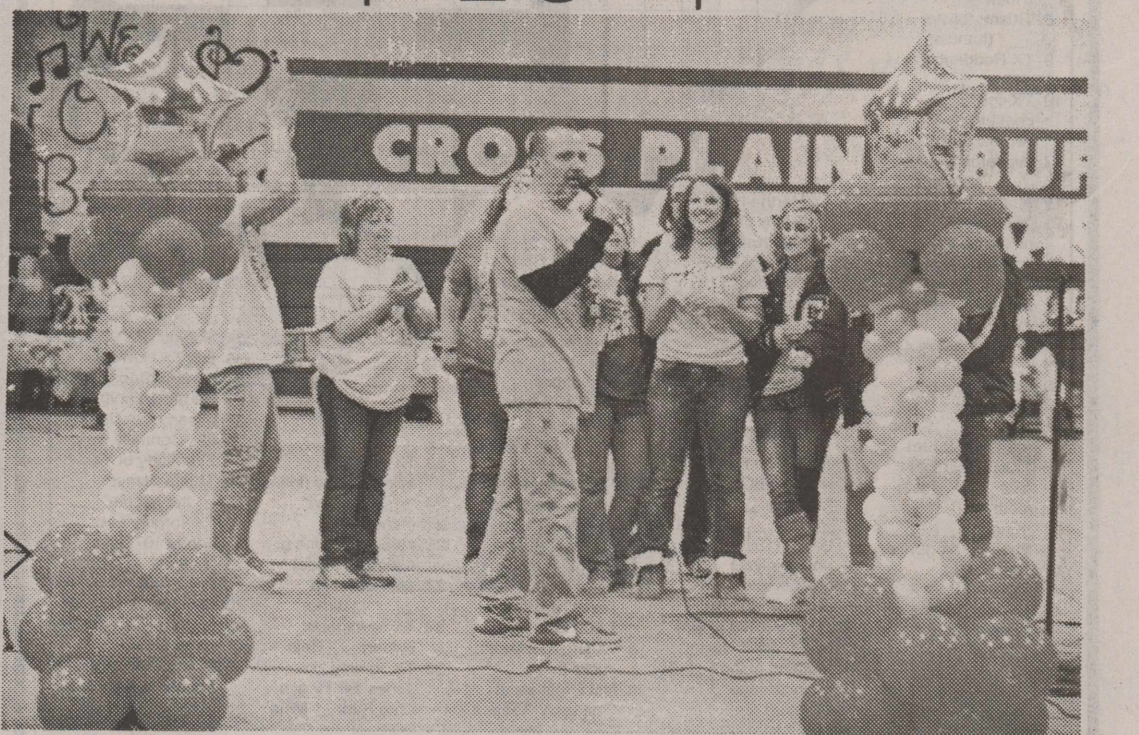
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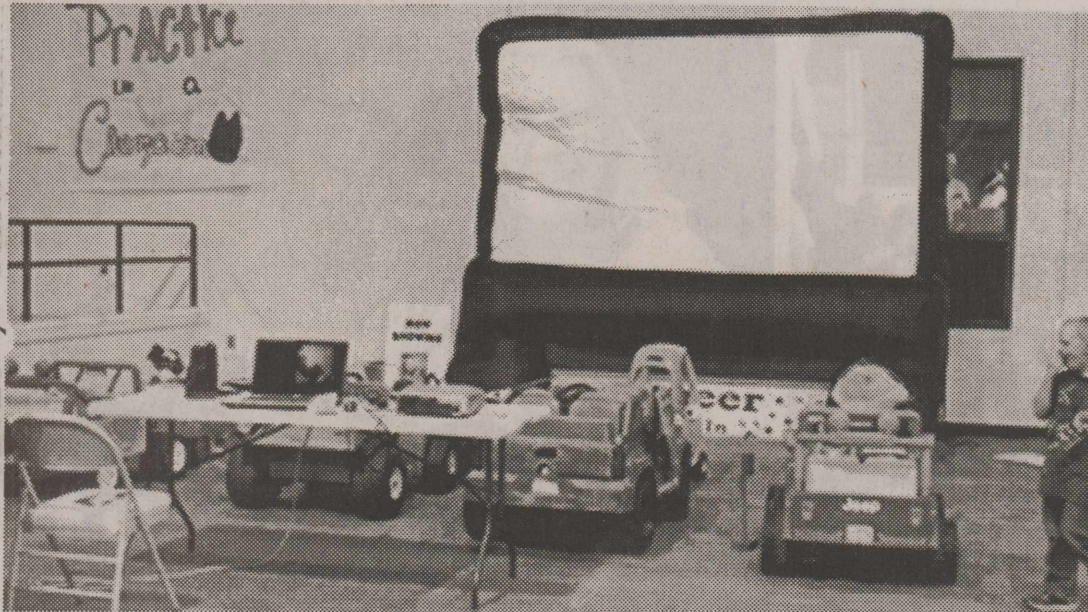
Dorothy (Jim Kaiser), his sign reads "Please donate. Help Dorothy Find Kansas."



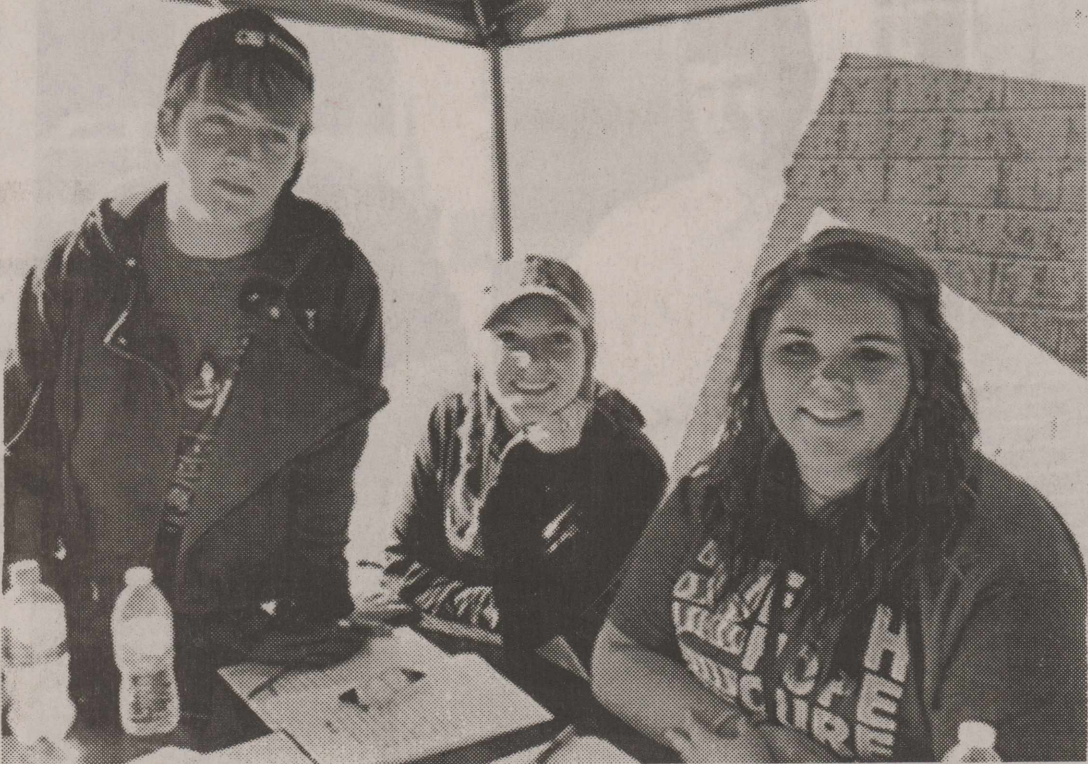
Kevina (Kevin Morton)



Rickey Thomas emceed the event.



In keep with "Hollywood Lights" theme of the even, the Church of Christ decorated their booth like the old Pioneer Drive Theater. The also won the "Best Decorated" title.



The National Honor Society's 5K run won "Most Money Raised"

Over \$13,000.00 Raised At The Cross Plains Community Cancer Walk!

Thanks to everyone who volunteered, donated and attended the 8th Cross Plains Cancer Walk. So far we have collected \$13,000.00 and are expecting more deposits. What a awesome night! Only Cross Plains could raise this amount of money for friends and loved ones fighting Cancer in a 4 hour period. The addition of the Miss-ter-Relay was certainly a memorable Highlight of the evening. Thanks to Susan and all the Contestants for supporting this great cause. Thanks to 4His Glory, Thomas Estes and Meghann Gooding for the beautiful music and to Ricky Thomas and Bob Golsen for announcing and auctioneering. Thanks to the American Legion for supporting the Walk every year in the opening ceremonies. To the many volunteers who continue to be faithful to help,

the local organizations, local church members, CPVFD, vendors, local businesses and so many more Thank YOU! To all the teams who came out to support the cause and to support your friends and loved ones currently fighting cancer we Thank YOU.

Thanks to CPISD for their overwhelming support every year including the Teaching Staff, Cheerleaders, NHS and the many student organizations. Thanks to Marc Morgan and the Ag Students who built the wonderful Kids train just in time for this years Walk. They did a great job and the train was certainly a great addition to the event. Thanks to the businesses who supported the train idea and worked to get their cars painted, decorated and back to us in a short amount of time. On behalf

of those receiving assistance from the fund we would like to say Thank You to everyone who participated in any way, this would not be possible without each and everyone of you.

The variety meat pack donated by The Butcher Block owned by Robert and Charlotte Lee was won by Misses Richard (Linda Brooks) Wilson.

The beautiful hand made quilt made by Brenda Simons was won by Nora Odom. Jamie Apple won the Texas Birdbath and Teri Duncan was the big winner of the Rocker both donated by Meghann's Market of Eastland. Thanks to both of these ladies for donating our big drawing items for the last 2 years. If you left early and won a gift certificate we will be giving you a call.

The Church of Christ was chosen as "Best Decorated" with their outdoor drive inn complete with movie screen and automobiles. Most money raised by a team again goes to the NHS. Janna Austin along with the Students and Moses Fitness had a



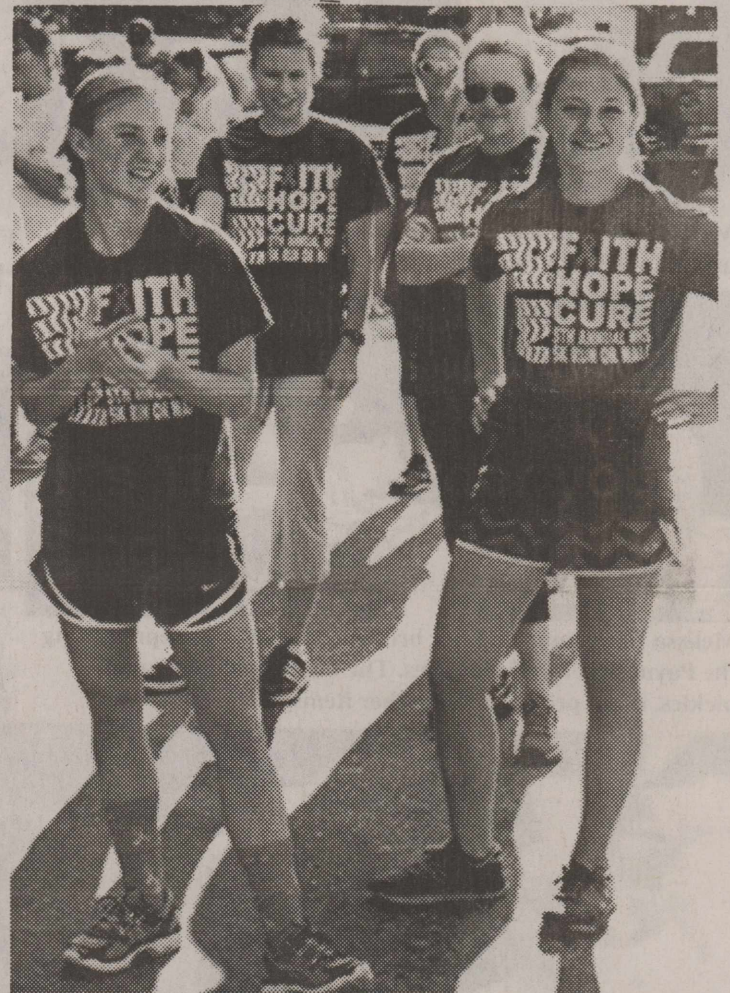
Cross Plains Friends

I have been having trouble with my AT&T phone service for several weeks. I have contacted them several times about no service, dropped calls etc. I was told to download an app called Mark The Spot and submit a report each time I have a problem. They said this needs to be done by anyone having problems with their service, then they will have a more accurate report of the problems in this area. The app is very easy to use and a report can be submitted in just a few seconds.

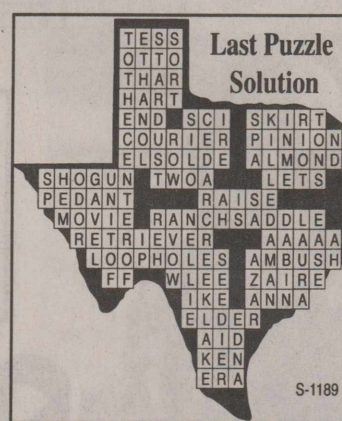
Thanks, Pam Hutton



Team Nora organized as a support team for Nora Pointer who is battling cancer.



Runners in the National Honors Society's 5K run that kicked off the Cancer Walk.



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TWDB Board work session to be held in Abilene Tuesday

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) will hold a Board work session to hear updates on the rule development process for state water plan funding and drought conditions across the state, as well as an overview of the State Water Plan Interactive website.

The meeting will be held in Abilene at the Moody Center, Room 108, Hardin-Simmons University, 2317 Hickory Street, on October 21, 2014, at 10:30 a.m.

In addition, the Board will consider approving financial assistance for a water reuse system in Wichita Falls and a storage tank project in Laredo. The Board will also consider authorizing solicitation for applications for two grant programs, one for flood planning and another for regional water and wastewater facility planning.

The public and interested stakeholders are encouraged to attend. For more information, please visit TWDB's website.

Grand Ole Oplin October Line-Up

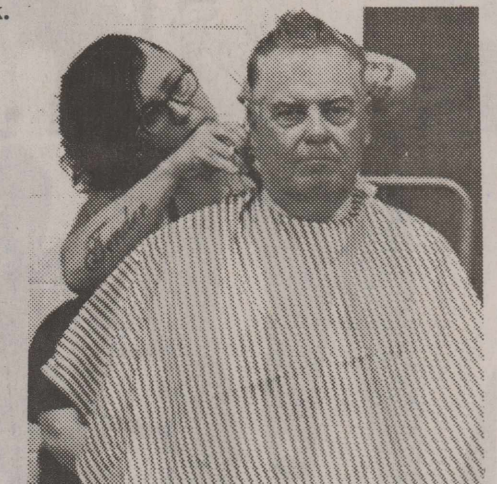
The Grand Ole Oplin invites everyone out each Friday for an evening of good music, good friends, and a whole lot of boot scooting. On October 17th MIDNIGHT BLUE will return to play some more of the old songs you love to dance to, and on October 24th MUDDY CREEK will be joining us again, playing some more of your favorite two-steps and waltzes. On Friday, October 31st we invite everyone to come out to our Halloween Dance, MIDNIGHT BLUE will be playing the monster stomp and other ghoulish country songs. Everyone is invited to wear a costume to our

Halloween dance and to bring Halloween inspired snacks.

The Grand Ole Oplin is hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersection of F.M. 604 S. and F.M. 2926. Our Friday night dance is still only \$5.00 per person. Our dance begins at 7:30 p.m. and ends at 10:30 p.m., everyone is invited and encouraged to bring a snack to be shared by all during the band's break. Alcohol and smoking is not allowed at any of our functions.

So gather the family and all of your friends and come on out to THE GRAND OLE OPLIN, we'll be glad to see you!

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Mobile hair stylist Shae Phoenix of the Hair Stream Trailer cutting Stuart Sowell's hair.



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Leslie Wyatt and Peyton Whisenhunt sort the 433 cans of food donated for the Cancer Walk which will be shared between the Food Bank and Cross Plains Senior Center. Just another example of Cross Plains generosity.

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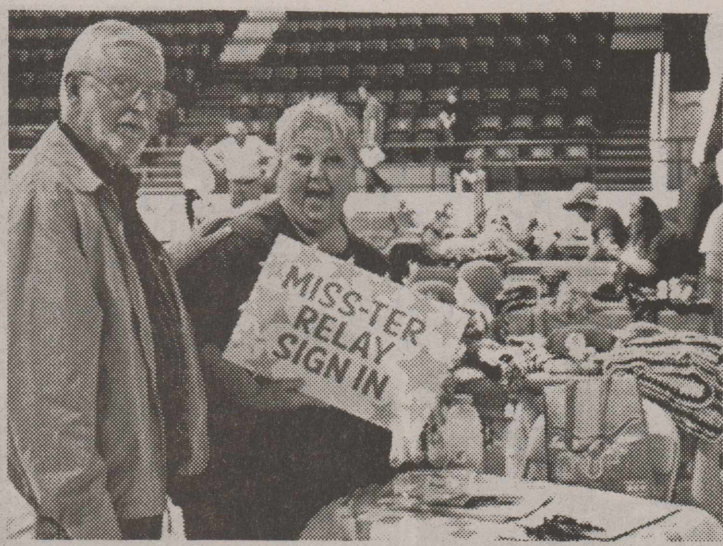
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Members of the Cross Plains American Legion Post raising the Flag at the start of the Cancer Walk.



Donnel Clark, left and Susan Childers at the Miss-ter Relay sign in booth.



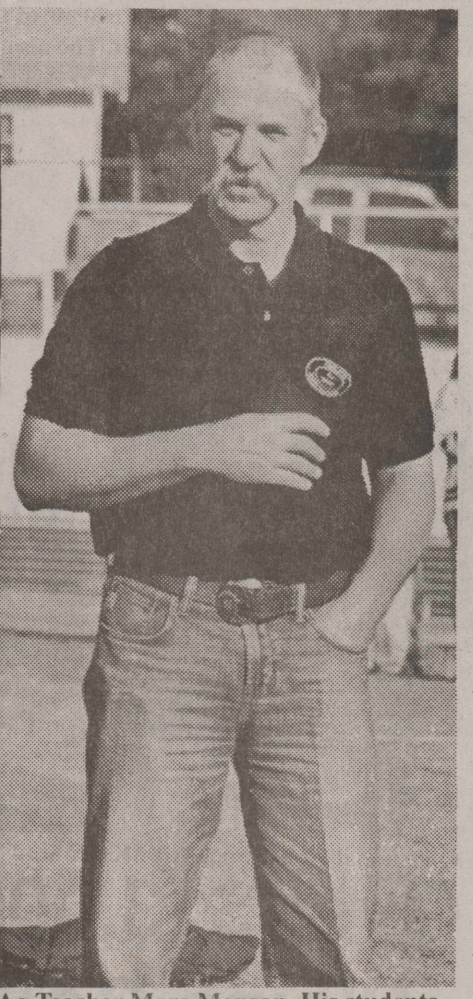
Barbara Barnett and Debbie Thomas working the Luminarie booth



Myleah McNutt, left with her grandmother Ophelia Merrill and Aunt Cheryl Daniels



FFA workers at the FFA Roping Booth..



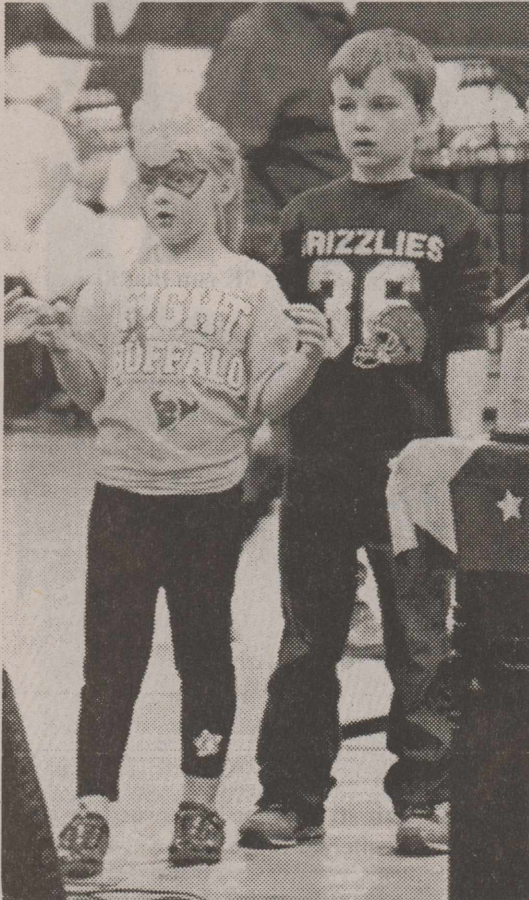
Ag Teacher Marc Morgan. His students built the Kiddie Train cars from barrels.



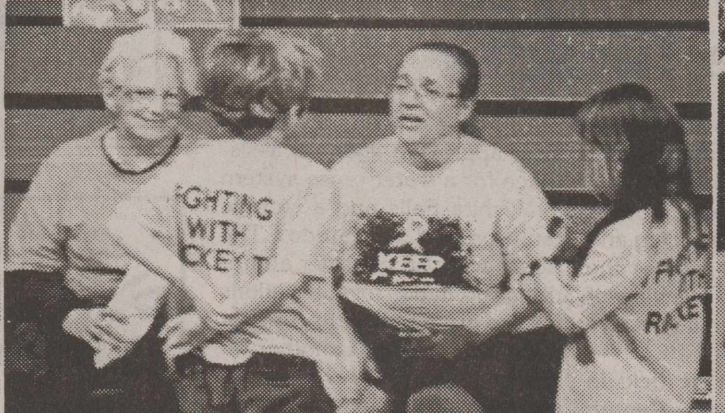
Melissa Baughman and her brother, Jerry Payne representing the Payne and Purvis families. The booth sold homemade pickles, okra, preserves and other items.



Sandra and Rolan Jones walking the track at the Cancer Walk.



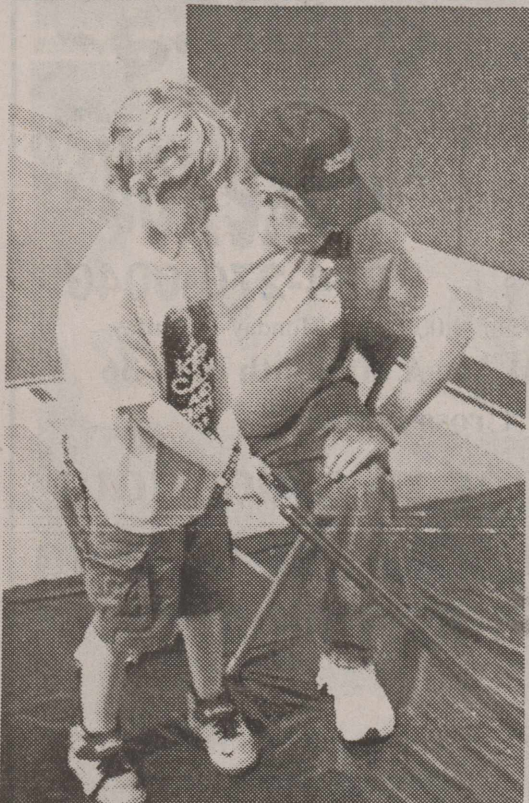
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Netha Carouth and two of her grandkids at the kids' booths Judy Foster far left looks on.



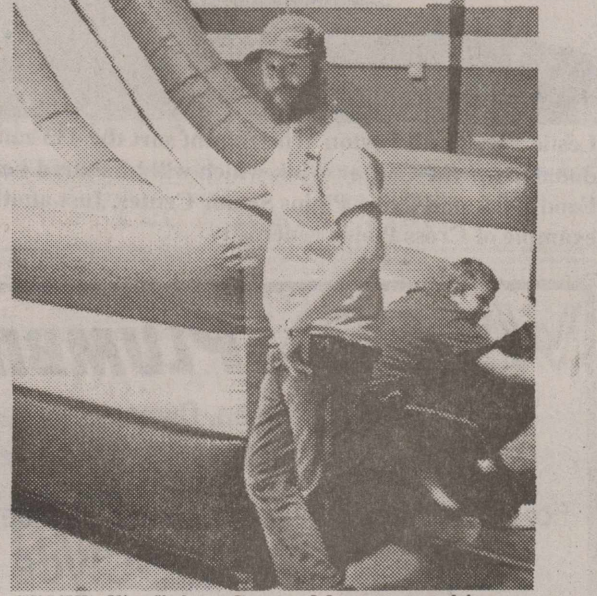
Autumn Nickerson getting her face painted. Kids enjoyed the face painting from Ashley's Twist and Paint.



Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department Fire Chief Ricky Carough helping with the golf game.



Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department Team. The CPVFD supervised the Inflatable Obstacle Course and the Kids Games. Joe Terstegge, Alton and Lisa Bell, Terri Brown and Beverly Brown also helped at the event but are not in the photo.



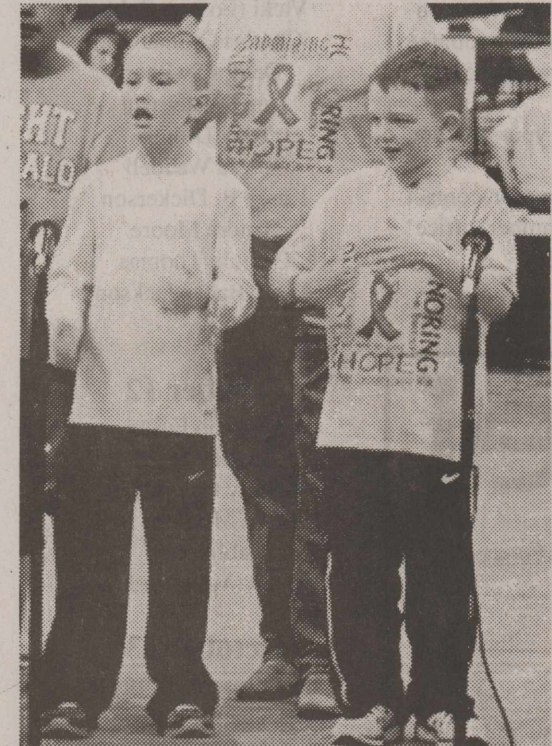
CPVFD Firefighter Byron McNutt watching the kids on the inflatable obstacle course.



First Baptist Church Childrens Choir entertained the audience.



The Bullock Family



The team for Resource Care.



Musical Chair Group



Rowden Baptist Church Booth



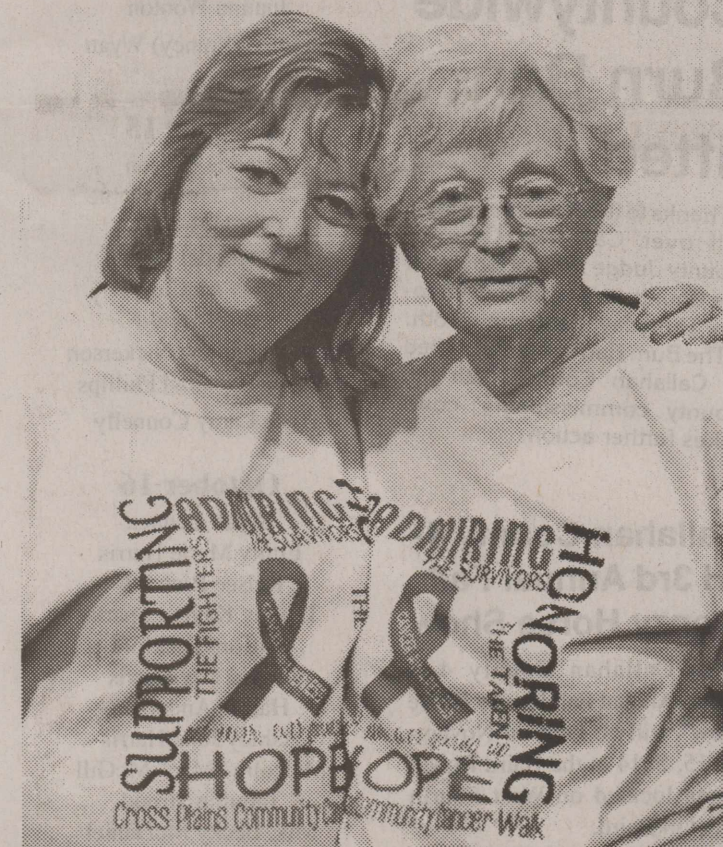
Tatum Mackey



Abigale, Madelyn and Jackalyn Shepard presented the money they raised from recycling cans.



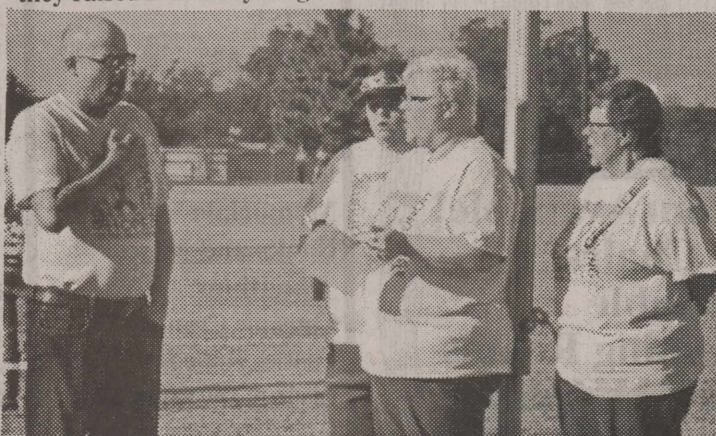
Cottonwood Baptist Church Team.



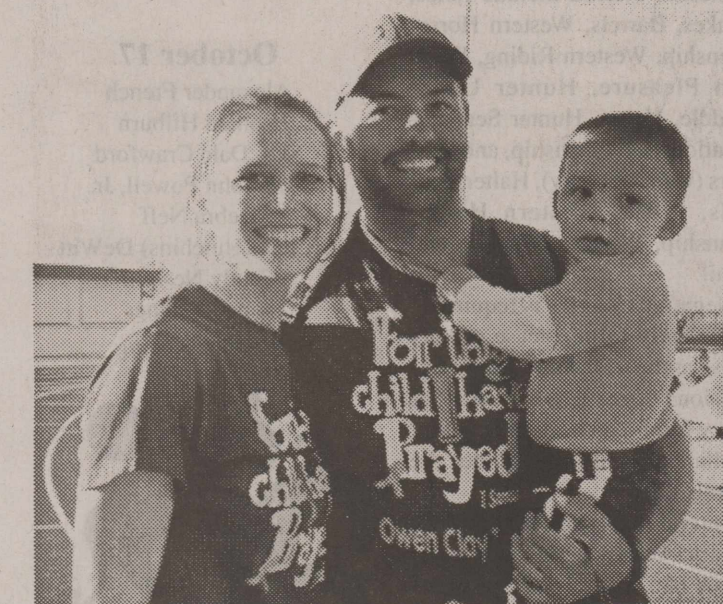
Cancer Walk organizer Cindy Payne with her mother Jewell Purvis.



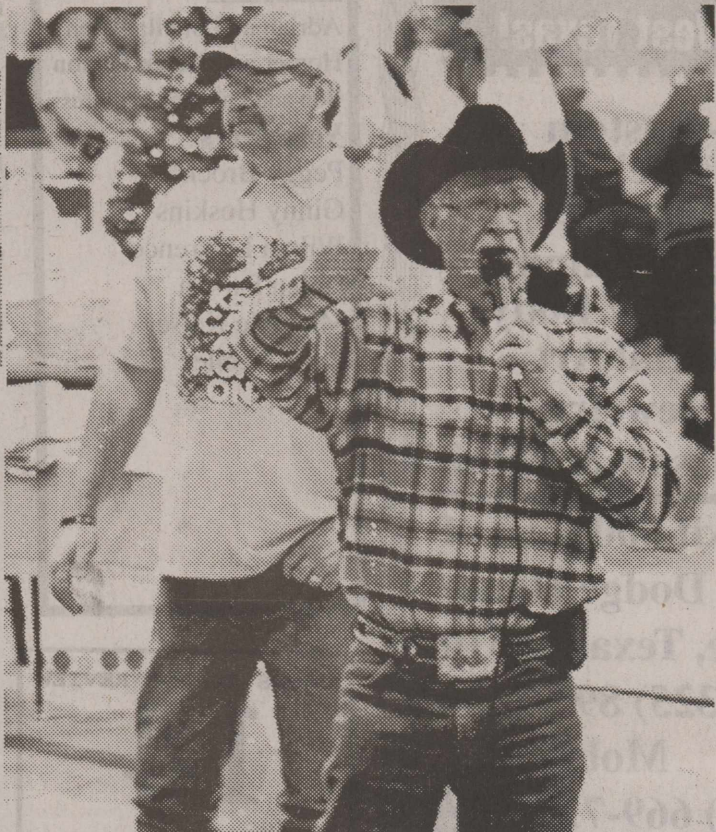
Cars in the Kiddie Train. The Kiddie Train was made by CPHS Agriculture Students under the supervision of Marc Morgan.



4HisGlory singing the National Anthem. From left to right: Matt Sowell, Mandy Sowell, Rhonda Swift and Connie Swift.



Joseph and Allison Turner with their son, Owen.



Bob Golson presiding over the live auction.



Farm Bureau Annual Meeting in Baird Tuesday, October 21st

The Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau annual meeting will be held Tuesday, October 21, 2014 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Baird Activity Center in Baird, according to Phil Williams, Farm Bureau County President.

A fish fry and desserts will be catered by Cook's Fish Barn of Comanche to members prior to the meeting. Farm Bureau members and their immediate families will be served at no charge. There will be a drawing for

door prizes.

The main purpose of this annual meeting is to adopt policies for the coming year. Also, new Directors will be elected at this time, as will voting delegates to represent our county at the State Convention to be held in Corpus Christi, Texas on December 6-8, 2014.

Please call the Farm Bureau office at (325) 854-1044 for reservations if you plan on attending.

Mesothelioma

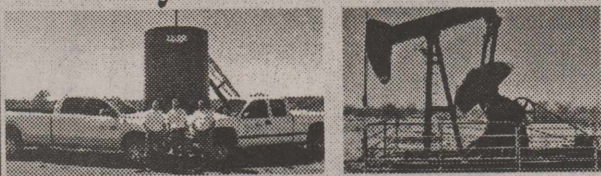
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may occur 30 to 50 years after exposure to asbestos. Many workers were exposed from the 1940s through the 1970s. Industrial and construction workers, along with their families (second hand exposure) are among those at risk for mesothelioma, lung cancer or gastro cancer (throat, stomach, colon). Call us for professional insight.

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Opera House Country Musical this Saturday

The Opera House Country musical show will be Saturday October 18th at 6:00 pm, at the Opera House, located in Anson, Texas.

A Bar-Q Supper will be held before the musical, serving starts at 5:00pm. The supper cost \$6.00 a plate and this includes a drink and dessert.

The Elevator has been repaired therefore the musical will be held upstairs in the auditorium.

For further information call Pat Seballos at 325-721-9607, leave a message.

Courthouse News

Callahan County Court
Roger Corn, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Brian P. Newton, furnish alcohol to minors.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Delores Ann Riggs, motion to dismiss motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Jason Ray Underwood, motion to withdraw as surety granted.

Marriage Licenses

Richard Ance Roberts and Jana Lynn Rush, both of Abilene.
Michael Scott Dinges and Jenny Sue Hendricks, both of Clyde.

Justin Ray English of Baird and Summer Lashae Hargrove of Abilene.

42nd District Court
John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filings

James N. Hughes and Brenda Lea Hughes, divorce.
Lee Ann Hines and Michael E. Hines, divorce.

Save The Date For The Annual Hunter's Feed!

It is that time of year again! The Hunters Feed is fast approaching! The date is Saturday November 1st. At this annual event we provide any hunter with a hunting license or land owner a free BBQ lunch. We are in need of donations for Door Prizes! Hats, knives, game cameras, gift cards, chairs, deer corn, flash lights, this list just a few of the donations we received last year! This is a great annual event for the community and we hope to hear from you!

This year the chamber also has open positions for new sponsor's. To become a sponsor for the Chamber's annual Hunters Feed it is a \$50 donation, and your business, ranch, or family name will be advertised in all our upcoming promotions.

We will also be having our 200 tourist bags as a free welcome gift for the hunters again this year. If you are interested in having a brochure, coupon, pen, hat, or some type of promotion for your business in the bags please drop off your item at the Chamber office by Thursday, October, 30th, 3pm Deadline.

We do offer booth space at this great event! If you are currently a chamber member the booth space is free, for non-chamber members the booth fee is \$10. Make sure to reserve your spot early!

Thank you for your ongoing support!

For more information contact Myleah at the Chamber office! Phone 254-725-7251



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Countywide Burn Ban lifted

Thanks to the widespread rainfall over Callahan County, County Judge Roger Corn lifted the Countywide Burn Ban effective Thursday, September 18th. The Burn Ban will remain lifted in Callahan County until the county commissioners' court takes further action.

Callahan County 4-H 3rd Annual Fall Frenzy Horse Show

The Callahan County 4-H "Third Annual Fall Frenzy Horse Show" will be held on November 15, 2014 at the Baird Rodeo Arena located on West Fourth Street in Baird.

Check in will be 8:00-8:30 a.m. with classes starting at 9:00 a.m.

Classes offered include Poles, Stakes, Barrels, Western Horsemanship, Western Riding, Western Pleasure, Hunter Under Saddle, Halter, Hunter Seat Equitation, Showmanship, and Clovers (walk/trot only), Halter, Barrels, Poles, Western Horsemanship, Western Pleasure and Trail.

Negative Coggins is required!!

For entry forms please contact Rose at the Callahan County Extension Office (325) 854-5835, or entry forms can be found at <http://callahan.agrilife.org/> under the events tab.

Entry forms and fees must be postmarked by November 5th to avoid late fees!

Submitted by
Jerry Warren, CEA-Ag



October 11

Erin Nicole Townson
Debra Baker
Vicki (Foster) Cobb
Charles Ohlhausen
Deidra Switzer
Ann Westerman
Tony Dimitri
Teresa Waddell
Karen B. Dickerson
Sandra Moore
Careton Thomas
Angie Baber Jackson

October 12

Madison Foster
Stanley Scott
Melody Gay Sadler
Mike McClure Jr.
Debbie Self
Christie (Morgan) Jones

October 13

Larry Joseph Campell
Megan M. Barnett
Lil (Davis) Martinez
Rolan Jones
Fannie (Watkins) Wilson
Wanda Montgomery
Fredrick Waggoner (Papa)
Mickey Jowers Meadows
Perephone Ann Bryan
Aletha Albrecht
Mitchell Ingram

October 14

Aletha Albrecht
Mrs. M.A Golson
Charlene Bowman
Linda Peninger
Leighton Allen (Bubba) Wyatt
Danny Corley
Trey Morton
Juanita Wooton
Candice (Francy) Wyatt

October 15

Deanna Golson
Harmony Grace Goble
Verda Brown
Christopher Beatty
Eddy McCarty
Russel Gould
Dustin Matthew Nickerson
Tiffany (Goains) Phillips
Trista Laray Connelly

October 16

Bryan Bennett
Emily Marie Harris
Kelsee Richards
Tammy Kaylyn Sparks
Clifford Bickford
David Ray Harris
Harold Anderson
Ashley June Harris
Malcolm "Mac" McGill
Tammie Stroud
Mrs. Becky McDaniel
Peggy Bailey
Danny Barnett

October 17

Alexander French
Ronald Hilburn
Mrs. Dale Crawford
Mrs. John Powell, Jr.
Debra Neff
Georgie (Hutchins) DeWitt
Candy Newton
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