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## Special election: last chance to vote early



PHOTO: RUBEN CANTU  
Chief Joseph "Standing Bear" Morales presents the sacred pipe to the four winds in a vows renewal ceremony.

### Indian heritage, sharing the Native culture

RUBEN CANTU-RODRIGUEZ  
WINTERS ENTERPRISE

BALLINGER- A salute to the four winds, smoke fills the air from white sage burning inside a clamshell following the ancient Native American traditions, and Chief Joseph "Standing Bear" Morales, a Mescalero Apache Chief originally from Hobbs, New Mexico, starts the ceremony. It is an Indian-style wedding, celebrating the golden anniversary of a local couple just outside Ballinger, Texas.

The ceremony, rarely seen by outsiders or captured by cameras, is presided by the founder of the United Native American Indians of Texas Tribe. He is renewing the wedding vows of Mike and Elizabeth Zuniga.

Despite the fact that the chief is not an ordained minister, the ceremony is very symbolic for the couple and represents a way to celebrate their everlasting love. In 2010 Mike and Elizabeth celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, but at the time she was struggling with cancer and they were not able to hold a reception.

"I also have Indian blood in my family, that's why we decided to hold this ceremony," said Elizabeth Zuniga.

Sunday, August 31, 2014, the Zunigas drank together from the ceremonial vase and smoked from the sacred pipe.

The two-opening vase, connected by a single handle, symbolizes the two individual lives, and the handle symbolizes the union of these two lives in marriage. The bride and groom are presented with Indian holy water, and they drink from the open spouts at the same time. This simple exchange unites the pair as a married couple.

The pipe, filled with tobacco, has a significant role in the Native American culture. Tobacco provides American Indian people a connection between their own and the spiritual world. Historically tobacco has been used in medicinal and healing rituals. The pipe itself was quarried from the beds of red-colored claystone in Pipe-

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PHOTO: RUBEN CANTU-RODRIGUEZ  
After blocking a defender Stephon Cleghorn (24) watches Julian Soto (20) escape to the end zone and score the Blizzards' first touchdown of the night.

### Blizzards flex muscle in season opener

RUBEN CANTU-RODRIGUEZ  
WINTERS ENTERPRISE

WINTERS- Despite giving up the first touchdown of the night the Winters Blizzards cruised past the Eldorado Eagles Thursday night, August 28, 2014 at San Angelo Stadium, in San Angelo, Texas, to win the season opener by a score of 33-8.

Quarterback Jimmy John Ripley and running back Stephon Cleghorn had a great night leading the Blizzards. Ripley stepped twice into the end zone and threw one touchdown pass, while Cleghorn wrapped up the night with two touchdown rushes. Lucas Kraatz added to the score with four of the five extra point kicks.

"We worked hard and it paid off, we are a physical and strong team this season, our game worked out well and we are very happy with the result," said Winters High School Head Football Coach Stan Caffey.

"We wanted to play better, they scored first on us but as the game progressed our defense got better and better. Stephon got a great night and Ripley was also very well. It is always good to get the first win of the season," Caffey added.

Returning quarterback Jimmy John Ripley said it was nice to play in a big stadium, because the team feels encouraged and will be looking forward to go back to this or some other premium facility during the playoffs.

"We got off to a good start of the season, the team came together and we were linked as a team, we are very happy with the result," said the senior quarterback.

Ripley completed two of eight passes for a total of 52 yards and one touchdown. During the fourth quarter Lukas Kraatz passed for 1-1 and nine yards.

Rushing, Ripley led the way with 134 yards in 12 carries and two touchdowns. He was

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Winters vs. Eldorado					
	1	2	3	4	Final
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Eldorado	8	0	0	0	8
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Winters	1-0				
Roby	1-0				
Miles	1-0				
Menard	1-0				
Roscoe	0-1				
Bronte	0-1				

followed by Ty Cortez, with 95 yards in 16 carries, and Stephon Cleghorn with 91 yards in nine carries and two touchdowns.

Receiving, Julian Soto led the way with one pass for 30 yards and one touchdown. Each one of Jordan Hamrick and Lukas Kraatz added one reception, Hamrick's for nine yards, and Kraatz's for 22 yards.

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Election day is Tuesday, Sept. 9 for the District 28 State Senate seat vacated by Robert Duncan

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BALLINGER- Friday, September 5, 2014 at 5 p.m. the early voting poll will be closing for the special election being held in Runnels and all District 28 counties for the seat left vacant by State Senator Robert Duncan. The next and last chance to vote in this special election will be election day Tuesday, September 9, 2014.

As of press time the early voting has been on the rise, with a total of 48 voters until Tuesday, September 2.

State Senator Robert Duncan left his seat vacant to become the Chancellor of the Texas Tech System in Lubbock, Texas. Early voting started on Monday, August 25.

Six candidates are running in the special election for Duncan's unfinished term. Delwin Jones (R), Charles Perry, (R), Kerry Douglas McKennon (L), Jodey Arrington (R), E.M. Garza (R), and Greg Wortham (R) are the names on the ballot.

The early voting poll, located at the Runnels County Courthouse Annex building, on 603 Strong Avenue, behind the courthouse, will be open 8:30 a.m. through 5 p.m.

On election day polling locations will be at the Runnels County Courthouse Annex for voting precincts 1, 2, 7 and 8. Precinct 3 polling place will be located at the Winters Housing Authority. For precincts 4, 5 and 6 the polling place will be at the Winters Tax Office, and for the precincts 9 and 10, the polling place will be the Miles City Hall. All polling places will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. on election day.

The winner of the special election will serve the rest of Duncan's term, which ends in 2017. If no candidate receives at least 50 percent of the vote, a runoff will be called at some point later in the year.

### 12th annual Dove Fest is this Saturday in Winters

WINTERS ENTERPRISE  
STAFF REPORT

WINTERS- Saturday, September 6, 2014, the 12th annual Dove Fest will be held in downtown Winters and the Winters Community Center. This year's event will feature the crowning of the first-ever Dove Fest Queen, as well as a parade through Main Street.

The winner of the Dove Fest pageant, which will be selected among participating Winters High School junior and senior candidates, will be awarded a \$1,000 scholarship.

The Dove Fest parade will be kicking off at 10 a.m. in the south part of Winters and conclude at the Winters Community Center. A new Arts and Crafts Show with a number of exhibitors will be held in the City Park beginning at 9 a.m.

A Dove Fest Dance will be at the Winters Community Center featuring Justin Kaczyk and the Natural Outlaws from 7-11 p.m. A small admission fee and cooler fee will be charged.

The Hunters Appreciation Barbecue will be at the Winters Community Center from 10:30 a.m.

through 1:30 p.m. Adult and child plates will be available. Musical entertainment and a silent auction will be held under the big tent in front of the Community Center. A live auction will begin at 1:30 p.m. under the tent with lots of nice items.

Items of all variety will be auctioned off. Joel Lemley from Blackwell, Texas will be this year's auctioneer. Lemley is a member of the Texas Auctioneers Association and National Auctioneers Association. Lemley not only auctions for benefits and fund raising, he auc-

tions for cattle sales in Ft. Worth, Lockhart, and Fredericksburg, Texas along with auctioning in Colorado Springs, Co.

The raffle drawing for guns will begin right after the live auction. Six very nice guns valued at over \$8,000 will be given away this year and raffle tickets are available from several people in advance or can be purchased in the Community Center that day.

Dove Hunts will be available around Winters. The cost includes a meal ticket. To arrange a hunt, contact Archie Jobe at (325) 660 8334. The

Clay Pigeon Fun Shoot will kick off at 8 a.m. on Rodeo Arena Road. For more information, call Bill Bredemeyer at (325) 977 0511.

The Winters Gun and Knife Show will begin at 9 a.m. at the Old Dollar General Building in Downtown. More information can be obtained by calling Randall Davis at (325) 977 1501. A barbecue meal will be served at the New Chick-Inn next to the Gun Show from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. The Motorcycle Fun Run will feature a "Scenic Bike Run Near Winters."

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**FUNERALS AND OBITUARIES**

**Connan Doyle Walker**

Connan Doyle Walker, 89, of Ballinger, formerly of Winters, passed away Friday, August 29, 2014. He was born January 6, 1925 in Big Spring and lived there until age 19. He served in the US Army during World War II. He married Margie Fannin on November 19, 1949 in Hobbs, NM. He worked as a Predator Animal Damage Control Agent retiring to Winters in June 1988. He was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

He is survived by his wife Margie Walker. Three children: Gregory Doyle Walker and wife Patty of Georgetown, Miller Henry Walker and wife Eloise of Blackwell, and Donna Doylene Blackshear and husband Roy of Andrews; as well as five grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, September 2, 2014 in the Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Randy Holtzclaw and Kenneth Plumley officiating. Burial followed at Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

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**Joe Cortez**

Joe Cortez, 82, of Haskell, formerly of Winters, died Sunday August 31, 2014. He was born October 20, 1931 in Winters and was raised there. He served in the United States Army during the Korean War. On September 25, 1954, he married Sarah Galindo in Coleman. He worked for Heidenheimer's in Winters for 15 years. They moved to Haskell in 1974 where he was a sales clerk, manager and co-owner of Heidenheimer's for 25 years. He was a member of the VFW in Winters and Haskell and was a member of the Haskell American Legion. He served on the Haskell City council for seven years and was a member of the Haskell City DADS Medically Dependent Children. He was a volunteer for the Haskell County Fairgrounds. As a certified volunteer firefighter, he served in various offices in Winters, Cisco, Hamlin and Haskell. He was a member of St. George Catholic Church in Haskell where he was an usher, member of the church finance board and a member of the church council.

He is survived by his wife: Sarah Cortez of Haskell; a daughter, Sarah Ann Cortez of Austin. Three brothers: Herbert Cortez of North Carolina, Ray Cortez of Abilene and Ernest Cortez of Bryan. Two grandchildren: Bridgitte Flores of Austin and Ginger Flores of Houston. He was preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters: Jake Cortez, Fred Cortez, Mary Arispe and Amada Cortez.

Rosary was recited Tuesday September 2, 2014 in the Winters Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral Mass will be 1 p.m. Wednesday September 3, 2014 at St. George Catholic Church in Haskell. Burial will be at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday September 3, 2014 at Lakeview cemetery in Winters directed by Winters Funeral Home.

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**Lester Henry Schaefer**

Lester Schaefer, 90, of Ballinger passed away Friday, August 29, 2014 at Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

He was born July 19, 1924 in Olfen, Texas to Edward and Emilia (Miakettters) Schaefer. Lester attended school in Olfen.

Rosary was recited Sunday, August 31 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Ballinger. Mass of Christian Burial was Monday, September 1 at St. Mary Catholic Church with Fr. Hugh Wade and Fr. Bob Baden con-celebrating. Burial followed at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Rowena.

Arrangements are with Lange Funeral Home in Ballinger. Guests may register at ballingerfuneralhome.com.

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**Immunization clinics in Runnels County**

The Texas Department of State Health Services will have two immunization clinics for children with Medicaid, no insurance, or under insured and adults with no insurance. For questions or to schedule an appointment, please call 754 4945, if no answer, leave a message.

The clinic in Winters will be from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 4, at the Professional Building, 110 South Main, Suite 108. For your convenience, please use rear entrance (Grant Street).

A clinic will be held in Ballinger 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m. Monday, Sept. 8, at 600 Strong (corner of Sixth and Strong). Please bring child's immunization records. If child has Medicaid, please bring card.

**Runnels Co Historical Commission meeting**

The Runnels County Historical Commission will meet Saturday September 13, 2014 at 9 a.m. at the town site of Runnels City, Texas. The program will include a tour of the site. All meetings of the Commission are open to the public.

**Story Time at the Winters Public Library**

Story Time for pre-school children will be held at the Winters Public Library on Tuesday, September 16 at 1:30 p.m. Jane Wyatt will read stories for the children. Crafts and refreshments will be provided. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

**WHS Class of 1964 reunion**

WHS Class of 1964 will hold it's 50th reunion during Homecoming weekend, September 26-27. Friday night's activities will include attendance at the football game with the general homecoming of all classes after the game meet at the new gymnasium. Detailed information for the 1964 reunion can be obtained from local classmates or from Gary Hester, coordinator, 4706 Enchanted Lane, Austin, Texas 78745; (512) 444 4904; g3hester@att.net; or Facebook.

**Winters Area Chamber of Commerce meetings**

Winters Area Chamber of Commerce meets at 7 p.m., first Thursday of the month at the Lone Star Video, 200 Tinkle Street.

**TEEA 'Friendly Neighbors'**

The Texas Extension Education Agency "Friendly Neighbors" invites everybody in the Winters and Ballinger area who is interested in learning about cooking, gardening and arts and crafts to join us on the fourth

Tuesday of every month (except during summer) at 2 p.m. at the Runnels County Extension Office on the corner of South Seventh and Sealy Ave in Ballinger.

If you are interested and like to find out more about us, call Nancy at 325 5042 or Linda 754 5385.

**Winters Women's Club**

Members meet the second Tuesday of the month. Call Sylvia Wilson 754 4992 for additional information.

**AA Meetings**

AA meeting are held at 204 W. Truett behind church on Main St. Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

**Ballinger Al-Anon meetings**

Al-Anon meetings will be held every Monday and Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Ballinger, on Broad Ave. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Please enter through the south side of the church.

**City Council Meetings**

Winters City Council meets at 6 p.m. the last Monday of the month at 310 North Main.

**WIC open to many incomes and families**

Women Infants and Children, located at 706 Strong Ave in Ballinger is open Monday thru Wednesday 7 a.m. till noon and 1 p.m. till 6 p.m.

Closed every third and fourth Monday of each month. Phone (325) 365 5925. WIC is open to many incomes and all kinds of families.

**Ballinger Masonic Lodge meeting**

Masonic Lodge No. 643, 500 N Broadway, Ballinger, Texas. Stated meetings are at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of every month except for holidays if it falls on that Monday. For more information call (325) 365 3202.

**Wingate Masonic Lodge meetings**

Wingate Masonic Lodge 1042 A.F. & A.M., meetings on fourth Monday of the month, at 6:30 p.m. at Wilmeth, Texas Lodge. For further information contact Hank Bourdo, at 754 2048.

**Paint Rock Masonic Lodge meetings**

Paint Rock Masonic Lodge No. 613 meets the first Thursday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. Supper will be provided after the meeting. The location is the Masonic Lodge building located at 360 South Roberts on Highway 83 South.

**Longtime AgriLife economist pioneered marketing clubs**

BLAIR FANNIN  
 SPECIAL TO THE WINTERS ENTERPRISE

COLLEGE STATION- Dr. Carl Anderson, considered by his peers as Texas' leading cotton marketing authority and one of the nation's leading cotton analysts, passed away Aug. 30 at the age of 83.

Anderson, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service specialist emeritus and agricultural economics professor, served the Texas A&M University System for 36 years. He retired in 2004, but continued cotton marketing education efforts, working with the department of agricultural economics at Texas A&M and AgriLife Extension.

Thirty years of his A&M System service was as leader of Extension education to help cotton farmers successfully market their crops and manage risk.

"Dr. Carl Anderson was an icon in the cotton industry," said Dr. Parr Rosson, head of the department of agricultural economics at Texas A&M, College Station. "His more than four decades of service to the nation, the Texas A&M University System and the department of agricultural economics featured pioneering work in cotton marketing and producer risk management. Though retired for the past 10 years, Dr. Anderson was highly active, conducting numerous educational programs and research activities. His contributions to the Texas cotton industry and AgriLife Extension are unparalleled."

"Throughout his career Dr. Carl Anderson strove to improve the lives of Texas farmers and ranchers by providing the best economic analysis and information available through newsletters, farm press publications, applied research and educational presentations," said Dr. Mark Waller, AgriLife Extension economics program leader, College Station. "His leadership, tireless commitment to quality and his reputation as a cotton marketing specialist earned the admiration of his extension counterparts and cotton industry professionals across the South. He will be missed."

Anderson's many achievements included induction into the department's Tyrus R. Timm Honor Registry, which recognizes distinguished alumni.

**Three-part quail decline webinar starts on Sept 11**

WINTERS ENTERPRISE  
 STAFF REPORT

COLLEGE STATION- Texans concerned with the widespread decline of wild quail across the state can learn about measures to stop the loss by tuning in to three fall webinars starting Sept. 11.

The webinars, also set for Oct. 9 and Nov. 13, are a collaborative effort of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. The series is part of the Reversing the Quail Decline in Texas Initiative coordinated by Dr. Jim Cathey, AgriLife Extension wildlife specialist at College Station, and Dr. Dale Rollins, retired AgriLife Extension wildlife specialist, San Angelo. The webinars, all slated from noon-1 p.m., can be found on the Forestry Webinar portal at <http://www.forestrywebinars.net/>.

The September webinar will feature Rollins and Robert Perez, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department quail program leader, La Vernia, presenting "Reversing the Quail Decline in Texas." The webinar will describe the overall project, and provide background for better understanding the situation and its ramifications.

"Quail aren't the only birds suffering a steep decline in numbers," Cathey said. "Several species of grassland birds that share habitat with quail are also experiencing a dramatic drop in numbers."

"In our first webinar, we'll provide an update on how our wild quail and their habitat neighbors are faring today. The webinar will then delve into the Reversing the Quail Decline Initiative's funded research projects on quail biology and habitat management, as well as the widespread educational efforts that are currently being implemented. This first webinar is meant to serve as a barometer to indicate where wild quail populations are today and what the agencies are doing."

**Dove Fest: Signup is at the big tent**

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Signup is at the Big Tent and begins at 9 a.m. Cost includes a meal ticket. For more information, call Elmer Buckelew at (325) 365 6124.

A drawing for door prizes will be held every 15 minutes under the Big Tent. Lunch is free to all active military — you do not have to be in uniform, just show your ID. Credit cards are welcome for all Dove Fest purchases. The Winters Dove Fest is hosted each year by the Winters Dove Fest Committee, the City of Winters, the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, and the Winters Area Business and Industrial Corp.

Proceeds from all Dove Fest events go to support 16 local youth and non-profit organizations which work to make Dove Fest a success. For more information, visit Facebook "Winters Dove Fest."

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Mike Zuniga, Jr. and wife Elizabeth renewing their wedding vows before Chief Standing Bear.

## Native American: Ceremonial pipes

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stone, Minnesota.

The claystone, Chief Standing Bear explains, is used by the American Indians to make the ceremonial pipes which are an integral part of their religious and civic ceremonies. The soil which the pipe was quarried from is so sacred, he says, that nobody but Native American Indians are allowed to enter this site.

Chief Joseph "Standing Bear" Morales and wife Lonna, now reside in Giddings, Texas, and travel the state educating people about Native American culture.

All parts of the traditional attire have a special meaning. The headdress has a special significance, nobody in the tribe is allowed to wear something like it unless he is a leader, a person of means.

"Each feather you had to earn by performing a brave deed," Chief Standing Bear explains. "Back in the days the Indians had a coup stick (short stick decorated with a feather and beads) and they had to touch an enemy in battle with it escaping unharmed, the purpose of this was to prove his bravery by touching his enemy without hurting him. That proved you were a very brave man and you earned a feather."

Other deeds also rewarded with feathers were acts of brave warriors such as standing in the battle without hiding, he said.

Originally from Hobbs, New Mexico, Chief Standing Bear traveled to Florida and other parts of Texas before feeling a call from Bandera, Texas. About a month after getting there a Cherokee chief told him that he should become a leader of his people.

"That kind of surprised me, I had to think about it for a while and finally decided to talk to the elders," he recalls.

He told the Indian elders that he wanted to get his people together. A ceremony was held in Bandera, with many nations attending, and Chief Standing Bear was named leader by the elders. He has been serving in such capacity for almost 16 years.

Chief Standing Bear was the leader of the Four Winds Apache Band, and after a while he also became chief of the Texas Lumbee Tribe. However looking to unify the Native American nations he decided to change the name to "United Native American Indians of Texas Tribe," encompassing all Indian nations.

"Some Indians would like to join our band, but they were discouraged because they were Cherokees or members of other tribes and not Apaches," he said.

Now the Indian leader looks forward to share his knowledge of the Native American culture with everyone, to educate about the history and heritage of this great nation.

## Runnels Review

### Dove season and more on taxes

Dove season is here. Dove hunters didn't miss a minute and they were out on the field since Monday morning. The report is that there are plenty of doves out there this year, and the daily limit can be reached without much effort.

For those avid hunters planning on their next dove trip always remember to have a migratory bird stamp on your hunting license. A hunting license alone is not enough. You must have the proper endorsements.

Also remember that the shotgun can't be capable of holding more than three shells, magazine and chamber

included. As for the last decade or so, one of the best places to get the dove season started in Runnels County will be the Dove Fest, in Winters, which will be held this Saturday, September 6. The fest will feature dove hunts, a clay pigeon fun shoot, a gun and knife show, arts and crafts, a motorcycle fun run, a parade and the crowning of the first-ever Winters Dove Queen. Entertainment and live and silent auctions will also be held.

When it comes to hunting always remember to practice gun safety.

Another great place to be over the weekend will be the St. Mary's Fall Fest, in Ballinger. This year the annual fundraiser will be held under the theme

"Oktoberfest."

Thursday, September 4, at 10 a.m. a public hearing will be held at the Runnels County Courthouse. The purpose of the hearing will be to get feedback from area residents regarding the proposed property tax increase for Fiscal Year 2014-2015.

Ballinger Memorial Hospital held its public hearings on Aug. 21 and Aug. 25, and the Board of Directors will be voting on this subject on Monday, Sept. 8 at noon.

Winters ISD and Ballinger ISD are not proposing rate increases in property taxes, but this year's levy estimates on the average residence are also higher than last year's due to the adjustment in the average market values, so a higher bill should be expected, at least for the average residence.

The Runnels County Appraisal District is proposing a budget increase of nearly \$20,000 for the 2015 fiscal year. A public hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 16 at 9 a.m. at the Appraisal District's office in Ballinger. If the increase is approved by the district's board of directors at the public hearing, the new budget will go in effect unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns served by the district.

*The weekly smile:* How to loose weight without getting on a diet? Go to Google.com and click on "I'm Feeling Lucky."

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## CAFETERIA MENU

Subject to Change\*

### Sept. 8-12

#### Winters ISD Breakfast Menu

**Monday**  
Breakfast Taco or Cereal, Apple, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Tuesday**  
Pancake/Syrup or Cereal, Orange, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Wednesday**  
Breakfast Burrito/Salsa or Cereal, Mixed Fruit, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Thursday**  
Sausage Roll or Cereal, Apple, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Friday**  
Muffin or Cereal, Peaches, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

#### Winters ISD Lunch Menu

**Monday**  
Chef Salad or Sloppy Joe or Chicken Nuggets/Breadsticks (HS), Mac N Cheese, Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Broccoli/Cherry Tomato, Applesauce, Choice of Milk.

**Tuesday**  
Chef Salad or Ham & Cheese Sandwich/Fishbread (Elem., JH), Graham Cracker (Elem., JH) or Chicken Spaghetti/Graham Cracker (Elem., JH) Breadstick, Green Beans, Baked Potatoes, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Broccoli/Cherry Tomato, Apple, Choice of Milk.

**Wednesday**  
Chef Salad or Nachos or Soft Taco, Spanish Rice, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Coleslaw, Broccoli/Cherry Tomato, Apple, Choice of Milk.

**Thursday**  
Chef Salad or Salisbury Steak/Breadstick (Elem., JH), Hot Roll (HS) or Chicken Tenders/Graham Crackers (Elem., JH), Breadstick (HS), Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Broccoli w/Cheese, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Broccoli/Cherry Tomato, Peaches, Choice of Milk.

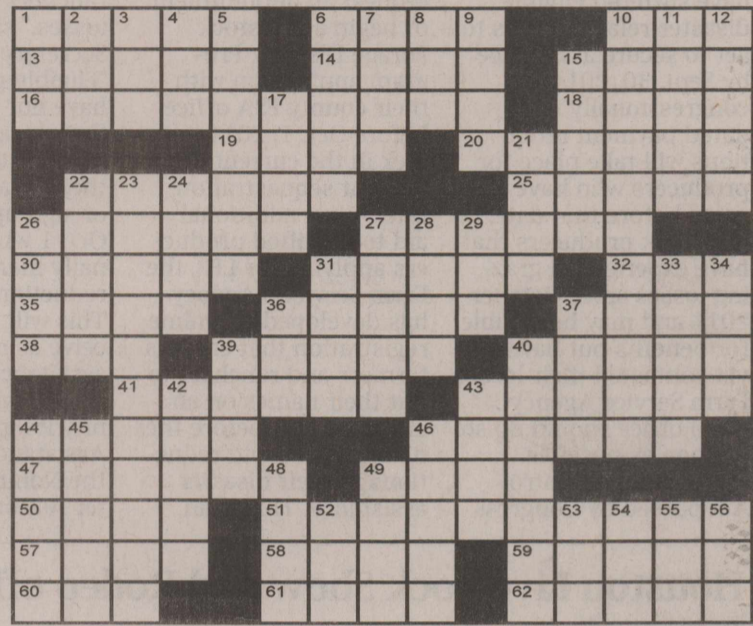
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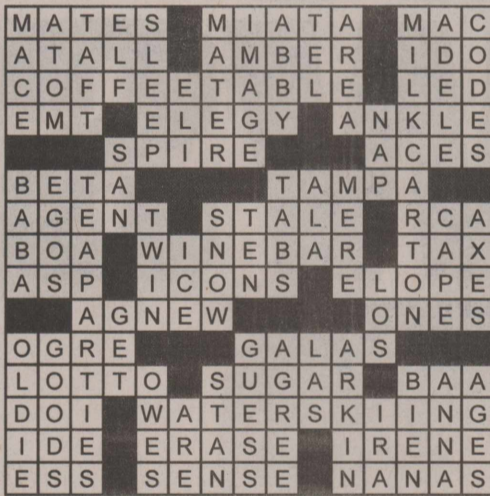
"Greetings!"

- Across**
- 1 Sends a letter
  - 6 Dangerous snakes
  - 10 Fellow
  - 13 Set aside
  - 14 \_\_\_ of approval
  - 15 "I always like walking in the rain, \_\_\_ one can see me crying"--Charlie Chaplin
  - 16 Casual greeting
  - 18 Tick-\_\_\_
  - 19 Lemon meringue and Boston cream
  - 20 Draw pictures while you're on the phone, say
  - 22 Circle and square
  - 25 Places to live
  - 26 Daily or weekly tasks
  - 27 "Indeed!"
  - 30 Helped a broken-down car
  - 31 Food that jiggles
  - 32 Knock
  - 35 \_\_\_ Parks
  - 36 Like some faucets
  - 37 \_\_\_ occasion (never)
  - 38 Go down a mountain
  - 39 Poles on ships
  - 40 Potato \_\_\_
  - 41 Has faith in
  - 43 Mac or Madoff
  - 44 Book parts
  - 46 Oversee
  - 47 Makes up (for)
  - 49 Henry of Detroit fame
  - 50 "\_\_\_ true?"
  - 51 Greeting from Bugs Bunny
  - 57 Camera part
  - 58 Car
  - 59 Abdul or Deen
- Down**
- 1 \_\_\_-jongg
  - 2 Ginger \_\_\_
  - 3 Not feeling well
  - 4 "That's hilarious!" in three letters
  - 5 Slammed on the brakes
  - 6 Cigar stuff
  - 7 Observes
  - 8 Golf course score
  - 9 Wintertime vehicle
  - 10 Greeting in the a.m.
  - 11 Aunt's man
  - 12 Ox holders
  - 15 Got up



- 60 Droop
- 61 Jury person
- 62 Hard to climb
- 17 Father's Day gifts
- 21 Cincinnati's state
- 22 Trembled
- 23 Another casual greeting
- 24 Part of town
- 26 HQs
- 27 Irish poet William Butler \_\_\_
- 28 Benevolent lodge
- 29 Sneaky
- 31 Joking
- 33 Musical about a red-headed orphan
- 34 Mug for the camera
- 36 \_\_\_ Vegas
- 37 Southern vegetable
- 39 Ponder
- 40 Parodies
- 42 Monthly payments
- 43 Taverns
- 44 Buckets at the beach
- 45 Not on shore
- 46 Engine
- 48 Make an even trade
- 49 Destiny
- 52 Color
- 53 Butter amount
- 54 Word on a bill
- 55 "Bravo!"
- 56 Pen part, sometimes

### LAST WEEK'S ANSWER GRID



## Weather Whys

Q: Which U.S. city has the warmest year-round temperature?

A: The top four are in the state of Florida, not surprisingly, says Brent McRoberts of Texas A&M University. "Because of its southern location and large coastline with warm waters that surround the state, Florida is the warmest state in the country," McRoberts says. "The city of Marathon in the Florida Keys has an average year-round temperature of 78.5 degrees while Key West comes in second at 77.8 degrees. Interestingly, the Florida Keys and Miami Beach are the only locations in the continental United States that have never had a frost or freeze. The all-time lowest temperature at Key West is 41 degrees. The others warm cities in South Florida are Miami (77.2), West Palm Beach (75.4) and Fort Myers (74.4)."

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### Livestock producers urged to enroll in disaster assistance program

**Congressionally mandated payment reductions to take effect at beginning of new Fiscal Year**

**WINTERS ENTERPRISE**  
STAFF REPORT

WASHINGTON, DC- The U.S. Department of Agriculture is encouraging producers who have suffered eligible disaster-related losses to act to secure assistance by Sept. 30, 2014, as congressionally mandated payment reductions will take place for producers who have not acted before that date. Livestock producers that have experienced grazing losses since October 2011 and may be eligible for benefits but have not yet contacted their local Farm Service Agency (FSA) office should do so as soon as possible.

The Budget Control Act passed by Congress

in 2011 requires USDA to implement reductions of 7.3 percent to the Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) in the new fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1, 2014. However, producers seeking LFP support who have scheduled appointments with their local FSA office before Oct. 1, even if the appointment occurs after Oct. 1, will not see reductions in the amount of disaster relief they receive.

USDA is encouraging producers to register, request an appointment or begin a Livestock Forage Disaster Program application with their county FSA office before Oct. 1, 2014, to lock in the current zero percent sequestration rate. As an additional aid to qualified producers applying for LFP, the Farm Service's Agency has developed an online registration that enables farmers and ranchers to put their names on an electronic list before the deadline to avoid reductions in their disaster assistance. This is an

alternative to visiting or contacting the county office. To place a name on the Livestock Forage Disaster Program list online, visit <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/disaster-register>.

Producers who already contacted the county office and have an appointment scheduled need do nothing more.

"In just four months since disaster assistance enrollments began, we've processed 240,000 applications to help farmers and ranchers who suffered losses," said Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack. "Eligible producers who have not yet contacted their local FSA office should stop by or call their local FSA office, or sign up online before Oct. 1 when congressionally mandated payment reductions take effect. This will ensure they receive as much financial assistance as possible."

The Livestock Indemnity Program, the Tree Assistance Program and the Noninsured Disaster Assistance Program

Frost Freeze payments will also be cut by 7.3 percent on Oct. 1, 2014. Unlike the Livestock Forage Disaster Program, applications for these programs must be fully completed by Sept. 30. FSA offices will prioritize these applications, but as the full application process can take several days or more to complete, producers are encouraged to begin the application process as soon as possible.

The Livestock Forage Disaster Program compensates eligible livestock producers who suffered grazing losses due to drought or fire between Oct. 1, 2011 and Dec. 31, 2014. Eligible livestock includes alpacas, beef cattle, buffalo, beefalo, dairy cattle, deer, elk, emus, equine, goats, llamas, poultry, reindeer, sheep or swine that have been or would have been grazing the eligible grazing land or pastureland. Producers forced to liquidate their livestock may also be eligible for program benefits.

### Financial Focus

**Don't let retirement plans go bust**

If you're a baby boomer, you're at the point in life where, if you haven't actually entered retirement, you're at least approaching the outskirts. But if you're like many of your fellow boomers, you may be experiencing more than a little trepidation over your financial prospects as a retiree. That's why it's so important for you to determine what steps to take to help improve your chances of enjoying a comfortable retirement.

Just how worried are baby boomers about their future? Consider these numbers: Seventy-two percent of non-retired boomers think they will probably be forced to delay retirement, and 50 percent have little confidence that they will ever be able to retire, according to a recent AARP survey. Other surveys show a similarly bleak outlook among the baby boom generation.

Fortunately, when it comes to building resources for retirement, you have options. Of course, if you're in one of the younger age cohorts of the baby boom generation, your possibilities are greater — you may still have time to take measures such as boosting your 401(k) and IRA contributions, reducing your debts and positioning your portfolio to provide you with a reasonable amount of growth potential.

But even if you are pretty close to retirement, or at least close to the point where you initially expected to retire, you can act to better your outcome. For one thing, you could re-evaluate your planned date of retirement. If you really don't mind your job and could extend your working life for even a couple of years, you could help yourself enormously in at least three ways:

You'll add on to your retirement accounts. The longer you work, the more you can contribute to your IRA and your 401(k) or other employers-sponsored account.

You may be able to delay taking Social Security. You can start taking Social Security as early as age 62, but your benefits will be permanently reduced unless you wait until your Full Retirement Age (FRA), which will likely be 66 or 67. Your payments can increase if you delay taking your benefits beyond your Full Retirement Age, up to age 70.

You may be able to delay tapping into your retirement vehicles. The longer you wait until you begin withdrawals from your IRA and 401(k), the more time you are giving these accounts to potentially grow. (Once you turn 70 and a half, you will need to generally start taking withdrawals from a traditional IRA and a 401(k) or similar plan, but you don't face this requirement with a Roth 401(k) account.)

As an alternative to delaying your retirement — or possibly as an additional step you can take along with a delay — you may be able to adjust your investment mix to provide you with the combination of growth and income that can help carry you through your retirement years. You can also be strategic about which investments you start taking withdrawals from, possibly allowing your portfolio to grow more than you had envisioned.

Start thinking now about ways you can help yourself achieve the retirement lifestyle you've pictured. You may want to consult with a professional financial advisor who can suggest the strategies and techniques most appropriate for your situation. In any case, with some careful planning, you can be a boomer whose retirement plans don't go bust.

*This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor. Contributed by Larry Gilbert.*

### Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo officials announce new COO

**WINTERS ENTERPRISE**  
STAFF REPORT

HOUSTON- Dan Cheney will join the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo as vice president and chief operating officer effective Oct. 1, 2014.

Cheney will fill the position of Leroy Shafer, who will be retiring after more than 40 years of service to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Cheney currently serves as president and chief executive officer of the Cheyenne Frontier Days in Cheyenne, Wyoming.

"Dan's experience and accomplishments in the fairs, festivals and rodeo industries, coupled with his solid business acumen, will help drive the future success of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo," said Joel Cowley, the organization's president. "He'll be working with a committed and dedicated staff and a workforce of more than 31,000 passionate volunteers. We welcome him to both our organization and to the nation's fourth largest city." Starting in 2010, Cheney lead

Cheyenne Frontier Days. Prior to that role, he was the founder, CEO, and president of Forbes Capital Business Group, Inc.; director of global marketing and business development for Pro Equine Group; and general manager of The Show Place Arena in Memphis, Tennessee, a 6,250-seat indoor arena.

"I am excited to join such a prestigious organization," said Cheney. "I am looking forward to applying my entertainment, marketing and finance experience to the organization's success."

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### Public Record

Runnels County Jail Record September 2, 2014			Mary J. Bivens 35 Menard Assault family violence		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>Agency</b>	Jose A. Sanchez 44	RCSO	Forgery
Cynthia A. Lovely 57	Menard Co.	Evading arrest	Cody D. Pearson 41	RCSO	Possession of firearm
Valerie A. Rendon 38	Menard Co.	MTR- DWLI	Benito V. Diaz 33	Coleman	Assault family violence
James A. Boisse 28	RCSO	Failure to comply with sex offender registry	Mason G. Jean 20	RCSO	Burglary of a building
Norma J. Delgado 30	RCSO	MTR- Criminal Mischief	Anthony L. Parks 27	Coleman	Parole violation
Nicholas S. Goodman 18	BPD	Possession of drug paraphernalia	Adrian V. Robles 20	Concho	Aggravated sexual assault of a child (sentenced)
Johnathan Reyes 19	Own will	MTR- Warrant Theft	Ysaías M. Rodriguez 27	RCSO	MTR Adjudicating
Scottie Tudds 20	WPD	Warrant Theft MTR, FTA	Gabriel Guerrero Jr. 41	Coleman	S/W Possession of controlled substance
David J. Fuentes 23	RCSO	MTR- DWI	Billy J. Gray 48	RCSO	Aggravated assault D/W
Randale Y Hambright 45	Coke	DWI 3rd or more	Mike L. Martinez 50	BPD	Taylor Co. warrant, theft of service
Alexander Salazar	BPD	Forgery	Rosendo Salazar 25	DPS	DWLI with previous conviction
Jason Essex 32	BPD	DWLI	Odilia Castanon 49	RCSO	DWI 1st with open container
Anstos Munoz 25	Coke	DWI	Joann D. Alvarado 33	DPS	Possession of marijuana
Christopher Garcia	Coke	Tom Green Co. warrant	Jeffery A. Henderson 22	WPD	P.I.
Tommy Gill 34	Concho	Bail jumper	Allen L. Rock 36	Concho Co.	Tom Green Co. warrant speeding 10 percent or more, driving without license

### Cloud seeding results tend to be very disappointing

**WINTERS ENTERPRISE**  
STAFF REPORT

COLLEGE STATION- With much of Texas still in a severe drought, some Texas cities such as Wichita Falls are resorting to cloud seeding efforts in hopes of getting more rain. But cloud seeding has had mixed results at best, says a Texas A&M University atmospheric sciences professor who has studied the process for many years.

Richard Orville, professor of atmospheric sciences, says cloud seeding has been tried numerous times in Texas but overall, the results have been disappointing. Orville's father, the late Howard Orville, was the U.S. Navy's top weather man for many years. He chaired the Advisory Committee on Weather Control, a panel appointed by then-President Dwight Eisenhower to see if cloud seeding could be successful.

Its final report was issued Dec. 31, 1957 and "along the West Coast and mountain regions they found precipitation increase of 5 to 22 percent. They found no

increase at all in the Midwest or the East," Orville recalls.

"This was back in the early 1950s when Texas and much of the country was in the worst drought ever.

"The team concluded that cloud seeding had very limited chances of success and those chances occurred mostly during the winter months. During summertime, the chances of success were almost zero. The committee's overall conclusion 60 years ago was that cloud seeding efforts were disappointing, and that has not changed much to the present day. Some of their very early meetings were held right here on the campus of Texas A&M."

Then, as today, the material of choice for cloud seeding was silver iodide, and the BB-sized pellets work best when cloud temperatures are very cold, from minus -10 to -20 degrees, Orville says.

The theory behind cloud seeding is that the pellets can "squeeze" more rain out of clouds that contain precipitation.

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## Swine PEDv seminar slated for youth exhibitors, parents

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LUBBOCK- The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will conduct the PEDv Seminar beginning at 6 p.m. Sept. 17 at the Bayer Museum of Agriculture, 1121 Canyon Lake Drive, Lubbock.

The program is free and open to the public. "Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus or 'PEDv' is a new virus to the U.S. and was first confirmed in this country on May 17, 2013," said Robert Scott, AgriLife Extension agent in Lubbock County. "While potentially deadly to pigs, it only infects pigs and not humans or other livestock.

"With 4-H and FFA exhibitors about to hit the trail for show pigs to exhibit during the upcoming livestock show season, they need to be aware that the virus is out there. With animals being commingled at a show or sale, spreading the disease is a risk. Our goal with this program is to raise awareness of the virus among exhibitors, parents and adult volunteers so they can have a plan in place to identify and handle sick animals properly to help reduce the chance of spreading the disease."

The seminar will address what the virus is, how it is transferred, how to test for it and seeing it at the breeder's point of view.

## Blizzards: Eldorado scored first

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The Eldorado Eagles opened the score with 8:21 remaining in the first quarter when running back Tres Whitten rushed the ball 4 yards into the end zone. Whitten also carried the two point conversion for the initial 8-0.

Winters responded when the clock marked 2:39 left in the first period, with a 30-yard pass from Jimmy John Ripley to Julian Soto. Lukas Kraatz added the point after touchdown, 8-7.

In the second quarter Ripley scored his first touchdown of the night, when he finished the drive with a 4-yard rush into promised land with 6:27 left in the half. Kraatz made the kick good and the Blizzards took the lead for good 14-8.

Coming back from half time Stephon Cleghorn would score his two touchdowns of the night. First with a 13-yard run with 6:14 on the clock, and the second one with a 6-yard rush with 2:13 left in the third. Kraatz added the extra point in the later to put the game 27-8 for the Blizzards.

Jimmy John Ripley scored the last touchdown of the night with 9:50 remaining in the game, via a 56-yard rush. The kick fell short for the final 33-8.

Winters took the first place of the District 6-2A Division II standing, in a four-way tie with Roby, Miles and Menard. This Friday the Blizzards will be hosting the Christoval Cougars at Blizzard Stadium. Christoval is coming from a close defeat to Wink by a score of 22-21.

### Scores and schedules

District 6-2A Div. II		
Week 0	Score	Opponent
Bronte	49-58	Robert Lee
Menard	50-26	Cross Plains
Miles	44-25	Rock Springs
Roby	24-12	Irion County
Roscoe	14-46	Hawley
Winters	33-8	Eldorado

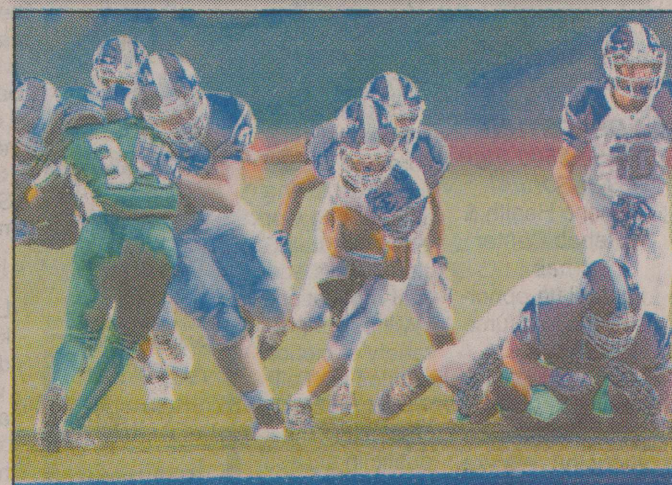


Week 1	Opponent	Place
Bronte vs	TLCA	Home
Menard vs	Baird	Home
Miles vs	Nueces C.	Home
Roby vs	Perrin-Whitt	Cisco
Roscoe vs	Hamlin	Home
Winters vs	Christoval	Home

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The offensive line makes a lot of room for Stephon Cleghorn.



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Jimmy John Ripley passes through the defensive line to get into the end zone.

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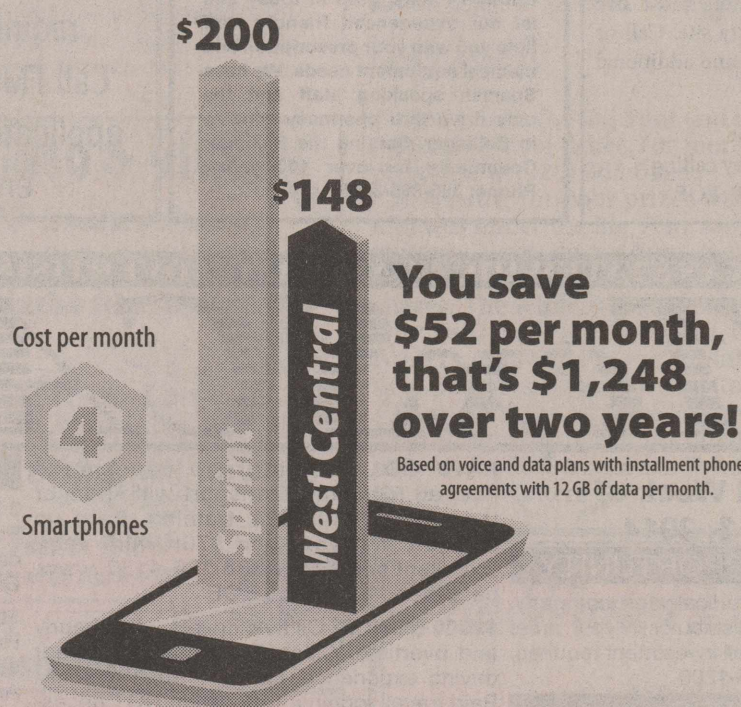
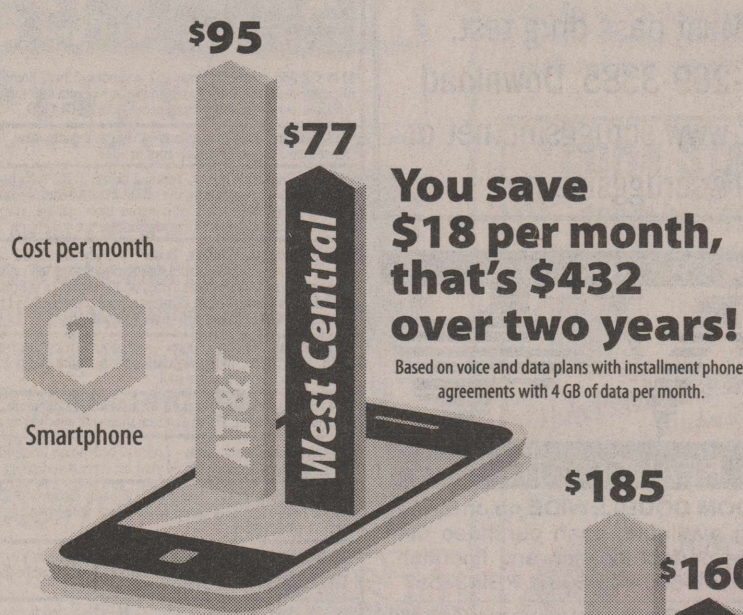
## A tasteful reception

Dozens of Winters Blizzards fans attended Meet the Blizzards night held last week at the Winters High School football stadium. Besides the gathering and fun time, attendees were served with a watermelon treat to mark the start of the new football season.

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