

From the mouths of babes There is a company, Kate Harper Designs, that makes greeting cards. They have a clever way of getting fresh material for their cards...they let children make suggestions! Here are a few of the lines the company uses and the age of the kids who submitted them. They are guaranteed to make you smile...and think.

Here goes: No boy is worth crying over. And the one who is won't make you cry. Age 10. You know someone is your friend when they give you more than half of their candy bar. Age 8.

Before TV was invented, people used to cook! Age 9. Face it: Friends and family

are your whole life. Age 12. A friend is someone who helps you up when you fall

down. Age 9. If grandma's mommy is great-grandma, and greatgrandma's mommy is greatgreat-grandma, then, the older you are, the greater you get! Age 9.

You're not grown up til you run out of birthdays. Age 7. Just remember, nobody is

normal, everybody is weird. Age 11. Life is about who you love.

Age 12. Sometimes life can be diffi-

cult. That's when it's good to have a mom. Age 10.

Sometimes you just need to take a nap and get over it. Age 8.

People are supposed to make mistakes. That's why we have erasers. Age 8.

If I ran the world, I would put bigger prizes in cereal boxes. Age 9.

If you go down the wrong road-make a right turn. Age

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91st YEAR, No. 2 **BOGATA, RED RIVER COUNTY, TEXAS**



Nikki Ebarb



Renovations being made at Bogata Library/Museum

were busy putting the finishing touch on the new room that has been added to the Library/Museum. They have taken out walls, built floor, replaced the sheetrock ceiling, put up wall board and were still working on caulking, mudding, taping and bedding and applying paint. Also donating work for the addition were Lyle Williams, who did more plumbing, Glyn

Gaston Puckett and Neil Rozell White, who did the electrical work and A.D. Stephenson, who kept the supplies coming. Everyone is invited to come by

and see the new addition which will hold the Farm Section of the museum, enjoy the items already set up and check out some good books. The libray/museum is open on Friday's from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and on Saturday's from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

RHS weight room to be open

has announced the dates and times for the Rivercrest weight room to be open this summer.

The facility will be open from June advantage of the use of the weight 4 through August 8 on Monday room.

Rivercrest Coach, Gary Schultz through Thursday's from 6:00 to 8:00 a.m. and from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. All students are encouraged to keep in shape over the summer by taking



Taylor Landreth

Bogata Missionary Baptist to hold Vacation Bible School

Bogata Missionary Baptist Church will be holding Vacation Bible School

June 4-8 from 7:0 to 9:00 p.m. The theme will be Proclamation Park. The classes will be set up for ages 4 years through 12th grade.

All area youngsters are welcome. For more information, contact 632-9922 or 632-9948.



Three hopefuls sign up for Bogata Rodeo Princess

Thursday, May 31, 2001

Three young ladies have signed up for the title of Bogata Rodeo Princess.

The candidates are Taylor Landreth, Nikki Ebarb and Becky Galyean.

Taylor is the daughter of Gene and Michell Landreth and granddaughter of Daryle and Sherry Landreth and Don and Ruby Bazhaw. Taylor is eight years old and goes to Bogata Elementary School. She likes baseball, dancing and spending time with her friends and family and likes to watch her Dad race. Taylor collects Barbies and Beany Babies.

Nikki is the daughter of Michael and Tammy Brooks and granddaugher of Jack and Joyce Rhodes. Nikki is 11 years old and

goes to Bogata Elementary School. She likes to play basketball and loves being with her friends and family. Nikki likes to ride horses.

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Becky is the daughter of Larry and Teresa Galyean and granddaughter of Don and Shirley Abbitt and Travis aned Beverly Maynard. Becky is eight years old and goes to Bogata Elementary School. She loves to go fishing with her Dad and sister. She plays softball and basketball and loves her dog "Fancy" but most of all she loves her family.

Tickets for the Bogata Rodeo sent on sale May 26. You may contact any of the Princess candidates or any member of the Bogata Rodeo Association.



Three things people should do every day is tell their kids they love them. Three times. Age 11.

Nothing is impossible when you keep on trying. Age 9.

Dogs are man's best friend, so always have two. Age 5.

Yesterday was a long time ago. Age 3.

If you think it's hard getting old, try being young. Age 10. You'll never be sad if you just remember all the good things that have happened to you.

Kiss me when I'm bad, that's when I need it the most. Age 8. A real friend is there when nobody else is. Age 12.

Now, read these and tell me that age only comes with wisdom! These kids have a grip on things...I just hope the world doesn't help them stray from the path they are on...they are definitely on the right road!

People 'n Things

Third Tuesday of each month Bogata Lions Club sponsors Bingo at Red River Healthcare Center. Lions Club members should volunteer to help when they can.

June 2

There will be a work day held at the Hagansport Cemetery June 2, 2001 beginning at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is urged to bring their lawn and garden tools and come out to help clean the area.

June 9

The Moore family reunion will be held June 9, 2001 at the Bogata Community Center. All family and friends are invited to attend.

Letter

To The Editor

Dear Editor,

JMBC Youth Car Wash

The Johntown Missionary Baptist Church Youth will be holding a car wash to raise funds for church camp held at Pine Springs Baptist Encampment in Henderson, Tx.

The car wash will begin at 10:00 a.m. and run to 2:00 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2001 at the JMBC parking lot. If you need your vehicle picked up and delivered call Jana at 632-5269 or Steven at 632-4464. Donations will be accepted and appreciated.

Bogata News

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newspaper regarding the clean up of the Bogata Cemetery after the ice and lightening storms. We wish to express our appreciation to all those who donated. Without your concern, much needed work would go undone. We sincerely thank each of

you. Currently we have collected approximately half of the expenses required for the job. The cemetery is a beautiful historical landmark in our community. The upkeep of the cemetery is the responsibility of the community and family members of those who are buried there.

As finances are available, more work needs to be done. The Board of Directors is very happy to serve you, but our accomplishments depend upon your financial support. I encourage everyone to become a part of the continuing upkeep of the Bogata Cemetery. Sincerely,

Alice Ann White

Fulbright community changes Homecoming date

The date for the annual Fulbright Homecoming has been changed to the second Saturday, June 9. A great majority of former members voted to move it from the second Sunday to the second Saturday each year.

Everyone is invited to come and bring covered dishes and enjoy the

day visiting with old friends, taking pictures and joining the meal to be served at 12 noon.

Remind those you know who might be interested in attending of the date change.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the day.



BOGATA PRINCIPAL-Bill Mabry presented Don Easterling with a special plaque upon his retirement from Bogata School at the Rivercrest annual end of year faculty and staff breakfast held Friday. Mr. E as the staff and students call him was also honored with a supper at the Fish Fry in Paris Wednesday evening. He will be missed by the staff and students next year. (Staff Photo Nancy

Donations needed for July 4th fireworks display

Each year Red River Healthcare sponsors the annual July 4th firework display in Bogata. The fireworks are bought through donations from the area businesses and individual contributions and are purchased by the Bogata Lions Club and the Lions members set up the display. The Bogata Fire Department is always on hand to help also.

This year RRH Activity Director, Darnell Davis, who had just begun her job at Red River Healthcare last

year, said, "This year I am beginning early to ask for donations, so those who would like to donate to this event will have time to get their donations to us and fireworks can be ordered. I will send out reminders in June, but everyone may feel free to send a donation now or call me at 632-5479 and I will be glad to come by and pick them up."

Everyone is encouraged to help make this year's display the best ever!

GASTON PUCKETT AND NEIL ROZELL-were busy putting the finishing touches on the new room at the Bogata Libray/Museum Tuesday. The new room will hold the "Farm Section" of the museum. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



JAMES GADDIS-prepares to go to work in the flower beds at the Bogata Library/Museum. The beautiful petunias and moss rose were donated by Kelley Farms of Bogata. The gift is appreciated and surely brightens the library/museum beds. (Staff Photo Nancy **Brown**)

Hagansport School

reunion to be held June 2, 2001

will be held June 2, 2001 at the Hagansport Community Center beginning at 11:00 a.m.

A hamburger lunch will be available at a cost of \$5.00 per person. Those wishing to eat lunch are asked

The Hagansport School reunion to send their money in by May 20, 2001 to Sharon Martin, Rt. 1 Box 72 C, Talco, Tx. 75487 or call 903-632-4300.

Everyone is encouraged to come share the fun, food, visiting with old friends and making new friends.

Recently an article appeared in your Brown)

Country Cooking By Liz Irwin

http://tpp.1starnet.com/

This week's cook comes from

Detroit. She is Della Blanton and is

a homemaker and married to Jeff

Blanton, who was also raised in the

Detroit area. Jeff is minister of the

Church of Christ in Fulbright and

they have three sons, Jacob who is

10, Samuel is four and Weston is age

three months. As you can tell, Della

stays quite busy. She is the daughter

Della attributes her cooking skills

to a patient mother who took time to

teach and let her practice cooking

even if it meant a messy kitchen. Her

grandmothers, Argent Gibbs and

Doris Ballard, also helped by shar-

ing their recipes, teaching her how

to can garden vegetables and show-

ing her how to cook. Della says that

Homemade Chocolate Syrup

Mix sugar and cocoa. Melt marga-

rine in saucepan, add milk, syrup and

dry ingredients. Bring to a rolling boil;

boil for two minutes. Serve over plain

For filling: Stew apricots in water

until tender. Drain well; mash; stir in

apricot preserves. Set aside. For crust:

Stir in flour and soda in mixing bowl.

Cut in margarine with a pastry blender

until coarse. Add water and stir until

well mixed. Pinch off a ball of dough

and roll onto floured surface. Cut

around a small saucer to form a circle.

Spoon filling onto half of circle. Dab

edges with water; fold over and press

with a fork to seal. Fry in hot oil until

golden brown. Hint: Make all pies be-

fore cooking. The flour tends to burn

and you need to get the pies in and out

of the oil as quickly as possible.

2 cups sugar

2 tablespoons cocoa

1/2 cup evaporated milk

Apricot Fried Pies

1 jar apricot preserves

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1 stick margarine

1/2 cup Karo syrup

cake or ice cream.

I stick margarine

-1-2 tablespoons water

2 cups flour

of Delma and Sue Gibbs.

LEC presents scholarships awarded \$1,000 to be used at the col-

Annie Clement and Jennifer Hays are winners of the 2001 Lamar Electric Cooperative scholarships.

Annie is a senior at Roxton High School.

Jennifer is the daughter of Donnie and Pam Hays of Detroit and a senior at Rivercrest High School. She plans to attend the University of Texas at Tyler to study kinesiology and Spanish. The girls were each

Council announces June camps

The Red River Valley Girl Scout Council has announced its schedule of summer programs held at Camp Gambill. The camp is located six miles from Paris.

Campaign programs are available for girls ages six through 17. Girls who are not currently in a Girl Scout troop may attend camp by registering as an individual Girl Scout.

Camps available in June include:

made available by unclaimed capital credits. This is the third year that LEC has provided area graduates with schol-

lege or university of their choice

based on letters written to a scholar-

For information, contact Laurie Christian, 784-0803 or 1-800-987-9075.

vice. She was a long time member of Hagansport School the Church of Christ. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ruth Kelley of Mesquite; a sister-inreunion to be held June 2, 2001 law, Mrs. Kenneth R. Wright of Houston; her step-daughters, Mrs.

will be held June 2, 2001 at the Hagansport Community Center beginning at 11:00 a.m.

A hamburger lunch will be available at a cost of \$5.00 per person. Those wishing to eat lunch are asked

Rodeo tickets are on sale now!!

Bogata Rodeo tickets are now on sale from the Princess candidates.

You may call Becky Galyean at 632-9535; Nikki Ebarb at 632-0313; or Taylor Landreth at 632-0121 for advance tickets.

Red River County Roots

This week's query is from Arlene Hand, 4168 N. Lakeshore, Holland, MI 49424. She is researching the family of George Wesley Bernethy, 1835-1886 and wife Harriet Gaby Bernethy, 1836-1916. They moved to Texas prior to 1875 and were living in Red River County in 1880. Their known chil dren were Diino Ray and Loneta E. both born in Indiana. George and Harriet later moved to Fannin County and are buried in Forest Grove Cemetery there. Loneta E. Bernethy married J.K.P. Roach in December, 1880 in Red River County, however, Mr. Roach married again two years later and nothing else is known about Loneta. He died in 1908 and is buried

in Bogata Cemetery. Did he and Loneta have children? Where is she

If you have a query you would like to have placed in this column, please send it to the Red River County Ge-nealogical Society, P.O. Box 516, Clarksville, Texas 75426

buried?

Mrs. Ruby Legate ship committee. Funding for the scholarships are dies May 27 Vernon, formerly of Bogata died Sunday, May 27 in Mission Manor

Nursing Home in Mt. Vernon. arships. day, May 29 in Bogata Church of Christ with Benny Cogburn officiat-

Counselor in Training, May 29-June 1; Wide Open Spaces, June 5-7; Tuff Stuff Weekend, June 9-10; Summer Fest Resident Camp, June 10-15; Jump Start Camp, June 18-21; Guys and Dolls Day, June 23; Footloose Camp, June 26-28.

2001 to Sharon Martin, Rt. 1 Box 72 C, Talco, Tx. 75487 or call 903-632-4300.

Everyone is encouraged to come share the fun, food, visiting with old friends and making new friends.

Francis reunion will be June 10

The Francis family reunion will be concern during this most difficult held June 10 at the Deport American time. Legion Hall. For the clothes, household items, food, cards, flowers, prayers, visits,

Family and friends are invited to a covered dish lunch on Sunday, June 10. For information, call Billie Francis at 903-652-5171.

Parks & Walker

reunion set for June 3 The annual Parks and Walker reunionn will be held on June 3, 2001 at the Deport American Legion. There will be a covered dish luncheon served at noon. All family and friends are invited to attend. .

DID YOU KNOW It is estimated that in One Year, in Texas ALONE, Volunteer Firefighters, if they were paid only minimum wage, donate \$32 million of their time!

Gullion family

Obituaries

Mrs. Ruby Legate, age 92 of Mt.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Tues-

ing. Burial was in Bogata Cemetery

under the direction of Wood Funeral

Mrs. Legate was born December

23, 1908 in Deport, the daughter of

Leonard R. Wright and Ollie Irena

Cunningham Wright. She married

Albert Legate of Levelland on June

10, 1974. He preceded her in death

February 25, 1991. She held a B.A.

and M.A. degree from ETSU and

retired from public school teaching

in May, 1971 after 45 years of ser-

Earlyne Wimberly of Mt. Vernon

and Mrs. Alberta Stephens of Amory,

MS; nine step-grandchildren; 20 step-

great-grandchildren and seven step-

great-great-grandchildren; one niece

Card of Thanks

The Stowell Family wishes to

thank everyone for all their care and

monetary donations and so much

more, you will always be remem-

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A special thanks to the Volunteer

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Card of Thanks

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shown my mother following her re-

cent accident. Your prayers, calls,

cards and visits have meant so much

the Deport and Pattonville Volunteer

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teams and any other assistance. You

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Fire Departments for their help.

and two nephews.

bered.

express our Thanks.

Detroit 9th grade class .

The Family of

Sharry Stowell

Home.

Dorothy Aileen Stevens

dies May 25

Dorothy Aileen Stevens, age 66 of Bogata, died in Christus St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday, May 25. Wood Funeral Home conducted graveside services on Sunday, May 27 at 2 p.m. in the Cooper Chapel Cemetery of Titus County with the Rev. Bill Mills officiating.

She was born in Red River County on April 6, 1935, the daughter of Robert and Lela Tutt Griffin.

She is survived by her husband Bill Stevens of Bogata; three sons, Bobby Kuhl and wife Patty of Snyder, Lowell Kuhl of Mt. Pleasant and Joe Dan Kuhl and wife Trisha of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, R.T. Griffin of Winnsboro and Edward Griffin of Talco; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Two grandchildren and an infant sister preceded her in death.

Jack Baker

dies May 21

Jack Baker, age 86 of Denison died Monday, May 21 at Texoma Specialty Care in Denison.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 24 in Bratcher Funeral Chapel in Denison. The Rev. David Gilbert officiated with burial in Oakwood Cemetery

Mr. Baker was born December 15, 1914 in Broken Bow, OK, the son of Townson and Mary Martin Baker. On August 7, 1935 he married Marie Husk in Minter. She preceded him in death in December, 1981.

He attended Truth Tabernacle Church in Denison. He was employed by the City of Denison, retiring in 1976.

Surviving are three sons, Dwayne Baker and wife, Elizabeth of Cunningham, Bobby Baker and wife Greta of Stuttgart, AR and T.J. Baker and wife Clara of Durant, OK; four daughters, Dorothy Nichols and husband Sam of Deport, Joy White and husband Wayne of Bogata, Ann Brownlee of Denison and Doris Gentry and husband Albert of Denison; one sister, Gertrude Pickering of Mt. Dora, FL; 22 grandchildren; 22 greatgrandchildren and one great-greatgrandchild.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Raymond, Otto and Roscoe Baker; three sisteres, Lennius Graham, Evie Jones and Alma Norwood.



Roast Beef Burritos 1 beef roast 1/2 cup flour 1 teaspoon garlic salt 1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper l can green chilis l-cup picante sauce 8 ounces grated cheddar cheese 1 package flour tortillas Rub roast with flour and seasonings. Brown in hot oil on both sides. Place in roasting pan and bake at 325 degrees until done. 1-2 hours depending on size of roast. Remove from oven; cool and chop; reserve drippings. Make gravy with drippings. Add roast, chilis,

she was nervous when she first mar-

ried because her mother-in-law, Anne

Blanton, is such a good cook. She just

didn't know if she could measure up!

Mrs. Anne has generously shared

many recipes, but Della leaves the co-

conut cream pies to her, as hers are

in the yard in her spare time. She and

which Jacob is a member.

Jeff work with the Midway 4-H Club

The recipes she has submitted are

family favorites and we hope you will

enjoy them as much as she has. Her

favorite part of cooking is the smiles

and compliments she gets from her

family and watching the boys clean

We'll see you in the kitchen.

Della enjoys reading and working

the best

their plates.

Thursday, May 31

Della Blanton, Detroit

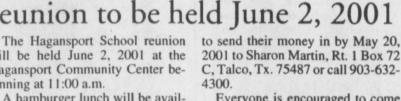
ture on tortillas and serve. Monkey Bread 1 cup milk 1 cup margarine-divided 4 tablespoons sugar teaspoon salt

package yeast 3-1/2 cups flour

Melt 1/2 cup margarine in saucepan. Add milk, sugar, salt and yeast; stir until sugar and yeast dissolve. Place flour in large mixing bowl forming a well in center; pour in liquid and mix well. Place bowl greased with 1 tablespoon cooking oil; turn once; cover with cloth and let rise to double (about I hour). Punch down and turn out onto floured surface. Roll out 1/2 inch thick. Cut into squares. Melt remaining margarine and dip squares into margarine. Layer in bundt pan. Let rise again for 30 minutes. Bake at 350 degrees for about 30 minutes until golden brown. Hint: Squares can also be dipped into cinnamon-sugar mixture and then butter for added flavor.

picante and cheese. Spoon meat mix-





Benefit supper to be held for Ashley Lynn Murphy

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A benefit Spaghetti Supper and Cake Walk will be held Saturday, June 9, 2001 beginning at 5:00 p.m. at the Bagwell Community Center in Bagwell, Tx. for Ashley Lynn Murphy, infant daughter of Charles and Staci Murphy of Clarksville and granddaughter of Benny and Kitty Mys and Mike and Paula Murphy.

Ashley is a patient at Medical Center Hospital in Dallas. She was born

January 16, 2001 and has underwent heart surgery and is still having complications.

The meal will be \$3.50 each, Children 12 and under may eat free. Your donations to help this family will be greatly appreciated. For more information please call Cami Murphy at 925-3820; Janice Patterson at 652-2621 or Linda Eilers at 632-4530.

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雕 Fulbright News By Betty Rodgers

Weekend visitors of Clovis and Katy VanDeaver were Linda Salter and granddaughter, Myranda Salter of Brady, Lana VanDeaver of Trinity, Shanna James of Lovelady, Tiffany and Ty Stubblefield of Centerville and Larann and John Denison of Rosalie. They all had dinner Saturday in Paris with Mitzie and Gary Pirtle. Then all attended graudation for North Lamar High School. Michael Pirtle was one of the graduates.

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to hold reunion

The Gullion family reunion will be held Saturday, June 16 at the Bogata Community Center. Please make plans to attend.

Bring food and something for the auction. Friends are invited to come by and visit.

E-mail group meets at South Lake

On Saturday, May 26, a group of geneologists known as the Red River County E-mail List Group met at the clubhouse on South Lake for lunch and fellowship. Many who were brought together through the Red River County GenWeb Internet had never met, but had been communicating with each other regularly about their common interests, Red River County and geneology.

Those present were Jim Giddens of Paris, John W. Howison of Bogata, Lawrence and Sue Dale of Blossom, Sharon Black of Paris, Cynthia and Stan Samples of Plano, Sarah Ragsdill of Sulphur Springs, Glenda Holder of Linden, Debra Usury of Paris, Kay Harris of Flower Mound, Mary Hausler of Clarksville, J.R. and Bertha Gable of Talco, Angela Nance of Dallas, Mike Gibson of Mesquite, Johnie Lee of Detroit, Tom Watson of Heath, Rejeana Kelly Vaughn of Venus, Evelyn Haddock Kelly of Avery, Joyce Austin of Denton and Carrie Pierce, Al Pierce and Roy and Owen Pierce, all of Greenville.

An enjoyable time was had by all and other reunions will likely be planned for future years.



* The Post is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight and Saturday from 12:00 noon until 1:00 a.m. Pool tables and shuffle board are open to enjoy all the time.

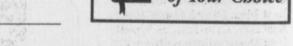
* The Ladies Auxiliary will meet the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

* The VFW men will meet the 2nd and 4th Monday of each moth at 7:00 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

Sincerely, Mike Sparks

will always be remembered.

to me and my family.



Horsemanship school scheduled

Red River County 4-H will be sponsoring a horsemanship school on June 11-12.

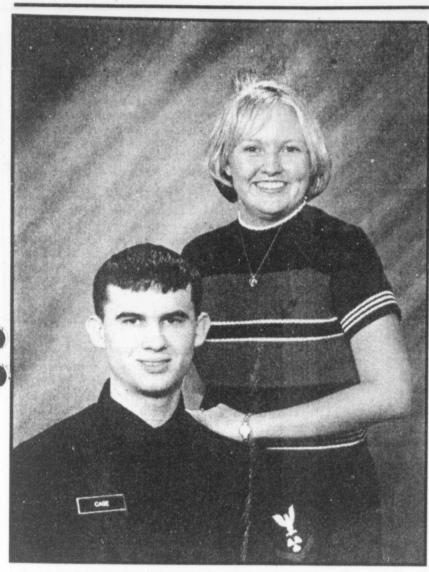
The school is targeted toward area youth and is taught by college students of the Equine Department of Texas A&M. The two day school wiill include instruction on safety, bits and bitting, correct use of body, leg and rein aids, stopping and other horsemanship.

Riders will work in groups and continue to work on exercises in leads, circles, backing, two track and side pass and other more advanced maneuvers. The school will begin at 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day at the Circle C Ranch near Detroit.

Participation is limited to the first 25 youth registering. For information, call 427-3867.



Thursday, May 31, 2001



Lisa Renee Shirley and Ryan Heath Case

Shirley-Case engagement announced

William Ray and Susan Shirley of Bogata would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lisa Renee Shirley to Petty Officer 3rd Class Ryan Heath Case, son of Bruce and Tammie Case of Talco.

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The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Bro. and Mrs. Billy Daniels of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Shirley of Clarksville. She is the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Carter of Grand Saline. Sheis a 1999 graduate of Rivercrest High School and has been attending the Greenville Technical Center toward a degree in nursing

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. "Buster" Case of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Hare of Sulphur Bluff. He is the great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Haley of Mt. Vernon. He is a 2000 graduate of Rivercrest High School and is enlisted in the United States Navy. He is attending the Naval Nuclear Power Training Command in Charleston, South Carolina. The couple will reside in Ballston Spa, New York where he will be attending the Nuclear Power Training Unit. Wedding vows will be exchanged

at 5:00 p.m. on June 23, 2001, at the Bogata Missionary Baptist Church. No formal invitations will be sent. All family and friends are invited to attend.



WELCOME-to Rivercrest!! Steven Moss, the new Rivercrest **Rebel Band Director arrived last** week and immediately began work meeting his students and is already preparing for the coming year. Ladies, he is single! Mr. Moss comes to RHS from Harts Bluff School where he did his student teaching. He is a Arkansas college graduate and is an air force brat. When asked for a home town he said, "My parents were Air Force", which told this reporter all I needed to know since my nieces and nephews are Air Force brats. Mr. Moss and the Rebel Band are wished every success in the coming year. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Services held at Theford Homes

A group of 23 friends and residents of Thedford Homes met for a servie on May 1, 2001 honoring Mother's Day. Corsages were awarded to the oldest mothers; Mildred Tucker, Estelle Simms, Omie Ellenburg, mothers with the most children; Helen Harper nad Nanie Ham and youngest mother; Tamra Hutchens. They enjoyed many laughs over an Ann Landers column on "Momisms". There were no birthdays as no one is getting any older right now.

Following lunch, prayer request were taken. Marlyn Moore illustrated "I Found In in Mother's Bible" in sign language. Charlotte Brumbalow sang "Build My Mansion Next Door to Jesus". An orginal poem written by Mildren Tucker, "My Mother's Hands", was read. "If I Could Hear My Mother Pray Again" was sung by Sarah Fleming and Nadine Gore and "Mother Loves Her Children" was done by Bessie Jones.

Dorothy Johnson brought an illustrated devotion based on a missionary's testimony, "The Price of a Cocoanut"

Everyone received a "Precious end in May. All family and friends Memories" book mark. Door prizes are encouraged make their calendars donated by nanie Bell Ham were also given out.



BRITTANY K. BARNETT will graduate May 25 from Commerce High School in ceremonies held at Texas A&M University-Commerce Social Science Auditorium. She is a member of the National Honor Society, and received the Suma Cum Laude Achievement Award. She will attend the Univesity of Texas at Arlington in August, 2001. She is the daughter of Billy and Evelyn Scales of Bogata and granddaughter of Edward and Emma Fulbright and James and Toni Fulbright, all of Fulbright and has a sister, Jazz Barnett. She was Valedictorian of Bogata/Talco Junior High School in 1997-98. She will pursue a major in MBA and a minor in Sociology.



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Mayes family reunion held May 5 day was the "Moon Walk" rented by Ralph Mayes. The younger and older

The Mayes Family Reunion was held May 5, 2001 and was once again a huge success. This year's attendance was 93 people. Prayer was led by Pete Smith. In keeping with tradition, the food was bountiful and delicious. With all the visiting that was

children really enjoyed it. Next year's reunion will be held the first weekandmake plans to attend.

going on, they still managed to play a few games and judge a few contests. The winners were as follows:

Best Meat Dish-Ralph Mayes. Best Side Dish-Frances Rozell. Best Dessert-Laverne Ringgold. Oldest Mayes- Melba Varner. Mrs. Varner travled all the way from California to attend this year's gathering. It was really nice to see her again.

Touchy Feely-This year the women

were blind folded and found their husbands quite easily. But, Ruby Lenaway just couldn't seem to fin Mr. Lenaway and insited that he wasn't there. Ruby may not have ever taken her blindfold off because Ed is still sitting in the parking lot!

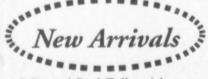
It is a shame to report Margie Mayes and Larry Garretson did not win a thing. But, the biggest hit of the

Denison receives degree

Dru Denison, son of John and Larann Denison of Bogata received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Biology from Austin College during commencement ceremonies on the campus May 20, 2001. Nearly 300 students received Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts in Teaching degrees during the event.

The commencement address was offered by poet and author Maya Angleou, who, along with baccalaureate speaker, the Reverend David Peterson, and Congressman Ralph Hall, received honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degrees from Austin College. The student address was presented by graduation senior Daniel Villarreal of Dallas.

Austin College is a 152-year-old liberal arts college related by covenant to the Presbyterian Church (USA). Approximately 1,200 stu-dents attend the college located 60 miles north of Dallas. The College has long been recognized for academic excellence and has been included in numerous college guides.



Julie and Paul Tully wish to announce with thankful hearts the arrival of another precious daughter, Erin Caitlin, who arrived at 1:44 p.m. April 17, 2001 at Arlington Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Erin is welcomed by her sister, Anna, grandparents, Jerry and Rhonda Brown of Talco, Brendon and Nancy Tully and Pat Tully and great grandmother, Betty Krisch.



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Thursday, May 31, 2001

Bryson family reunion to be held

The descendants fo the late T.L. and Jessie Guion Bryson will hold a family reunion on Saturday, June 16, 2001

and Martha Bryson at Rosalie. A meal will be served at 1:00 p.m. All family and friends are invited to come enjoy the meal and visiting.

The site will be the home of Duane

NOTICE DETROIT CEMETERY ASSOCIATION Meeting will be held on SUNDAY, JUNE 3rd at 2:00 p.m. in the **Martin Memorial Church** Fellowship Hall, Detroit

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VIRGIL JONES AND JO ANSCHUTZ-show the Talco Kindergarten class about banking on a recent tour. Following the tour the bank staff treated the children to refreshments. The students report looking at the money vault the best part of their trip.

TAMU announces graduates, honors lists

A total of 647 students received grade point average on a minimum diplomas at Texas A&M University-Commerce at ceremonies on May 12. Of degrees awarded, 459 were bachelors' degrees, 175 were masters' degrees and 13 were doctoral degrees

Local students receiving degrees were:

From Blossom: Kristy L. Cantrell, BS; Stephanie R. Dunagan, BS.

From Bogata: Marla Gayle Williams, BS.

The President's honor roll and Deans' list for the 2001 spring semester has been announced. To be eligible for the President's Honor Roll, a student must earn a straight A or 4.00 grade point average on a minimum of 12 semester hours. Deans' List students must post at least a 3.25

of 12 semester hours.

Local students included are: Bagwell: Deans' List, Stephanie M. Green.

Blossom: Deans' List, Randi L Hunt and William L. St. John.

Bogata: President's Honor Roll, Jared Shane Watson. Deans' List, Gary W. Cheatwood Jr., Susan M. Schmidt and Julie Marie Watkins. Deport: Deans' List, Crystal

Simmons Folse. Detroit: Deans' List, Scotty G. Coleman, Mary L. Hart, Lene Marshall, Jennifer L. Means.

Pattonville: Deans' List, Staci Lynn Chaney and Stephanie E. Haggard.

Talco: Deans' List, Kenlea R. Jones, Jonathan H. Taylor.





ANNA ELIZABETH PARK daughter of Mary Park and Keith Park and granddaughter of Frances William Rozell, received Outstanding Senior Award as part of the Sulphur Springs Blue Blazer drill team. Anna has been a front line officer of the drill team during her senior year. She will graduate as a Texas Scholar on June 1. Her plans are to attend Northeast **Texas Community College in** the fall of 2001.

Red River Healthcare News

Brown. William, Alex and Brandy Red River Healthcare honored Brown. Visiting Melvin Pointer was

Daphne Pointer.

Visiting Billie Hancock was Bob Thornton, Gloria Barrett, Shirley Smith, Virginia O'donnell and Margie Myers.

Visiting Maxine Topping was Nell Gardner, Jay Hancock, Virginia O'Donnell, Alecia Gibson, Margie Myers, Bob and Jitter Thornton, Sandra Benson and Shirley Smith, Jean Taylor, June Freeman, Robert and Kaye Reasoner, Merle Hughes and Esther Tillman.

Visiting Doris Glover was Virginia O'Donnell and Margie Myers. Weldon and Joyce Smith. Charlene, Knowles.

Visiting Vera Craddock was Virginia O'Donnell and Margie Myers, Joyce Smith.

Visting Leila Whitehead was Cheryl and Ed.

Visiting Grady Williams was Doug, Dolly and Michelle, Dan, Danielle and Cody.

Visiting Robert Ashford was Bobby Kennedy Visiting Stasha Hume was Ina

Visiting Nina Hudson was Merle

Visiting Lucy Jenkins was Jim

Visiting Mary Brown was Eva

Vistiing Dorothy Stockton was

Visiting Ollie Redwine was Mary

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Sandra Stockton.

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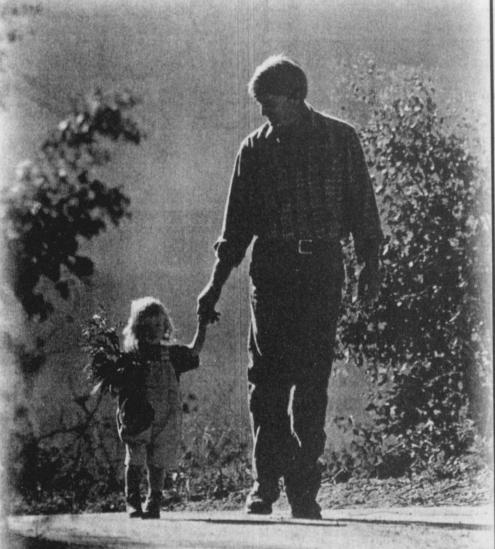
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- Visiting Gladys Tucker was Clifton Tucker, Nelda Maynard. Visiting George Hancock were
- Betty and Buck Ramsey.

their residents with birthdays in May

with a party and bingo. Bogata Book

Club sponsored the party. Cake and

punch were served to those attend-

ing. Those celebrating May birthdays

were Beulah Darby, Bonnie Elson,

Inez Henson, Athel Hester and

Kathryn Claypool. Happy birthday to

In July, Red River Healthcare is

planning a summer vacation getaway

for residents. If you have traveled to

different places in the United States

or abroad, and would be interested in coming and showing pictures,

postcards, etc. of your trip, please

contact Darnell davis at 632-5479.

We would like for them to experience the fun and knowledge of learning

about new places, even though they may not be able to travel there.

Visiting Oma McKinney was Ima

Vistiing Maudie Lee was Ruth

Visiting Vernona Young was Jalen

Lee, Sheri and Slade Gist and Ollie

Foster, Betty and Don Brock, Trica

each of these residents.

Visiting James Latimer were Betty and Buck Ramsey, Ray Morphew.

Vistiing Juanita Kelley was Rob and Doris Cannon.

Visitnig Vivian Fail, R. Swarts and G. Miller was Grace Hearron.

Visiting Martha Parker was James Latimer.

Visiting Kathryn Presley was Mary Ann Clancy, Marilyn and Ronnie Presley.

Visiting Vivian Fail was Jimmie Fail, Sister Weed, Marilyn and Ronnie Presley.

Visiting Sheila Gibson was Betty Gibson.

Visiting Geraldene Ogg was Brandy Brown, Lynn Knight, Leah and Tony Merritt, William, Alex, Brandy Brown.

Visiting Juanita Fisher was Brandy

Ann Clancy. Vistiing Leon Tuck was Patricia Freelen and Emalee Freelen.

Visiting Aubrey Herring was Carron Herring.

Visiting Dorothy Posey was Margaret Smith.

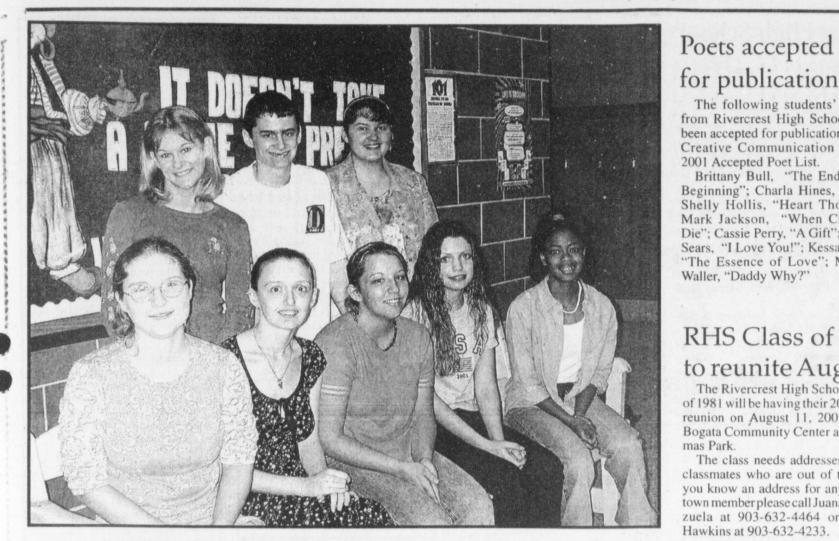
Visiting John and Willie Mae Topping was Linda Williams, Melissa Huggins.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Elson was Opal Benson, Ronald and Dorothy Benson.

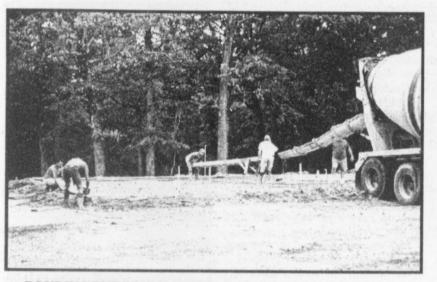
Look For More End-of-School Year Awards Photos in Upcoming Editions



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POETS-Rivercrest High School students recently became printed poets. Pictured are; (back from the left) Brittany Bull, Mark Jackson and Shelly Hollis and (front from the left) Melissa Waller, Kessa Smith, Kayla Sears, Cassie Perry and Charla Hines. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



POURING THE FOUNDATION-The foundation was being poured for the new Maple Springs Church Fellowship Hall Tuesday morning. The new building will replace the old church building and will serve not only for the church but for the community. (Staff **Photo Nancy Brown**)

ROSALIE MASONIC LODGE # 527 SCHOLARSHIP-Buford Hervey and Robert Lewis were proud to present Clinton Cheatwood with the Rosalie Masonic Lodge # 527 Scholarship at Monday's Rivercrest Awards Program. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



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CUNNINGHAM NEWS

Nelta and Johnny Musgrove spent their 45th Anniversary at the hospital and then they ate at the Fish Fry. Johnny had too much fluid on his heart and they had to drain it. He is doing better and will have more tests June 5th Stacy and Linda Musgrove spent the weekend in Dixon, Tennessee. Georgia, Billy Ray and Neva Oats went to the wedding of Erik and

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Mayse Lake over the weekend. Logan Norwood celebrated his 13th birthday Sunday with a party at Bob Sandlin Lake. A huge group of

Cunningham. Cunningham moved to Lake Bob Sandlin for the weekend. There were more people from Cunningham at the

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Cheryl Roddy in Blossom Saturday. Leonard, Billie and David Ford

and Lillian King camped out at Pat

family and friends enjoyed hot dogs, cake and ice cream.

Geneva Norwood and Neva Oats attended a Bridal Shower for Marsha Lane, bride elect of Brandon Oats in Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Brandon Oats and Marsha Lane will be married Friday, June 1st, 7:30 p.m. at Life Tabernacle Church in Cunningham. Everyone is invited to attend the wedding and reception.

lake than in town! John White and his family visited Charles and Cindy Nichols t their

home at Lake Bob Sandlin. Sunday guests of Bobby and Shelby Kennedy were Heath, Missy, Laytnor and Layknor Kennedy, T.L. and Brigette Ladd and Taylor Ladd.



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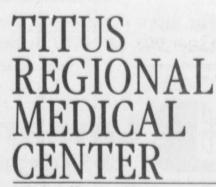
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200-2001 Library Donations at River crest High School

The following books were donated to the Rivercrest High School Library during the 200-2001 school year:

Celebrating 70: Mark McGwire's Historic Season-in memory of Roy Lee Hutson by the Mark Hare Family.

The Bear and the Dragon by Tom Clancy-in memory of Jeff Moles by the Boyd Griffin family.

The Hades Factor by Robert Ludlum and Gayle Lynds-in memory of Jeff Moles by Mrs. T.J. Fowler.

Beyond the Great Snow Mountains by Louis L'Amour-in memory of Joshua Lance Belcher by Mr. and Mrs. Randall Mayes and Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks.

Sosa: an Autobiography by Sammy Sosa in memory of Joshua Lance Belcher and Ennis Moore by Richard, Kay & Kim Ross.

Making The Corps by Thomas E. Ricks-in memory of Audrey Rodgers by Richard, Kay and Kim Ross.

Fatalis by Jeff Rovin-in memory

starting at 9:00 a.m. with the Elemen-

Kindergarten, Mrs. Huddleston and

Good Attendance: Dustin Rose,

Emily Ward, Aaron Whitney, Allix

Brunson, Lucchese Gordon, Heath

Holt, Kendall Kelley, Joshua

First grade, Mrs. Ross and Mrs.

Good Attendance: Brian Sessums

All A Honor Roll: Jed Burge, Carter

All A & B: Camen Calvin, Angela

Kelsey, Blake Richardson, Jordan

Thompson and Samantha Thompson.

Douthitt, Jacob Harville, Heather

Holt, Trevor Jessee, Angelikamaria

Ramirez, Jake Sheffield, Tyler

Easley, Kolten Stringer, Haley Strunc,

Raven Travillion and Brittany

Mrs. Weddle's classes: Perfect At-

tendance: Brady Kennedy.

lor Stafford and Jordan White.

Second Grade, Mrs. Stockton and

Good Attendance: Jesse Ross, Tay-

All A Honor Roll: Brady Kennedy

Hudson's classes: Perfect Attendance:

Mrs. Brown's classes: Perfect Atten-

awards were as follows:

dance-Kellen Stringfellow.

Newsom and Samuel Reeves.

Heather Holt and Carter Kelsey.

and Tyler Easley

Walesiak.

and Jesse Ross.

of Jeff Moles and Don Nolen by Richard, Kay and Kim Ross.

It's Not About The Bike: My Journey Back to Life by Lance Armstrong-in memory of Travis and Mable Hale by Richard, Kay & Kim Ross.

Dead Man Walking-an Eyewitness of the Death Penalty in the United States-by Sister Helen Prejean in memory of Roy Lee Hutson by Richard, Kay and Kim Ross.

The Autumn of the Gun by Ralph Compton and Monument Rock by Louis L'Amour in memory of Mary Williams by Mrs. Margaret Fowler.

The Girl Who Loved Tom Gordon by Stephen King-in memory of Mrs. Ruby Lewis by the Jimmy Via Fam-

Calvary-the History of a Fighting Elite, 650-BBC-AD 1914, by Velimir Vuksic and Zoonimir Grbasic-in memory of W.T. Harbison by the Red River Appraisal District.

A Treasury of Titanic Tales by Webb Garrison in memory of Brit Phillips by Mrs. Margaret Fowle Boone's Luck by Larry McMurtryin memory of Scott Edward Ward by Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Fowler

The Cases that Haunt Use: From Jack the Ripper to JonBenet Ramsey by John Douglas and Mark Olshaker

in memory of Scott Edward Ward by Mrs. Paula Speir. A Charge to Keep by George W.

Bush in memory of Scott Edward Ward by Mr. and Mrs. Don Stockton.

The Marines Book: A Portrait of America's Military Elite by Chuck Lawliss in memory of Scott Edward Ward by Mr. and Mrs. Berney Huddleston

The Last Magic Summer: A Season With My Son by Peter Gent in memory of Scott Edward Ward by the Mark Hare family.

Badge of Valor: The National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial by Brent Ashabranner in memory of Robert Goode, father of Robbie Beville by the Jimmy Via Family.

The Job by Douglas Kennedy in memory of Robert Giddens by the Mark and Debbie Hare family.

At Dawn We Slept, the Untold Story of Pearl Harbor by Gordon W. Prange in memory of Junior Hare by Don and Sandra Stockton.

Special Forces: A Guided Tour of U.S. Army Special Forces by Tom Clancy in memory of Charles Huyett by T.J. and Margaret Fowler.

The Men Who Wear The Star: The Story of the Texas Rangers by Charles M. Robinson III in memory of Charles Huyett by Dona and Sandra Stockton. The Courage To Teacher: Exploring The Inner Landscape Of A Teacher's Life by Parker J. Palmer in memory of Robert Giddens by Mr. and Mr.s Jimmy Via and family.

NFL's Greatest: Pro Football's Best Players, Teams and games by Phil Barber and John Fawaz in memory of Charles Huyett by Boyd, Kay and Josh Griffin.

Every Donation is deeply appreciated by the students and staff. Donations may be mailed to Mrs. Margaret Fowler, Rivercrest High School Library, Rt. 1, Box 253, Bogata, TX 75417.

Each donation is recognized with a bookplate in the front of the book

Red River County Sheriff's Report May 20-26

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cruelty in Detroit.

holds 57 inmates.

May 20: Traffic accident on SH37 at Sulphur River Bridge; suspicious vehicle on CR1700; report of theft on CR2235

May 21: Inmate released for transport to Pennsylvania on their parole warrant; male arrested on charge of failure to identify; inmate transported to county jail on charge of deadly conduct; animal complaint on FM1159; terroristic threat in Detroit; female arrested on Bowie County warrant for fraud/insufficient funds check and Lamar County warrant for theft by check; burglary of habitation in Hopewell community; inmate released on charge of DWI.

May 22: Report of activated alarm in Detroit; male arrested on charge of violation of probation; male arrested on charge for violation of probation; inmate transported to county jail on charge of unlawful carrying of a weapon; inmate transported to county on bench warrant for court appearance; report of family disturbance in Ackworth community

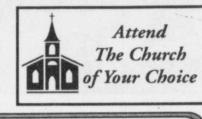
May 23: Activated alarm in De-

stating who made the donation and in whose memory or honor it was made. A card is sent to the family notifying them of the donation in memory of their loved one. Donations of books or cash are acceptable.

One convicted of DWI

On May 23, 2001, a Red River County jury, composed of three women and three men, found Red River County resident, Danny Wayne Martin, age 25, guilty of Driving While Intoxicated, first offense. the Jury deliberated for 32 minutes before returning the guilty verdict.

"This case shows that Red River County residents are going to be tough on intoxicated drivers", said Red River County Attorney Val J. Varley. Martin chose to allow the Judge to impose sentence for the conviction. Sentence will be imposed next week by Red River County Judge Powell W. Peek.



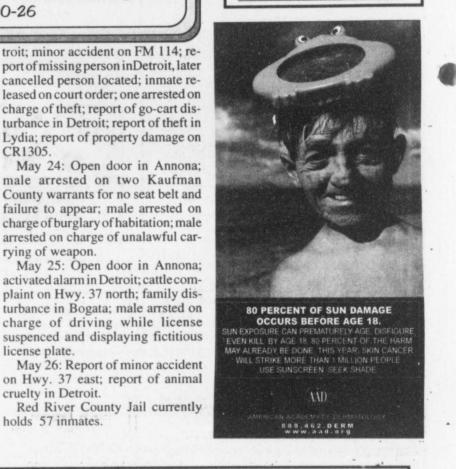
Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE Detroit I.S.D. is now accepting bids on bread and ice cream products for the 2001-2002 school year. Deadline for these bids will be June 1, 2001 at 12:00 noon. Bids will be submitted at the June 11, 2001 board meeting. Detroit ISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids. If you have any questions you may contact Mary Ann Hoskins at 903-674-6131. 5-31

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All those applying for an application can at the City of Deport, 201 Main St., P.O. Box 354A, Deport, TX 75435-0354 or call 903-652-3875 for more information. All applicants must have their application and resumes in by July 9, 2001 by 5:00 p.m. Mayor Charles Foster City of Deport 6-28



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program held at Bogata School May 24 The annual end of year awards Hawkins, Nathon Taylor, Anthony Watkins, Staci Whitaker and Kayla program was held at the Bogata School on Thursday, May 24, 2001 Whitney

Annual end of year awards

All A Honor Roll: Tara Cunningham and Cheyenne Williams. tary awards. Students receiving

All A & B: Jarod Davidson, Matthew Haynes, Tara Raulston, Jessica Bassett, Niki Lewis and Kayla Whitney

Fifth Grade, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Jordan's classes: Perfect Attendance: Katelyn Van Deaver and Colt Crawford.

Attendance: Franny Good Galyean, Taylor Anderson, Colby Horn, Sarah Jean, Ethan Meredith, Aaron Rolen and Jordan Stafford.

All A Honor Roll: Aaron Lum, Kaylee McIntire, Katelyn Van Deaver and Jessica Thompson

All A & B: Kristen Clark, Miriam Williams, Taylor Anderson, Lauren Mauldin and Ethan Meredith.

Receiving the Music Award from Mrs. Neva Oats was Glen Cruise.

Students who placed in the Red River County Soil and Water Conservation Poster Contest were recognized. They were: 4th grader, Tara Raulston who received Honorable Mention and 5th graders; Katelyn Van Deaver who placed 2nd; Dakota Davidson who placed 3rd and Carmen Martin who received Honorable Mention

At 10: 30 a.m. the Bogata Junior All A & B: Carmen Allen, Dillon High awards program began. Principal, Bill Mabry welcomed the guests Cortez, Haley Lemme, Sammy and the program began with Linda Gray presenting the A.M.Akin Awards and Accelerated Reader Awards. Receiving the Bogata Book Club Award presented by Mary Kathryn Cotten was Nikki O'Donnell and then class awards began. Students receiving awards were as follows:

Watson's classes: Good Attendance: Payden Franks, R.C. Pitts, Matt Ross, Kerri Simmons, Kacey Van Deaver and Brandon Williams. All A Honor Roll: Kerri Simmons

and Kacey Van Deaver.

All A & B: Holly Brunson, Payden Franks, Koren Hawkins and Saleena Whitaker.

Mrs. Alsup presented Cheerleading awards to: Casey Hammonds, Jill Shirley, Mandy Crawford and Bailie Spencer.

Mrs. Alsup presented the 2000-2001 Student Council Awards to: President, Koren Hawkins; Vice President, Mandy Crawford; Secretary/Treasurer, Kerri Simmons; 8th grade representatives, Kacey Van Deaver and Payden Franks; 7th grade representatives, Sarah Hare and Bailie Spencer and 6th grade representatives, Lauren Beers and Micah Haynes.

The top ten junior high students were recognized. They are: Kacey Van Deaver with a 99.2 GPA; Kerri Simmons with a 98.9 GPA; Lee Jordan with a 94.483 GPA; Bailie Spencer with a 94.433 GPA; Lauren Beers with a 93.483 GPA; Aaron Palmer with a 93.216 GPA; Koren Hawkins with a 93.1 GPA; Adam Horn with a 92.65 GPA; Payden Franks with a 92.6 GPA and Kelly Shade with a 92.2 GPA. The students all received medals sponsored by the Student Council

Eighth Grade, Mrs. Pitts and Mrs.

Newsom, Jessica Smith, Taylor Stafford, T.J. Stahley, Kari Taylor, Kirston Weddle, Haley Bivins, Alison Mauldin, Jordan White and Amber Whitney

Third Grade, Mrs. Reeder and Mrs. Kennedy's classes: Perfect Attendance: Travis Emeyabbi, Seton Hawkins and Heather Story.

Good Attendance: Aaron Haley, James Don White and Dustin Gentry. All A Honor Roll: Jessica Jessee,

Chase Richards and Clay Rose. All A & B: Callie Anderson, Aaron Haley, Seton Hawkins, Brittany Littrell, Kaitlan Perkins, Garrett Sheffield, Aaron Burns, Ty Crump, Dakota Earley, Hailey Screws and

Kaley Stringfellow. Fourth Grade, Mrs. Purviance and Mrs. Holeman's classes: Perfect Attendance: Niki Lewis and Kaimbri White.

Good Attendance: Tara Cunningham, Jarod Daivson, Matthew Haynes, Jimmy Schmidt, Valerie Vaughan, Joshua Walker, Seth

for more information.

Sixth Grade, Mrs. Alsup and Coach Oats classes: Perfect Attendance: Lauren Beers and Julie Pirtle.

Good Attendance: Lillian Barid, Cortney Merchant, Vallery Schmidt, Vikki Schmidt, Kelly Shade, Jeremiah Story and William Vaughan.

All A & B Honor Roll: Vallery Schmidt and Ashley Shew.

Seventh Grade, Mr. Easterling and Mrs. Stringfellow's classes: Perfect Attendance: Ketih Williams.

Good Attendance: Mark Allums, Douglas Briggle, Mandy Crawford, Tiffany Giles, Sarah Hare, Adam Horn, Josh Nailling, Bailie Spencer, Callie Stafford and Katie Ward.

Special Recognition Awards were presented from Marilyn Burleaud to

Students receiving Academic Jackets this year were: Payden Franks, Koren Hawkins, Kerri Simmons, Kacey Van Deaver, Saleena Whitaker

als/Certificates were:

English-Jessica Fenner Reading/Spelling-Kerri Simmons Science-R.C. Pitts Math-Saleena Whitaker History-Kacey Van Deaver

The program ended with the recognition of the Valedictorian: Kerri Simmons; Salutatorian: Kacey Van Deaver and 7th Grade Ushers: Aaron Palmer and Bailie Spencer.



American Heart Association Stroke Support Group Speaker: Ray Boland of the American Stroke Association. Monday, June 11, 2:00 p.m. - TRMC Auditorium. Call 903-577-6299

PSAs for \$10 June 18-22, 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Thursday, June 21, hours will be 8:00 a.m. -8:00 p.m. - TRMC Lab

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PEER PRESSURE

We hear a lot about "peer pressure" today. Usually, the contest of such discussions centers upon our teens. Some boyfriend, girl friend or group at school is trying to get "little Johnny" or "little Suzie" to do something that they should not, or not to do something that they should. Now "little Johnny" or "little Suzie" knows what the right thing to do is..but, they want so very much to fit in , and be accepted by their peers, and thus you have "peer pressure".

Brethren, two myths need to be dispelled. Myth #1-Peer pressure" is a new phenomenon. My friends, "there is no new thing under the sun" (Eccl. 1:9). We may not have always used the label "peer pressure" but the concept is now new. It was in the garden of Eden. Adam was not deceived (1 Tim. 2:4), but it was "peer pressure" to which he succumbed. Thus, this concept is not new. It is, in fact, one of Satan's oldest ploys. Myth "2-"peer pressure" only affects the young. No, on the contrary, it affects adults too. Notice the words of John 12:42-43: "Nevertheless among the chief rulers also many believed on Him (Christ-B.H.); but because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him (Christ-B.H.), lest they should be put out of the synagogue: For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God. It was "peer pressure" that prompted Pilate's release of Barabbas, and deliverance of Jesus to be crucified (Mark 15:9-15). Peer pressure is a very real thing. It has existed for ages. It affects the young and old alike.

What can be done? (1) We must honestly ask ourselves, "Whose praise and friendship do I want? (2) We must acquaint ourselves with the fact: to compromise truth for the sake of earthly friends is to love those friends more than God (John 12:43), and in fact, is to make oneself an enemy of God (John 14:15, John 15:14; 1 John 2:15-17). (3) We should be selective in choosing our friends (1 Cor. 15:33; Prov. 22:24-25). We should choose friends that will better us and not hinder us in our walks of righteousness (Prov. 27:17). A friend worth having will not seek to influence or pressure us to do evil (1 Cor. 13:6; Prov. 27:5-6). (4) We, as God's people need to have close fellowship one with another, so that members of the church do not feel that they have to look elsewhere for acceptance and love. (2 John 5). (5) We must remember that the true Christian never will be popular with the majority (Luke 6:26; 2 Tim. 3:12; Matt. 10:25). We must accept this. (6) We must remember that even if all on earth reject us, we still have a friend who has promised "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee" (Heb. 13:5; Prov. 18:24)

This message is brought to you from the Talco Church of Christ. Please join us for services: Sunday Bible class 9:45 a.m., worship hour 10:45; evening worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible class at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 31, 2001

Bogata Locals

Thursday, Bo and Peggy Yale of Ft. Worth visited with Chrystine Baker, Tommy and Glenda Corbell and Billie Welch of Blossom. They all enjoyed dinner at TaMolly's in Paris. On Friday the Yale's, Billie Welch and Chrystine Baker visited Bill and Carol Baker in Athens. They all traveled to Murchison and visited Sue and Bob Miears Arabian Horse Ranch where they had a great time riding 4 wheelers and touring the ranch. They also enjoyed a good meal. Also visiting were Steve, Jennifer and Piper Miears of Dallas. Piper is the great granddaughter of Billie Welch. On Saturday morning they all met for breakfast at the Murchison Steak House and from there they toured the new home on Lake Athens of Sue and Bob Miears. They also saw the Fishery on Lake Athens. They returned to the ranch for more visit-

It is well that there is no one without fault, for he would not have a friend in the world. -William Hazlitt

ACS fights cancer in Texas

Cancer patients of all ages, their families and care givers were reached this year with service and rehabilitation programs provided through local American Cancer Society volunteers in every Texas community. These include informaiton delivery, education and support groups, surrivor to patient family visitation and tangeble services such as transportation and home equipment.

Cancer prevention and the importance of early detection are the focus of educational efforts in schools and businesses and for community organizations and health care facilities. Areas of special emphasis are; cancer of the lung, heart, colon, rectum, prosing and a buffet dinner was served to Bo and Peggy Yale, Bill and Carol Baker, Chrystine Baker, Billie Welch, Steve, Jennifer and Piper Miears, Nora Thompson, Ronnie Welch, host and hostess, Bob and Sue Miears. On Sunday, Bo and Peggy Yale, Bille Welch and Chrystine Baker, Sue Miears and Piper met for a buffet breakfast with Bill and Carol Baker. Visiting Ed andLoyce Huddleston

over the weekend were Andrea, Jeff and Brooke McKenzie of Lake Whitney

Billie Welch of Blossom visited Monday with Chrystine Baker. They enjoyed visiting the farm and had supper at Catfish King in Paris.

Tuesday morning Bo Yale of Ft. Worth had eye surgery. He is reported doing well.

Johna Lynne Ingram, daughter of Kirk and Debbie Ingram of Clarksville and the granddaughter of Nadine Ward and the late John Ward of Bogata, Buddy Inhgram of Pris and Larry and Brenda Gibson of Pattonville has been named as the Salutato-

rian of Talco Junior High Eight Grade.

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lines Thanks to the invaluable assistance of over 2 million volunteers, about

200,000 of them in Texas, more than 80% of the money contributed by the public is used for research, patient services and educational programs. This means that only 15% goes into fund-raising and 3% into administration.

The Bogata Community drive is scheduled for June 1-30. For more information or to volunteer your services to the Amercian Cancer Society, please call Kim Kelsey at 903-632-4168.

Talco Locals

Please call in your local news to Nancy Brown at 379-4445

Jerry and Rhonda Brown hosted a cookout Saturday, May 26, 2001 to honor two of their granddaughters, Bre'Ann Stroud, a graduate of Rivercrest High School and Anna Krisch Tully who celebrated her second birthday Thursday, May 24. Chad White smoked briskets for the family while his wife, Felina made the birthday cake and homemade ice cream. Those attending and enjoying the good food and visiting included, Tommy and Becky Stroud, Bre'Ann's parents, Nick, Linda, Coleman and Ty Brown, Julie, Paul and Erin Tully, Anna's parents and baby sister, Rick and Carlene Roberts of Blossom and their grandchildren Wesley and Ashley Roberts, Betty Krisch, Vernon McConnell, Jerica White and her friend Ashley Savage and Kendall Stansell.

Diann Orrill will be moving soon to begin her new teaching job in Avinger. She will be missed at Talco School and in the community.

Bobby, Patty and Kristin Kuhl of Snyder were home for Bobby's mother, Dorothy Stephens, funeral last week. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Shelly Hollis was honored with a graduation party Friday afternoon by her parents and sister, Randy and Sherry Hollis and Robyn. Attending the meal and later the graduation ceremony were; Josh and Sheila Johnson. Claire and Caleb, John and Debbie Mears, Wake and Beth Wood, Kim, Paul and Quinton Anderson, Gene and Cecelia Smith, Shelly's Aunt Audrey and cousin, Alison and special guest her grandparents and great grandfather, Robert Fussell.

Nancy Brown, Marta and Robert Caul Rhoades enjoyed lunch in Mt. Pleasant Friday. Robert Caul visited with Nancy and Eddie Brown in the afternoon.

Misty Deming visited her parents Mike and Martha Deming and Marcus over the weekend. She and Martha attended the wedding shower in honor of Wendi Mears Sunday.

Jack, Jennifer and Jaden Brown attended graduation ceremonies a Paul Pewitt High School Saturday to see Kenneth Paul Johnson graduate. They stayed overnight with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown. On Sunday they, Nancy Brown, Kim, Paul and Quinton Anderson visited the Caldwell Zoo in Tyler.

Jennifer Morgan was hospitalized at Titus County Regional Sunday evening. She is reported doing well.

Rhonda Brown visited with Julie and Paul Tully, Anna and Erin in Arlington Thursday. While there she helped with Anna's second birthday party.

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