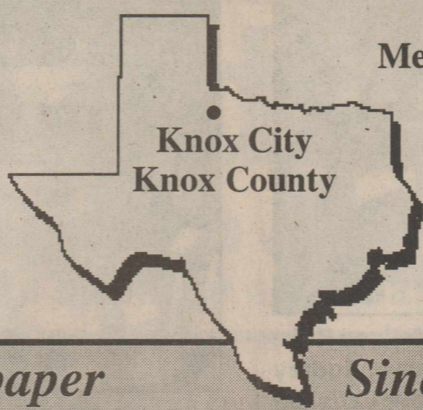


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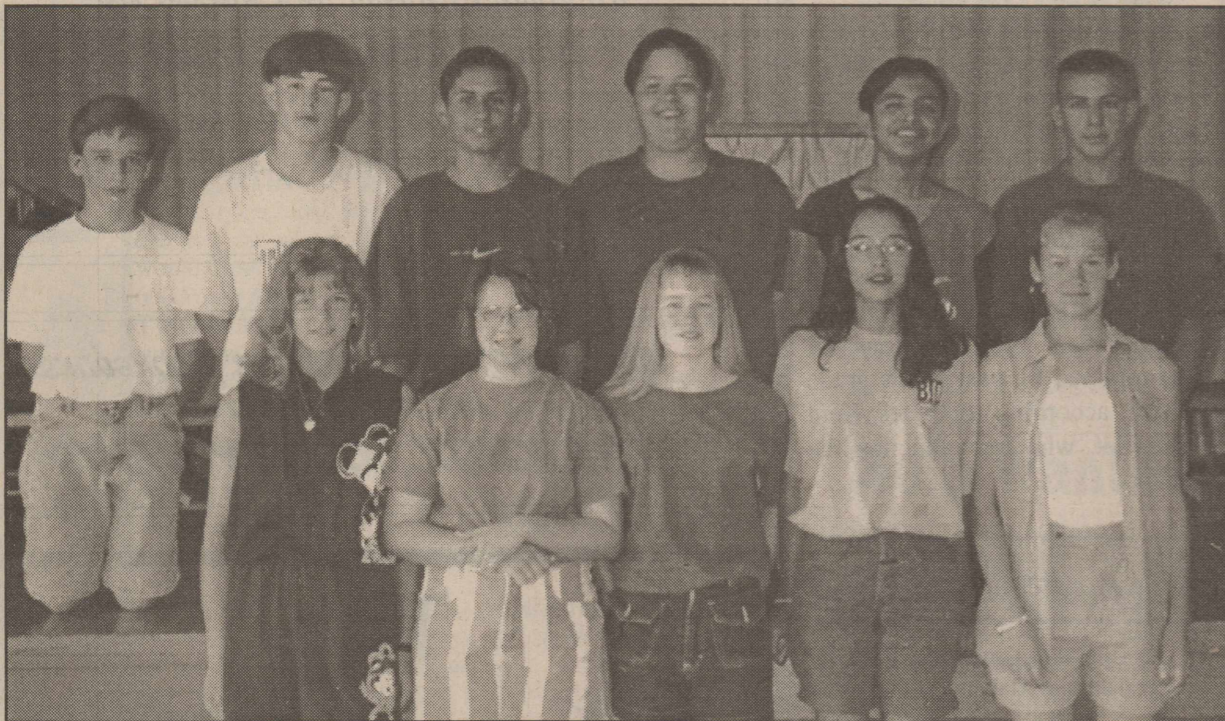
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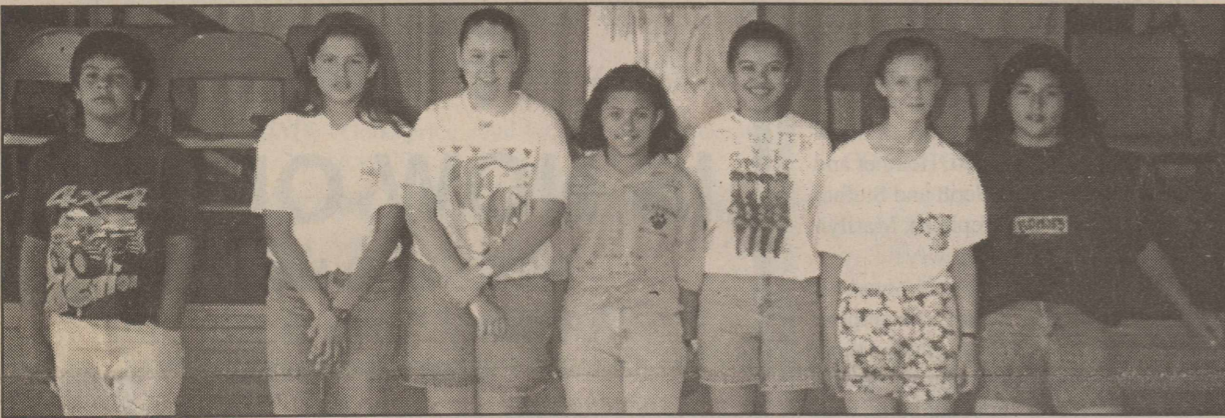
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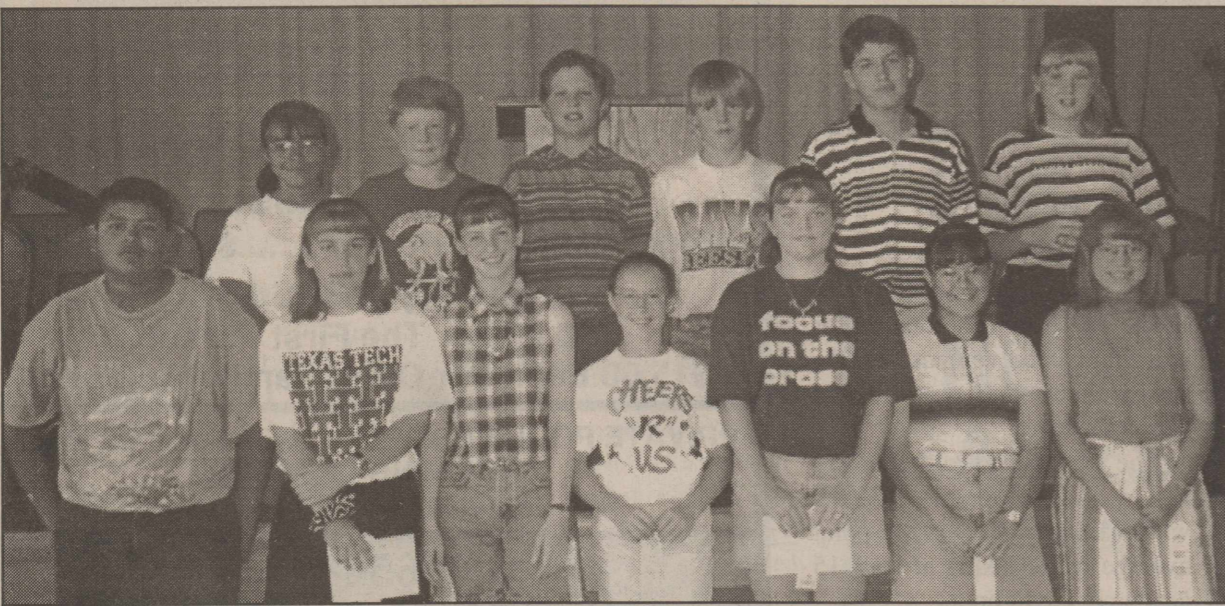
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**EIGHTH GRADE UIL WINNERS**, front row, from left, Roni Morrow, 3rd-Modern Oratory, tie for 3rd-Number Sense; Serena Parker, 4th-Ready Writing; Natalie Bloxham, 3rd-Dictionary Skills, tie for 6th-Listening; Stephanie Pedroza, 5th-Spelling; and Lauren Clonts, 1st-Ready Writing, 6th-Spelling. Back row, from left, R.J. Rizan, tie for 3rd-Number Sense, tie for 6th-Listening and tie for 6th-Earth Science; Nefro Gonzales, 1st-Calculator (Nefro, a seventh grader, competed on the eighth grade level); Jessie Rios, 5th-Impromptu; Jeff Acree, 2nd-Calculator; Ricky Ruiz, 3rd-Maps, Graphs and Charts; and Brandon Gutierrez, 5th-Calculator. (NEWS Photo)



**SEVENTH GRADE UIL WINNERS** are from left, Salvador Silva, tie for 2nd-Number Sense; Kayla Garcia, 4th-Impromptu, 5th-Listening; Amber Collins, 2nd-Calculator, 3rd-Ready Writing; Sonya Contreras, 3rd-Calculator; Audrey Lankford, 1st-Listening, tie for 2nd-Number Sense, 2nd-Modern Oratory; Jennifer Vacek, 1st-Modern Oratory; and Erica Quintana, 6th-Impromptu. Not pictured is Erik Rocha, tie for 2nd-Number Sense. (NEWS Photo)



**SIXTH GRADE UIL WINNERS**, from left, Felipe Sanchez, 2nd-Maps, Graphs & Charts, 6th-Listening; Tiffany Jobe, 4th-Spelling; Candace Anderson, 5th-Calculator; Ashley Bradford, 3rd-Music Memory team; Angela Roberts, 4th-Ready Writing; Leilani Bruce, 3rd-Spelling; and Crystal Hunt, 3rd-Music Memory team. Back row, from left, Melissa Ruiz, 6th-Spelling; Shawn Speck, 2nd-Number Sense; Casey Carver, 1st-Number Sense, 4th-Listening; Lance Rikala, 4th-Dictionary Skills; Michael Wills, 1st-Ready Writing; and Carrie Richardson, 6th-Ready Writing. (NEWS Photo)



**FIFTH GRADE UIL WINNERS** were front row, from left, Kimberly Hawkins, 1st-Listening, 2nd-Art Contest team; Jennifer Eaton, tie for 2nd-Listening, 3rd-Dictionary Skills; Lezli Villa, 1st-Dictionary Skills; Wes Parker, 2nd-Dictionary Skills, tie for 6th-Maps, Graphs, Charts; Kayla Del Valle, 3rd-Ready Writing; and Ashley Leos, tie for 2nd-Art Contest team. Back row, from left, Brad Johnson, tie for 2nd-Art Contest team; Caleb Carver, tie for 5th-Number Sense; B.J. Stewart, tie for 2nd-Listening, tie for 3rd-Music Memory team; Landon Weiershausen, 4th-Oral Reading, tie for 3rd-Music Memory team; Scooter Thompson, 2nd-Number Sense, tie for 2nd-Art Contest team; tie for 3rd-Music Memory team; tie for 4th-Maps, Graphs & Charts; Ashley Jobe, tie for 2nd-Art Contest team; and Ashley Harrison, 1st-Ready Writing. (NEWS Photo)

## ATTENTION KIDS: Riding Your Bike On Downtown Sidewalks Is Dangerous AND Against The Law !

Area youngsters need to pay close attention to this story about riding bicycles. In the brief time since school has been out, several near collisions have occurred on downtown business area sidewalks between bicycle riders and pedestrians. As a result of complaints, City Manager Joe Rice has provided the *Knox County News* with the following information:

From Section 10.1211 of the city ordinances, paragraph (a) reads as follows: No person shall ride a bicycle upon a sidewalk within a business district.

So, to all the youngsters who ride their bikes downtown, remember that you are not only breaking the law if you ride them upon downtown area sidewalks, you also put people at risk of



being struck by you and your bike.

Anyone walking out of a store and not paying attention could be hurt seriously by some of the fast moving bicycles that have been using downtown area sidewalks lately. Parents are reminded that they are ultimately responsible for the actions of their children, and could be held responsible for the medical bills of anyone hurt by their children riding bikes in violation of city ordinance on downtown sidewalks.

Another note of interest is found in section (c) of the same ordinance. It states that whenever a person is riding a bicycle upon any other sidewalk in town (such as in residential areas), the bicycle rider shall yield the right of way to any pedestrian, and shall give an audible signal before overtaking and passing such pedestrian. Remember this is on sidewalks other than those in the downtown business area, on those it is illegal to ride bikes on the sidewalk.

Those of us here at the NEWS office have seen many potentially dangerous accidents with bikes being ridden on the downtown areas sidewalks. We sincerely hope that both parents and youngsters will read this article and take it seriously.

## Storms Hit Area Monday Night

Hard, slanting rains lashed by strong winds invaded the Big Country from the north Monday night.

The storm activity began in northern Knox County and moved south, southeastward, and the immediate area was under a thunderstorm warning until 11:00 p.m.

Hardest hit was Rochester where several roofs were damaged including the new gym built recently. The floor of the gym also had reported damage.

O'Brien and Rochester residents reported that electrical power was off from 9:20 p.m. Monday until 6:05 a.m. Tuesday.

Haskell and Stamford residents also were under alerts for several hours.

Rain amounts varied from .9 to 2.00 inches.

## Steer Validation Date Is June 18

The Knox County Extension office in conjunction with the Ag. Science Teachers in Knox County have decided on Tuesday, June 18, 1996 as the date to validate steers for the 1996-97 major stock show season. "In order to be allowed to show a steer at the major livestock shows in Texas the steer must be properly validated", says Knox County Extension Agent Paul Weiser.

This validation requires several steps. The steer must be ear tagged with an official validation tag, a nose print is taken, and a Polaroid picture made. There is also certain paper work to be completed and filed. The validation will take place at Tony Myers' Pens on Tuesday, June 18 from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. These pens are located just south of Munday on Hwy. 277, turn left on the first road past the drainage ditch. If you get to Quality Implement or Knox Prairie Co-Op you have gone too far. Only those steers present on this date will be validated. Please notify your high school Ag. Science Teacher or Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent, if you wish to validate any steers. For those who need better directions to the vali-

See STEER, Page Four

## Homecoming Class Parties Information Not Complete

Some of the Homecoming '96 class parties held over the weekend have yet to be turned in along with several pictures by the various groups, and hopefully, these will be available by next week's paper.

Those who hosted these events are encouraged to turn in their lists to the *News* office.

## Benjamin Homecoming Set For This Weekend

Benjamin's homecoming is this weekend with activities to begin on Friday and continue through Sunday.

A schedule of events follows:  
Friday, June 7 - 5:00 p.m. - Registration begins, 6:00 p.m. - Free snacks, 9:00 p.m. - Dance with Lonesome Cowboys Band from Lubbock. The Homecoming Queen will be crowned prior to beginning of dance.  
Saturday, June 8 - 8:00 a.m. -

Roping at the arena, 10:00 a.m. - Kids' games at the football field, 3:00 p.m. - Parade, 4:00 p.m. - Business meeting, announcement of parade winners, drawing for arts and crafts, 6:00 p.m. - Brisket dinner catered by firemen, 9:00 p.m. - Dance with Lonesome Cowboys Band from Lubbock  
Sunday, June 9 - 11:00 a.m. - Community worship service, First Baptist Church with Kent Josselet speaking

## 'Wild Hog Country Classic' 3 Lady Golf Scramble To Tee-off Saturday Morning

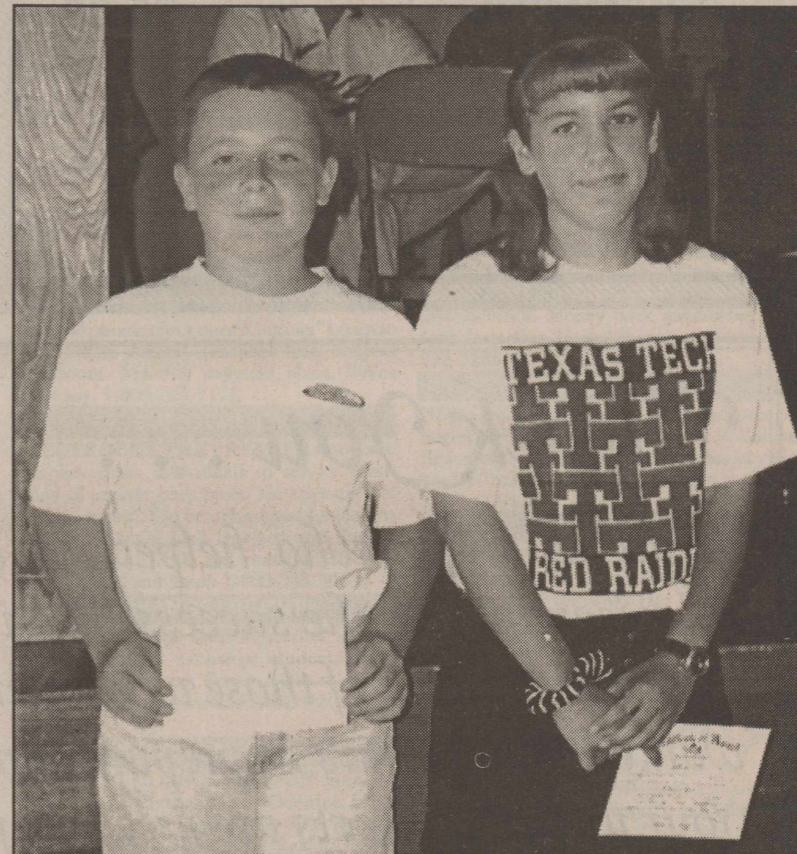
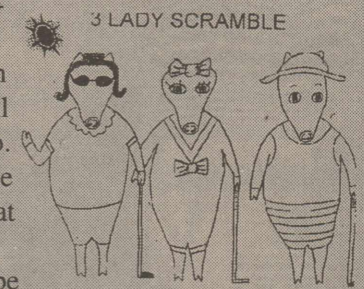
This Saturday will be a busy day as ladies from all over the area gather together at the Knox City Country Club for the Second Annual Wild Hog Country Classic 3 Lady Scramble.

Activities will begin at 8:00 in the morning when registration will begin at the KC Country Club. Coffee, donuts and juice will be served until the registration ends at 9:00.

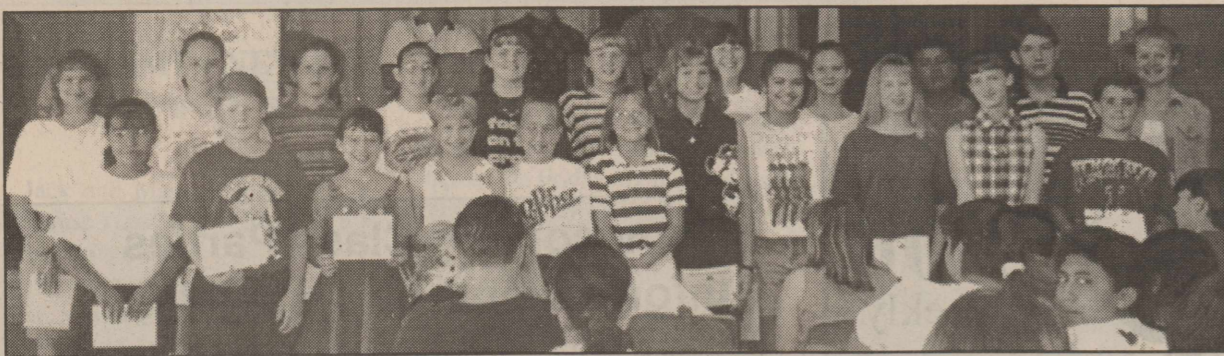
Tee off for the scramble will be at 9:30. Cash prizes will be awarded for: closest to pin and longest drive.

With a lunch planned, the event should be a day of fun for the lady golfers.

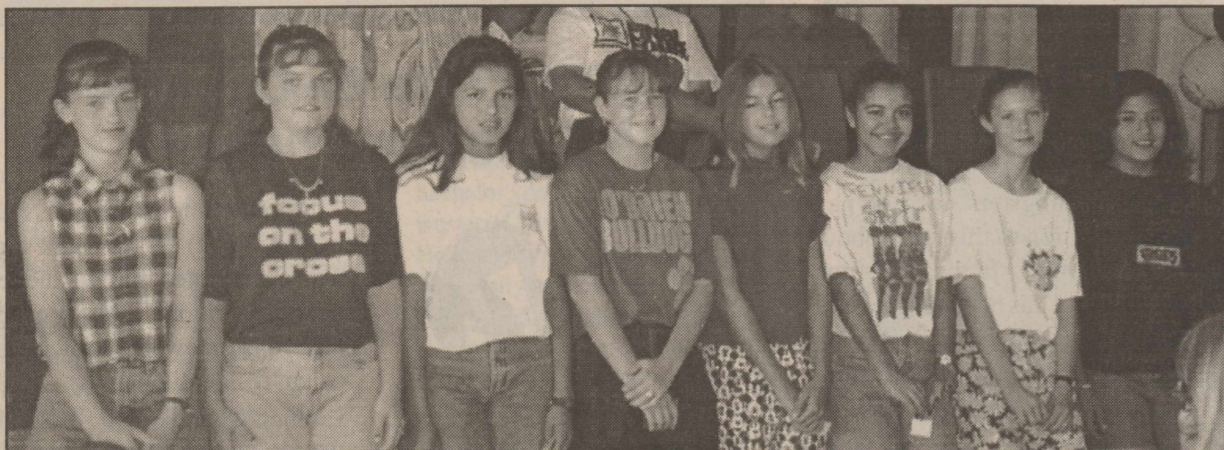
Preregistration and team fee information can be found in an advertisement inside this edition of the *Knox County News*.



**TWO STUDENTS AT O'BRIEN Mid-School**, Scooter Thompson and Tiffany Jobe, were presented 'A' Honor Roll certificates at this year's awards assembly. They attained 'Straight A's' for the entire year. (NEWS Photo)



O'BRIEN MID-SCHOOL STUDENTS making the 'A-B' Honor Roll this year were from left, Melissa Ruiz, Shawn Speck, Kimberly Hawkins, Ashley Turner, Kayla DelValle, Jennifer Eaton, Roni Morrow, Audrey Lankford, Natalie Bloxham, Candace Anderson and Brad Johnson. Back row, from left, are Latissha Munsell, Amber Collins, Casey Carver, Sarah Yarger, Angela Roberts, Carrie Richardson, Nikki Gonzales, Jennifer Vacek, Felipe Sanchez, Michael Wills and Lauren Clonts. (NEWS Photo)



CHEERING ON THE O'BRIEN BULLDOGS next year will be these cheerleaders, from left, Candace Anderson, Angela Roberts, Kayla Garcia, Tandy Roberts, Sara Rocha, Audrey Lankford, Jennifer Vacek and Erica Quintana. (NEWS Photo)



MOST PHYSICALLY FIT Boy and Girl at O'Brien Mid-School this year were Brandon Gutierrez and Sonya Contreras. (NEWS Photo)



RECOGNIZED AS ACCELERATED READERS for this year at O'Brien Mid-School's awards assembly were from left, Michael Wills, Felipe Sanchez, Sarah Yarger and Jennifer Ivie. (NEWS Photo)

O'Brien News.....By Audie Johnston

"It was my first day in English 101 at Calhoun Community College in Decatur, Alabama. Our instructor asked us to write a short paper describing ourselves. Quickly I outlined my beliefs, feelings and personality and was about to elaborate when the student next to me revealed that he was taking a simpler approach. "Psst," he whispered. "How do you spell acne?"

HERE AND THERE

Julie Childress, student at Texas A&M University, spent Wednesday and Wednesday night with her grandmother, Beatrice Ellis. Julie is the daughter of Sandra Childress and husband Pleas of Ozona.

Loretta Hewitt returned home last Thursday from Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after having bypass heart surgery on Saturday, May 25. Loretta seems to be recovering real good. Her husband Coy and daughters Rhonda Moeller of Haskell, Vicki Daniel of Abilene and Toni Neal of Wichita Falls, will be taking care of her.

Kevin Urbanczyk Jr. of Lubbock visited his grandparents, Ranzy and Adelle Herring, last week for a few days.

Theodore and Bonnie Poe of Italy, Texas, spent a few days with Oather and Hope Poe and Leonia and Betty Poe last week.

Donnie and Diane Roberts were in Dallas over the weekend to attend the Rangers baseball game.

Janoma Stephens is in Plainview for a few days to take care of her sister-in-law Verna Mae Williams who is having some ailments with her health.

Veeta Reed and Susan and Lacy Carver left Saturday for points in Mexico where they will be working in the missions program for a week.

David and Connie Mims and daughter and the three foster children they are keeping visited in this area over the weekend. They reside in the Springlake - Earth area and were former residents of this area at one time.

Pam Reed and daughter of Munday and Brooke Hayes visited Pam's father Delbert Hayes and wife Norma Sunday.

Spending the weekend with Vivian Hendrix were her daughter Pretrecia Kinzer of Grandfield, Oklahoma, and LeNear and daughter Heather of Wichita Falls.



ASHLEY JOBE 'A-B' HONOR ROLL

Basketball Camp Set In Benjamin June 17 - 21

The Benjamin Basketball Camp will be held June 17 through 21 at the Benjamin School Gym.

Two sessions will be held during the week long camp. Session I will be from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. for grades 3, 4 and 5 and Session II is from 1:00 until 4:00 p.m. for grades 6, 7 and 8. Sessions are determined by past year's grade level, according to Coach Kent Josselot, who is conducting the camp.

Eva and Ava Covey are spending several days in Alabama with a sister of Eva's, Barbara and family.

Dwight Gothard enjoyed a good steak Sunday. His son Paul of Blackwell spent the day with him and provided the meal for him and enjoyed a good day of visiting.

Stefani Stephens won Grand Champion Polled Hereford at the Hamlin Alumni Classic Steer and Heifer Show, Saturday, June 1, at Hamlin. Stefani also won first place with another Polled Hereford Steer Saturday. Attending the stock show in Hamlin were Bennett, Heather and Haile Shortes; Sue, Scott and Stefani Stephens; Janoma Stephens, Marilyn Talbot and Tommy Howry.

Chris Bartley also showed in Hamlin and won Reserve Champion English Breed and also placed third with a Brangus and fourth with a Polled Hereford. Those attending with Chris were his parents and grandparents.

Stefani and Chris will show next weekend in Stephenville and Breckenridge Progress and Prospect Show.

"Woman to marriage counselor: It was a dating computer that was responsible for our marriage. I'll never understand what the machine saw in him!"

Lila Jo Rector On WTC's Dean's List

SNYDER - Lila Jo Rector of Knox City has been honored for academic achievement for the spring 1996 semester at Western Texas College.

She was named to the Dean's List, which recognizes students who maintain a 3.5+ grade point average while taking at least 15 academic credit hours.

Lila is the daughter of Barbara and John Rector of Knox City.

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Thank You . . .

to all of those who helped in any way to make Homecoming '96 the success that it was!

We appreciate all of those who attended and those who worked many hours in preparation for this event.

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## Benjamin News

By Gladene Green

Well, it rained all around us last week but all we could boast about was a little sprinkle "off and on" that sort of settled the dust. The thunder did get pretty close, however, so we still have hopes!

It was a busy week last week and this one will also be quite busy. We're just about ready for the Homecoming which begins on Friday and goes through Sunday noon. Registration begins on Friday around 5:00 p.m. Activities are planned throughout the weekend climaxing with Sunday morning community worship services this year to be held at the First Baptist Church. (That location decided on because it is the largest church building and no cleanup will have to be done in preparation for it). A good service is planned.

Several class parties are scheduled for the weekend. The classes of 1944, 1951, 1952, 1955, 1961, 1975 and 1976 are planning get togethers. Not sure of all locations but classes of 1951 and 1952 will meet at Jack and Mary Youngs, 1955 - Methodist Church fellowship hall, 1961 at Fred and Nancy McGregers and 1975 and 1976 at my house.

So if your class is not included in a reunion group find a "bunch" you want to visit with and go join them.

**JUNIOR HIGH GRADUATION**  
Junior high graduation was Monday night in the school auditorium. The program was processional, Carolyn Koepf; invocation, Cory Kimmell; Salutatory address, Carmen Acevedo; class will, Justin Waldron and Cory Kimmell; class prophecy, Hunter Meinzer and Aaron Kuehler; valedictory address, Lynne Moorhouse; introduction of speaker, Blaine Conner; address, Nancy McGreger; presentation of diplomas, Ronnie Simmons; benediction, Carmen Acevedo; and recessional, Carolyn Koepf.

A reception was held immediately following the graduation. Graduates were Carmen Acevedo, Blaine Lyn Conner, James Cory Kimmell, Lynne Michelle Moorhouse and Justin Scott Waldron.

Programs were handled by Ryan Baker, Aaron Kuehler and Mitchell Eddy. Stage attendants were Hunter Meinzer and Toby Rainwater.

Preceding the graduation, the kindergarten "graduated" into first grade. Dressed in the white caps and gowns, the youngsters did "put on" a good program. Their teacher, Mrs. Carol Dickson, presented their diplomas into the department of higher learning. "Grads" were Joe Bufkin, Chris Miller, Karla Benson, Julia and Judit Acevedo, Javier Acevedo, Lucas Cartwright, Alma Solis and Jacque Zavala.

On Tuesday night, the high school commencement was held. Following the program, the awards were presented by Supt. Weldon Koepf and Principal Evan Yeager. Receiving perfect attendance awards (that's neither absent nor tardy during the school year) were from 1st grade - Reynaldo Solia, 2nd grade - Thomas Acevedo, 3rd grade - Maria Acevedo, 4th grade - Tyler Collins, 5th grade - Carlos Solia, and 6th grade, Sandra Acevedo, Hosea Solis.

Receiving academic awards (that's students who maintained a 90 or above average) throughout the year were 1st grade - Kerri Beck,

Sadie Benson, Josh Bufkin, Brittany Kuehler, Kaitlyn Kuehler, Jenna McCanlies and Travis Radford; 2nd - Kevin Porter, Shaylee Propps and Whitney Dennis; 3rd grade - Maria Acevedo, Clint Beck, Laura Benson, Matthew Cartwright, Jessica Moorhouse, Chance Propps and Mahalia Smith; 4th grade - Ashley Bufkin; 5th grade - Matthew Coffman; 6th grade - Sandra Acevedo, Kimberly Beck, Ashley Cartwright, Elizabeth Moorhouse; 7th grade - none; 8th grade - Lynne Moorhouse; 9th grade - Lacy Carver and Hardy Coffman; 10th grade - Bobby Condron and Cathy Rainwater; 11th grade - Rachel Duke and Julie Welch; 12th grade - Michele Conner and Zeke Duke.

Each year a trophy is presented to the highest ranking student in both junior high and high school. This year's recipients were Lynne Moorhouse in junior high with an average of 96.2 and in high school, Michele Conner with a four year average of 97.67. These students parents are Mike and Debra Moorhouse and Steve Conner and Janet Reed.

Other awards given were to the seniors - Michele Conner received scholarship from VFW Post in Seymour, the Voice of Democracy Award, scholarship for valedictorian, William S. Heatly Memorial Scholarship; Zeke Duke received Voice of Democracy Award from VFW Post in Seymour, Scholarship for being salutatorian and the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary scholarship (this awarded to a student who plans to go into the medical field); Edward Estrada - Voice of Democracy Award from VFW Post in Seymour; Tacy Condron - William S. Heatly Memorial Award; Jason Patterson - Scholarship from Brazos Valley Young Farmers (this goes to a student who plans to pursue a career in agriculture).

The final presentation of the evening was a plaque given to Jane Gideon for 20 years loyal service to the Benjamin ISD as a cafeteria worker, chief cook, bottle washer, etc. She was surprised but pleased

and we all know very, very deserving.

HERE 'N THERE

Billy and Kim Moore and girls of Spur were here Tuesday for the funeral of Jake Propps and the graduation of Michele Conner and to visit Bud Conner and Hazel Stockton and other relatives and friends. Also here for Michele's graduation was her grandmother, Edith Broach of Lubbock who visited Janet and Gary Reed.

See Benjamin News, Page Six

### Guthrie Academic Awards Are Held

Guthrie Schools have recognized junior high and high school students for their academic achievements at their recent academic awards assembly and were presented medals and plaques respectively.

In junior high, recipients were math and music, Joli Shipman; English, Krissy Shipman; reading and history, Misty McLauri; and science, Rusty Bradbury.

High school recipients were math and ag, Jay Gholson; science and English, Seth Walker; history, Wess Abbott; home economics, Summer Ray; and music, Alicia Pettiet.

### IN HUDSON HOME

Recent visitors in Iola Hudson and Mona Cook's home were Harry Leonard of Shallowater, Ross Messimer of Crowley, Lois and Newton Carleton of Amarillo, Claudine Davidson of Houston, Carol Davidson of Dallas, Ellis Johnson and Kitty Williams of Blackwell, LaRue Patton of Weinert, Latreae Lane of Munday, Wanna Hunter of Iowa Park, June and George Rowlett of Duncan, Oklahoma, and Ann Shelton and Tony Dulin of Fort Worth.

## Guthrie Writers Get Taste Of Success

Good writing skills are an essential ingredient in the recipe for success, and teachers at Guthrie Junior High School are striving to ensure that their students are equipped with these important skills.

As part of a total program to prepare students in language arts, local teachers have taken advantage of a nationwide publication that is devoted to the betterment of literary skills.

The High School Writer is a monthly classroom teaching magazine developed to provide a "real audience" for students and to thereby foster the desire among young people to learn good reading and writing skills. The magazine consists of works written by students and includes fiction as well as non-fiction, essays and poetry.

The High School Writer is published by Writer Publications of Grand Rapids, Minnesota, which received more than 30,000 manuscripts from all over the U.S. during the 1995-96 school year.

Writer Publications' founder and publisher Donald Kain applauded the efforts of teachers at Guthrie Junior High School for their dedication to the teaching of reading and writing.

Students on the list of nationwide award recipients include Chase Richardson, Ashley Pettiet, Seth Lee, Beth Cave, Misty McLauri and David Lowrance.

### Loretta Hewitt Recuperating Following Heart Surgery

Loretta Hewitt is recuperating at her O'Brien residence following emergency open heart surgery at Abilene Regional Medical Center on Thursday, May 23.

According to her daughter, Vicki Daniel, Loretta is "doing very well" from the surgery that was an emergency quadruple bypass. One artery was blocked 100%, one 90%, one 60 to 70% and the fourth also repaired.

### IN HERRING HOME

Weekend visitors in the home of Adelle and Ranzy Herring were Andy Hines of Lubbock, Kevin Urbanczyk Jr. of Lubbock, Claudia Reid of Rochester and David Hewitt of Albany, New York.

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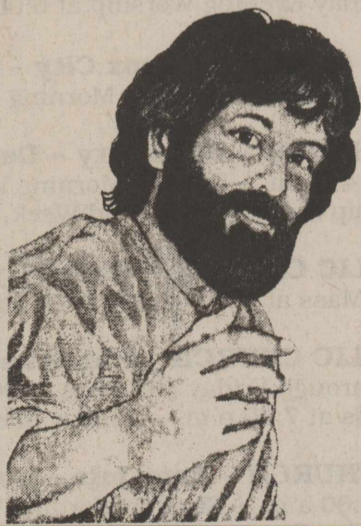
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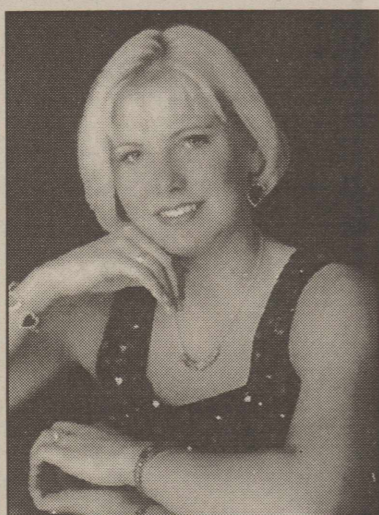
### Local's Granddaughter Receives Commencement Honors In Lubbock

Courtney Reeves was recipient of two scholarships which were awarded at the recent commencement ceremony for Monterey High School, held in the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum on Saturday, May 25.

Courtney was awarded a scholarship by The Future Leader of America, and also the prestigious City Council P.T.A. Scholarship. She was also recognized as being a high honor student with advanced transcript from the faculty of Monterey High School.

Graduating with a 4.25 grade point average, Courtney ranked sixteenth out of a class of 525 students.

Courtney is the daughter of Cathy and Bobby Reeves of Lubbock, granddaughter of Lea and Chock Reeves of Knox City and Don and Jo Coffman of Goree and Pud Brockett of Munday.



Courtney Reeves

Attending the ceremony were Lea and Chock Reeves of Knox City; Don, Jo, and Ruth Coffman of Goree; Kay and Gary Fannin of Chico; Charles, Linda and Shane Reeves of Dallas; Jimmy and Carol Stovall of Midland; and Courtney's brother Kris of Killeen.

### Mid-School Honor Roll

#### "A" HONOR ROLL Sixth Six Weeks

Fifth Grade: Jennifer Eaton, Michelle Escobar, Kimberly Hawkins, Wesley Parker, Scooter Thompson.

Sixth Grade: Tiffany Jobe.

Seventh Grade: Audrey Lankford, Jennifer Vacek.

Eighth Grade: None.

#### IN ANGLE HOME

Sam Angle of Slaton spent last weekend in the home of his mother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle.

Also, visiting in the Angle home was their grandson, Clay Hewitt of Dallas who accompanied his dad, David Hewitt of Clifton Park, N.Y. to Knox City to visit the Alton Hesters, the Coy Hewitts, and attend the Knox City homecoming.

#### "A-B" HONOR ROLL

Fifth Grade: Caleb Carver, Kayla DelValle, Patrick Garcia, James Huber, Ashley Jobe, Brad Johnson, Ashley Leos, Jose Miranda, Logan Morrow, Gemile Roberson, Teresa Rodriguez, Anita Silva, B.J. Stewart, Ashley Turner, Lezli Villa, Landon Weiershausen.

Sixth Grade: Ashley Bradford, Casey Carver, Nikki Gonzales, Crystal Hunt, Jennifer Ivie, Lance Rikala, Angela Roberts, Melissa Ruiz, Felipe Sanchez, Shawn Speck, Michael Wills, Sarah Yarger.

Seventh Grade: Amber Collins, Sabrina Powell, Jon Rocha, Aaron Sanchez.

Eighth Grade: Natalie Bloxham, Lauren Clonts, Fernando Gomez, Kelli Greenwood, Roni Morrow, Stephanie Pedroza, Myles Richardson.

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#### STEER (From Page One)

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#### Guthrie Elementary Students Are Honored

Three elementary students were recognized by Duke University in their Talent Identification Program.

To qualify, a student must be a fourth or fifth grader and score 95% or above on a standardized test or mental aptitude test. The students received academic excellence on their TAAS scores for the previous years.

They were Kristen Ray, a fourth grader; and Kim Bradbury and Zach Daniel, fifth graders.

#### Sharla Carver Named To MSU's Honor Roll

WICHITA FALLS - Midwestern State University had 550 honor students listed for the spring 1996 semester. The Dean's List consisted of 171 students and 379 made the University Honor Roll.

To make the Dean's List, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with no grade lower than an "A". To make the University Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with a minimum grade point average of 3.5 and no grade lower than a "C".

Making the University Honor Roll from Knox City was Sharla Jean Drinnon Carver.

### School Board Hires Teacher

By Jerry Williams  
Trustee & Board Secretary

Trustees of the Knox City - O'Brien CISD met in special session at noon on Tuesday, May 28, 1996, in the administrative office located at 606 East Main.

The major action taken at the meeting was the hiring of Becky Jones as high school mathematics teacher for the 1996/1997 school year.

Ms. Jones is a graduate of Benjamin High School and Texas Tech University. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in math from Tech in 1992, and she brings classroom experience from Amherst ISD which includes Algebra I, Geometry, Trigonometry, Elementary Analysis, and Spanish I & 2.

The next regular meeting of the school board is June 18, but other special meetings may be called to consider personnel matters for the next school year.

### High School Honor Roll

#### "A" HONOR ROLL Sixth Six Weeks

Ninth Grade: None.

Tenth Grade: Audra Dale, Kim Grimsley, Amy Hunt.

Eleventh Grade: Melissa Barnard, Jason Brandon, Diane Estrada, Sheri Wilson.

Twelfth Grade: Wes Grimsley, Clint Hacker, Joseph Logsdon.



#### Kannan Marie Pittcock

Cherry and Jimmy Pittcock are the proud parents of a daughter, Kannan Marie, born Tuesday, May 28, 1996, at 2:15 p.m. She weighed eight pounds, three and one-half ounces, and was 19 inches long. Kannan has a sister, Kelli Ann, to welcome her home.

Maternal grandparents are Marianna and Bob Graves of Guthrie. Paternal grandparents are Doris and Johnny Pitcock of Aspermont.

Great-grandparents include Mary and Loyd Massey and Nan Pittcock of Aspermont, Jean and Hauley Graves of Guthrie and Anna Bell and Hulon Egger of Mullin.

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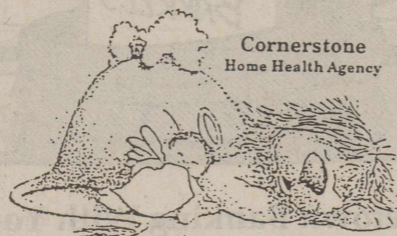
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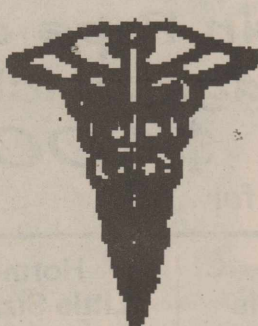
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**BENJAMIN NEWS**  
(From Page Three)

Jack and Mary Young were in Childress Tuesday afternoon for the funeral of a friend.

JoAnn and Gary Hamilton were in Denton during the weekend for an Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Judy Conner spent last weekend in Lubbock with her son, Jeff.

Christine and LaMoyné Patterson and their daughter, LaNay Cash of Gilliland, attended the funeral of her brother, Horace Mitchell in Bloomington last week. Sympathy goes to the Pattersons.

Janet and Gary Reed spent the weekend in Lubbock.

Bud and Debbie Clower returned home Friday after a week's stay in Houston's M.D. Anderson for tests.

Sharon Johnson and Maretha Patterson attended a 50th anniversary party for friends in Brownwood on Saturday.

Weldon Patterson of Fresno, California, was a recent guest of his mom, Maretha and sister, Sharon.

Recent guests of Omitene Barnett were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Joiner of Lubbock, Doil Howard of Ceres, California, and Frank Nance Jr. of Modesto, California.

Seth and Kaitlyn Kuehler spent a few days last week with the Johnny Corley family in Pampa.

Calvin and Thelma Brown of Perryton visited Stanton and Shari Brown Thursday. Stanton received word Sunday that his sister "Puddin'" Whitmire had suffered a heart attack and was in a Mesquite hospital. She was stable and resting on Sunday night so hopefully she will be OK soon.

Betty and Lewis Lyles accompanied other family members to Jack-sonville, Texas, during the weekend for a visit with relatives.

Zachary, Jonathan and Jessica Shaw of El Paso are here for a few weeks visit with their grandmother, Myrtle Shaw.

Brandi, Cliff and Kayla Hacker of Floydada spent the weekend here and at Knox City. Cliff attended his class reunion Friday night held in conjunction with the KC homecoming.

(Last Week's News)

Once again our small community has been saddened by the loss of one of our own. Jake Propps was killed in an accident on Saturday afternoon when he was attempting to change a tire on a grain truck. Jake will be missed by so many and I extend my personal expression of sympathy to his wife Shannon, his young children, Shaylee and Trey; his brother, James and family and his parents, Herb and Dickie. Also to all his other relatives and friends. Services were Tuesday, May 28.

BACCALAUREATE HELD

The baccalaureate services for the 1996 graduating seniors were held Sunday night at the First Methodist Church. Hank Wagner, pastor of the Church of Christ here, delivered the message. The entire program was as follows: Processional, Invocation - Tacy Condron, Introduction of Speaker - Willd Kujawa, Address - Hank Wagner, Benediction - Jason Patterson and Recessional. Programs and ushers were Rachel Duke, Chad Rainwater, Audra Neal, Ivy Bolanos and Julie Welch.

A reception followed in the fellowship hall.

Commencement will be Tuesday, May 18, at 8:00 p.m. The program is as follows: Processional - Carolyn Koepf, Invocatin - Riley Carver, Salutatory Address - Zeke Duke, Introduction of Speaker - Edward Estrada, Speaker - Kent Josselet, Presentation of Awards - Weldon Koepf, Presentation of Diplomas - Ronnie Simmons, Benediction - Bonnie Bohannon, and Recessional - Carolyn Koepf.

Programs and ushers were Julie Welch, Rachel Duke and Ivy Bolanos. Stage attendants were Chad Rainwater and Audra Neal.

HERE 'N THERE

Dub Cartwright was in Abilene last Tuesday for a checkup. His doctors say he's doing fine and Dub says

he's feeling fine so what more could one ask? We are glad to be able to report that.

Lorene Powers of Midland is here for a few days visit with relatives and friends. On Friday night, she, Gloria West and Betty Parker and girls attended commencement exercises of the graduating class of Whitesboro High School. Gloria's daughter, Penny Tomlinson, was a member of that class. The program was held at Austin Junior College in Sherman. Penny received a scholarship to Austin Junior College.

Ishmael and Sheila De Los Santos and family of Vernon spent Monday with her parents, Charles and Joy Jones.

Craig Hertel of Lindsey was a weekend guests of his parents, Don and Louise.

Ernest Neal recently received his bachelor's degree in music from Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. He received a full scholarship to Rice University in Houston where he will begin work on his master's degree, also in the field of music. Ernest is the son of Larry and Gaye Neal. They were in Wichita Falls to attend the commencement exercises.

Leon Bivens and Carson and Peggy Bivens of Tatum, New Mexico, were here one day last week for a visit and to help Sharon Johnson move to Benjamin. Sharon has accepted a position with the Benjamin School. We're glad to have her here with us.

Weldon and Carolyn Koepf were in Houston during the weekend to help their daughter, Kristen, get settled in her new apartment. Kristen will be doing her internship with an accounting firm there.

Bud Conner and I were in Childress Friday night for the graduation of my grandson, Cody Taylor. On Saturday, we attended my granddaughter, Ashlee Bell's first birthday party.

Dickie Lloyd and the Bud Clower family attended the wedding of a niece and granddaughter in Dallas on Saturday. Monday, Bud and Debbie left for Houston for Bud to see his doctor and the rest of the family returned home.

The Methodist Church honored Evan, Joleen, Victoria and Nathaniel Yeager with a going away dinner at the church. Evan has been principal here the past two years. They will be moving to Quitman. We will miss them and wish them well in their new home.

Jonnie Williams and Mary Bohannon attended the funeral of Ola Barker in Seymour on Friday.

Sympathy is extended to Philomae and Bobby Roberson. Her brother, J.



Carrie Sue West  
Clay Patterson

**Engagement Announced**

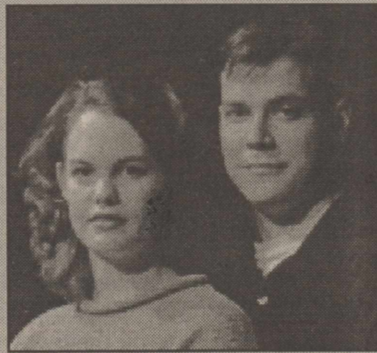
Ronnie Patterson of Knox City announces the engagement of his son Clay Patterson to Carrie Sue West, daughter of the late Billy Max West and Pam & Fred Gough of Graham.

Clay is also the son of Karen Patterson of Breckenridge.

The wedding has been set for June 28 at the First United Methodist Church in Snyder at 7:00 p.m.

~ Paid Announcement ~

**Engagement Announced**



Holly Noah  
Ted Rutherford

Mr. & Mrs. John Noah of Highland Village, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rutherford of Pulaski, Tenn. are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Holly and Ted.

Holly is the granddaughter of Mrs. & Mrs. M.L. Verhalen and the daughter of the late Velvet (Verhalen) Noah.

The event is planned for the 27th of July in Denton at the Chapel in the Woods.

~ Paid Announcement ~

Winston Feemster of Vera, died on Thursday night. His funeral was Saturday at Vera.

And thanks to our local weather watchers. It's good to know someone is watching the skies for us on these stormy days and nights. We appreciate you all.

**IN REEVES HOME**

Recent visitors in the home of Lea and Charles Reeves were Linda and Charles Reeves Jr. of Harper, Kansas; Charlotte Reeves of Dallas; Shane Reeves of Wichita, Kansas; Kay and Gary Fannin of Chico; Bobby Reeves of Lubbock; and Kris Reeves of Killeen.

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