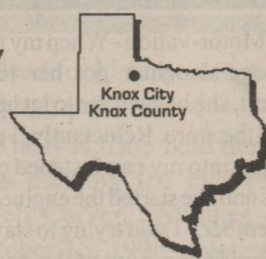


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Christmas activities announced

KC Chamber sponsors home tour, lighting contest

The Knox City Chamber of Commerce is again planning several activities for residents of the area to enjoy as the Christmas season fast approaches.

According to Chamber Manager Doris Crownover, the Chamber's Christmas Tour of Homes will be held next Tuesday, December 10th, but reservations for the holiday event must be turned in to the Chamber office by this Friday, December 6th.

Plans for this year's home tour include visiting the homes of Roger and Rita Rosencranz,

Danny and Amber Lewis, Denise Cuniff, Dusty and Julie Bradley, and Greg and Kim Clonts. As those on the tour visit each home, a different food will be served.

A nominal fee of \$10.00 per person is asked of those participating in the tour, with proceeds going towards the chamber budget.

Sure to be a fun time for all who attend, mark your calendar now and turn in your reservation to the chamber office at 658-3442.

Lighting Contest

For those who love to decorate

as a part of their holiday festivities, the Chamber of Commerce is again sponsoring a lighting contest for both residential and business categories.

With judging to take place sometime during the third week of December, the Chamber will award three prizes each in the residential and business divisions. The exact date of the judging will not be made public so that all entrants receive the same consideration.

The prizes awarded this year will be gift certificates.

O'Brien Mid School hosts family night this Thursday

The faculty, students, parents and family members of O'Brien Mid School will gather together this Thursday evening at 6:30 for a special holiday meal.

Taking place in the O'Brien school cafeteria, the event will

also include a Christmas program by the students.

Members of the 8th grade class will be providing turkey, dressing, rolls and gravy, the 7th graders will be bringing the vegetables, 6th grade the desserts, and 5th

graders will be providing the salads.

Mid School Principal Eddie Bland encourages all mid school parents to make plans now to attend this special event with their children.

Baptist Church presents cantata Sunday morning

Two choirs will join together this Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church to present a musical cantata during the 11:00 o'clock morning worship service.

Teaming up for the special holiday event will be the adult choir of First Baptist under the direction of Mr. Jimmy Tankersley, and the

community children's choir 'Sparkle of His Eye', under the direction of Mr. Marq Brockett.

The program includes a medley of Christmas carols and the majority of the members of both choirs will be featured in special parts.

Pastor David White of First

Baptist Church cordially invites and encourages everyone in our community and the surrounding area to attend this very special event. Both choirs have been rehearsing for the past several months for what should be a very special time for all to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Methodist Church presents cantata Sunday evening

Encouraging everyone to 'catch the Christmas spirit', members of the First United Methodist Church will present their annual Christmas Cantata this coming Sunday evening at 5:00 p.m.

To start the festive holiday

event, children of First United Methodist Church will present a special Christmas play, 'The Night The Animals Sang'.

The adult choir cantata entitled 'Rejoice, Believers!' will follow the children's Christmas play.

Regardless of church affiliation, everyone in the community and surrounding area is invited to attend both the play and cantata and everyone is also welcome to stay and join the church for dinner after the cantata.

KC's Citizens Bank earns 17th consecutive 5-star rating

Coral Gables, Florida -- Bauer Financial Reports, Inc., has awarded its five-star Superior rating to Citizens Bank, Knox City, Texas.

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Around our town, odds n' ends.....

By Dave Thompson

Holiday activities, volunteer activities, and new service highlight what is happening around town this week as Knox City heads full steam into the holiday season.

As noted in other stories on the front page this week, lots of holiday activities are planned for this week and next week.

Girl Scouts busy

Under the direction of Kim Clonts, Knox City Girl Scouts were busy on Monday as they set up their annual Christmas tree in

the front window of the NEWS office. The tree serves as a central collection point for new toys being donated to the Knox County Child Welfare Board for distribution to the needy children of our county. The scouts also 'redecorated' their hay bale in Merchants Park with a Christmas theme. These Girl Scouts work hard at a lot of community service projects and deserve a lot of praise for their efforts.

Internet service arrives

Ads inside this edition recog-

nize two servers of internet access that have begun serving our community. Believe me, 'surfing around the net' is a lot of fun and it's great to finally have local access without long distance rates! Those wanting more information on the easiest system offered should contact Rob Harrison at 658-3914.

No pictures this week

Those looking inside this issue for photographs taken this past week are out of luck - the developing chemical did not arrive!

Special 'live' nativity scene planned By Baptist Church

Members of the congregation of First Baptist Church of Knox City have announced very special plans for the upcoming holiday season. Recognizing Christmas as the time to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, the church will feature a live nativity scene starting on Wednesday, December and ending two nights later on Friday, December 20.

Beginning at 6:00 and ending at 8:00 each evening, activities surrounding the nativity scene also include opening the church sanctuary for anyone wishing to par-

take of the Lord's Supper. Focusing on the family, Pastor David White encourages all husbands and fathers to bring their families and administer the Lord's Supper to their families. Members of the church will also be in the sanctuary each night from 6:00 to 8:00 to administer the Lord's Supper to those desiring to partake during this very holy time of the year.

The church will also provide transportation to those who need a ride. The church bus will be dispatched to pick up those who call the church office at 658-3141

for a ride.

Adding even more meaning to all three evenings, Pastor White also wants everyone to know that the church fellowship hall will be open while church members serve apple cider, hot chocolate, and sing Christmas carols.

First Baptist cordially extends an open invitation to everyone who would like to come by and celebrate the true meaning of Christmas, the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Again, those three nights will be Dec. 18-20 from 6:00 to 8:00.

Chamber parade plans progressing for Dec. 14

Plans for the annual Knox City Christmas Parade sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce are progressing and all indications point towards another great parade this year.

Scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 14, the parade will follow the same route as in past years. The reviewing stand will once again be located in

the downtown area. Awards will be given in many different categories, and chamber officials are still encouraging everyone who wants to enter the annual event. From bicycles to semi-trucks, from individuals to ranches, farms and businesses, all parade entries are welcome.

As in past years, Santa Claus will make his official entry into

Knox City at some point during the parade. Every year, Santa enters by a different method of transportation, and this year's arrival is still considered as "classified information" by chamber officials!

The chamber is also planning a bean and cornbread supper that Saturday, more information will be published next week.

KC Fire department elects officers for 1996 - 1997

The Knox City Volunteer Fire Department elected officers for 1996-97 at their Monday, December 2, meeting.

Roland Marion was elected as chief with Craig Williams, assis-

tant chief; and Harry Steen, assistant fire marshal.

Officers are Danny Parker, president; Buddy Curd, vice-president; Bill Stewart, secretary and treasurer; Bud Reynolds, chap-

lain; Teddy Espinosa, sergeant-at-arms; Lane Davis, PI and fire prevention officer; and B.J. Stewart, mascot. Captains will be Harry Steen, Danny Parker, Domingo Garcia and Bill Stewart.



Dear Santa,
I have been good this year, and all I want for Christmas is.....

To all area children and parents:

It's time once again to get those letters to Santa in to the office of The Knox County News if you want Santa to read them in time for Christmas!!

We have the red mailbox to the North Pole in front of the office and we hope to get your letter soon. All letters need to reach us no later than Wednesday, December 18, in order to be published in our annual Christmas edition.

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Steve Pepper, Minister
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- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Benjamin**
John Gillispie, Pastor
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O'Brien News

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Motor-vation - When my friend's teenage daughter got her learner's permit, she begged me to let her drive us to the store. Reluctantly, I agreed. We got into my car, fastened our seat belts and she started the engine. "Now remember," I said trying to stay calm, "before backing out of the driveway, be sure to check both your rear-view and side mirrors." She adjusted the rear-view mirror slightly and did the same to the side mirror. "It's okay," she said. "I look fine."

HERE AND THERE

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Olien Elmore were Judy Elmore of Abilene, David, Brenda, Tori and Kim Elmore of Coahoma, Joe, Gloria, Eric and Kaitlin Elmore of Texarkana, Randy and Rhonda Elmore of Fort Worth and Willie Andress of Haskell. Visiting Vivian Hendrix Thanksgiving day ws LaNear Phillips and Heather of Wichita Falls and Denton; Pretrecia Kinzer, Kimberly and Kristy, Kent and Kevin and Amy of Grandfield, Oklahoma; LaDocia Morris and Jamie of Carrollton, Danny and Stephanie Morris of Denton, Jimmy and Francis Howell of Wichita Falls, George Howell of Stephenville, John Hendrix and Rose

Ann Riggs of Gilliland. All "grand-kids" but two were there. The oldest grandson, Ken Morris, who lives in the Virgin Islands and granddaughter Susan Howell who lives in Michigan. Susan called during the day.

Ranzy and Adelle Herring spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Lubbock with their daughter Pansy and husband Alvin Hines and family. Their great-grandson Kevin Urbanczyk of Lubbock, visited with them before they went to Lubbock. Andy returned them home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ivie moved to O'Brien last week from South Texas. They moved into the Ivie house across from the O'Brien school building. We're always happy to have new residents in our town.

J.O. and Charlene Brothers spent a few days in Springtown and Azle last week visiting their son Jerry and wife Rosa and families and her sisters Marvelene Lancaster and Jean Gibson and families while there.

Beatrice Ellis spent several days last week in Ozona with her daughter Sandra Childress and family.

Sue, Scott and Stefani Stephens and Bennett Shortes were in Austin last week for Stefani to show her calves in the stock show. She did real well with all of them and she will be in Corsicana soon for another showing.

Spending the holidays with Rose Marie Johnston and son Jimmy were

their daughter and sister Shirley Hill and daughters Alyssa Kay and Jessica Hill of Bowie.

Thanksgiving was enjoyed in Bernice Rowan's home with Jerry, Sue, Julia and Angelia Rowan of Henrietta and Tres, Debbie Burson and family of Haskell.

Spending a few days with Billie Ruth Walker is her sister Mary Beth from Louisiana. Billie is recuperating from a fall while moving.

Doyle, Brenda, Mande and Zack Robinson of Panhandle visited with Brenda's parents, Alton and LaUna Hester and they along with another daughter Aleine and husband Jay Bob and Jennifer Eaton enjoyed a good Thanksgiving dinner together. Mike Hewitt also visited them.

Trish Roberts of Texas Tech and fiance Drew DeArmond of Levellend along with Donnie, Diane and Angelia Roberts, had Thanksgiving with Claudale and Jean Barnard. They visited Charlie and Jennie Smith over the weekend.

Veeta Reid spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Fort Worth with her daughter Angelia and husband.

Jerry Hodges of Graham, Ronnie and Burman Hodges of San Angelo, Rhonda Martin and children Ryan and Randy of Midland, Ronnie, Teresa, Landon and Allison Denson of Stamford visited with their mother Clara Hanson and husband Troy over the holidays and they all enjoyed a

good Thanksgiving dinner.

Jimmy and Tenia Johnston of Lubbock and Shannon and Wendi Anderson of Slaton had Thanksgiving with Jerry and Maizie Kainer and Jim visited with me and I enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with all of them and of course, had to watch the Cowboys win their football game.

Pink Ladies honored with annual banquet

The annual banquet to honor the Knox County Hospital District's Pink Ladies was held at 7:00 p.m. on November 14 at the Knox City school cafeteria.

Approximately 60 people attended the event, which was to show appreciation for all the hard work and effort the Pink Ladies exert on behalf of the hospital.

Thanks to their efforts, the hospital was able to purchase approximately \$6,800 worth of equipment this year. The equipment purchased included a hot sack IV warmer, wall unit otoscope with specula and halogen ophthalmoscope, hot sack transformer, three triple panel screens for patient privacy, blanket warmer and Gomco suction achine.

All of the equipment went toward the Knox County Hospital emergency room, in its attempt to gain Trauma IV designation from the Texas State Department of Health. All necessary equipment to attain this award has been purchased with only administrative paperwork left to be done.

Beasley rites held Tuesday in Rochester

Graveside rites for Bertie Lee (Mae) Beasley of Rochester were held Tuesday, December 3, at eleven o'clock in the Rochester Cemetery. Smith Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Beasley, 71, was born October 20, 1925, in Graham.

Survivors include a daughter, Toy Schmidt of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada; a sister, Pat Heimer of San Antonio; a brother, J.B. Beasley of Graham; one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by a son, Butch Beasley in 1989.

Retired Teachers To Meet Tuesday At Noon

The Knox County Retired Teachers Association will have its annual Christmas luncheon, Tuesday, December 10, at twelve noon at the First Baptist Church in Munday.

All members are reminded to bring Bingo gifts for the county nursing home residents.

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From 'Parents Still Make A Difference' ... A quiz for parents to take

By Eddie Bland, O'Brien Mid-School Principal

The long stretch of school days from Labor Day to Thanksgiving have come and gone. It is hard to believe that the end of the 1st semester and Christmas are already upon us. O'Brien Middle School students have just three weeks remaining in this semester, and these three weeks will be fast and furious for students, parents, and teachers alike. Students will be taking semester tests during the last week of this semester. These tests are a substantial portion of each student's final semester grade, therefore it is important for them to be prepared. There is no questioning the fact students will have improved academic performance, and behavior, if their parents are actively involved in their education. Since semester tests are so critical, then how can parents help their children achieve the desired level of success? The following Parent Quiz was taken from a recent issue of Parents Still Make a Difference. The purpose of the quiz is to assist parents in understanding some of the basic means of helping their children to be successful on important tests.

Give yourself a score of 5,4,3,2,1 or 0 points, with 5 being something you always do and 0 being something you never do.

- ___ 1. I am aware of my child's testing schedule. We write important test dates on the calendar.
- ___ 2. I make sure my child gets a good night's sleep the night before an important test.
- ___ 3. I make sure my child eats breakfast before an important test.
- ___ 4. I encourage my child to do his or her best, but I do not put apply to much pressure.
- ___ 5. I do my best to avoid major confrontations with my child on test day.

A score above 20 means you are doing a great job of supporting your child as he or she prepares for an important test. A score of 15 to 19 is average, you are doing a pretty good job, but there is room for improvement. A score below 15 indicates that your child could use a little more support preparing for tests.

Parental support and involvement is critical to student achievement and behavior. As we enter these hectic weeks be sure and take the time to be involved with your child's school and personal life. Student, teachers, and you the parents, will benefit from your efforts.

Christmas Dinner is this Thursday night at 6:30 p.m.

Last, but not least, O'Brien Middle School is sponsoring a Christmas Dinner for our students, parents and staff members this Thursday night at 6:30 in our cafeteria. There is no charge for the dinner, however, each family attending is asked to bring a covered dish. If you should have any questions concerning the dinner please call the school for information, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Guthrie sophomore to attend HOBY seminar

Brandon Richardson, a sophomore at Guthrie High School, was recently selected to attend the 1997 High O'Brien Youth Foundation Leadership Seminar next spring.

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IN WOODALL HOME
Sue Woodall had most of her family at her home Sunday to celebrate Thanksgiving. Enjoying the day together were David and Lucy Woodall of Henrietta, Danny, Jan and Tara Woodall and Candace Ussery of Merkel, Ken Woodall of Knox City and Janice Goff, who is now residing in Kerrville.

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You too can be a 'Santa Claus' and make a child happy at Christmas, all it takes is a little generosity on your part. A fund has been established by the Knox County Child Welfare Board to help provide for those kids who are less fortunate than others, not only during the Christmas holiday, but throughout the year.

The fund needs your help. It's really very simple. All you have to do is go by the Citizens Bank in Knox City or the First National Bank in Munday and make a deposit to the fund. Just make your check payable to the Knox County Child Welfare Board - or cash is great too!!

The only money the Child Welfare Fund has to spend is donated, so ... it's up to you. Why not share your holiday spirit and help a child at the same time? 'Santa's' will appreciate your thoughtfulness, and you'll feel better for sharing at this very special time of the year.

Benjamin News

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

Well, we have made it through Thanksgiving and are heading right into the Christmas holidays. It's a

busy time for everyone but also a time we all look forward to. In the hustle and bustle, let's always re-

member what Christmas is really about and never lose sight of that.

Sorry to have missed having news last week but just couldn't get it all "gathered up". Maybe, this week will make up for it.

Reports on the ill of the community vary this week.

Bud Clower is having a pretty rough day today and has had the past few days. Just doesn't feel like doing much except lying around. Maybe the next report will be more encouraging. Think he's scheduled to go back to Houston in late December.

Leroy West is feeling much better and goes back on the donor list for a kidney transplant on December 5. He has had to wait a few weeks since his recent surgery to be ready for a transplant. Of course, he's wished well.

Omitene Barnett returned home on Tuesday after several weeks stay in Fredericksburg with her sister recuperating from the broken foot she received several months ago. And also undergoing some therapy. She's feeling pretty well but still has to take it pretty slow.

Weldon Koepf's mom is recuperating from surgery on Friday. She is in a Waco hospital and the surgery was to repair a broken hip she received at her home last week. Weldon reported she's resting well and will probably be dismissed from the hospital later this week.

GIRLS BASKETBALL NEWS

The basketball season opened last Monday night as the junior high girls took to the floor against Guthrie. Guthrie jumped out to an early lead sparked by an aggressive defense. The Lady Stangs played hard throughout the contest but just weren't able to overcome the height and quickness of the Lady Jaguars. The Lady Stangs fell to Guthrie 42-14. The leading scorers for the Lady Stangs were Ashley Cartwright 6, Jane Penman 4, Sandra Acevedo 3 and Toby Rainwater 1. We need to work offensively on being more aggressive and driving to the basket. Defensively we must learn to run the floor with more efficiency and closeout better. These young ladies show a lot of determination in their play and they will continue to work and improve on the game.

The high school opened its basketball season as they hosted the Rochester Lady Steers last Friday night. The Lady Stangs were a bit sluggish early in the game, which is to be expected in the first game of the season. However, they picked up their momentum as the game progressed and were able to score 22 points in the second period, thanks to some key three point shooting and a few defensive steals that led to lay ups. The ladies were able to execute the majority of our game plan which was nice to see this early in the year. We

still don't have our game legs, which may take four or five games to get, but this will just take time. In the third quarter the girls seemed to get a bit tentative on both ends of the floor and Rochester really attacked this in the second half. We really had to scrape for everything we got under the boards because Rochester did a nice job of blocking out and fighting for the ball. We seemed to settle down a bit in the fourth quarter with our offense and our aggression picked up especially on defense. We need to really work on our offensive moves and driving to the basket. Our ball movement needs to be somewhat faster but this will take time and practice to accomplish. The Lady Stangs were able to hold on to an 11 point halftime lead and best the Lady Steers 57-38.

THIS WEEK'S BALL NEWS

The junior high girls traveled to Northside on Monday to play a little roundball. The girls started the game a bit slow but really picked up their play as the game progressed. We played really hard, especially in the third quarter and we were able to tie the game at 15-15. The Lady Stangs were unable to keep pace as the Indians pulled away and won the game 29-19. The girls showed signs of improvement on both sides of the ball which is good to see. We had to play a bit tentative on defense due to foul problems but we positioned ourselves to be competitive in the game and we couldn't ask for anything else. We will continue to work on the fundamentals daily to help our play from week to week.

The high school Lady Stangs took on the Lady Bobcats of Rule last Tuesday night before the Thanksgiving break. The ladies did a nice job of shooting from the floor hitting seven three pointers and they hit the boards to hold off a feisty Rule team to win a close on 53-46. This was a good win for us especially at this point in the year and hopefully we can come back after the break and carry this momentum into a busy three weeks prior to the Christmas break. We really have to work on our transition defense and our press offense and alignment in order for us to have future success.

HERE 'N THERE

Lots of visiting took place during the holidays. No way to get it all in but here goes with part of it.

Lois Golden's family enjoyed a "post Thanksgiving - pre-Christmas" get-together on Friday and Saturday. She said all her children were here except one son James, 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, so she had a pretty good crowd. They met at the Ex-Student building for lots of visiting. A note about their reunion. Lois' daughter, Sarah, lost her car keys during the weekend. If found, let Lois or Louise Hertel know.

Nora Duke was glad to have all her kids and grandkids for Thanksgiving Day. Spending the day with her were James and Carol Duke and Randy Duke of Throckmorton, Tom and Sherry Morrison, Andrew, Elizabeth and Marilyn of Wichita Falls, Phil and Rebekah Boone of Trent,

Zeke Duke of Tech and Dennis, Pam and Rachel Duke of Benjamin.

Marthea Patterson and Sharon Johnson spent Thanksgiving with Leon and Carson Bivens in Tatum, New Mexico.

Pam Mosteller and sons of Perryton and Lonnie Bohannon of Abilene were Roger and Betty Bohannon's holiday guests.

Charles and Joy Jones also had a houseful on Thanksgiving Day. Visiting and enjoying a delicious meal were David Jones, Jessica and Kayla of Runaway Bay, Sheila and Ishmael DeLosSantos and family of Vernon, Billy and Penny Trainham and Greg Hertel of Lubbock, Stacy Trainham of Alamogordo, New Mexico, Tim and Ann Hertel of Windthorst, Walter and Peggy Hertel of Munday and Bobby Trainham of Benjamin.

Jane Gideon and Weldon Gideon had their girls, Sue and Dave Terry of Dallas and Lana and Carlos Mendoza of Benjamin for Thanksgiving. Dee Ann Lamb and Anthony joined them for lunch on Thursday.

Holiday guests of Don and Louise Hertel were their sons, Scott of Dallas, Craig of Lindsey and Kent of Coppell. Visiting in the Hertel home on Wednesday were her niece Valerie Owen and her children of Liberal, Kansas. Valerie's dad, Kenneth Isbell, returned to Liberal to spend Thanksgiving with them, coming back to Benjamin during the week.

Charles Hertel and Ruby White of Midland spent a few days here last week.

Thanksgiving guests of W.T. and Jo Cartwright were Terry and DeAnn Cartwright and son of Plano, the Tracy Cartwrights and Ruth Ressel of Benjamin.

Jim Bob Conner of Tech was a holiday guest of his mom, Judy Conner.

Jason Redwine of Lubbock was a Benjamin visitor on Saturday.

Robert and Edward Estrada were here for the holidays with their parents, Nesto and Teresa.

Wade Pierce and Tacy Condron, accompanied Wade's dad Keith and family to Arlington on Thanksgiving Day to see the Cowboys-Redskins game. And of course, thoroughly enjoyed it.

Sammy and Barbara Pierce had their son Jeff and family of Gail, Barbara's sister Pat Garza of Knox City and Pat's daughter, Barbie Alderson of Lubbock, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts had their Thanksgiving dinner on Friday and their guests included Don, Diane and Angela Roberts of O'Brien, Trish Roberts and Zeke Duke of Tech, Drew DeArmond of Levelland, Phil and Rebekah Boone of Trent, Bea Parks and Lucy Ming of Wichita Falls, the Ken Roberts of Wichita Falls and Dennis, Pam and Rachel Duke and Nancy and Fred McGreger of Benjamin.

David and Val Milson and family of Cedar Hill spent the holiday with his parents, Bo Milson and S.L. Milson. S.L. says David's basketball

team in undefeated and we hope his winning ways continue.

Kim Trepanier of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Joe and Julia, during the holidays.

Butch McCanlies and Dickie, Laura and Gina McCanlies had an early get together before Thanksgiving with Susan Jones and family near Guthrie. Then on Thanksgiving Day, Dickie and family and Gary and Janet Reed and Clay Conner had lunch with E.O. and Irene Reed in Gilliland.

Jack and Judie Whitten and Jay had their daughters (and sisters), Christi and Ryan Ross of Clarendon and Rhonda and her friend Dustin Sheldon of Sidney, Iowa, for the holidays. Rhonda will be attending Peru College in Nebraska next semester. Judie's parents, Bill and Pearl Ryder and her brother Donnie, had lunch with them Thanksgiving Day.

Raul and Reyes Barrientez had lots of holiday company including Mary and Sean Widmer of Carrollton, Lupe Palacios and family of Crowell, Jr. and Virginia Barrientez and family of Stamford, Janie and Ruben Saucedo and Mary Saucedo of Rochester and Jimmy Barrientez and Michelle Conner of Lubbock.

Bud Conner and I had all our kids, most of the grand kids and most of the in-laws for Thanksgiving Day. We gathered at the ex-student building for a day of fun, fellowship and lots of eating. Those on hand to enjoy the get together were Debbie, Gordon and Cody Taylor and Diane and Ashlee Bell of Childress, Beckie and Ron Johnson, Dillon and LaDonna, Keith, Pam and Casey Conner of Big Spring, Bob and Stephanie Brannan of Lubbock, Kim Moore, Samijo and Shelby of Spur, Steve Conner and Blaine and Hazel Stockton of Benjamin.

AGING CENTER MENUS

December 9 through 13, 1996
 Monday, December 9 - Baked ham, apple-celery salad, broccoli, cheese potatoes, hot rolls, pineapple upside down cake.
 Tuesday, December 10 - Chicken and dressing, cranberry sauce, yams, green beans, hot rolls, pumpkin custard.
 Wednesday, December 11 - Burritos, tossed green salad, Spanish rice, corn, plum cobbler.
 Thursday, December 12 - Barbecue on a bun, baked beans, spicy potatoes, cole slaw, peach cobbler.
 Friday, December 13 - Fish with tarter sauce, macaroni and cheese, sweet peas, fried okra, sliced bread, coconut pudding.

All menus subject to change without notice due to conditions beyond the control of Knox County Center. It is important to notify the site manager in advance so that visits will be on record and meals will arrive from the central kitchen.

Child Welfare Donations

The Knox County Child Welfare Board has received a generous donation from the KC Circle Club.

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The majority of the members of both choirs
 will be featured in special parts.

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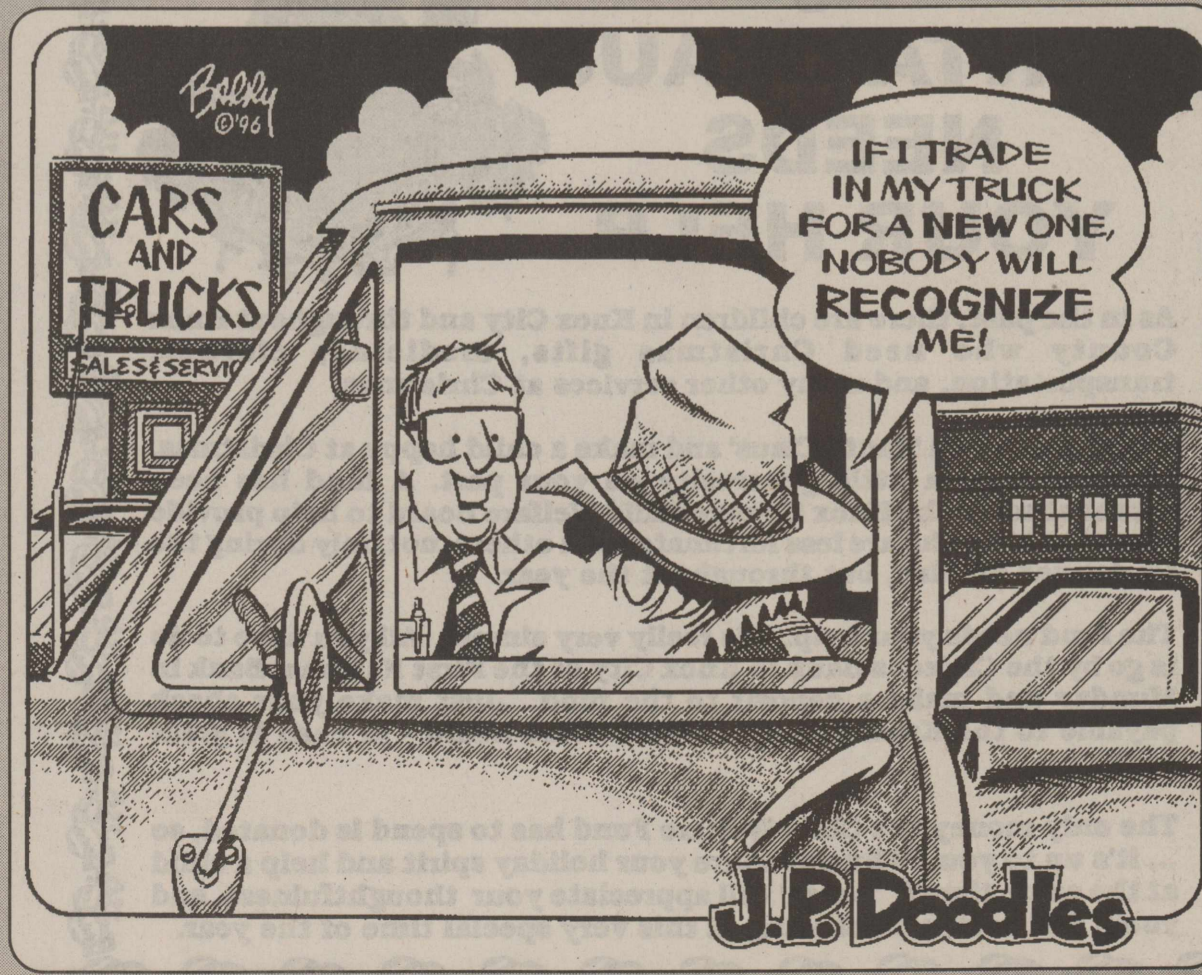
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KC-O'Brien school board meets November 19

Trustees of the Knox City-O'Brien CISD met in regular session at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 19, at the administration office, 606 East Main Street.

After dispensing with the routine monthly business, such as approval of minutes and monthly bills, the board voted unanimously to initiate termination of its retainer contract with the law firm of Schwartz and Eichelbaum of Austin. The termination of the retainer contract is one step in a series of cost cutting measures adapted by the board.

The board received the 1995-96 fiscal year audit report from

Rick Rodgers of James E. Rodgers and Co.; accepted campus improvement plans as presented by elementary principal Maribeth Williams, mid-school principal Eddie Bland and high school principal Mack Lowe, and, authorized, Supt. Louis Baty to amend the budget within specific budget categories. Mr. Baty was also authorized to serve as the district's representative to the Child Nutrition Program.

The board approved Supt. Baty's staffing recommendations for the textbook committee.

The next scheduled school board meeting is December 17.

Care Home News

By Donna Casillas

December Birthdays:
Francis Sims - 12 / 1 / 1912
Willie Harris - 12 / 11 / 1921
Edward Parrish - 12 / 12 / 1924
Carl Hall - 12 / 13 / 1934
Myrtle Barnard - 12 / 14 / 1900
Harvey Harendt - 12 / 22 / 1927
Glenn Gardner - 12 / 26 / 1925
Resident Birthday Party: Monday, December 9 at 3:00 p.m., sponsored by the First Christian Church of Knox City.

Resident Christmas Party will be Monday, December 23 at 3:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Sunday Church Services - 3:00 p.m., 12 / 1 - O'Brien Baptist, 12 / 8 - Knox City Foursquare Church,

12 / 15 - Benjamin First United Methodist Church, 12 / 22 - Rochester Church of Christ, 12 / 29 - Knox City First United Methodist Church.

Special Music - 7:00 p.m., 12 / 5 - Bud Conner, 12 / 11 - The Yellowjackets.

Again, thank you to all who volunteered their time and talents to helping the BVCH Activity year be a big success.



KC 4-H NEWS

By Logan Morrow

The Knox City 4-H Club held their monthly meeting, Tuesday, November 19, at the Knox City Community Center.

Mike Carlson, Knox County Sheriff, presented a program on "Gun Safety" for the 4-H group. Sheriff Carlson displayed his collection of guns and told their history as well as giving safety tips for the use of guns. The interesting program was enjoyed by all. The 4-H members would like to take this opportunity to thank Sheriff

Carlson for his time and wonderful program.

The 4-H Club held their business meeting led by President Caleb Carver. Minutes of the October 15, 1996, meeting were ready by secretary Ashley Harrison and the treasurer's report was given by Casey Carver.

Club members enjoyed refreshments provided by Logan Morrow.

The next meeting will be our

Christmas party, Tuesday, December 17, 3:30 - 5:00, at the Knox City Community Center.

Hope to see you there!

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A USC researcher is working with a gene that he says can transform other body cells into muscle cells. The gene has possible implications for heat attack victims. The gene might be able to change some dead heart muscle into new healthy muscle.
A survey reported in The ElderLaw Report says a third of law schools are now offering courses on law and aging. About 30 schools have added aging programs in the past five years.

GUTHRIE COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1996

Exhibit A-2

Data Control Codes	REVENUES:	Governmental Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum Only)	
		100-199 General Fund	200-499 Special Revenue Fund	96 August 31, 1996	97 August 31, 1995
5700	Local, Intermediate, and Out-of-State	\$ 1,557,608	\$ 12,954	\$ 1,570,562	\$ 2,146,844
5800	State Program Revenues	70,277	4,705	74,982	34,751
5900	Federal Program Revenues	0	17,199	17,199	15,573
	Total Excluding Revenues Funding Function 14	\$ 1,627,885	\$ 34,858	\$ 1,662,743	\$ 2,197,168
0014	Revenues Collected For Funding Function 14	902,416		902,416	1,005,151
5030	Total Revenues	\$ 2,530,301	\$ 34,858	\$ 2,565,159	\$ 3,202,319
	EXPENDITURES:				
	Current:				
0011	Instruction	\$ 783,204	\$ 3,860	\$ 787,064	\$ 728,221
0021	Instructional Administration	395		395	
0022	Instructional Resources and Media Services	22,045		22,045	18,076
0023	School Administration	52,421		52,421	59,760
0025	Curriculum & Instruct. Staff Development	1,399		1,399	731
0031	Guidance and Counseling Services	3,092		3,092	377
0033	Health Services	89		89	54
0034	Student Transportation	83,078		83,078	84,155
0036	Co-curricular Activities	49,218		49,218	47,488
0037	Food Services		45,913	45,913	58,763
0041	General Administration	149,040		149,040	147,764
0051	Plant Maintenance and Operations	238,087		238,087	181,258
	Sub-Total Expenditures Excluding Function 14	\$ 1,382,068	\$ 49,773	\$ 1,431,841	\$ 1,326,647
0014	Instructional Services Between Districts	902,416		902,416	1,005,151
6050	Total Expenditures	\$ 2,284,484	\$ 49,773	\$ 2,334,257	\$ 2,331,798
1100	Excess (Deficiency) Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ 245,817	\$ (14,915)	\$ 230,902	\$ 870,521
7990	Other Resources	37,828	14,915	52,743	109,115
8990	Other (Uses)	(24,325)		(24,325)	(110,473)
1200	Excess of Revenues and Other Resources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	\$ 259,320	\$ 0	\$ 259,320	\$ 869,163
0100	Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	2,947,971	0	2,947,971	2,078,808
3000	Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$ 3,207,291	\$ 0	\$ 3,207,291	\$ 2,947,971

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 8-29 tfc 5

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 11-7 tfc 26

FOR RENT OR SALE - Two bedroom, unfurnished house. 1100 South Third. 915-698-0032. 10-17 tfc 13

HARTSFIELD REALTY, Esther Conn, 817-658-3904 - 1007 South Second. Two bedroom, one bath, carpet utility, \$8500.00. 11-21 tfc 16

FOR SALE BY OWNER in O'Brien - Three bedroom, one bath, furnace, water well on four acres. Across from school / gym. 817-658-3904. 10-31 tfc 22

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INSIDE GARAGE SALE - Saturday, December 7, 1106 North Second. Starts at 8:00 a.m. 12-5 1tc 14

For Sale

SEASONED MESQUITE FIREWOOD For Sale - Call 658-3780 or 658-3727. 11-7 5tc 9

FOR SALE - 1993 16 ft. bass boat with 90 HP outboard motor. Call 658-3134. 11-21 tfc 14

CEMETERY BOOKS, \$15.95 Each, Benjamin, Knox City and O'Brien. Maps, pictures, poetry, names, dates. B & D Designs, 658-3654; also available at Art Stall. 11-28 2tp

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Bid Notice

THE CITY OF BENJAMIN is accepting bids on a recyclable solid waste trailer. Specifications may be requested at City Hall in Benjamin. Bids will be opened on Wednesday, December 11, at 7:30 p.m. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 11-28 2tc 47

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FOR SALE - NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, three bath, very nice home. Water well, new heat and cooling system, house constructed for wheelchair occupants. Very good location. Call for appointment for viewing.

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Approximately 400 lbs. each, branded with small b on left hip, underbit, overbit in left ear.

Cattle located near the old Hendrix place Highway 222, west of Knox City.

Notice is hereby given that if ownership of estray is not determined by the 15th day of December, 1996, said estray will be sold at a public auction.

Witnesses, my hand, on this the 26th day of November, 1996.

Contact Knox County Sheriff's Dept., 454-2211.

Mike Carlson,
 Knox County Sheriff
 12-5 2tc 112

LEEROY PARNELL coming to Stagecoach, December 7. Tickets in Knox City at Larned Pizza, for info call 915-773-3545. 12-5 1tp



Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
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Primrose Operating Company, P.O. Box 1319, Wichita Falls, TX 76307 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Strawn, Bateman Trust Est. Account No. 1, Well Number 30, 33 & 82. The proposed injection well is located 6 Miles East of Guthrie in the Bateman Ranch (C-Zone) in King County. Fluid will be injection into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5230 to 5325 feet.

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

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Envi-

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