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Thursday, May 25, 2006

Help Keep Light Burning At Nutrition Project

Callahan County Nutrition Project would like to ask the general public to help us monitor the Clyde Center, and kitchen, making sure the outside porch lights remain burning during the week, and especially on weekends. We had a power outage past-weeks due to a squirrel, causing this prob-

lem inside the building. This is very important, due to freezers, milk boxes and refrigerators. If this had not been discovered, the project would have lost several hundred dollars of food. Please help us in reporting when the porch lights are not burning.

Numbers to call: Don Haley 89305338, Katie Dunn

854-2403; Callahan County Sheriff's Dept. 854-1444; Vickey Burns 854-2042. Please keep trying until you reach someone. Your help will be appreciated. The seniors can also help. Anytime you are out, please drive by the center to check.

Baird Project Graduation Meeting Wednesday

There will be a project graduation meeting May 24, 2006 at 6 p.m. in Lauren Rodriguez's classroom in the Baird high school building.

Baird Chamber To Host

Antiques Market/Trade Days

The Chamber of Commerce in Baird is planning its annual Antiques Market/Trade Days celebration June 9th and 10th.

The affair will take place on historic Market Street with shopping indoors and outside where there will be plenty of antiques, collectibles and crafts offered and plenty of good food vendors all weekend.

Saturday events include a Little Miss Trade Days Pageant, quilt show, music, line dancing, drinking booth, antique cars, and don't miss the antique

pedal cars. Gymnastics teams will be performing throughout the day. A Fort Griffin Historical Reenactment will be performing and antique buggies will be displayed.

For the children and the young at heart, there will be air castles, face painting, a pet show, and at 4 p.m. there will be a bicycle, pedal car, go cart, antique car and pet parade. This you do not want to miss.

There will be a Tea Time Appraisal Fair from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. at a historic home in downtown Baird. Appraisal Fair tickets must be

purchased in advance. For more information and tickets call 854-1756.

A Chili, Chicken, Ribs and Brisket cookoff will get underway Friday with awards presentation at 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Weekend activities will wind down Saturday night with a street dance featuring Southern Edge. Tickets are \$10 per person \$5 for children and \$5 cooler use fee.

For information, tickets, booth space reservation or to enter any of the events call the Baird Chamber of Commerce at 854-2003 or Barbara Corn at 854-1137.

State Health Services

Immunization Clinics in
Callahan Co.

Monday, June 12th

Baird Cafetorium 400 W, 7th.
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Cross Plains Housing Authority
233 North Main

Wednesday June 14th Clyde First
Baptist Church 216 Austin

9 a.m. to 12

to 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Please Bring Child's Immunization
Records

For more information call
325-754-4945

Baird High School Homecoming To Be Held September 16, 2006

The Baird High School Homecoming has been set for September 16, 2006. All the activities this year will be on Saturday. We are trying to update our address file and are needing addresses for the following people from the class of 1914-1937:

Lual Halsted Blakley, Catherine Mullican Wardlaw, Maggie Price Kilbourne, Anna Scott McGowen, R. Forrest, Garland Morrison, M.B. Nichols, Celia Hooper Daigh, Judith Mayes McEachern, Willela Hensley Banecke, Julian

Putnam, Edith Hinton Blount, Dorothy Nummy Clayton, Kara Luce Hayes, Percy King, Laura Wylie Kinsey, Pat Morgan, Christine Young Smith, Eva Robinson Starnes, Katy Moore Turpin, Elizabeth Reed Wasson, Willie Cooke, Walter Cooper, Pauline Putnam Kemper, D.S. McGee, Sam Orr, Emma Lelan Wheeler, Annie McGee Brown, Doris James Cooper, Lena Free Anderson, Bill Atwood, Annie Smith Farrar, Harold Hensley, Marjorie Hart Shaw, W.B. Barrett, Pauline Jones Benavidez, Leona

Memorial Day 2006

By Tom Ivey

Our traditional Memorial Day of May 30 will be on Tuesday thus Monday, May 29 will be observed as a national holiday. The Civil War custom of marking and decorating the graves of fallen soldiers and sailors continues to the present day. American Legion Posts Eugene Bell of Baird and Ernest Pettit of Moran will be placing American Flags on Veterans graves. Flags will also be placed in the Belle Plaine Cemetery following the annual Memorial Day services there. Every-

one is invited to attend these programs.

While Memorial Day is a day to recognize those who made the supreme sacrifice to protect our freedom, it is also a day to offer thanks to those who continue to serve around the world. Our lives would be very different if we did not have those gallant men and women standing between us and those who wish to destroy the America that we enjoy and love so well. Offer thanks to a person in our country's uniform!

(Continued Inside)

D.P.S. Report

5-14-06 to 5-20-06

Cases Investigated
Warnings...126
Complaints...119
DWI...4
Public Intoxication...1

Accidents

There were 2 accidents investigated during this time span.

Legislature Approves Historic Property Tax Cut and Education Funding

(Austin, Texas) - The Texas Legislature 3rd Called Special Session came to an end Monday afternoon after the passage of new laws enabling property tax relief of historic proportions, higher pay for teachers, and additional funding for public education. In just 30-days, the Texas Legislature defied critics to pass bipartisan legislation benefiting Texas teachers, taxpayers and schools. Among the key victories are:

- * The creation of a modern constitutional school finance system addressing the State Supreme Court's mandate and allowing schools to open this fall
- * Record \$15 billion (over three years) of property tax relief for home and business property owners
- * A net overall tax cut
- * A fairer business tax with lower rates and choice of exemptions for business taxpayers
- * A doubling of the small business tax exemption
- * A \$2,000 teacher pay raise and additional performance-based teacher pay
- * Stronger caps and taxpayer protections,

Higher academic standards and more school accountability

The Legislature fixed the State's unfair and unstable business tax system. Currently, only one in sixteen Texas businesses pay the franchise tax. As a result, the school funding burden falls disproportionately on homeowners and a small number of employers while many companies avoid paying the taxes. Legislators eliminated corporate tax loopholes so that all Texas corporations and business partnerships that receive liability protection, and earn more than \$300,000 per year (less cost of goods sold or

labor costs) will pay 1% or less. This lowers the overall tax rate while ensuring a broader number of businesses pay the required amount.

For the first time, businesses will have a choice between deducting labor or the cost of goods sold as part of their tax calculations. Business tax rates are cut from the current 4.5% franchise tax rate, to 1% for the manufacturing and service sector and .5% in the retail and wholesale sector. The new business tax rates will be lower, flatter and fairer for all businesses.

Small businesses are exempt from the business taxes if receipts are less than \$300,000. This is a doubling of the current \$150,000 exemption. Also exempt from filing are those businesses who make over \$300,000 but owe less than \$1,000.

Included in the legislation, the Legislature voted to penalize those who hire illegal immigrants by prohibiting Texas businesses from deducting the costs of salaries and benefits for undocumented workers.

Home and business owners will see property taxes lowered on the maintenance and operation portion of their school taxes. Lawmakers cut the \$1.50 property tax rate, by 17 cents, to \$1.33 per \$100 valuation in 2007 and \$1 per \$100 valuation in 2008. For example, a school property tax liability for a home with a taxable value of \$150,000 will drop from \$2,250 to \$1,500 — a \$750.00 annual savings.

The new legislation will make it harder for school districts to raise tax rates

without voter approval. Presently, districts may raise rates 6 cents without a vote. Under the tax cut plan, school districts are limited to raising tax rates 4 cents this year with school board approval, and an additional 2 cents in two years only if voters approve. There is also an effective revenue cap triggering lower school tax rates on rollback elections if appraisal or value increases generate more than the equivalent of a 4-cent tax increase.

By cutting property taxes and increasing the amount of school district property wealth needed to trigger Robin Hood recapture, the bill reduces the number of school districts in the Robin Hood system. The new 4-cent local enrichment tier is not subject to Robin Hood recapture. Any further tax increases will require voter approval and would be subject to recapture.

The legislation also included nearly \$1.7 billion in new state public education funding. Incorporated in this amount is a \$2,000 state funded pay increase for teachers, counselors, librarians and nurses. The plan encourages and rewards teaching excellence. In addition, local school districts will have the ability to create incentive plans so as to increase teacher performance and promote teachers who go to work in hard-to-staff schools, or teach understaffed subjects.

The new school reforms call for stronger accountability and higher academic standards in the following manner:

- * Increases financial transparency by requiring districts to post detailed budget statements online
- * Establishes a new dropout prevention program with allotting \$275 per high school student

* Requires high school students to take four years of science and math starting in 2007

* Strengthens the public school curriculum in order to improve student performance in college

* Increases efficiency and improves dropout tracking with an electronic student records system that expedites the transfer of student records

The Texas Legislature also passed the following new measures:

* Legislation banning protests or other disruptive behavior at funeral and burial services for Texas military men and women

* Legislation that provides for the issuance of revenue bonds, or other obligations, to fund capital projects at public institutions of higher education

* Legislation that provides for an appropriation to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to fund debt service on revenue bonds or other obligations on capital projects at public institutions of higher education

* Legislation relating to appropriations to pay for damages and disruptions suffered by Lamar University and its related institutions caused by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita

* Legislation relating to the recovery and securitization of reasonable and necessary hurricane reconstruction costs incurred by certain electric utilities outside of the Electric Reliability Council of Texas area

* Legislation that would permit the Texas Railroad Commission to acquire title to carbon dioxide captured by a clean coal project that meets the FutureGen project profile District 60 covers Brown, Eastland, Hood, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, and Stephens Counties. For more information, contact District60.Keffler@house.state.tx.us or 1-800-586-4515.

Drinking and driving is not only dangerous to all involved, but foolish when it's so easily avoidable. Before you take the chance again, take a close look at the following stats.

IS IT WORTH IT?

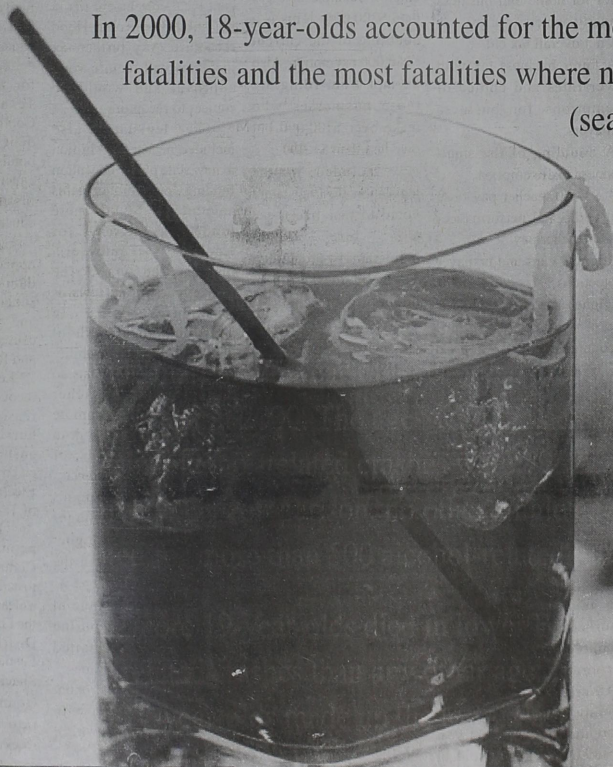
STATISTICS

In 2000, more 19-year-olds died in alcohol-related traffic crashes than any other age (1,368). The next most fatal ages were 18, 21, 20, 17 and 22, respectively. No other single ages but these six recorded more than 1,000 fatalities.

By a wide margin, 21-year-olds recorded the most alcohol-related fatalities (680) in 2000. The ages with the next highest numbers of fatalities in alcohol-related crashes were 19, 22, 20 and 23, respectively. By comparison, no other single age besides these five accounted for more than 500 alcohol-related fatalities.

In 2000, more 19-year-olds died in lower BAC (between .01 and .09) alcohol-related crashes than any other age. In fact, 19-, 21-, 18-, 20-, 22- and 17-year-olds made up the top six ages (in order) of people who died in these crashes.

In 2000, 18-year-olds accounted for the most alcohol-related fatalities and the most fatalities where no restraint system (seat belts or motorcycle helmets) was used.



Obituaries

Ella Charlene 'Sis' Tucker

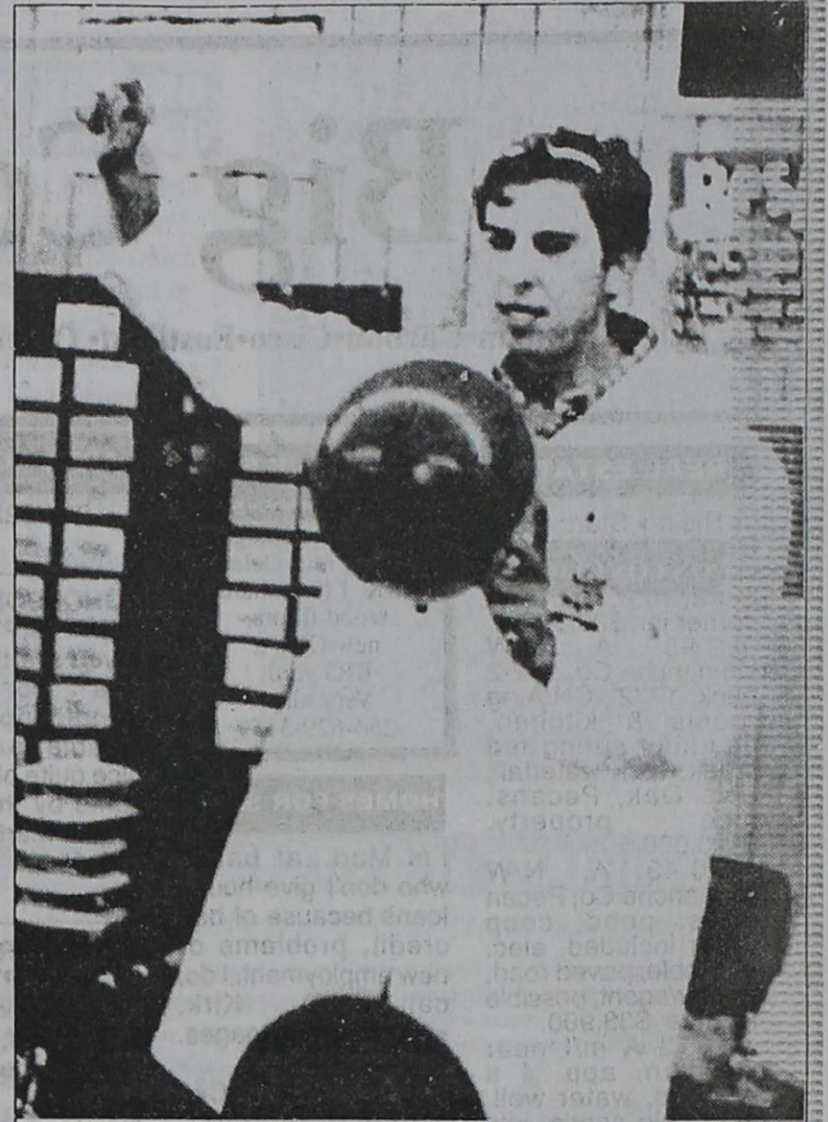
CLYDE- Ella Charlene 'Sis' Tucker, 69, of Clyde, Texas died Saturday, May 20, 2006 at a Baird Care Center. Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, May 22, 2006 at the Clyde Cemetery with Bro. Billy Sellers officiating under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home. Charlene was born December 28, 1936 in Cross Plains to Charlie and Jeffie (Nigar) Bell. She grew up and attended school at Cross Plains. She was the widow of Norman Tucker whom she married September 2, 1972. They moved to Clyde in 1972. She was a homemaker and a member of Southside Baptist Church. She is survived by two sons and wives, Ricky and Dianne Jones of Clyde and Tony and Randa Tucker of Potosi; three daughters and husbands, Paula and Phillip McDowell, Tammy and David Stephens, and Michelle (Shelly) and Ray Wilson all of Clyde; mother, Jeffie "Granny" Bell of Clyde; five brothers, Charlie and Terry Bell both of Clyde, Kenneth Bell of Ft. Worth, Eddie and Ronnie Bell both of Cross Plains; 11 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren.

Wilma Faircloth

BAIRD- Wilma Faircloth, 76, of Baird, Texas, died Friday, May 19, 2006 at an Abilene hospital. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, May 22, 2006 at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Truman Johnson officiating, directed by Parker Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Ross Cemetery Annex. Wilma was born September 6, 1929 in Winters, Texas to Will Dorsett and Linnie Wallace Dorsett. She has lived in Baird since 1963 moving from Tuscola, Texas. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church. She married Odie Ray Faircloth in Abilene on May 14, 1949. Survivors include her husband, Ray Faircloth of Baird; two daughters, Kay Faircloth of Baird and Debbie Faircloth of Abilene; one son, Tommy Faircloth of Abilene; one brother, Grady Dorsett of Abilene; 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews; and her pen pal and care giver, Joan Heinen of Baird. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Irene Floyd.

Disaster Assistance Available For Small Businesses In Callahan Co.

The Small Business Administration out of Sacramento, CA now offers applications for small non-farm businesses in 204 Texas Counties (plus contiguous counties in Louisiana, New Mexico, and Oklahoma) for low interest economic disaster loans to help offset economic losses because of reduced revenues to farmers and ranchers incurred to farmers and ranchers caused by the severe-drought conditions above normal temperatures and wildfires that occurred in 117 Texas primary counties beginning April 1, announced Alfred E. Judd, Director of SBA's Disaster Field Operations Center-West. Primary Texas counties in the Big Country include: Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Nolan, Shackelford, Taylor and Throckmorton. Small businesses may qualify for economic Injury Disaster Loans (E.I.D.L.'s) of up to \$1.5 million to help meet financial obligations and operating expenses which could have been met had the disaster not occurred. "Eligibility for these working capital loans is based on the financial impact of the disaster only and not on any actual property damage. These loans have an interest rate of 5%, a maximum term of 30 years, and are restricted to small businesses without the financial ability to offset the adverse impact without hardship," Judd said. By law, S.B.A. makes E.I.D.L.'s available when the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture designates an agricultural disaster. Secretary Mike Johanns declared this disaster at the request of Governor Rick Perry. Businesses primarily engaged in farming or ranching are ineligible for SBA disaster assistance. Agricultural enterprises should contact the Farm Service Agency (FSA) about the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) assistance made available by the Secretary's declaration. However in drought disasters nurseries are eligible for SBA Disaster Assistance. Information and application forms may be obtained by calling toll-free (800-659-2955, or by visiting the SBA website or www.sba.gov/disaster. Hearing impaired individuals may call (800-877-8339. will be Serving lunch at the American Legion building at 12:00 noon. Everyone is Invited to attend.



On May 17, 2006 the Baird 3rd graders were treated to a visit from "Lazer Lance", the Mad Scientist. Lazer gave a fantastic, hands on lesson with experiments on electricity. Sam Green's favorite part of the lesson was when the kids made their own parallel and series circuits. Talya Mendez learned the difference between closed and open circuits. Preston Clark's favorite part was when they learned about protons and neutrons using conductors and insulators. Lazer Lance is a graduate of Hardin Simmons University and is employed by Mad Science.

American Legion to Hold Memorial Day Service

Many brave men and women have given their lives for America; therefore, let us honor these men and women with their families, befitting their sacrifices for our freedom and county. We will honor the veterans of world wars and those who fought for victory in many different ways, who pulled together and won, when a world at war demanded their best. A Memorial Day Service will be held at Ross Cemetery in Baird, Monday, May 29, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. at the foot of the American Flag. Guest speaker will be Allen Daugherty-CMS.S.G.T. (Ret. U.S.A.F. of Abilene, TX. Eugene Bell Post #82 will furnish flags to anyone wishing to amrk and honor their loved ones having served in the military. After the placing of flags Eugene Bell Post #82

Farm Service Emergency Loan Applications Being Accepted For Drought Relief

Callahan County was declared eligible for Farm Service Agency, (F.S.A.) disaster emergency loans on April 20, 2006. Generally that means that farmers who have lost at least 30 percent of their production due to drought on January 1, 2006 and continuing, are eligible for F.S.A. loans. Proceeds from crop insurance are taken into consideration when determining eligibility. F.S.A. Farm Loan Manager, Richard G. Young, is urging farmers who are interested in receiving an emergency loan to submit their application into F.S.A as soon as possible. Richard G. Young said, "We hope farmers will get their applications in early rather than waiting until near the deadline, which is December 20, 2006, for severe physical losses only. The longer they wait, the more chance there is for long delays. If the applications come in early, we can avoid back-

logs and speed up the process." Richard Young said. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who meet U.S. citizen requirements and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U.S. citizenship requirements are met by holding a majority interest. The FSA office in Anson is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday. The FSA office is at 2303 Commercial in Anson, TX. The telephone number is (325) 823-3269.

Summer Reading Program At Clyde Public Library, New Books

Plans are being made for the 2006 Summer Reading Club at the Clyde Public Library. Story times will be at 2:00 p.m., each Thursday, June 15, 22, 29 and July 6. A Celebration time of fun games and the awarding of attendance certificates will be Thursday, July 13. There will be a class for ages three years through first grade and another class for second grade on up. Registration will start May 2. The theme for the Summer Reading Club 2006 is Reading, Sports of Champions. New book releases available at the Library for your reading enjoyment are: *Old Wine Shades* by Martha Grimes. *House* by Danielle Steel. *Promise Me* by Harlan Coben. *Dark Harbor* by Stuart Woods. *We Are All Welcome Here* by Elizabeth Berg. *Two Little Girls in Blue* by Mary Higgins Clark. *Gone, An Alex Delaware* Novel, by Jonathan Kellerman. *Circle of Quilters* by Jennifer Chisverini. *Orbit* by John J. Nance. *Laura Bush* by Ronald Kessler. *Day by Day: Accout of Jesus Final Week* by Marcus J. Borg. *Perfect Union: Dolley Madison and the Creation of the American Nation* by Catherine Allgor. The library has recently received new audio books in C. D. format. Including: *Two Little Girls in Blue:* Mary Higgins Clark.

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Thursday, May 25, 2006

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Rising Star: 4-2-1
ON CONTRACT
 metal roof, 1/2 acre
 corner lot. \$29,500
 2.95 A N/W
 Comanche Co., 4-2-2
 brick, 1772', CHA, lg
 rooms & kitchen,
 beautiful spring fed
 creek, rock waterfall,
 Live Oak, Pecans,
 nice property.
 \$110,000

10.43 A, N/W
 Comanche Co, Pecan
 trees, pond, coop
 water included, elec.
 available, paved road.
 Owner/agent, possible
 finance \$33,900.

13 A m/l near
 Gorman, app. 4 a
 wooded, water well,
 elec., old septic, lots
 pecan trees, nice
 building site. \$3,500
 acre or 6 1/2 acres for
 \$32,500.

30 A m/l Gorman,
 water well, elec. barn,
 coastal, old pond,
 good fences, 100s of
 small pecan trees.
 \$2,500 acre.

NEW: 17.55 A west
 DeLeon FM 587,
 mostly good coastal,
 few large Pecan trees,
 county water & elec
 available, nice home
 site. \$2,750 acre.

35 A S/W Gorman,
 wooded & secluded,
 por...
SOLD
 gre...
 its
 wildlife in this area.
 \$2,150 acre.

NEW: 52.65 A near
 Duster, FM 587 & FM
 2247, approx. 17 a
 coastal, county water
 & elec available,
 partially wooded, has
 a few big Pecan trees.
 Good home site.
 \$2500 acre.

97 A N/W
 Comanche County,
 secluded, good
 hunting, creek, oak &
 mesquite, pond, seller,
 willing to divide.
 Reduced to \$1750 A.

127 A on I-20 near
 Thurber: Nice building
 location, 3 ponds, city
 water and elec
 available. Wonderful
 views, mountain, great
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 Eastland.
 E43

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3
 BR, 2 BA, Brick house
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 264-1671.
 C43

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Close Out
 New Large 3+2 D/
 wide
 set on land, all
 utilities, \$0 down,
 \$600 per mo.,
 6.5%, FHA, 360 mos.
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 559-5671
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New 4 Bdrm.
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 Set on land,
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 mo.
 \$0 down, 6.5%, FHA,
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 559-5671
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3+2 D/wide
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Repos, Repos,
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 capabilities and would
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 accepting applications
 for a position in the
 Water Department.
 Applicants must be in
 good physical
 condition, have some
 mechanical ability and
 basic plumbing
 knowledge, and be
 able to work irregular
 hours. The City of
 Eastland prefers
 applicants who are
 well motivated, career
 minded individuals
 with a desire to
 progress in this field.
 Applicants must also
 have a high school
 diploma or GED, a
 current Texas driver's
 license, and be willing
 to acquire a CDL.
 Interested persons may
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 City Hall, 113 E.
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The City of Eastland is
 accepting applications
 for a position in the
 Street Department.
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 condition, be able to
 work outside in all
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 must be able to
 operate heavy
 equipment, and be
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 Begin work August
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 is available at the RC
 Personnel Office
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 preferred. Salary
 negotiable, room and
 Board, insurance
 packet after State-
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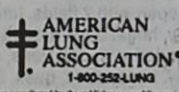
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Say a prayer and a word of thanks for these Veterans who served so well.

Oplin Community Homecoming To Be Held June 3, 2006

The Oplin Community Center would like to invite everyone who has ever lived in the Oplin Community to mark their calendars for Saturday, June 3, for our bi-annual Homecoming and Community Wide Dinner. Folks will begin to gather at the community center about 9:00 a.m., bringing with them a side dish or dessert to accompany all the brisket that our volunteers will cook To Perfection. Lunch will be served somewhere around noon and the visitngw will continue

until around 3:00 p.m. or thereabout.

This is an opportunity for the newcomers to meet the old-timers, for the young and for folks to meet their neighbors. So be sure to mark your calendar and come on out for a day of good folks and plenty of good food.

For further information about our homecoming please contact Doug and Judi Campbell at 529-4311 or Tom and Pam Rumfield at 529-4522.

Eula Homecoming Set For June 10

The 2006 All-School Reunion (for all ages, all grades, all current and former residents of Eula community) is set for Saturday, June 10th at Eula High School. Registrations will begin at 9:00 a.m. Local residents and officers of the Homecoming Association are planning for a pleasant day of visiting and sharing memories. All exes, families and spouses have a special invitation to attend.

A short program and business session will be part of the activities, as well as tours through the school facilities. Interesting displays will be set up in the library and hallways to help jog memories. Eula Lions Club will cater the lunch (\$7.00 per plate-pay when served).

A permanent scrapbook is being assembled as a record of school and community life. Exes are asked to contribute pictures, clippings, and other suitable mementos for the project. The Librarian will be on hand to make copies while you wait, so nobody will have to leave treasured pictures and articles. Several individual classes are arranging for additional reunion activities during the weekend. Since Homecoming meets only every two

years-graduating classes often combine activities. Anniversary year members are encouraged to attend Homecoming and then make special plans for Saturday night.

Offices of the Homecoming Association are Jack McKee president, Linda (Welch) Mayfield, vice-president, and Rose Farmer secretary-treasurer. Everyone who is interested in the community and interested in promoting homecoming activities is invited to attend. A surprisingly large percentage of our Exes still live in the local area (within 50 miles). We urge them all to come and visit with old friends who will be traveling from greater distances in Texas as well as those from out-of-state. For the past several meetings we have had about 200 register, so Saturday, June 10, 2006 will be a big day, McKee stated.

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Meek Blood Center invites the citizens of Eastland and the surrounding communities to donate blood and give someone the gift of life on Wednesday, May 31st. The bloodmobile will be parked at Brookshires in Cisco from 1 to 6 p.m.

"Any blood drive that immediately follows a holiday weekend is extremely important," said Frances Baker, donor recruiter for Meek Blood Center. "A holiday weekend means going three days without a blood drive. The blood collected at this drive will help supply blood to patients in 17 area hospitals."

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- Pick a broad-spectrum sunscreen that protects against UVA and UVB rays and has an SPF of at least 15.



Always check your sunscreen for an expiration date. Some sunscreens degrade over time.

- Look for a waterproof brand if you will be sweating or swimming, and remember to reapply as directed for fullest protection.

- Be aware that more expensive does not always mean better. Some national brands are 30 percent more costly—and not necessarily more effective—than a store-brand version, such as CVS Sport Sunblock Lotion.

- People with sensitive skin should avoid chemical-based sunscreens and instead opt for products that are zinc oxide or titanium dioxide based.

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The Belle Plaine Cemetery Association will hold its annual business meeting on Memorial Day, Monday, May 29th. The Callahan County Historical Society is combining their summer picnic meeting with our meeting this year.

Belle Plaine Cemetery is located 8 miles south of Baird. Take Hwy 283 to CR 470 and turn east. Turn north at CR 473 (first dirt road) and

then east into cemetery entrance.

The Honor Guard must march into the cemetery prior to the start of the ceremonies, so please plan to arrive and be parked by 10:30 a.m. if possible.

The ceremony will begin at 11:00 a.m. with the traditional fly over by the Big Country Squadron of the CAF based at Elmdale Airpark. The Dyess Air Force Base Honor Guard will assist

in the flag-raising ceremonies. Norman West Jr. will play the National Anthem and Ashly Rowen and her horse Frankie will represent the Riderless Horse.

Robert Partain and Luke Senter of the Abilene Pipers are our speakers/guests this year and will present a special "Cemetery/Soldiers' Salute."

A potluck dinner will follow the business meeting. Everyone should bring a covered dish to compliment the meat and drinks

Clyde Attempts to Answer Opportunity Knocking in Two Games. Loses Successively Two Tries at Semifinals in Baseball

According to coach of the Wylie Bulldog baseball team Clay Martin: even though "the game was a lot closer than the score," and that Clyde played exceptionally well and made some huge play's defensively... the fact that the Clyde made back-to-back errors in the sixth inning in their first game played at McMurry's Driggers field in the Class 3A regional quarterfinals, the game stood at 7-2 Wylie on Thursday, May 18, giving the other Bulldogs a chance at game 2, which they overwhelmingly won 23-3.

Clyde's two runs occurred in the bottom of the third, when shortstop Jacob Agnew led off with a play on an error which put him on 2nd, following which a center field overthrown tag attempt, and again a sailing high overthrown ball, letting him

score. Four batters hence, left fielder Greg Garrison with an initial single allowed Kory McNutt when he was hit by a pitch with all loaded, putting Clyde 2-1 ahead.

Wylie's pitcher Michael Strong pitched a complete game, striking out seven. He allowed only one base runner in the last three innings. When Wylie evened the score at two-two, Clyde Bulldog pitcher Garza, Clyde allowed two errors after retiring two, Chase Daniels of Wylie, who had previously been out via third baseman Kory McNutt—a line drive then a ground out—took his third swing at bat and hit a right field fly ball, while shortstop Blake Lemen hit a single, batting to center field, gave the Wylies a 5-2 sixth end; followed by two more runs in the seventh.

Carlos Garza, while pitching well, allowed six errors

letting go five "unearned" scores; boding ill for a lead-off pitcher.

The four-o'clock pitch out at Drigger's pitch on Friday, allowed Wylie to march away with quarterfinal title with the 23-3 victory, allowing Martin's team to advance to play West.

With everyone in the Wylie Bulldog squad getting at least a hit, Martin said, "we were extremely disciplined." Clyde finished the game 19-12 for the season and got one run ahead in the top of the first. However, Wylie got three in the bottom and continued strong, then Clyde tried four different pitchers in the contest. The game ended with Clyde getting two in the fourth and ending the game in the top of the fifth by the 10-run over rule.

Eula Advances in Softball to Play Windthorst

Eula's win over Haskell in Abilene's Christian complex allowed a game followup for the regional 1A semifinal softball team, allowed a shot at Windthorst for the Regional finals.

The Windthorst game will be played on Thursday in Graham at 5 p.m.



Mr. Tollett, Mr. Williams, and the Baird HS Economics and Government Classes

Hanner Chevrolet Hosts Baird Seniors

Randy Tollett, a salesman for Hanner Chevrolet, spoke to the Baird High School Economics and Government classes about the advantages and disadvantages of traditional financing or leasing a new vehicle on Wednesday, May 17.

We live in a credit world, stated Mr. Tollett, so everyone needs to understand the importance of your Beacon Credit Score. A 700 to 800 Beacon score means you should have no problem receiving a loan at a low interest rate. A 580 or lower means you will probably receive a TD (turned down). If you do receive a loan, it will be at a high interest rate, perhaps as high as 18%. So, Mr. Tollett further encouraged the

students, make your payments on time and take care of your credit score.

He explained how a house appreciates in value; you gain equity with time. A car is often considered a depreciating asset; it isn't worth as much when you sell it as it was when purchased. Usually financial advisors encouraged clients to lease depreciating assets and to buy appreciating assets. Because car payments are often as high as mortgage payments, auto dealers have tried to diversify traditional financing to give buyers more options. Mr. Tollett used a chart and handouts to explain the difference between retail purchase and GM Smartbuy, a buyer friendly form of leasing.

As the Economics teacher, stated Mr. Williams, I have tried to increase interest in Economics by spending some time on subjects like leasing or buying, funeral planning, and acquisition of wealth by bringing to class or going to visit with professionals in specific fields. Everyone is going to make money in life. How we spend money determines our lifestyle; and, to some extent, our success in life. Every student is unique with individual goals and objectives that change from student to student. However, the keys to wise financial management are pretty much the same from generation to generation. Learn the basics and each student has a platform to build on—regardless of individual goals.

Eula Advances Against New Deal in Baseball, By 3-1 Win Over Plains on Friday in Lubbock

Though not putting a single man on Base in the first five innings, Eula High School Base team, advanced over the Plains Cowboys on Friday night in a game in which the Pirates finally ran three in the sixth and won 3-1 at Lubbock's Eagle Field.

Eula goes 18-6 into the game with New Deal. Making 1 run in the top of the sixth by Zach Ramos, the Cowboys, in for Landon Craft, ran on a wild pitch from Eula's Ethan White (13-0).

Eula's head baseball Coach Heath Watts conveyed that he and the team were nervous, but the initial no-connect with this pitcher, turned into a contact.

"I told them they needed to start hitting the ball," which turned the team around in the sixth when Plains Cody Mayes (7-3) allowed Chance Dement to ad-

vance on a walk.

J.C. Tunnell also walked, then T.J. Cordova—an ace Pitcher, put in as pitcher for Mayes. A drag bunt by Justin LaFrance, a .600 batter whose has never swung, and is "as fast as lightning, and ran before a throw to first, loading the bases Quinn Powers was allowed to out by a fly to right field followed by Matt Pannell who scored Dement with a single.

White, a junior, from Eula came to bat nervously and walked to first. Corbin ad-

vanced and Eula led 2-1 first.

Aaron Swaner hit a grounder to Ramos at short who got White at second, but La France scored and the Pirates led 3-1.

Class A Area Baseball Playoff

Plains	000	001	0-1	3	2
Eula	000	003	0-3	2	0

Cody Mayes, T.J. Cordova (6) and Landon Craft, Ethan White and Quinn Powers. W-White (13-0). L - Mayes (7-3), 2B: Plains--Todd Williams, Cordova. Records-Plains, Eula 18-6

Game 1

Wylie 001-103--2-7
Clyde 002 000 0-2
E-Wylie 3, Clyde 5,
LOB--Wylie 10, Clyde 7,
2B-W: Chase Davis, Greg

Game 2

Clyde 100 20x x-3 7 6
Wylie 35(15 0xx x-23 17 2
McNutt, Ramos (2)
Hayden (3) Strohl (3) and
Brown, Stetson Taylor,
Landon Lindley (4) and
Greg Johnson, Derek
Salzgaber (5), W- Taylor;
L-McNutt 2B-Clyde
Stennett; Wylie Mason
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Rustenhaven, Nathan
Saitlgaber, Johnson 2;
Spencer Davis, 2; 3B-
Wylie: Chase Davis; D-
Salzgaber.
Wylie: Record 22-8.

Obituary

Tommy L. Pope

Tommy L. Pope, 72, of Abilene, Texas passed away Tuesday, May 23, 2006 in an Abilene hospital.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 25, 2006 at the Highway 36 Church of Christ. Ed Headrick will officiate. There will not be any viewing at Parker Funeral Home. A graveside service will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Crane Cemetery in Crane, Texas directed by Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

Tommy was born Sept. 28, 1933 in Cisco, Texas to Dale Pope and Helen Hanaford Pope. He had lived in Rowden, Texas for ten years then moved to Taylor Co. 7 months ago. He was a retired college professor at Cisco Junior College, and retired from the U.S. Navy Reserve as a Lt. Commander. He

When Plains came to bat, White secondly struck out Peter Neufeld, then his 12th.

Coach Watts, "I don't know how long it's been since we've won two playoff games." Eula's last bi-district win was in 1992 precedent to this year's win over Rotan.

served in the U.S. Navy from 1956 to 1960. He also owned Anchor Pest Control in Callahan Co. He was a member of the Highway 36 Church of Christ. He was the Past President of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Assn. He married Barbara Lorraine

Lundy in Torrance Co., N.M. Sept. 6, 1956. She preceded him in death in 1993.

Survived by 1 son, Tommy W. Pope of Abilene, TX.; 1 daughter, Tammy Smitherman of Midland, TX; 2 sisters, Jo Garrison of Ardmore, OK. and Mary Hurt of Okla City, OK.; 4 grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

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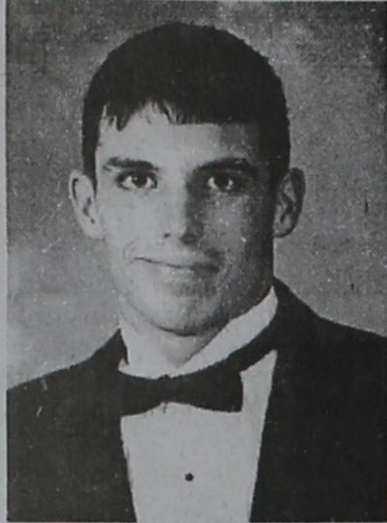
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Bid packages can be obtained by calling 888-887 or (512) 782-6910 or sending an e-mail to tina.burford@tmfc.state.tx.us.

Site visits will be held at the property on Tuesday, April 25, 2006 starting at 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and again on Wednesday, April 26, from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Call the number(s) listed above to make an appointment.

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2006 Eastland Graduates

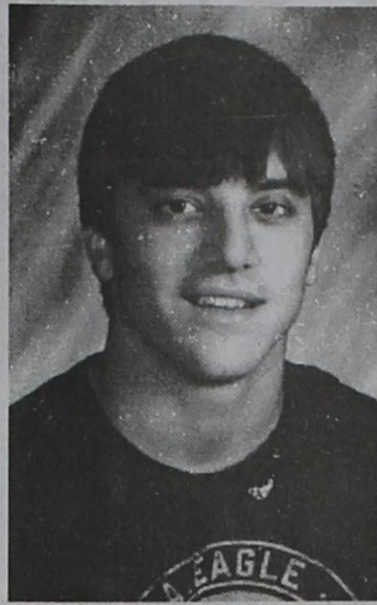


LUKE HATTON

Luke Andrew Hatton is the son of Dickie and Patricia Hatton. His high school activities include: Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; FCA, UIL Academics. He plans to become a U.S. Marine Reservist, attend college in fall of 2007 at Texas or Howard Payne University to become a licensed Athletic Trainer.

Johnson Space Center; Who's Who Among American High School Students; Texas Midwest Conference, Abilene, Texas; Received Congressional nomination for USAFA and Naval Academy; Aggie Eagle Award & Scholarship/Texas A&M University; United States Air Force ROTC Scholarship; Eva Easterwood Scholarship/Texas A&M University; Church of Christ Youth Group; BSA Eagle Scout Award; BSA Life Guard/CPR Certified; NOAC (National Order of the Arrow Conference) University of Indiana; Vice-Chief of Activities of Otena 295-1; BSA Arrowman Award 2,3,4; BSA Philmont Trek 2; Lodge Chief of Otena 295/Chapter Chief of Black Arrow; Vigil Honor-Order of the Arrow-Boy Scouts of America; Chapter Chief of Black Arrow-Order of the Arrow-Boy Scouts of America; Vice Chief of Penetaka Lodge-Order of the Arrow-BSA; Chief of Penetaka Lodge-Order of the Arrow-BSA; Assistant Troop Leader

He plans to attend Texas A&M University and be a member of the Corps of Cadets and join the United States Air Force. His college major plans to be History and Military Strategy.



MAURY FOLSOM

Maury Folsom is the son of Al and Ann Folsom. His high school activities include: Football 4 yrs; Basketball 4 yrs; Track 4 yrs; Golf 4 yrs; Beta Club 3 yrs; FCA 1 yr; A-B Honor Roll 4 yrs; Senior Class Officer; Beta Club Officer; Student of the Month; Office Aid; Methodist Youth Fellowship; Eagle Scout. He plans to attend Howard Payne University in Brownwood where he will play football and run track. He plans to major in Physical Therapy.



CRYSTAL IVIE

Crystal Ivie is the daughter of Vaughn and Norma Ivie. Her high school activities include: Band, Solo & Ensemble, District & Region, Color Guard, UIL Poetry Interpretation; National Honor Society junior year; State Solo freshman year; District Band sophomore & senior years; attended many concerts where she met her boyfriend Vance. She plans to continue playing her trumpet through college. She plans to attend CJC in the fall for her Associates degree and then she plans to attend a major university to major in business and minor in music. In the midst of all this she plans to marry and create a family so that she might teach her children the wonders that were passed down to herself.



VANCE SMITH

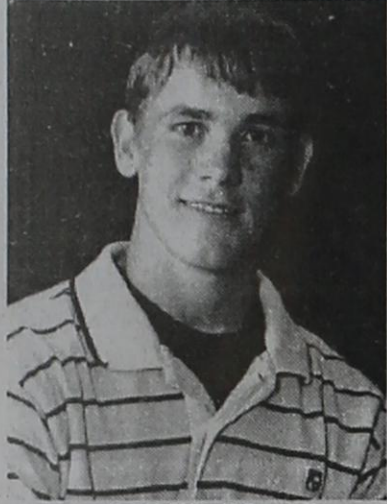
Vance Smith is the son of Jeff and Angela Smith. His high school activities include working hard to get through the Senior year. Took the opportunity to really get to know the people in his grade. Played guitar for the band Sulffer. Met his beautiful girlfriend Crystal. He plans to continue his advances in the music industry. He plans to continue to be a metal guitarist and band manager. He plans to marry and become a father and live his life to the fullest. The question he always asks himself is,

"Are you alive? Or just breathing"? Live life as if everyday is the greatest day of your life, because sooner or later you'll find that it is.



JAIMIE PENDLEY

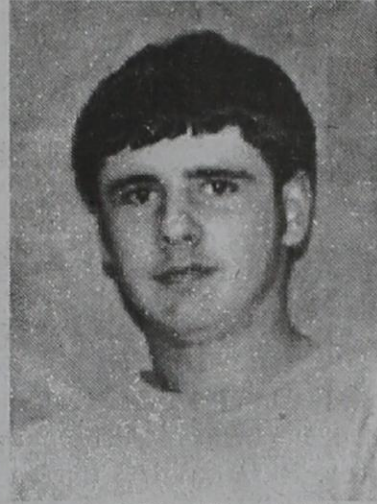
Jaimie Pendley is the daughter of Kenny and Tonya Pendley. Her high school activities include: Golf, FCCLA, FCA officer, 4 years of Basketball. She plans to attend Ranger College for two years playing basketball, then move to a four year college to study Radiography to become an X-ray Tech and possibly study to be a sports physical therapist.



JARED BLAIR

Jared Scott Blair is the son of John and Johanna Blair. His high school activities include: Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3; Track 1,2; All School Play 4; Marching and Concert Band 1,2; Percussion Squad Captain 2; Academic Team 1,2,3,4; UIL Academic Competition 1,2,3,4; KTXS Academic Challenge Team 2,3; HPU's Academy of Freedom Democracy-In-Action program 2,3,4; Student Council Representative 2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3; NASA Internship,

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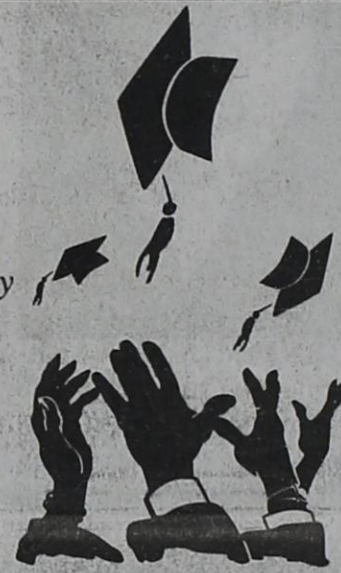
JARED CHAPMAN

Jared Daniel Chapman is the grandson of Nancy Chapman. His high school activities include: FCCLA. He plans to attend Lincoln Tech in Grand Prairie, Texas and major in Automotive Technology.

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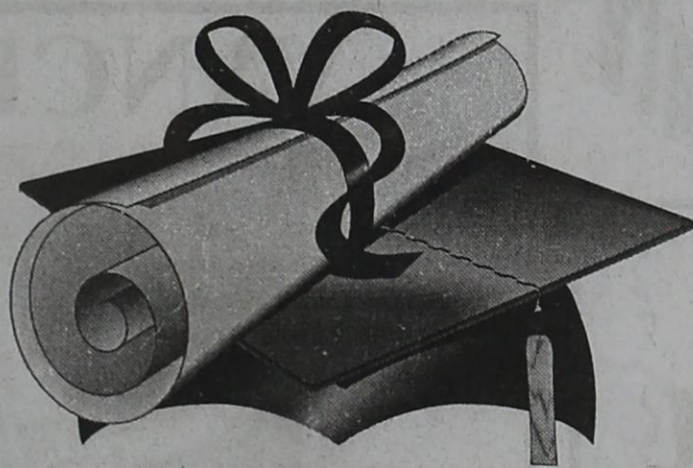
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COLT WILLIAMSON

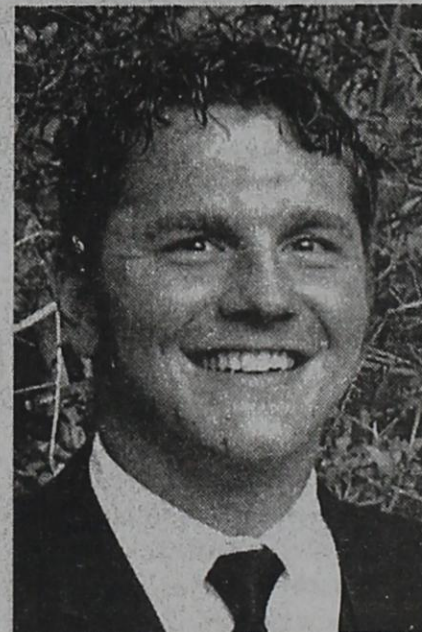
Colt Tyler Williamson is the son of Lynn and Gail Williamson. His high school activities include: Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,4; Honors All State Football; Track 4th in State; All District in baseball; Fellowship of Christian Athletics North All Star Team; All Big Country Football Team; First Baptist Church member. He plans to attend University of New Mexico and major in Construction Engineering.



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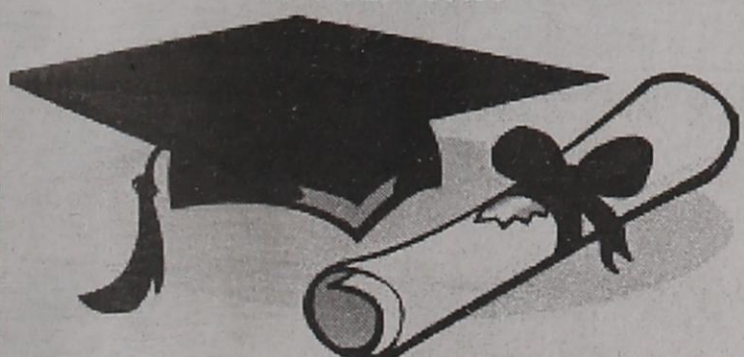


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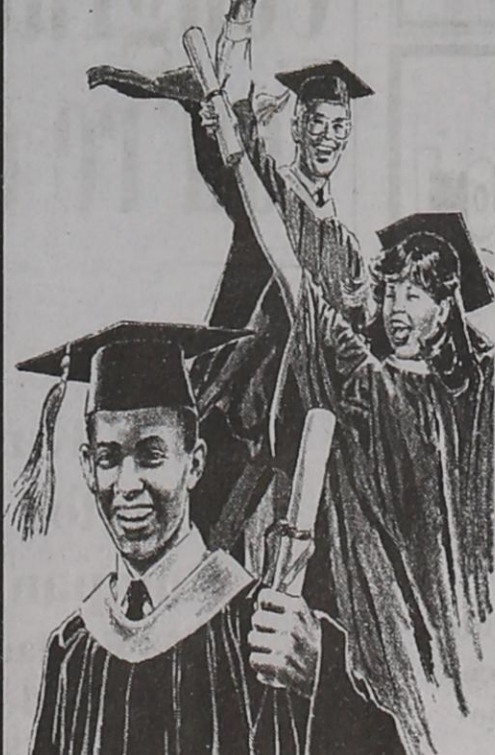
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Good luck in all your future endeavors, Graduates

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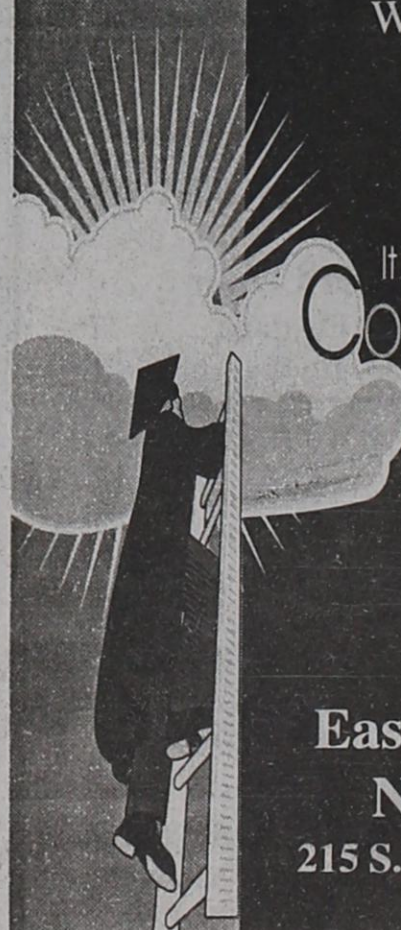


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T.J. FELTS

T. J. Felts is the son of Tab and JoAnn Felts. His activities during high school include Football, Baseball, Basketball, Track, FCA, Band. He has been selected to play in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes All Star Football Game in Abilene on June 3. He plans to attend Tarleton State University. His major is undecided.



MINDY BRILEY

Mindy Michelle Briley is the daughter of Ben and Della Briley. Her activities during high school include Volleyball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; FCCLA 1, 2, 3 (won at Nationals); Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Officer of Public Relations; Football Sweetheart 2005; A-B Academic Team 1, 2, 3; A Academic Team 4; Old Rip Fest Queen 2005. She plans to attend Texas A & M in the fall and will be a Political Science Major/Pre-Law. After graduating she plans to attend Law School and become a judge.



DEANA WILLIAMSON

Deana Williamson is the daughter of Bobby and Sherry Williamson. Her activities during high school include Salutatorian 4; First Baptist Youth Leadership 1, 2, 3, 4; Student of the Month, August 4; Class Student Council Representative 1; Class President 2, 3; Class Vice President 4; Volleyball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Softball 1; Tennis 3, 4; Tennis Regional Qualifier 4; Baseball Manager/Scorekeeper 3, 4; Varsity Cheerleader 2, 4; Cheerleading Captain 4; All-American Cheerleader Nominee 4; FCCLA Member 1, 2, 3, 4; FCCLA Local Officer 1, 2, 3; FCCLA Chapter President 4; State Qualifier 1, 2, 3, 4; Gold Nationalist 1; National Attendee 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club Member 2, 3, 4; Beta Club Vice President 4; FCA Member 1, 2, 3, 4; FCA Officer 3, 4; Drama Theater Productions 2, 3, 4; One-Act Play Honorable Mention All-Star Cast 4; UIL Academic Competitions 1, 2, 3, 4; 5th Place Persuasive Speaking 4; Howard Payne Academy of Freedom Contest 3, 4. She plans to attend Baylor University majoring in Business.



BEN EDWARDS

Ben Edwards is the son of Terry and Phyllis Edwards. His activities during high school include Freshman and JV Football; Basketball and Track; Varsity Golf; Student Council President sophomore year; participated in FCA. He plans to attend Weatherford Fire Academy to become a Certified Firefighter/EMT.



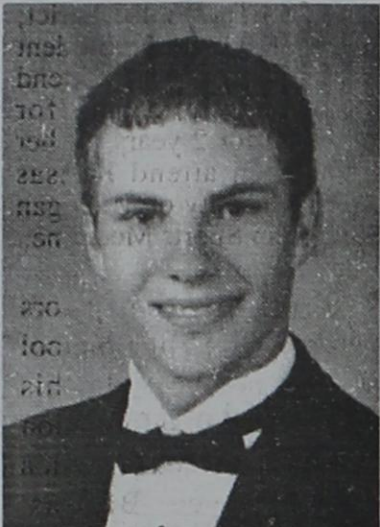
DUSTIN DOVE

Dustin Dwayne Dove is the son of Dwayne and Shirley Dove. His activities during high school include FFA Jr. Quiz Team 1; FFA Sr. Quiz Team 3, 4; Poultry Judging 1, 2, 3, 4; Academic Team 4; Broiler Showmanship 1, 3, 4. He plans to attend Cisco Junior College and obtain his Associate Degree then transfer to Tarleton State University to obtain his Bachelors degree in Agri-Business.



CAMERON HICKS

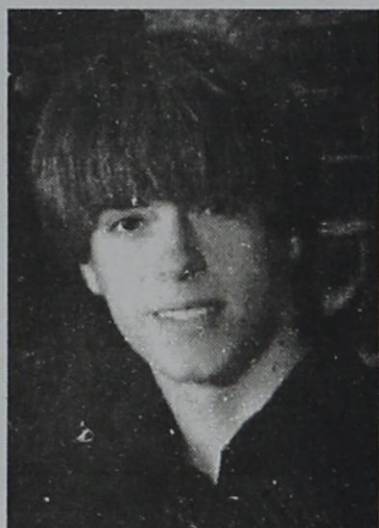
Cameron Hicks is the son of Terry and Kerri Peoples. His activities during high school include Beta Club. He plans to attend college at High-Tech Institute in Phoenix, AZ to pursue a Bachelor's degree in Graphic Design and Animation.



KYLE MILLICAN

Kyle Price Millican son of Calvin and Jill Millican and the grandson of Jean Ann Price and Calvin and Helen Millican.

His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3, 4; All-District Special Teams 3; All District Defensive End 4; Bi-District Champions 4; UIL Mathematics 4; UIL Computer Science 3, 4; UIL Informative Speaking 1; Band 1; Computer Club 4; FFA 4; Senior Class President; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Academic Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom King 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1. Awarded AIT Scholarship for 4 years. He plans to attend Texas A & M University in College Station in the fall and major in Computer Engineering. He then plans on getting his Master's degree in Engineering at A & M and either continue graduate studies at A & M or transfer to MIT for his PhD.



BENJAMIN MCNABB

Benjamin Carson McNabb is the son of Danny and Clista McNabb. His activities during high school include Valedictorian with 100.85 GPA; 33 college credit hours with 4.0 GPA of the Range College Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, an International Honor Society of the Two Year College; Recognized as Outstanding Student in 2004, 2005, and 2006; Activities include Baseball, Basketball, Football, Band and Jazz Band. Organizations: Key Club, Spanish Club, FCCLA and BETA Club president. Member of the First Baptist Church in Eastland where he serves as guitarist for the music and youth ministry. Employed part time by Eastland Drug Co.

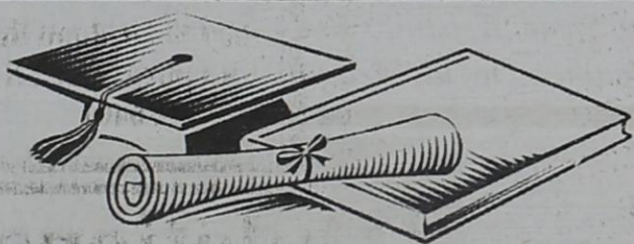
Benjamin has been accepted and plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin this fall as a pre-pharmacy major.

RHYNE HOBBS

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Rhyné Hobbs is the daughter of Rick Hobbs and Shirley Hobbs. Her activities during high school include hanging out with friends, just good times and memories. She plans to move to the big city, major in zoology and become a zookeeper. Maybe a writer as well. Try to become what God has for her.

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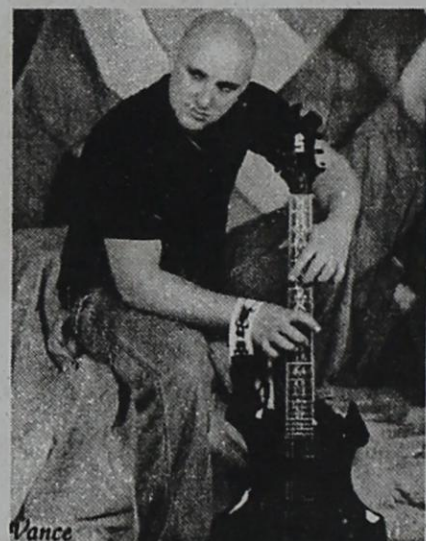
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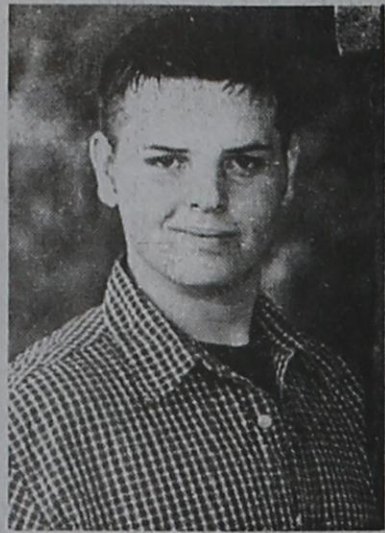
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JORDAN MCFARLAND

Jordan Wyatt McFarland (Spanky) is the son of Carol McCown, Roy McCown and David McFarland. His activities during high school include Powerlifting, Football, going fishing with the boys. He plans to become a certified automotive technician and hope to own his own shop someday.



BROOKE THOMAS

Brooke Thomas is the daughter of Mark and Toni Thomas. Her activities during high school include Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3; Golf 2, 3; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; FCCLA 1, 2, 3, 4; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4. She plans to attend Texas State University of Texas and major in Pre-Law & English then attend Law School in Austin.



JAMIE ELMORE

Jamie Elmore is the daughter of Travis and Loretta Elmore. Her activities during high school include Band 4 years. She is unsure of her future plans.



RAENA SHEPHARD

Raena Irene Shephard is the daughter of Rama and Berry Holley and Mark and Beth Shephard. Her activities during high school include Varsity Volleyball. She plans to attend TSTC in Breckenridge for Web Development.



STORMY GARY

Stormy Gary is the daughter of Lee and Angela Gary. Her activities during high school include Band 4 yrs; FCCLA 2 yrs; Band Sweetheart; Who's Who Freshman and Sophomore yr.; Flags 1 yr.; Section Leader Band 1 yr. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College 2 years, major in photography and minor undecided. She is undecided after CJC.



MELANIE CAIN

Melanie Cain is the daughter of Allison Cain and David Cain. Her activities during high school include Band 3 yrs; Track 2 yrs; Basketball 2 yrs; Softball 4 yrs; Volleyball 4 yrs. - received Honorable Mention 1st & 2nd Team All-District; All Team Academic; Student Council. She plans to attend CJC on a scholarship for volleyball for 2 years for her basics then attend Kansas State University or Michigan to major in Sports Medicine.



DEBBIE THACKERSON

Debbie Anne Thackeron is the daughter of Larry and Johnnie Thackeron. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College for 1 year, then finish her 2nd year of basics at Austin Community College. Then go to University of Texas in Austin and major in Psychology so she can be a Criminal Psychologist and Clinical Psychologist.



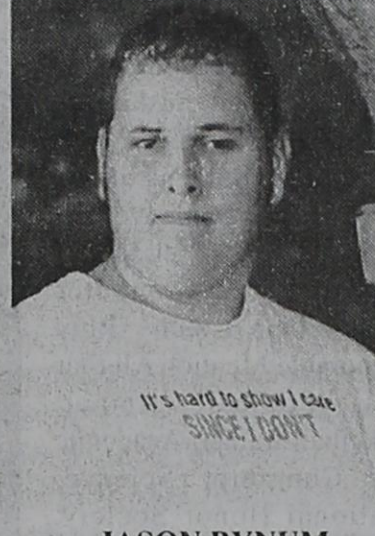
KELSEY SHARPE

Kelsey Sharpe is the daughter of Rodney and Donna Sharpe. Her activities during high school include Band 4 yrs; Twirler 3 yrs; FCCLA - 3 yrs; Band Sweetheart nominee; Student of the Month for November. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College for 2 years be in the Wrangler Belles and then go to Tarleton State University and major in Education to be a Kindergarten teacher.



ALEJANDRA IBARRA

Alejandra Ibarra is the daughter of Jaime and Susana Ibarra. Her activities during high school include FCCLA. She plans to attend El Paso Community College to be an Interior Designer.



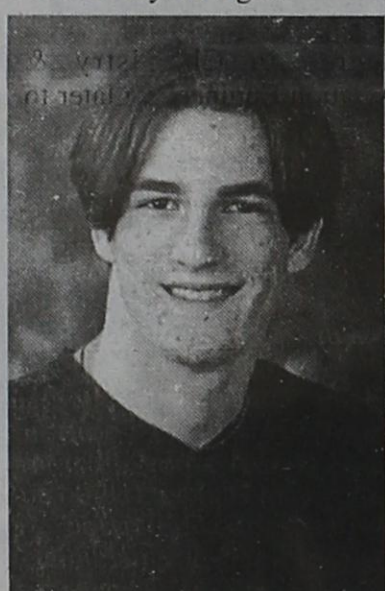
JASON BYNUM

Jason Bynum is the son of Rhonda and Dale Bynum. His activities during high school include Basketball 1 yr. He plans to attend Lincoln Tech.



VANESSA COLLINS

Vanessa Collins is the daughter of Wesley and Tammy Collins. Her activities during high school include Cheerleading 2 yrs; Flag Corp 1 yr; Band 4 yrs; Band Sweetheart nominee; Student of the Month for March. She plans to go to CJC to be a cheerleader and major in Nursing.



CASEY MERONEY

Casey Meroney is the son of Linda Meroney and Danny Meroney. His activities during high school include Football 1 yr. He plans to go into the work force, move to Abilene and live life to the fullest.



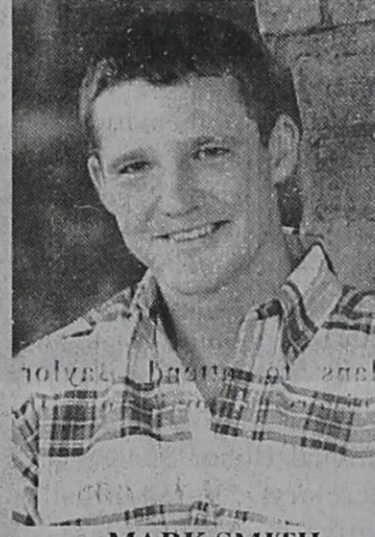
HUGO DELGADO

Hugo Delgado is the son of Jose and Micaela Delgado. His activities during high school include Cross Country and Track. He plans to attend a technical school in Houston - UTI.



CARMEN GALICIA

Carmen Veronica Galicia is the daughter of Ma del Carmen Galicia. Her activities during high school include FCCLA. She is undecided about future plans but is interested in computer, massage therapy and music.



MARK SMITH

Mark Smith is the son of Tommy and Pam Smith. His activities during high school include active FFA member and Chapter Vice President, active member of the Beta Club, Sr. Quiz and Poultry Evaluation Team for FFA, shown broilers at the county stockshow and york barrow at county and the San Angelo Stock Show. He plans to attend Cisco Junior College and then Tarleton. He plans on becoming a History teacher and teach in a small town.

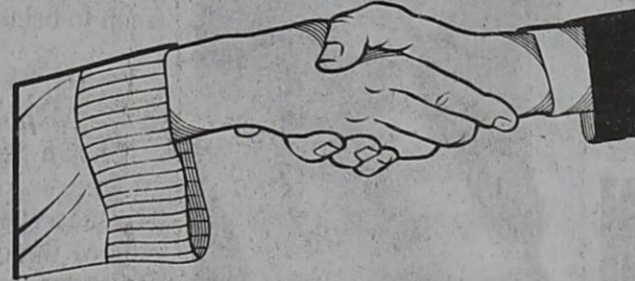


JOHNATHAN WILSON

Johnathan Wilson is the son of Dianne Wilson and the late John Wilson. His activities during high school include teaching martial arts for free for an after school program in Cisco. He plans to attend Ranger College for two years and then go to acting school

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KIMBERLI GARRETT

Kimberli Garrett is the daughter of Robi Garrett and Teresa Garrett. She plans to attend CJC for Cosmetology, open her own cosmetology and dress shop and go back to school to be a elementary school teacher.



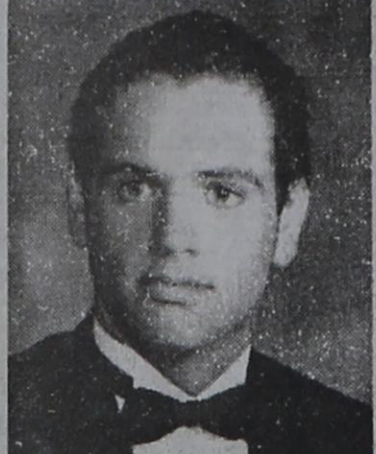
JENNIFER POSEY

Jennifer Posey is the daughter of Shane and Judy Posey. Her activities during high school include National Honor Society Vice President; Senior Class VP; Student Council VP; Varsity Cheerleader 3 yrs; Varsity Basketball 4 yrs; Varsity Track 4 yrs; Spanish Club; UIL Math. She plans to attend McMurry University in Abilene to pursue either a degree in physical therapy or education. She plans to compete on the track and field team.



DANIEL KOENIG

James Daniel Koenig is the son of James and Kim Koenig. His activities during high school include Freshman: Foreign Language Club (Spanish Club), FISH Club (Christian Club); Sophomore: Spanish Club *Vice President, Computer Club, One Act Play, Football trainer, Basketball trainer, Track manager, *Geography Student of the Year, *English Student of the Year, *AB Honor Roll; Junior: Spanish Club, Computer Club, One Act Play *Honorable Mention All Star Cast, Football trainer, Basketball trainer, Academic UIL Computer Science, *National Honor Society, *Art of Student of the Year, *English Student of the Year, *AB Honor Roll; Senior: Spanish Club *Treasurer, One Act Play, Academic UIL - Literary Criticism *Regional Qualifier - 1st place team, Computer Science - *2nd place team, Mathematics - *2nd place team, Current Issues and events - *Regional Qualifier - 2nd place individual; Student Council; Band - *Band Council Senior Rep. *Band Beau Nominee, *Tri-M Music Society - *Event Coordinator, *National Honor Society - *Secretary, *Voted Most Creative by Senior Class, *Voted Most Dependable by Senior Class, *AB Honor Roll. *indicates honors. He plans to attend the University of Oklahoma and major in Electronic and Broadcast Media in pursuit to someday become a motion picture editor.



JORY JARVIS

Jory Jarvis is the son of Joe and Janella Jarvis. His activities during high school include Basketball, Baseball, National Honor Society, King Lobo nominee. He plans to attend Cisco Junior College and then Texas Tech to pursue a career as a coach.



JOE PETREE

Joe Petree is the son of Mark and Cooky Petree. His activities during high school include National Honor Society 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, All District 10 2A MVP, 1st Team All-Big Country, All Region; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Honorable Mention All-District Quarterback; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; King Lobo; Football Beau. He plans to attend CJC, transfer to Texas Tech, major in sports medicine and one day become a basketball coach.

AUTUM HICKS

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Autum Hicks is the daughter of Ross and Kathy Honea. Her activities during high school include Cross Country, Track, Color Guard, Working at Brookshires, hanging out with friends. She plans to double major in Fashion Merchandising and Design. First attend Cisco Junior College then Texas Woman's University.

AUNDREE A CLIFTON

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Aundree a Nicole Clifton is the daughter of Kenneth Clifton and Denise Gayle. Her activities during high school include Marching Band, State Contest for band 3 yrs in a row, Symphoni Winds - went to State freshman year, Creative Writing Contest winner. She plans to attend Prairie View A & M University to major in English Literature.

DANIEL STUART

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Daniel Stuart is the son of Tammy and Robert Stuart. His activities during high school include Ag. He plans to attend CJC, auto mechanics and doing something that makes a lot of money.

DILLON WOOD

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Dillon Wood is the son of Misty and Tom Vaughn. His activities during high school include Football, Track, and Powerlifting. He plans to attend CJC for 2 years then transfer to any university at work at Frac Tech.



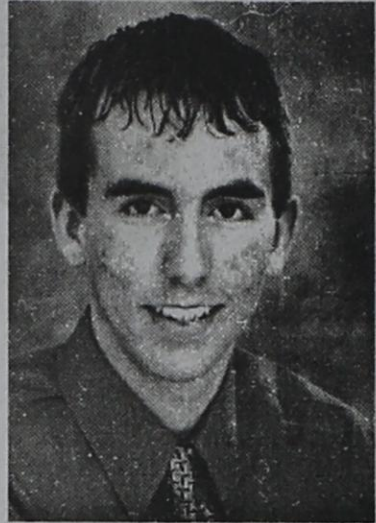
KATURAHA PALERMO

Katuraha Palermo is the daughter of Vince and Rhonda Palermo. Her activities during high school include Cross Country, Track, Softball, Band, Flags, Debate, District Champion, Regional Qualifier Informative & Persuasive Speaking. She plans to attend CJC on a Wrangler Belle and CJC Academic Scholarship, then attend Tarleton University to receive a Masters degree in Communications.



JASON SHELTON

Jason Shelton is the son of Rhonda and Vincent Palermo. His activities during high school include FFA, Football and Track. He plans to attend Tulsa Welding School to become a master welder.



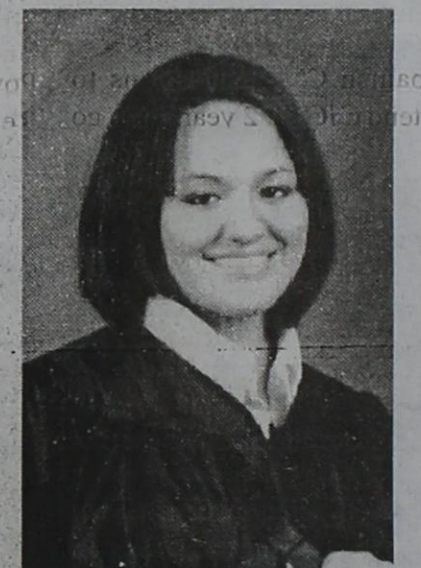
DAYNE BARTON

Tyler Dayne Barton is the son of Tim Barton and Debbie Barton. His activities during high school include Band, NHS and UIL. He plans to attend CJC.



GARRETT JOHNSON

Garrett Johnson is the son of Matt and Sheila Johnson. His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 1st Team All District WR & DB, 1st Team All Big Country WR; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, District 10-2A Defensive MVP, 2nd Team All Big Country; Track 1, 2, 3, 4, State Qualifier, Regional Qualifier; Golf 2. He plans to attend CJC then transfer to Texas Tech and major in Criminal Justice.



JESSICA BONNEY

Jessica Rose Bonney is the daughter of Patrick and Alice Bonney.

Her activities during high school include Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 3; Computer Club 2. She plans to attend CJC in Abilene for her basics then transfer to UT in Denton while working at Blue Cross Blue Shield.



JAMI JEFFCOAT

Jami Jeffcoat is the daughter of Laura Jeffcoat. Her activities during high school include Band 4 yrs.; Drum Major 2 yrs; One Act 4 yrs; UIL Prose 4 yrs; UIL Science; Computer Club; Spanish Club; Class Officer (Reporter 1, 2); Student Council 3; National Honors Society; Tennis 1, 2, 3; Winter Guard 4; Mascot 2; President of Tri-M National Music Honors Society. She plans to attend Southern Methodist University to major in Computer Science Engineering for a career in Video Game Designing.



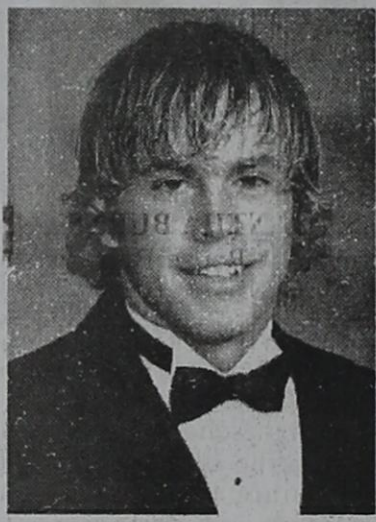
ASHLI GARRETT

Ashli Garrett is the daughter of Kelli and Carla Garrett. Her activities during high school include Track 1, 2, 3. Her future is undecided.



MAYRA HERNANDEZ

Mayra Leticia Hernandez is the daughter of Mario Hernandez and Maria Guadalupe Hernandez. Her activities during high school include FCCLA, Spanish Club, Annual (Yearbook). She plans to find a job then go to college.



JEREMY BAXTER

Jeremy Baxter is the son of Brad Baxter and Thelma Baxter. His activities during high school include Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track, Member of National Honor Society, Basketball Beau, King Lobo nominee, All-District Basketball, All-District Football, Regional Qualifier Track, Baseball All-District, Powerlifting. He plans to attend CJC then Texas Tech to become an engineer.



RACHEL GALVAN

Rachel Galvan is the daughter of Mike and Betty Galvan. Her activities during high school include Band. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College to study nursing.

SHAWN SANDERS

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Shawn Sanders is the son of Tony and Melissa Sanders. His activities during high school include Might Lobo Band - council; Tennis; Golf; Drag Racing. He plans to attend TWU and major in music and be a band director at Cisco.

JACKIE MEDINA

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Jackie Medina is the son of Roger and Melissa Medina. His activities during high school include FFA. He plans to attend Tulsa Welding School in the summer.

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JIM MORGAN

Jim Morgan is the son of Terry and Judy Morgan. His activities during high school include Football, Baseball, Basketball, and Track. He plans to attend CJC for two years then go to Texas Tech to become an Orthopedic Surgeon.



WHITNEY HARRIS

Whitney Shellea Harris is the daughter of Dr. Gary and Marty Harris. Her activities during high school include Band, Cheerleading, Track, Basketball, Vice President of Spanish Club, Computer Club, Student Council. She plans to attend CJC for 2 years then transfer to UT to get her degree in medicine. She plans on becoming a doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO).



ASHLEY WEBB

Ashley Ann Webb is the daughter of Dianna Webb and Gerry Webb. Her activities during high school include Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; District Champ. 4; Regional Qualifier 1, 3, 4; Golf MVP 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis MVP 3; Track 3 (100 & 300 Hurdles); Gifted & Talented 1, 2, 3, 4; Color Guard 4; Annual Staff 4; Band Sweetheart nominee; JV Cheerleader; One Act Play 1, 2; Who's Who Among American Students 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-M Music National Honor Society 4. She graduated with 26 college hours and then plans on attending CJC in Abilene until she gets her real estate license.



BRANDI KELLAR

Brandi Elizabeth Kellar is the daughter of Byron and Scarlett Kellar. Her activities during high school include 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Council 3, 4; Tri-M Music National Honor Society Vice President; National Honor Society Vice President; National Honor Society. She plans to attend CJC for 2 years and then transfer to UTPB for a major in criminology. She hopes to work for the CSI.



JESSECA ADAMS

Jesseca Chea Adams is the daughter of John and Meilssa Northam and Jesse and Teresa Adams. Her activities during high school include UIL Spelling 2 yrs; Athletic Trainer 2 yrs; Band 4 yrs; Section Leader 2 yrs; Sweetheart nominee; Secretary of Band; National Honor Society; Band 3 yrs; Spanish Club. She plans to attend CJC for 2 years then go to UT for Nursing.



JENNY TINER

Jenny Marine Tiner is the daughter of Billy and Wanda Tiner. Her activities during high school include Band 1, 2; UIL 3, 4; HST 2, 3, 4; Powerlifting 1, 2, 3, 4; Alt. for Regionals; Softball 1, 2, 4; Annual Staff 3; Pals 4. She plans to attend CJC for two years then attend Tarleton Nursing Program to get her BSN in Nursing. After that she plans to work for two years and go back to get her degree to become CRNA.



SAMANTHA BURNS

Samantha Ranae Burns is the daughter of Douglas and Penny Burns. Her activities during high school include National Honor Society President; Varsity Cheerleader; Cross Country; Tri-M Music Honor Society; Band; UIL Math; Calculator; Literary Criticism; Class Officer; Homecoming Queen Nominee; Queen Lobo Nominee; One Act Play. She plans to attend Angelo State University and major in biology. She then wants to attend medical school and pursue a career in Pediatric Medicine.



JACLYN NIX

Jaclyn Nix is the daughter of Randy Nix and Linda Hatcher. Her activities during high school include Band 1, 2, 3; Informative Speaking - UIL 1, 2; Basketball Manager 1, 2; Track Manager 1, 2; HST 2, 3, 4 (Health Science Technology). She plans to attend CJC for 2 years and then attend CJC in Abilene and go to nursing school and become an RN and maybe go further and become a CRNA. Her dream is to become a nurse.



DANA BOYD

Dana Boyd is the daughter of Gary and Teresa Boyd. Her activities during high school include coronation (play); Shattered Dreams. She plans to go to college and become a counseling psychologist.

Other graduating seniors from Cisco High School that did not provide this newspaper with information are Cory Boone, Justin Boyd, Alfred Busk, Ashley Cantrell, Alicia Cunningham, Crystal Grumbles, Steven Honea, William Johnston, George McKinney, Ruth Mendez, Frederick Morton, Vincent Palermo, Nicole Pena, Joshua Prescott, Uliser Reyna, Stephen Stogner, and Valerie Wampler.

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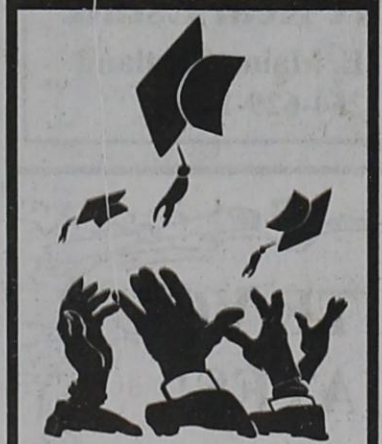


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DAVID GAUMOND

David Gaumont is the son of Donald and Patricia Conzett. His activities during high school include Football 4 years; Basketball 3 years; Senior Class Treasurer; Class Favorite; Best Personality; Mr. RHS, Spanish Club 2 years; Student of the Month (November); Athletic Aid; Honor Roll. His future plans are to attend Ranger College for 2 years then go to Tarleton to get his bachelors degree in coaching.



KRYSTEN MORGAN

Krysten Morgan is the daughter of Hank and Mimi Morgan and Belinda and Lance Woolfolk. Her activities during high school include Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1; Student Council 1, 2; One Act Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; UIL 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Student of the Month; Miss RHS. Her future plans are to attend Angelo State University and major in accounting.



RACHAEL HOWELL

Rachael Howell is the daughter of Christopher Howell and Patricia Tharp. Her activities during high school include All-District Band member, All-Region Band member, Area Band member, State Band Ensemble, Band, Class Officer, Student Council Officer, Mascot, Color Guard, UIL, National Honor Society, Sr. Class Favorites, Sr. Best Personality, Who's Who Among America's High School Students, One Act Play, One Act Play Honorable Mention, One Act Play All Star Cast, Yearbook Staff, September Student of the Month, Homecoming Court, Spanish Club years, All-American Cheerleader Nominee. Her future plans are to attend a junior college, transfer to a major university and major in business.

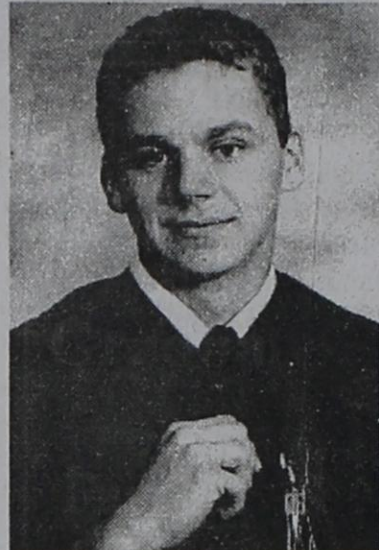
Stewart and Jeri Gilbert. His activities during high school include Football 4 years; Baseball 4 years; FFA 4 years; Basketball 4 years; One Act Play 9th, 12th - Honorable Mention; Baseball 4 years; Honorable Mention Defensive Line - Sophomore; Honorable Mention Guard & 2nd Team Linebacker - Junior; Honorable Mention Linebacker - Senior; All-Star Cast, zone; All-Star Cast District; Honorable Mention All-Star Cast area - Senior; Student of the Month. He plans to attend Ranger College for 2 years, get associates and then transfer somewhere and major in architecture.



JESSICA HODGE

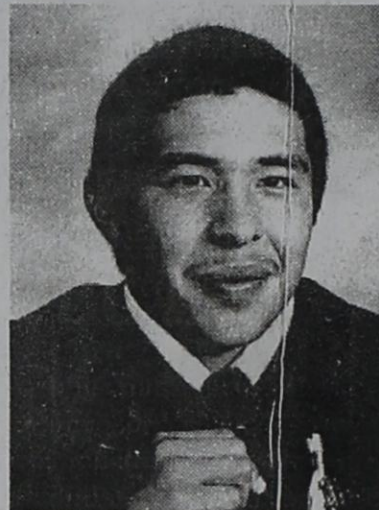
Jessica Ofelia Hodge is the daughter of Christopher and Anita Hodge and the granddaughter of Linda Plumley. Her activities during high school include 3 time Regional CC Qualifier; 4 time Regional Track qualifier; 2 time 1600m District Champ; 3 time 1600m Area Champ; Kiwanis Club Sophomore of the Year, '05-'06 Honorable Mention All District Volleyball; Student Council Officer 3 years; Stu. Co. President; Varsity Cheerleader 4 years; One Act Play Regional Qualifying Cast; One-Act Play 4 years; Best Actress at District Comp. '06; UIL Ready Writing Reg. Qual.; UIL Ready

Writing State Qual.; Homecoming 2005 Queen Nominee; Sophomore Class Favorite; Jolliest Junior; Sappiest Senior; Band 3 years; State Qualifying Marching Band '03; Student of the Month. She plans to attend the College of the Southwest in Hobbs, New Mexico on a track & CC Scholarship and hopes to eventually become an English teacher and a coach.



ANTHONY GUTIERREZ

Anthony Gutierrez is the son of Bill and Lisa Gutierrez. He plans to attend flight school.



JULIAN MORENO

Julian Moreno is the son of George Leal. His activities during high school include Track; Baseball; Football since freshman-sophomore.



JEANNETTE MUNIZ

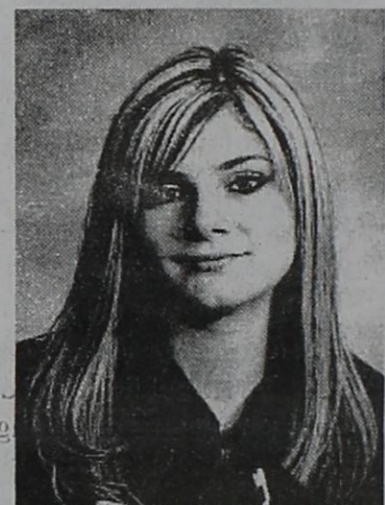
Jeannette Muniz is the daughter of John and Anabel

Thursday, May 25, 2006
Olivo. Her activities during high school include Basketball, Tennis, Softball, Golf, FFA, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Spanish Club 3 years; State FFA Qualifier; UIL; Student of the Month; Office Aid; All-District Golf. She plans to attend Ranger College for a year then transfer to Texas A & M in Galveston to major in Marine Biology.



BRITJNI HUGHES

Brittni Hughes is the daughter of Ricki and Debbie Hughes. Her activities during high school include Cheerleading 4 years; Volleyball 4 years; Track 3 years; Basketball 4 years; Spanish Club 2 years; 1st Team All-District Volleyball senior year; All-American Cheerleader 3 years; Junior Class Officer; Student Council 2 years; Honorable Mention/Basketball senior year; Class Award senior year; Band 3 years; State Qualifier Sophomore year in Band; FCA Cheerleader. She plans to attend college.



ANGELA LOWE

Angela Lowe is the daughter of Vicki Histed. Her activities during high school include Softball 9th & 12th; Cross Country 9th, 10th, 11th; Most likely to be remembered, senior; Student Council Representative 11th; 2006 Homecoming Queen, senior. She plans to attend college and get a degree in cosmetology.



JUSTIN RIFFLE

Justin Riffle is the son of Darla McDonald and Mark Riffle. His activities during high school include Sylvester's right hand man, Vehicle Maintenance. He plans to go into the Marines.



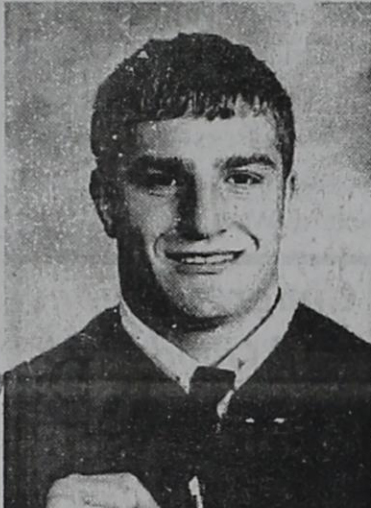
LORA McCULLOUGH

Lora Diane McCullough is the daughter of Jim and Diana McCullough. Her activities during high school include Volleyball 4 years; Softball 3 years; Basketball, 1 year; Track 1 year; Cheerleading 2 years; Class Officer 3 years; Student Council 2 years; Spanish Club 3 years; Yearbook Staff; National Honor Society 3 years; National Honor Society President. Her future plans are to attend Angelo State University and obtain a degree in Math Pre-Medicine. From there she plans on going to Medical School to become a dermatologist.



MATHEW WILSON

Mathew Reese Wilson is the son of Jerry and Betsy Wilson. His activities during high school include Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track, FFA, Student Council, Sappiest Senior, Most Opinionated, Senior Class President, Sophomore Class Student Representative; Freshman Class Secretary; 2005-2006 January Student of the Month; Band, State Qualifying Band '04. His future plans are to attend Ranger College for a year and then transfer to Texas A & M and major in mechanical engineering. After college he wants to get a good job, get married, have a family and just be happy.



DUSTIN STEWART

Dustin Blake Stewart is the son of Tim and Samantha

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NICHOLAS CRAIN

Nicholas Jay Crain is the son of Dianna Crain. His activities during high school include Basketball 1; NHS 1-4; FFA 1-4; Golf 3. He plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in business.

ties during high school include VAC, Honor Roll. She plans to get a good job and be happy.



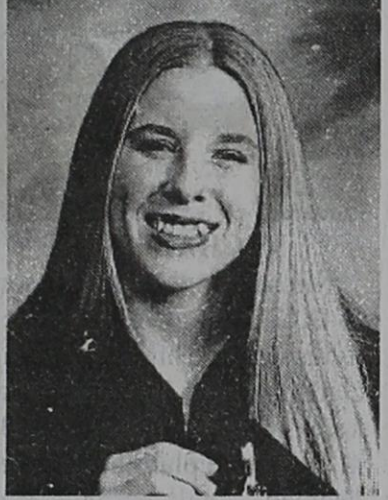
CELESTE FLORES

Celeste Arely Flores is the daughter of Flor Flores and Alan Oxford. Her activities during high school include Cross Country Regional Qualifier 2002; Cross Country 2005; Track 2004; Track Regional Qualifier 2005; Track Regional Qualifier 2006; NHS '05-'06; Spanish Academic Contest Gold Medal Winner '04-'05, '05-'06. She plans to attend Ranger College one year and transfer to Tarleton State University and major in Law.



KRISTEN SEYMOUR

Kristen Ann Seymour is the daughter of Kenneth and Billie Seymour. Her activities during high school include FFA, NHS, Golf, Band, 3 time state FFA qualifier, NHS Vice President; Golf MVP. She plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in Equestrian Business Management and Rodeo Sports Medicine. After college, manage her own horse ranch.



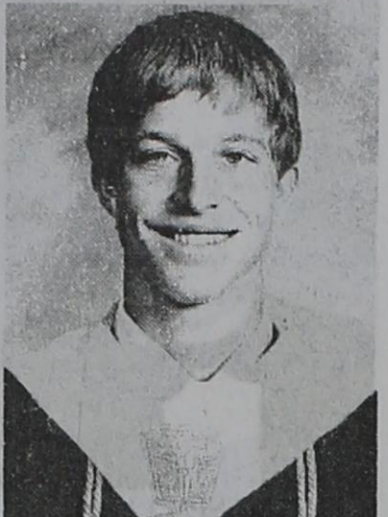
BRITANY PERRY

Britany Ann Perry is the daughter of Tammy Perry, Cody Jones and Billy Perry. Her activities during high school include Softball 3 years. She plans to go to HIT to become a Certified M.A.



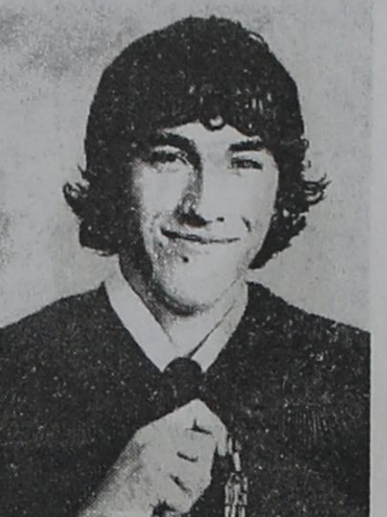
ALICIA BALLESTEROS

Alicia Ballesteros is the daughter of Denna Finley and Lupe Ballesteros. Her activities during high school include...



JACOB RUSSELL

Jacob Russell is the son of Doyle and Robin Russell. His activities during high school include One Act Play - Best Actor at Zone & Area; Football - Regional MVP, District MVP, All-State 1st Team Running back, Honorable Mention All-State Defensive back, kicker & punter; Basketball 2nd Team District; Track District Area & Regional Qualifier 400 meter & 800 meter relays; Baseball 1st Team District center fielder; Powerlifting State record holder bench, deadlift & total pounds; UIL District & Regional Qualifier in Impromptu Speaking. He plans to play football for Hardin Simmons University and obtain a business degree.



ROBERT WHISENANT

Robert Whisenant is the son of Ken Henson and Melba Henson. His activities during high school include Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Baseball 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

He plans to attend Tarleton University and become a coach.

FREDDY LOPEZ

(No picture available)

Freddy Lopez is the son of Sylvester Lopez and Edie Bearden.

His activities during high school include Football (varsity); Baseball (JV); Ag 1-4.

He plans to attend college in Advanced Computer Electronics and go into the Navy.



BOBBY BECK

Bobby Beck is the son of Carol and Glen Beck.

His activities during high school include working part time for school for 2 years.

He plans to get a job locally to buy a car and get a place of my own.



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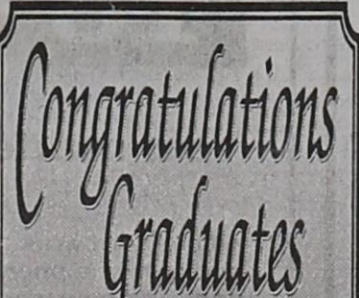
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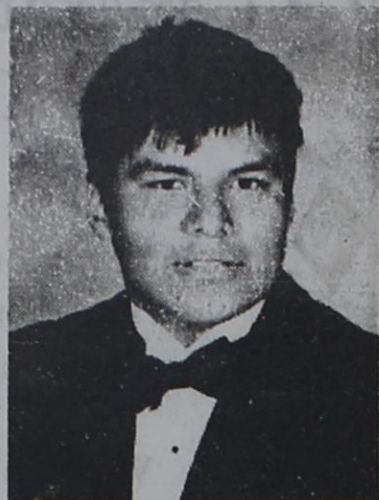
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JONATHAN SPILLMAN
Jonathan Spillman is the son of Dennis Spillman, Katie Gibson and Shannon Spate. His activities include Cross Country, Football, Basketball, Track, UIL Academics, One Act Play and Golf. He plans to attend the University of Texas at Arlington and major in Anthropology and history.



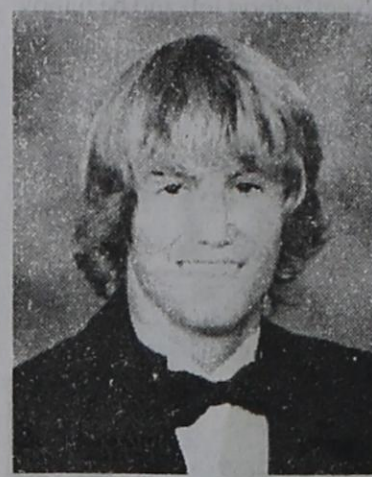
ABEL LUNA
Abel Luna is the son of Pedro and Margarita Luna. His activities during high school include Football 2, 4; Basketball 4; Track 2, 3, 4; UIL Academics 2, 3, 4; Current Events District 1st Team Regional Qualifier 3, 4; Social Studies District 1st Team Regional Qualifier 4. He plans to attend Cisco Junior College for 2 years, afterwards he will transfer to Tarleton State University and is undecided about a major.



KATRINA BUTLER
Katrina Butler is the daughter of Billy and Cindy Johnson and Johnny and Petite Butler. Her activities during high school include Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Golf 1; OAP 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 2, 3, 4. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College next fall and get her cosmetology license and start working and save money so that later she can go back and get a business degree.



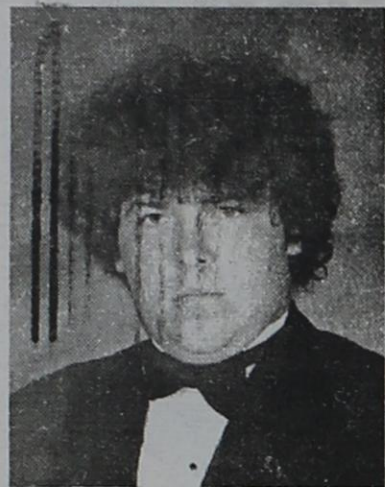
JESSE ELKINS
Jesse Elkins is the son of Linda Elkins. His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 3. His future plans are undecided.



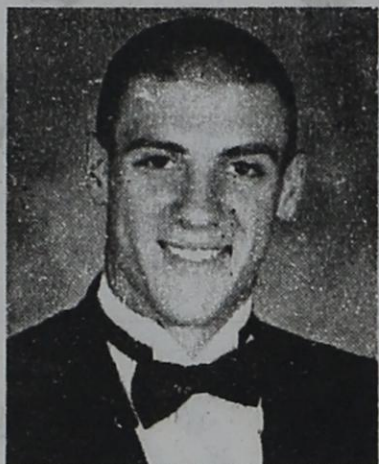
BO ALLEN
Bo Daniel Allen is the son of Bo Allen and Jamie Allen. His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; One Act Play 1; UIL 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 4; Band 1, 2; Judging 1, 2, 3, 4. He plans to go to Texas A & M to be a design engineer.



CAMERON BOTTS
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CHAZ ODOM
Chaz Odom is the son of Carla and Terry Odom. His activities during high school include Football 4 yrs; Track 2 yrs; Tennis 4 yrs, made regionals senior year; Golf 4 yrs, went to regionals all 4 years. He plans to attend Cisco or Tarleton college.



BRANDON SANDERS
Brandon Sanders is the son of Tim and Nettie Stone and Scott Sanders. His activities during high school include Football, Basketball, Track, One Act Play and Tennis. He plans to go to the Air Force and become a fireman.



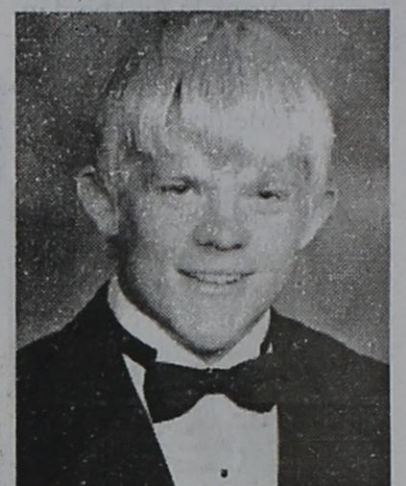
LACEY SANDERS
Lacey Jane Linnay Sanders is the daughter of Barry and Penny Sanders. Her activities during high school include One Act Play, Golf and Cross Country. She plans to major in theatre arts and hopefully open up an academy or something that has to do with acting.



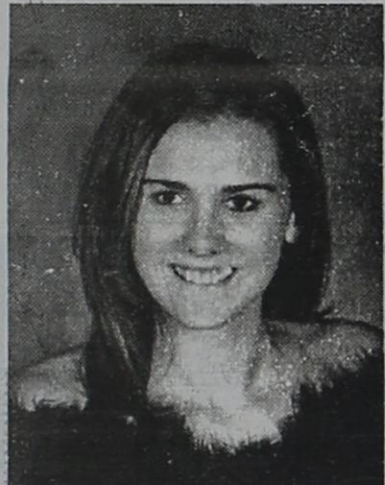
ALEXANDER OLDHAM
Alexander Ray Oldham is the son of Karen Baker and Wesley Baker.



MICHAEL BELL
Michael Paul Bell is the son of D.C. and Pat Bell. His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4. His future plans are not yet decided.



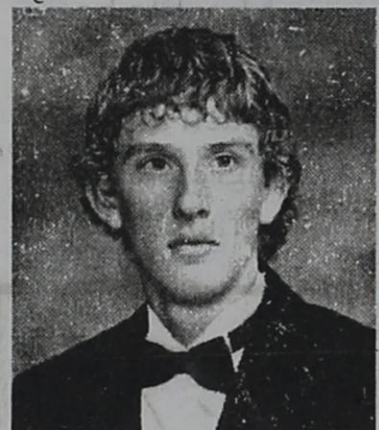
WESLEY BROWN
Wesley Kyle Brown is the son of Weldon and Dianne Brown. His activities during high school include Football, Basketball and FFA. He plans to go to TSTC for machining.



JACQUE UNDERWOOD
Jacque Underwood is the daughter of Robert Underwood and Janice Newman. Her activities during high school include Cross Country, Basketball, Track, Softball, Tennis; on Dairy Products Judging in FFA; UIL Academics. She plans to attend Howard Payne University and major in Physical Education and become a coach or go to TSTC and get associates in business.



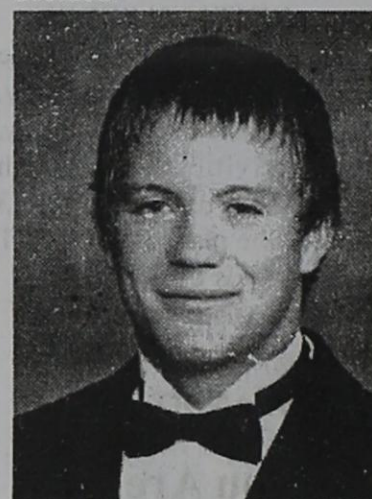
CASEY ROBBINS
Casey Robbins is the son of Steve Robbins and Morris and Carol Hardin. His activities during high school include Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Golf, Tennis 2, Football, Basketball, Track, Golf 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4. His future plans are undecided.



LANCE CLABORN
Lance Claborn is the son of Don and Linda Claborn. His activities during high school include Basketball 4 yrs, varsity 3; Varsity Football 4 yrs; Track 3 yrs; Golf 4 yrs with District Championships; Senior Year Awards: 1st Team All District Defensive Back - Football; 1st Team All-District Basketball; Mr. Rising Star High School. He plans to go to ACU to seek a degree in Accounting.



ALICIA EVANS
Alicia Brooke Evans is the daughter of Tim and Melissa Evans. Her activities during high school include Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2; Track 1, 2, 4; Academic UIL 1, 2; Academic UIL Regional Qualifier 2; Track Regional Qualifier 2, 4; Academic All State Basketball 4; Miss Rising Star; Miss La Estrellita; Football Sweetheart; Miss RSHS.



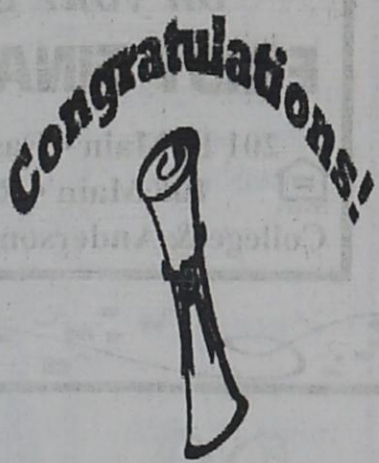
BRANDON BLANKENSHIP
Brandon Blankenship is the son of Rayme and Mikka Gregory. His activities during high school include Football, Baseball, Basketball, FFA, Livestock Judging, Track and Golf. He plans to take Varsity Athletics at Tarleton State University (football) and physical therapy.



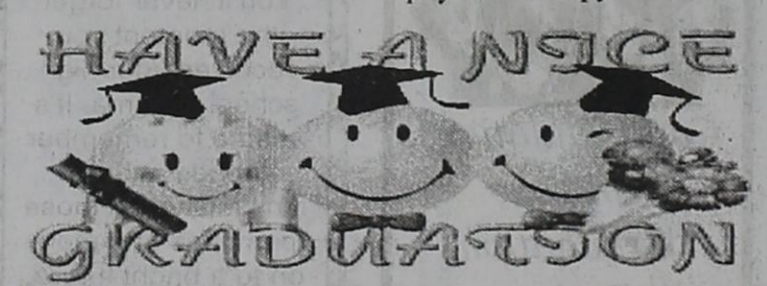
BRIAN HOUGHTON
Brian Houghton is the son of Debbie and Orville Houghton. He plans to attend ITT Technical Institute for computer and electronics engineering technology.



SHANNON BREEDLOVE
Shannon Breedlove is the daughter of Darina and Daryl Breedlove. Her activities during high school include Cross Country, Flags, Band, Cheerleading, Tennis and Year Book. She plans to attend TSTC in the fall.



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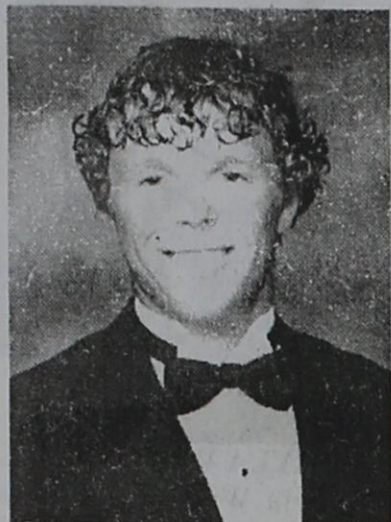
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RUSSELL HAIR

Russell Hair is the son of Donna Hair and Tully Hair. His activities during high school include Cross Country, Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track and Boy Scouts. He plans to go to Angelo or Hardin Simmons University to major in psychology and hope to get a PhD in psychology and become a counselor or therapist and have his own office.



TANA KELTON

Tana Jo Kelton is the daughter of Joel Kelton and LaRhonda Kelton. Her activities during high school include Cross Country 4 yrs; Track 4 yrs; Basketball 4 yrs; Cheerleading 2 yrs; 4-H 4 yrs; FFA 4 yrs; Band 2 1/2 yrs; Beta Club 4 yrs; Horse Judging 4 yrs; UIL 4 yrs. She plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in animal science.



KRISTINA MCDORMAN

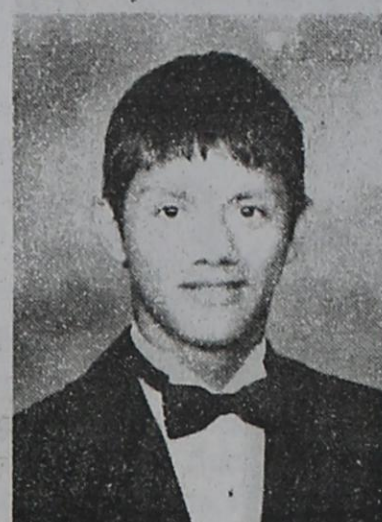
Kristina McDorman is the daughter of Steve and Kathy McDorman. Her activities during high school include Cheerleading, Basketball, and Cross Country.

Meichele Pittman. His activities during high school include Football, Basketball, Track, Baseball, 4-H, FFA, One Act Play, UIL. He plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University, major in secondary teaching and coaching.



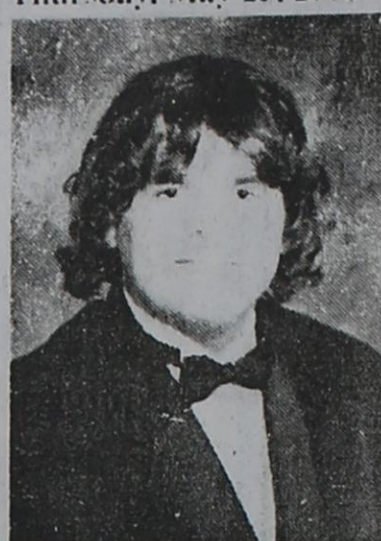
KRISTA PRUITT

Krista Leigh Pruitt is the daughter of Terry and Monica Pruitt. Her activities during high school include Cheerleading, Basketball, Track, Cross Country. She plans to attend Tarleton State University in the fall 2006 and major in physical therapy.



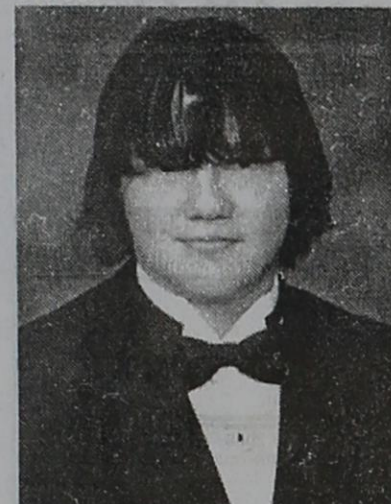
REYDECEL RODRIGUEZ

Reydecel Rodriguez is the son of Jose Rodriguez and Maria Rodriguez. His activities during high school include Band, Football, and Track. He plans to attend TSTC and major in auto body repair.



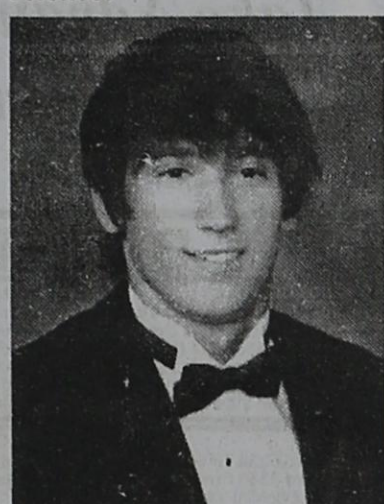
COREY WADE

Corey Randall Wade is the son of Tony and Lisa Wade. His activities during high school include Basketball and FFA. He plans to attend South Plains College for Sound Technology.



SHANE HUMPHRIES

Shane Matthew Humphries is the son of Mark and Denisa Humphries. His activities during high school include Basketball and Band. He plans to attend South Plains College in Levelland and be a Graphic Designer.



ZACHARIAH LUNDY

Zachariah Raymond Lundy is the son of Brian and Yvonne Lundy.

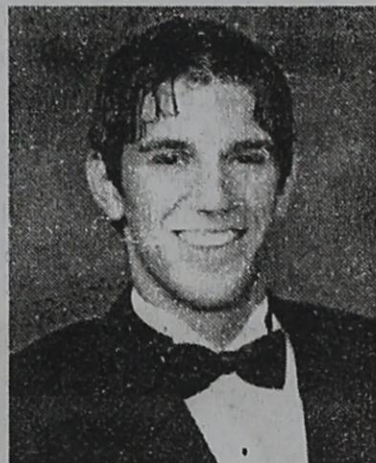
His activities during high school include Football, Basketball, FFA, Band, Class Officer-Reporter.

He plans to attend Del Mar Junior College.



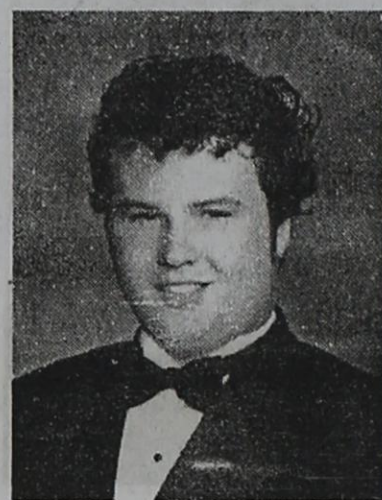
CALVIN NOBLES

Calvin Michael Nobles is the son of Michael and Christina Nobles and Amanda and Darren Simpkins. His activities during high school include Basketball, Football Manager, and Class Reporter. He plans to work at All-Star Pump in Cross Plains and go to school at TSTC in Brownwood for machining.



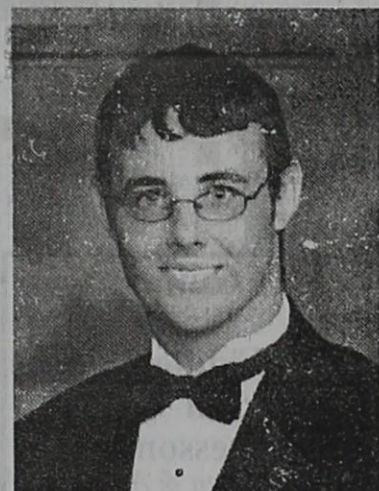
TONY RODGERS

Tony Rodgers is the son of Carol and Bill Rodgers. His activities during high school include Band (drum corps) 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; UIL Science 3, 4; One Act Play 4 and Track 3, 4. Also taken dual credit courses and have a total of 21 college hours. He plans to minor in business and major in either philosophy, English, psychology or his-



ZACK SMITH

Zack Smith is the son of Scott Smith and Raenita Sawyer. His activities during high school include 1st place computer science, Webmaster Club (Early). He plans to attend South Plains College for Sound Technology Vocals.



TEDDY PITTMAN

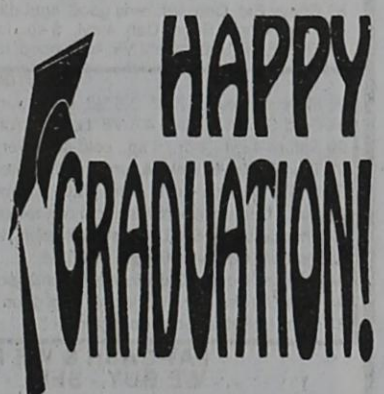
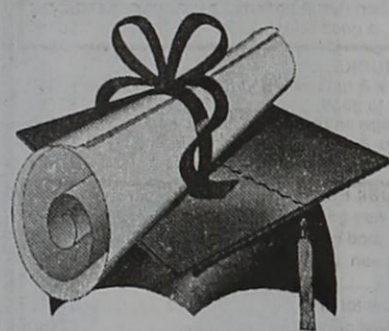
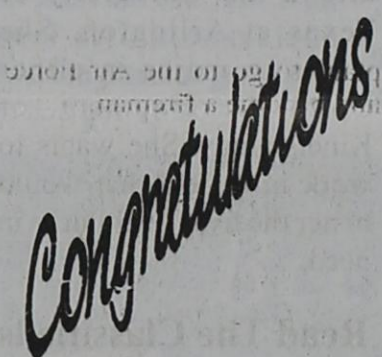
Teddy Vaughn Pittman is the son of Randy and



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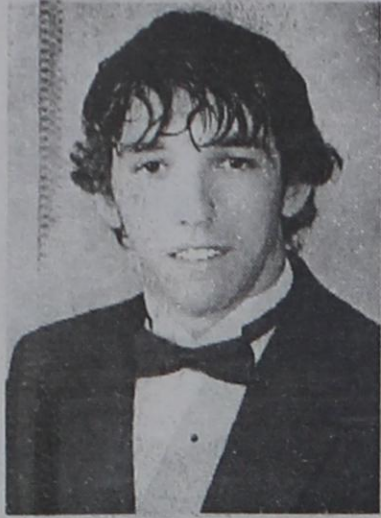
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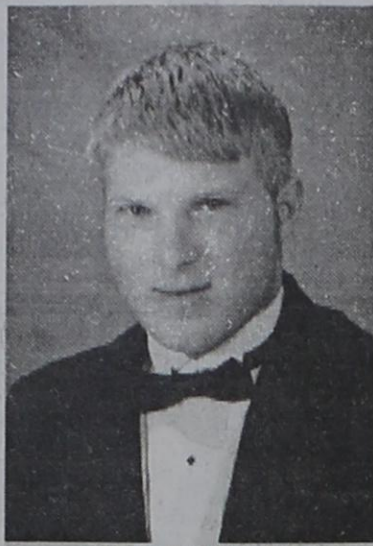
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CHANCE RODRIGUEZ

Chance Rodriguez is the son of Rudy and Lauren Rodriguez. His high school activities include Football, Basketball, Track, Golf, Baseball, FCA, Student Council, Beta Club, UIL. He plans to play football and run track at Tarleton State University.



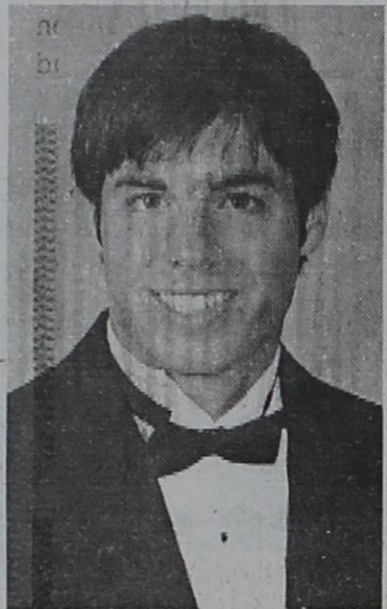
CODY SHOUSE

Cody Shouse is the son of Lisa and Carl Shouse. His high school activities include Football and Baseball. He plans to work and to go to college.



LESLEY TUMBUSCH

Lesley Tumbusch is the daughter of Kathy and David Belknap and Paul Tumbusch. Her high school activities include One Act Play, Student Council, Tennis, FCA. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College at Cisco for two years then attend Texas State in San Marcus and major in Journalism.



BLAN SCOTT

Blan Scott is the son of Miller and Marian Scott. High school activities include Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track, FFA, FCA, Beta Club, and UIL. He is undecided about which college to attend.



REBECCA TOLLETT

Rebecca Tollett is the daughter of Rhonda and Ian Bursleson. Her high school activities include Varsity Cheerleading, Varsity Basketball, Varsity Track, FCA, and Beta Club. She plans to attend the University of Texas at Arlington. She wants to major in either Child Development or Kinesiology. She wants to work in a field that would better the lives of children in need.



KAITLYN AARON WALKER

Kaitlyn Aaron Walker is

the daughter of Ray and Tammy Walker. Her high school activities include One Act Play, Beta, FFA, FCA/FCS, worked at her church's Kids Club, and is an active member of church Youth Group and a member of year-book staff. She plans to attend McMurry and major in Drama.

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KEVIN WALTON

Kevin Walton is the son of Calvin and Jody Walton. His high school activities include Football. He plans to attend the Fire Academy at TSTC.



ROGER WAMSLEY

Roger Wamsley is the son of Alice Kanady and Leland Wamsley. His high school activities include Football, track, UIL, and FFA. He plans to go to college at TSTC in Sweetwater for diesel mechanics.



KENDRA ALYSE WILKERSON

Kendra Alyse Wilkerson is the daughter of Teri Stevenson and Weldon Wilkerson. Her high school activities include Track, Softball, FFA, FCA. She plans to attend a jr. college then after receiving her basics attend a university.



KAYLA WINDHAM

Kayla Windham is the daughter of Tom and Jan Windham. Her high school activities include Cheerleading, Cross Country, Basketball, Golf, Track, FFA, FCA, Student Council, Beta Club, UIL Academics. She plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in Business Accounting.

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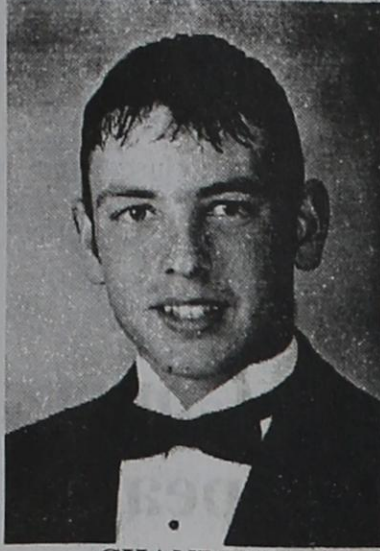
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Chandler Albergucci is the son of Darin and Anah Albergucci. His high school activities include Ag, Judging, Football, Stock Show, Helping Mr. Vestal, and all required studies. He plans to make a living.



CECILIA CHAVARRIA

Cecilia Diane Chavarria is the daughter of Chris and Leonard Chavarria. Her high school activities include Basketball, Tennis, One Act Play, Student Council, Softball. She plans to attend McMurry University in Abilene and major in Nursing.



JAYSA GIDEON

Jaysa Gideon is the daughter of Kathy and Don Hawk. Her high school activities include Beta Club, Cheerleading. She plans to attend Tarleton and major in Nursing.



JOSHUA GLAZE

Joshua Ray Glaze is the son of Pamela Glaze. His high school activities include UIL, Beta Club, Student Council, One Act Play. He plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin and major in Business Administration. He hopes to become a CEO of a large corporation or company, preferably an Advertising company.

Abilene for her basics then transfer somewhere else to get her degree in something.

Beta, Student Co., Yearbook (Editor), OAP. He plans to attend college.

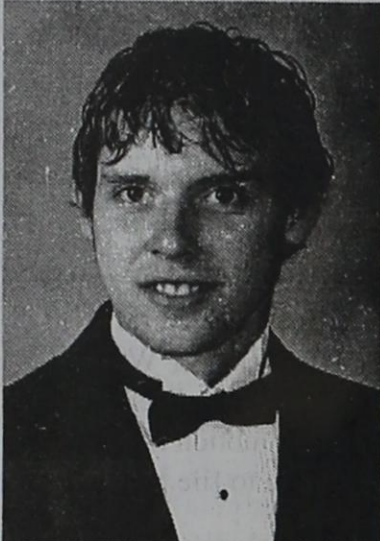
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BRAD MATLOCK

Brad Matlock is the son of Cindy and Floyd Sellers. His high school activities include Football 3 yrs; Track 2 yrs; and Baseball 2 yrs. He plans to go to WTC for two years then transfer to ASU and major in Geology, or Kinesiology.



LAUREN ORLANDO

Lauren Orlando is the daughter of Vick and Melinda Orlando. Her high school activities include Cross Country, Basketball, Track, Golf, FFA, FCA, FBLA, National Honor Society, Beta Club. She plans to attend Angelo State University and major in pre-med and later go to orthodontic school or major in education and become a teacher and coach.



JUSTIN ARMSTRONG

Justin Armstrong is the son of Cynthia Armstrong and Patrick Armstrong. His high school activities include Football, Basketball. He plans to attend CJC, transfer to Tarleton, then to UNT. He plans to major in music and to work wherever he can.



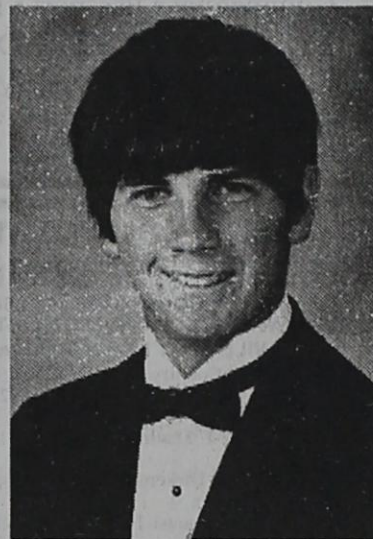
JESSICA MARIE DAVIS

Jessica Marie Davis is the daughter of Regenia Davis Hawthorne and Jimmy Davis. Her high school activities include Student Council, FCCLA, Class Officer, Art. She plans to go to a junior college and then transfer to a university where she will get her degree in the major of her choice.



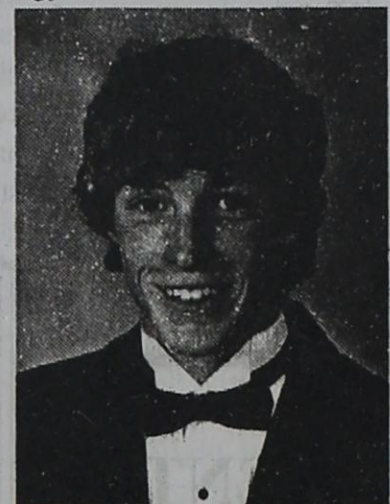
NIKKI LE'ANN GILSTRAP

Nikki Le'Ann Gilstrap is the daughter of Walter and Sheila Gilstrap. Her high school activities include Cheerleader (Co-Captain), Band, Basketball, Volley Ball, Track, Basketball Manager, Varsity Football Trainer. She plans to attend TSTC the end of June for the CNA course. When she receives her CNA license, she plans to work at a local hospital; and within the next year go back to school to receive her RN License specializing in Pediatrics.



BLAKE MANNING

Blake Manning is the son of Bryant and Sheila Manning. His high school activities include Varsity Basketball, Varsity Football, Stu-



WESTON MCGHEE

Weston McGhee is the son of Don and Pam McElrath. His high school activities include Cross Country, Basketball, Track, FFA, FCA, Student Council, Beta Club, UIL Academics. He plans to go to Tarleton State University and major in Wildlife Management.

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JACOB IVIE

Jacob Ivie is the son of John and Pam Ivie. His high school activities include FFA. He plans to go to college and get a job.



SASHA RINGHOFFER

Sasha Ringhoffer is the daughter of Robert and Donna Ringhoffer. Her high school activities include leader in FCA, FFA, 1 year of Basketball. She would like to go to college and become a teacher.



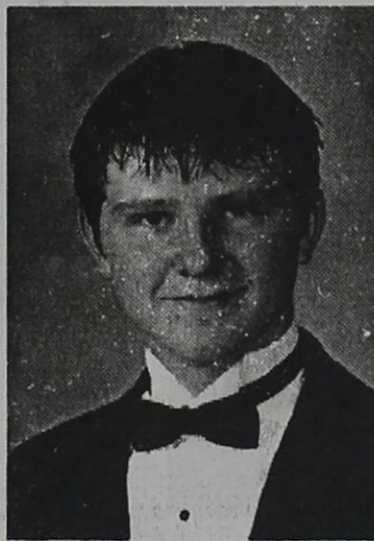
KELBY CAUTHEN

Kelby Cauthen is the son of Larry and Brenda Cauthen. His high school activities include Beta Club. He plans to attend Texas State University in San Marcos and major in Geology.



ADRIANA ALEXANDRA DIAZ

Adriana Alexandra Diaz is the daughter of Gloria Aguirre and Jesus Diaz. Her high school activities include Basketball, Flag Captain, Student Council Officer, One Act Play. She plans to attend Cisco Jr. College in



JORDAN GLAZE

Jordan Glaze is the son of Pamela Glaze. His high school activities include

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Speaking of Brenham, Texas, the unique community of 15,000 is home to some of the best Bed & Breakfast experiences of the Lone Star State. There is plenty to experience in the area with Washington-On-

The-Brazos, Independence, Blue Bell Ice Creameries, historic downtown, the nearby Bush Library at Texas A&M University, the Antique Rose Emporium, Chappell Hill historic area, Burton Cotton Gin & Museum, and plenty more to see and do.

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complicated, and only minutes away. Take Hwy 290 east (towards Houston) to Chappell Hill, turn left onto FM 1155 and go 8 miles. At the intersection, turn right onto FM 1155 and go 1/2 mile. There one will find the stunningly magnificent main house towering from the landscape as you look to the right through the white stone entry, and down the lane.

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posed beams, bring a charm and warmth to this very special place. I can personally recommend this as an "Editor's Choice." See my previous article about Lillian Farms and the Brenham area.

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Eric Roderic Cohen v. State of Texas, Palo Pinto, Appellant's motion to withdraw as court appointed counsel on appeal.

Johnny Eugene Baker v. State of Texas, Palo Pinto, Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Tiffany Jo Bond v. State of Texas, Palo Pinto, Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

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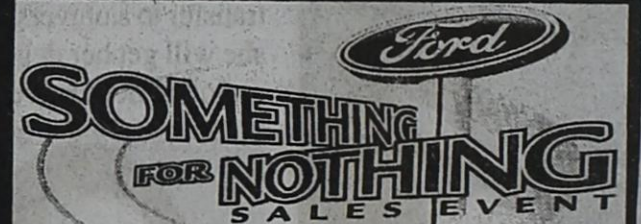
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The Idle American

Commentary By Dr. Don Newbury

Baseball, Motherhood and Apple Pie

Quick now, what do the public relations-folks for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Research Foundation and General Motors, Hummer drum-beaters have in common?

They BOTH came up with "far out" ideas that turned out to be gold-plated, at least for a brief, shining moment.

Gold is flaking quickly off the gas-guzzling Hummers, but the PR coup the Komen people used to garner public attention on Mother's Day was a classic.

Dominoes fell quickly. Targeted entities might otherwise have found ways to deny the request. But ours is a country hip-deep in political awareness; now „yes%o answers are easier to come by.

Major League Baseball, Louisville Slugger officials and a handful of players may have been red-faced at the request for "pinkness" emphases at ball parks on Mother's Day.

To deny the request for pink bats, ribbons and wrist bands, however, would be like going thumbs down on God, motherhood and apple pie.

I suspect the Commissioner found new ways to squirm when he realized the Komen proposal was serious.

"You mean you want baseball players to swing pink bats?" he may have asked, nixing the temptation to call this a batty idea. Perhaps the request took on validity with the agreement of Louisville Slugger officials to manufacture 400 pink bats for the some 50 major leaguers willing to participate.

Sure enough, that's how many boys of summer dug into batters, boxes, gritted their teeth, stared pitchers down and swung with all their pinkness.

They may have wondered where the Players Association is when they need it.

Usually, MLB is big on tradition but slow on change. Times they are a'changing.

I tip my cap to this promotion, and to the players who went "beyond the pale" for a wonderful cause.

Since baseball went along, are other sports next? Maybe we'll see pink hockey sticks, pink pigskins and other sports stuff that might be pretty in pink.....

Wonder if Nike has been approached? How about Shaquille O'Neal shod in pink?

Athletic shoes are much in the news, starting with Kevin Mench, Texas Rangers baseball star who found his hitting stroke after he found the size 12's he'd worn since age 15 to be too small.

What about Texas Rangers, reliever Antonio Alfonseca, who has to consider "toe room?" He was born with extra fingers and extra toes on each extremity, and has grown accustomed to the kidding. After one game, his manager asked to "give him six," and one writer asked if he was born with the extra digits, or grew them later.

This must have been frustrating during piano lessons, but great for the "little piggies going to market" routine.

Makes me think of an old line about the lady who swears she wears size 8's, but 9's feel so much better, she buys 10's.

Before leaving the topic, there's one more item: Troy Aikman, heralded Dallas Cowboy quarterback now making his mark as a TV analyst, also is in shoe news. Riddell is introducing an Aikman shoe line for men and women. They'll be in athletic shoe departments in June—just in time for Father's Day.

Here's a Mother's Day postscript and Dad's Day plug. Granddaughter Juliana, three-year-old birthday celebrant in December, heard Mother's Day talk and asked her dad about it. He filled her in.

"Is there a Father's Day?" she asked, learning that it, too, is observed annually.

She wasn't through. Her final question—and let's hope this item escapes the Hallmark Card folks, view: "Is there a Little Girl's

11th Court of Appeals

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Affirmed

Tomas Rivera, Individually and as Representative of the Estate of Raul Rivera, Deceased; ~~Isaiah Rivera; Jolene Rivera Rangel; Raul Rivera, Jr; and Erica J. Rivera v. Meister Industries, Inc. and Longhorn Custom Coating, Inc., Ector. (Memorandum Opinion by Justice McCall) (Panel consists of: Chief Justice Wright, Justice McCall, and Justice Strange)~~

Juan Miguel Cortez v. State of Texas, Midland. (Opinion by Chief Justice

Wright) (Panel consists of: Chief Justice Wright, Justice McCall, and Justice Strange)

Finally, on Mother's Day eve, a couple of preachers—Chris Liebrum of Dallas and Mike Toby of Waco—received honorary doctoral degrees from Howard Payne University.

They were thoroughly roasted at a luncheon following the ceremony.

One of the skewers, Georgetown anesthesiologist Dr. Josh Toby, took a different twist about his dad, pastor of First Baptist Church, Woodway, for 28 years.

"Now there are two doctors in our family to put people to sleep," he panned.

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Cable Industry Said To Be Threatening Phone Service Fund For Rural, Low-Income, And Disabled Consumers

(Ed. Note: This article was submitted by Randy Teakell, an A T&T area manager.)

A major battle is brewing over how telephone service should be provided to rural Texas and low-income residents and hearing-disabled residents statewide. The cable television industry is challenging the funding system that was created to help provide affordable phone service to everyone.

At the heart of the issue is the Texas Universal Service Fund. Every phone customer pays into the TUSF. Phone providers such as AT&T collect a 5.6% surcharge and turn the money over to the state.

The funds are then used to help ensure affordable rates in all parts of Texas and for discounting service to low-income citizens all over the state through Lifeline Programs--typically consumers who are eligible for social programs such as Food Stamps and Medicaid.

TUSF also helps ensure that hearing and speech-impaired persons have access to phone service through a telecommunications relay service.

The concept behind the TUSF is known as "universal service" and dates back to 1934 when Congress recognized the need for various funding mechanisms to help provide phone service to everyone. The concept was reinforced by the Telecom Act of 1996.

However, last year the cable television industry began to challenge the TUSF, saying that it was no longer appropriate and that it should be dismantled.

To "help" its case the Texas Cable and Telecommunications Association gave state regulators various statistics that understate the true costs of providing phone service in high cost areas and overstate revenues derived from such areas, according to TUSF proponents. Cable industry executives characterized the program as a "government subsidy" for private telecom companies.

As part of Senate Bill 5 passed by the Texas Legislature in 2005, legislators directed the state Public Utility Commission to study the TUSF and to make recommendations on whether it should be changed. The PUC's recommendations

will be reviewed during the next regular legislative session in 2007.

"Texas strives to find solutions to the unique characteristics of our state," said Sandra Haverlah of Texas Consumers Association. "The TUSF ensures that Texans in high cost areas can afford a phone line. Public Policy should continue to support the stated goal of affordable phone service."

The TUSF was created by the Legislature to benefit consumers. In fact, the funding stays with the consumer, regardless of what company provides the telephone service. Without it, many rural and urban customers could

face significantly higher phone bills. For example, the PUC has determined that it costs more than \$400 a month to provide telephone service in the rural South Texas community of Catarina. However, due in large part to the TUSF, consumers there pay about \$8 a month for their basic phone service.

Experts have urged policy makers to carefully study the TUSF before any changes are made, in stark contrast to the radical changes the cable industry is advocating.

Oddly, cable companies don't even serve rural Texas and are selling off their operations in mid-sized communities such as Tyler, Abilene, Midland and Lubbock. As observers have noted, big cable companies don't have a dog in this fight, other than their own business

interests. "Texas must adopt policies that ensure economic progress," added Robert Howden, executive director of Texans for Economic Progress. "Keeping technology affordable is among those policies. Anyone advocating the elimination of the TUSF is attempting to turn back the clock on progress in Texas."

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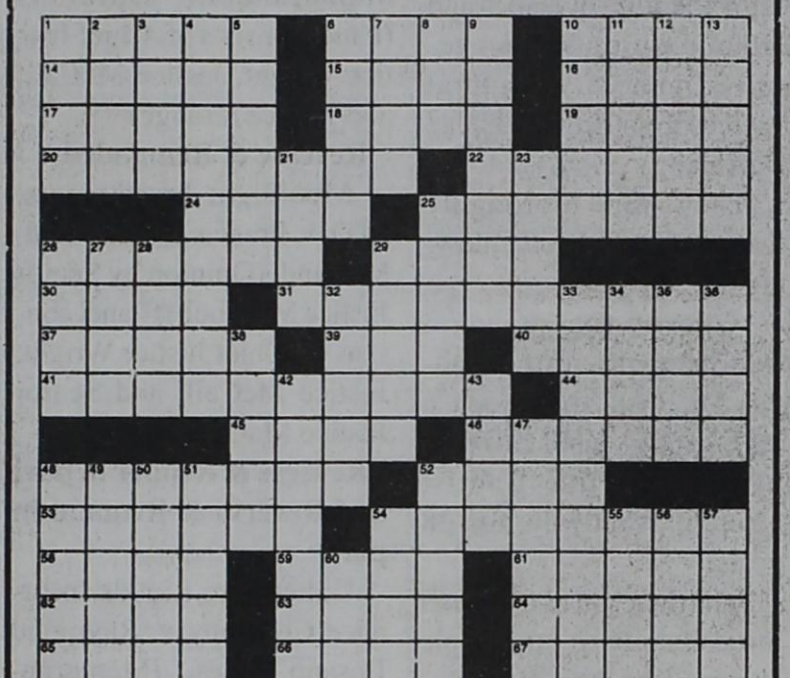
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 15. ... vera, used to treat burns.
 16. Janet ... former U.S. attorney general.
 17. Extent of.
 18. Capital of the Republic of Yemen.
 19. Trees belonging to the beech family and bearing acorns.
 20. Signs one's name to the backs of checks.
 22. To chatter or gossip.
 24. Medium to dark greenish-blue.
 25. Goes back on one's word.
 26. Grand ... movie starring Steve Martin.
 29. Variant of Sarah.
 30. On top of.
 31. Unable to be mixed.
 37. Switches residences.
 39. Miserables, novel by Victor Hugo.
 40. Struck with the knee.
 41. To deprive of strength.
 44. Not new.
 45. Variant of emir.
 46. Joe and Mike ... regulators on The Dom DeLuise Show.
 48. Gathers on the surface in a condensed layer.
 52. Have an affection for.
 53. Ben ... author of The Pennsylvania Weather Book.
 54. Tropical American plants of the spurge family grown for their tuberous roots.
 58. Jai ... game similar to handball but using cestas.
 59. ... All Boats, movie starring Richard Boone.
 61. Useful.
 62. Hall ... Laura Ingall's nickname.
 63. Al ... former vice president.
 64. To return to mind.
 65. Consumes food.
 66. Increased or enlarged.
 67. Surface swelling of plant parts.
 Down
 1. ... Come the Brides, TV show starring Bobby Sherman.
 2. Lancer in a light cavalry unit of the Polish army.
 3. Piece of iron running as a support across an upper millstone.
 4. Pieces of type bearing two or more uncombined letters.
 5. Combining form referring to hardness.
 6. Canton in northern Switzerland.
 7. Interjection used to express grief.
 8. Unit of weight equal to 2,000 pounds.
 9. Slang for firearms.
 10. Brings to the attention of.
 11. ... Ledger, Gabriel Martin in The Patriot.
 12. Slender part of the leg above the foot.
 13. Forward ends of aircraft.
 21. George ... French novelist.
 23. Archaic interjection used to express pity.
 25. Central part of a ship.
 26. Occurred at a certain point.
 27. Smallest component of an element.
 28. Star that burns bright and then fades.
 29. To blur by rubbing.
 32. Alexander John ... British phonetician and mathematician.
 33. Overwhelmed with.
 34. The ... Years of Our Lives, movie starring Fredric March.
 35. British for "having no burden or load."
 36. Mary Baker ... founder of the U.S. Christian Science Church.
 38. To frighten.
 39. Shadows cast by trees.
 43. "I" parts of people.
 47. To guarantee.
 48. Wide open.
 49. ... Smith, author of How to Cook.
 50. To distort by revealing just some of the facts.
 51. Short for obituaries.
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