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Elementary girls line up on the starting line for the 100 M. dash at the SISD Elementary Track Meet, Saturday, May 19th. Results from meet are on page 13, more to follow next week.

## New Spearman city council organized

A new Spearman City Council appointed new members to city boards and confirmed new officers for the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department among agenda items at its May 22 meeting.

Burl Buchanan, due to his recent election to the office of mayor, resigned his position as alderman. Outgoing Mayor Bob Pearson complimented the city council and thanked the city staff for their work during his tenure as mayor. He then administered the oath of office to mayor-elect Buchanan and Aldermen Don Reed and Bob Boxwell. Afterward, Buchanan presented Pearson with a plaque from the City of Spearman, thanking him for meritorious and exemplary service as Alderman from 1981-85 and as Mayor from 1988-90.

With Buchanan's resignation from the council came a vacancy on the city governing board. Discussion was held concerning possible candidates to fill the vacancy for the term of one year, but no action was taken. The item will be placed on the next council meeting agenda.

The newly reorganized council then turned toward other business, which included appointing members of five city boards. Reappointed to the Planning and Zoning Commission were J.L. Brock, Helen Etter and James Cunningham. The Electrical Board consists of reappointed members Craig Vinson and Louis Schnell, along with new appointee Kyle Noller.

Rosa Lee Butt and Jetty Davis were reappointed to the Housing Board, and reappointed to the Charitable Solicitation Board were Larry Butler and Rev. John Scott. Mike Schnell is a new appointee on the Zoning Board of Adjustment, and Randy Kirk is the newly appointed alternate to that board. Reappointed to the zoning board were Ray Robertson and Dick Gillaspie.

In accordance with the city code, the city council must confirm election results for the chief, assistant chief and secretary-treasurer of the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department. Confirmation was given to Fire Chief Dale Moyer, Assistant Fire Chief Ronnie Antalek and Secretary-Treasurer Billy Snider.

The council took action on an application for rezoning property located at 22 E. "D" Avenue from light industrial to a mobile home residential district. After discus-

sion, which was to amend district boundaries of the area on the city zoning map.

The council also authorized the purchase of computer equipment for the police department and the director of public works. The purchase will include two personal computers and peripherals, less printers, from Threshold of Amarillo for \$3,556. Two printers will be purchased from Compuadd of Austin for \$1,044. Jim Murray, city manager, stated that the city is looking for a public work order software package, which will probably cost between \$2,000 and \$6,000. He pointed out that police department and the public works department each has some money budgeted for the computer purchase. It was also indicated that the State Department of Emergency Management will assist with the purchase, depending on the availability of funds.

The City of Spearman owns a lot at 212 Roland, purchased decades ago for utilities lines to be interconnected. Murray explained to the council that during Mayor Vaughan's tenure the city council gave permission to Mrs. Ike Richardson to live there rent-free, with two stipulations. Those were: no concrete could be poured on the property; and 2) the agreement would be in effect as long as she lived there.

Murray told the council the only way the city can rent the property now is to take sealed bids. After discussion, the council authorized the city manager to solicit sealed bids for a rental agreement on the property, with a minimum rental rate of \$30 per month.

The council also discussed the Texas-New Mexico rate case, but took no action. It was announced that due to scheduling conflicts, only one regular city council meeting will be held in June, that being June 19. However, a strategic planning session and a Mayor/City Council inspection of the major city-owned facilities will be held on Wednesday, June 6 at 9:00 a.m.

In other business, council members approved the 1990-91 proposed budget for the Hansford County Appraisal District. Regular council business included approval of city council meeting minutes for May 8; and approval of monthly fire and ambulance reports. In addition, monthly accounts payable in the amount of \$113,001.25 were approved, along with the city's current cash position for May.

## May city sales taxes returned

The City of Gruver received \$4,720.63 and the City of Spearman received \$16,699.59 in May's return of city sales taxes from the State Comptroller's office.

The check sent to Gruver in this month's disbursement represents an increase of 5.48 percent from the April payment of \$4,475.58. Total returned city sales taxes received by Gruver this year amount to \$20,079.23, down 6.66 percent from the 1989 payments to date totaling \$21,512.04.

Returned city sales taxes for the City of Spearman in May were down a whopping 23.97 percent from the previous month's check, which was in the amount of \$21,964.07. Total payments to date received this year by Spearman are \$76,550.51, representing a downturn of 7.16 percent from receipts of \$82,449.94 through May of 1989.

Statewide, State Comptroller Bob Bullock said that his office sent \$138 million in monthly local sales tax rebates to 1,156 Texas cities and counties.

"The Texas economy is still on track, and the increase in sales tax rebates reflects that," Bullock said. Checks to cities totaled more than \$126 million, an increase of 7.27 percent over payments made

last May, Bullock said.

Houston received the largest payment, at \$22.19 million, while Dallas received \$13.97 million, the second largest payment. San Antonio received \$7.38 million and Austin received \$5.64 million.

Counties statewide were sent more than \$12 million this month, for an increase of 16 percent over last May's payments. One reason county payments are up is that more counties impose the 1/2 percent sales tax now than a year ago, Bullock said.

This month's checks include taxes collected on March sales and reported in April by businesses filing monthly returns, and also includes taxes reported by those filing quarterly returns for the months of January, February and March.

Merchants collect sales taxes and send them to the Comptroller's office with their tax returns. The state keeps its share and sends cities and counties their portion of the sales tax.

All local sales taxes must be approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city or county expenses. Most areas put the money into their General Fund and use it for operations like firefighting, maintaining roads and law enforcement.



Gruver Elementary student gives her best effort at the Gruver Lion's Club Elementary Track Meet. Results of the Saturday meet are on page 12, more to follow next week.

## Landfill discussed

Story courtesy PERRYTON HERALD

A proposed landfill near Booker in Lipscomb County, which could conceivably have an effect on the entire area, came under discussion recently during a public meeting held in Booker.

Over 300 people from Lipscomb and Ochiltree counties and the Oklahoma panhandle filled the Booker High School Auditorium May 17 to express their views and opinions on a proposal to build a compost waste disposal plant outside the city. An informal poll during the meeting found about two-thirds standing in opposition to the plan.

The Booker city council proposes to contract with National Reclamation and Waste Management of Amarillo to operate the landfill owned by the city. National plans to apply for a permit to change the designation of the landfill from a Type III landfill to a Type I operation.

Once the new permit is obtained, according to Bill Lowe, president of National, the company will solicit household waste for the landfill from all areas of the country. Lowe said, "The City of Booker, all the cities in Lipscomb county and all rural residents will be able to dump at the landfill free of charge."

The City of Booker will receive a 50 cent per ton payment for all waste that comes into the plant, said Lowe. If the landfill operates at its project maximum of 5,000 tons per day, the payment could amount to over \$900,000 per year for the city. National plans to contract with Solid Waste Recovery Corporation of Florida to build an enclosed composting facility on the present landfill site. Jim Dockerty, a representative of Solid Waste, told the audience that 95 to 98 percent of the household waste entering the facility would be turned into compost by their process that is

conducted entirely in the building. The remaining three to five percent of the waste would be placed into the landfill, said Dockerty. "The compost has no odor and is used as a soil enricher. It is sold in bags as potting soil and in bulk for pasture land and strip mine recovery," he explained.

Solid Waste currently operates an 800 ton per day composting plant in Florida. There are two other smaller experimental composting plants in the world, one in Florida and the other in West Germany. The proposed Booker plant would be the fourth operating plant worldwide and the largest by six times, if the maximum per day tonnage is reached. At maximum operation, the plant would generate over 3.4 billion pounds of compost each year.

Lowe said the plant building and equipment would cost \$7 to \$9 million and employ 40 people the first year and have a total employment of 75 to 80 by the end of two years of operations.

Linda Wyatt of the Texas Department of Health, Solid Waste Division, explained to the crowd the new Environmental Protection Agency rules that will affect landfill operations. "Soon every landfill will have to operate as if it is a Type I landfill," said Wyatt.

In brief, Wyatt said, a Type I landfill must cover the waste every day with at least six inches of clean soil, allow no burning of waste, have 24 hour access control of the landfill property, have an attendant on duty during the operating hours of the landfill, cannot accept liquid waste, must have a liquid collection system in the bottom of the landfill and must have ground water wells to monitor the water table around the landfill.

Wyatt also said that all the See landfill page 16

## DPS urges care

Major V.J. Cawthon, regional commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, reminds us that Memorial Day signals the beginning of summer vacation.

He states, "During this holiday period there will be more vehicles on the roadways of Texas, because of school being out and many families starting their summer vacations. With the increase of traffic, the danger of more accidents, more injuries, and more deaths naturally increase."

"This holiday period, all available Department of Public Safety Troopers will be on the road and will be especially watchful for individuals committing hazardous

violations, especially those speeding or passing in 'no passing' zones, and the people who have been drinking and refuse to stop driving," stated Major Cawthon.

Recreational areas are always flooded with traffic and other activities, and he urged the Texas motorist to be especially careful and to exercise caution around these areas during this holiday and throughout the summer.

"Remember to take that two seconds it takes to reach for that seat belt and buckle up, and to use that same two seconds to think about what you have in this life, and how easily it can end," Cawthon concluded.

Mixed drink . . .

## Tax checks sent

Spearman and Hansford County each received a check totaling \$341.01 this month. The checks were sent from the State Comptroller's office for the first three months of this year was \$2,728.05.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$11.5 million to 218 counties and 439 cities that tax mixed drink sales. The checks represent the counties' and cities' share of the state's 12 percent mixed drink tax collected during January, February and March of 1990.

Under state law allowing the sale of mixed drinks, Texas cities and counties each receive a 12.5 percent share of the state tax collected on mixed drinks sold within their boundaries. Bullock said that the state collected \$47.6 million collected during the same months of 1989.

Of the \$47.6 million in state collections, Counties received more than \$5.9 million compared to the \$5.6 million received during the same three-month period of 1989. Cities received \$5.5 million, up from the \$5.2 million received last year during those months. The state's general revenue fund received the balance.

Bullock said \$36 million was deposited into the state's general revenue fund from collections during January, February and March, compared to \$34 million for the first quarter of 1989. The

mixed drink tax is collected by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission. City and county tax rebates are sent out quarterly by Bullock's office.



SISD Ex-student association members "dig in" to the work of getting the news out about the SISD all school reunion, to be held the weekend of July 7.

### WEATHER

	High	Low	Precl.
Thurs.	77	45	
Fri.	87	56	
Sat.	86	52	.01
Sun.	85	53	
Mon.	83	50	
Tues.	87	52	
Wed.	97	63	

### Correction

In the article on the Hansford Hospital Outstanding Volunteer Tea, the award winning First State Bank was represented by Muriel Boyd, not Kathy Boyd or Kathy Muriel as previously reported.

The Reporter-Statesman regrets any hardships this may have caused.

## Hansford Happenings

There will be a .22 rifle silhouette shoot Sunday, May 27 at 1:30 p.m. at the Hansford Gun Club range. Juniors with dads are invited.

The Gruver Municipal Swimming Pool will open for its sixth season Thursday, June 7 at 2:00 p.m. The pool will have ladies hours 1-2 p.m. and 5-6 p.m. Monday through Friday. The pool will be open to the public 2-6 p.m. Monday through Saturday, 2-5 p.m. Sunday, and 7-9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Season passes are available at Gruver City Hall at a price of \$35 per person. Children 4 and under may swim free of charge. More information is available from the pool office during regular hours, or from Regina Barkley or Brian Hoel.

A pie supper and pie auction featuring a wide variety of pies plus homemade ice cream will be held Saturday, May 26 at 7:30 p.m. at the Golden Age Center in Gruver. The pie supper is sponsored by the Palo Duro Cowboy Camp Association. Proceeds from the supper and pie auction will be used to help defray expenses of the Palo Duro Cowboy Camp Meeting, scheduled for June 7-10.

The Waka Church of the Brethren is holding a Vacation Bible School from May 28 to June 1, 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Classes and activities will be conducted for children age 4 through the 8th grade. Anyone needing transportation should call 435-4598. A Bible School program will be given by the children of the Waka Bible School on June 1 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

The Apostolic Faith Church of Spearman will hold a five day revival, beginning Wednesday, May 30. Evangelist Murphy Barnes of Menard, Texas will be the speaker. He will share some of his experiences and impressions from a recent trip to Israel, and will provide updated information about recent happenings there. Service time is 7:30 p.m. each evening, and the public is invited to attend.

Golden Spread Senior Citizen Center Inc. will have an annual meeting Sunday, June 10 at 2:00 p.m. at the Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center, located at 14 South Haney in Spearman. The public is invited to attend.

Palo Duro Cowboy Camp Association will hold its fifth annual camp meeting June 7-10. The Palo Duro Cowboy Camp is described as "a Christian camping experience for all ages," and the public is invited to participate. More information may be obtained by contacting Gene Fletcher at 733-2363.

Servitors will sponsor a one-day youth-adult Scotchball tournament Saturday, June 16. The tournament will begin with a shotgun start at 9 a.m. and awards will be presented for first, second and third place teams in each age group. The tournament will be held at the Hansford Golf Course in Spearman. Entry fee is \$15 per team, and entries may be made by contacting Ned's Pro Shop at 806-659-2233. Proceeds from the tournament will go to help Servitors with their community projects.

An immunization clinic will be held Tuesday, May 29 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Gruver Elementary School library.

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast with sausage and all the trimmings in the parish hall of Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church in Spearman on Sunday, May 27 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Bob Farr, Jim Brown, Ray Ortega and Lupe Renteria are among the chief cooks who prepare the tasty food. The proceeds from the \$3.50 donation for each breakfast (children 5 years and younger are free) help the Knights of Columbus in their charitable works and community service.

## Gruver pool to open soon

The Gruver Municipal Swimming Pool will open for its sixth season Thursday, June 7 at 2:00 p.m. The pool will be open from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Hours for the pool will be as follows: 1:00-2:00 p.m. and 5:00-6:00 p.m. Monday-Friday, Ladies Hours: 2:00-6:00 p.m. Monday-Saturday, open to public; 2:00-5:00 p.m. Sunday, open to public; and 7:00-9:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, open to public.

Season passes may be purchased at the Gruver City Hall. A season pass is \$35.00 a person. Children age 4 and under may swim free. A sign up sheet for swimming lessons is also at Gruver City Hall.

Scheduling for private parties can be done by calling the pool office during regular hours, or by calling Regina Barkley or Brian Hoel. The cost for private parties is \$35.00 an hour.

This year's staff consists of Regina Barkley, Brian Hoel, Elda Pando, Shelley Stedje, Jill Hoel, Stefan Dorman, Jason Haefner and Gannon Harris.

Staff members say they are eager to serve you, and look forward to a summer of swimming fun.

## Hospital notes

Admitted was Teresa Cook.

Friday, May 11

No admission and no dismissals.

Saturday, May 12

No admissions and no dismissals.

Sunday, May 13

Teresa Cook was dismissed.

Monday, May 14

No admissions and no dismissals.

Tuesday, May 15

Hazel Laughton was dismissed.

Wednesday, May 16

Marie Sparks was admitted.



Members of the Twentieth Century Club presented to the Hansford County Librarian, Rita Curtis, the book "Reaching Out" by Mary Jane Houds. It is a history of growth and development of the General Federation of Womens Clubs as an international organization of volunteers through 100 years of accomplishments. There are two federated clubs in Spearman. Attending were: (left to right) Verna Gail Keim, Kathleen Sutton, Frances Stumph, Rita Curtis, Marjorie Curtis, Mac Wilmet, Anita Anthony, Wren Holt, Dorothy Woolley.



by Rita Curtis  
Librarian

## Library Book Notes

### SUMMER READING PROGRAM 1990-

400 elementary students in grades K-4 came to the Hansford County Library in school buses on Monday, May 21 to learn about the library's 1990 summer reading program. The theme of the program this summer is THE SECRET CODE IS...R.E.A.D., which includes such topics as detectives, mysteries, the unexplained, and intrigue.

The program will run for six weeks, with films being shown at the library each Tuesday morning, June 5 - July 10. Show time is 10:30-11:30 on Tuesdays.

There will be a free library pool party in July for those children who read at least 10 books during the 6-week program.

Children in grades K-5 are encouraged to come to the library and register for the reading program. They must have a library card to check out books, and, if they do not have one, they may fill out an application at the library. A parent must sign the application for a child's library card. The cards are free.

Summer reading motivators will

include the following: 1. A participation bulletin board, "Wrap the Mummy." Each time a child reads a book, he will tape a strip on the bulletin board mummy. By the end of the reading program our library mummy should be well wrapped. 2. For every 5 books read, the child will unwrap the library's dinosaur egg and receive one prize. 3. Children may enter the Design-a-Bookmark contest as soon as they have read 5 books. Bookmark forms will be handed out to these children, and, using original artwork, they may design bookmarks illustrating the theme of the reading program. Two winning bookmarks will be chosen and professionally printed. 4. Upon reading 10 books, a child will receive a certificate from the Texas State Library. Those children receiving certificates will be invited to a free library swimming pool party in July. Only those kids who read at least 10 books will be able to attend the party this summer. 5. Children who receive certificates will have their names placed in a box for a drawing for a free book. The drawing will be held during the last film showing on July 10. The winner must be present to win.

Additional activities include: TREASURE BOOKS - kids may write titles of favorite books on index cards to file in the "treasure books" box at the check out desk. This box will serve as a children's list of books recommended by their peers. ART WORK—children may draw pictures illustrating a favorite book, or they may draw a picture depicting the theme of the reading program. These pictures must be originals—no copying, tracing, or parental input. Paper and crayons will be provided at the library, and all pictures will be displayed in the library's windows. Two winning pictures will be chosen and the winners will receive posters of the reading program. CHART-YOUR-OWN-COURSE—Kids may ask for Chart-Your-Own-Course forms and receive a little star for books they read from different categories.

Parents are encouraged to become involved in their children's reading this summer. A free book will be given to the family that demonstrates the most "togetherness participation" this summer. Families are encouraged to come to the library together and to become involved in their children's reading. Family time for reading aloud together at home is also recommended. Parent involvement stimulates children's reading habits.

Studies have indicated that children who participate in a summer reading program are more inclined to retain their reading skills over the summer than are those children who do not participate.

Library hours are Monday-Friday: 10-12; 2-6 and Saturday: 9-1. For more information call Rita Curtis at 659-2231.



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# Congratulations to the 1990 graduates of Spearman High School "The Pride Of Hansford County"

## Their Academic Best

### Valedictorian



Laura Dyess

Laura Dyess is the daughter of Todd Dyess and Shyrle Dyess. Laura has one brother, Weslev.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Valedictorian for the class of 1990. FHA (1 yr. Freshman), Band (3 yrs.), All-Region Band; All Area Band (1 yr); five-states band (1 yr.); State Solo & Ensemble contest (2 yrs.); Spanish Club (2 yrs.); Student of the month of September. She served on the annual staff as editor for two years, tennis (freshman yr.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: the flute, reading, piano, and tennis.

After graduation Laura plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare for a career in Secondary Education.

### Salutatorian



Cacy McGill

Cacy McGill is the daughter of Ed Pearson and Debbie Pearson. She was born on April 18, 1972. Cacy has three sisters, Mitzi, Dezi, and Trixie; and one brother, Curtis.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Outstanding student in English I, Algebra I, World History, typing, and Individual and Family Life (Home Economics). Cacy is Salutatorian of the senior class.

Other activities include: FHA, FCA, Choir, Spanish Club,

basketball, cross-country, and cheerleader (3 yrs.), Outstanding award in Theatre Arts; Recipient of the Danforth "I Dare You" Award.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Jazz and tap dancing; swimming; water skiing, bicycling, helping others, and singing.

After graduation Cacy plans to attend Texas Tech University to prepare for a career in English/ fine arts education.



Nora Garcia

Nora Garcia is the daughter of Joe Garcia and Mary Garcia. She was born on March 24, 1972. Nora has two brothers Mark Joseph and Joe Garcia III (Radar)

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: member of FCA (1 yr), Band (All Region 4 yrs.), Band Secretary and Treasurer her Freshman year, Varsity track, Cross Country, and basketball.

After graduation Nora plans to attend Wayland Baptist University to prepare a career in Psychology.

5th state public speaking; Choir, (Freshman and Sophomore, and Junior); Spanish Club member, December student of the month, and tennis.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Sewing, reading, showing horses and public speaking.

After graduation Bonnie plans to attend Texas A&M University to prepare a career of Public Relations.



Daryl Hawkins

Daryl Hawkins is the son of Don Hawkins and Debbie Hawkins. He was born on February 23, 1972. Daryl has one sister Dawn Hawkins.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, Spanish Club, Computers, Physics, and Chemistry. He was an Outstanding student, National Honor Society, received Presidential Academic Award, U. I.L. Scholar Award, Danforth "I Dare You" Award, Honor student.

His hobbies and special interests include: Reading, chemistry and computers.

After graduation Daryl plans to attend Texas A&M University to prepare a career in Nuclear Engineering.

March 21, 1972. Maria has two sisters, Dina, and Teresa. Three brothers, Joe, Ruben, and Jaime.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Band, (4 yrs. Drum Major), 5-states (3yrs.); All-Region (3 yrs.). Received Spanish II award, NHS 1 1/2 years; UIL Calculator Regional Qualifier, (3 yrs); UIL Accounting, Regional Qualifier; Honor Student; Student of the month of March. Received PSU Accounting contest - 3rd place; Trigonometry 89-90; Biology II 1989-90; Presidential Academic Fitness Award; PSU Computer Programming Contest 2nd place, and annual staff member for 2 years.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Reading, Cooking, Math Computations.

After graduation Maria plans to major in Business.



Michelle Lynn Cook

Michelle Lynn Cook is the daughter of Ron Cook and Loretto Cook. She was born on December 18, 1971. Michelle has three sisters, Stacey, Shelly and Mary Catherine.

Her hobbies and special interests include: basketball, riding bikes, and reading.

After graduation Michelle plans to attend Texas A&M to prepare for a career in Business/Accounting.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (4 years) Freshman Representative (1987), FCA -4 years; Spanish Club, 2 years. Michelle was Freshman Class favorite, November student of the month, received Fighting Heart Award (1987), All District basketball player, and Cross Country.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (4 yrs.), FCA (4 yrs.), Spanish Club (2 yrs.), Track, Cross Country, Basketball, Cheerleading (3yrs.), Head Cheerleader Senior year. She received four awards, Geometry, Algebra II and Home Ec. and American History.

Her hobbies and special interest include: skiing, running, being with friends and family.

After graduation Laci plans to attend Texas Tech University to prepare for a career in Dentistry.



Rebeca Rosales

Rebeca Rosales is the daughter of Castulo Rosales and Martha Rosales. She was born on July 14, 1971. Rebeca has two sisters, Diana, and Sylvia; and one brother Rocio.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Band (3 yrs.), Spanish Club (Sophomore year), Presidential academic fitness award and Spelling (U.I.L. Sophomore yr.). She was an honor student, member of National Honor Society for two years.

Her hobbies and special interests include: spending time with friends and reading.

After graduation Rebeca plans to attend West Texas State University.



Bonnie Jarvis

Bonnie Jarvis is the daughter of Britt Jarvis and Linda Jarvis. She was born on October 15, 1971. Bonnie has one sister, Anne Marie and one brother, Will.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FFA- Sweetheart, chapter president, Area I vice president,



Maria Felicitas Gomez

Maria Gomez is the daughter of Manuel Gomez and Enadina Gomez. Maria Gomez was born on

Chris Volden

Chris Volden is the son of Wardell Volden and Edith Volden. He was born on November 23, 1971. Chris has four sisters, Denise, Donna, Kathy and Patty; two brothers, Aaron and Bill.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (2 yrs.), FHA (2 yrs.), band (2 yrs.), Honor student, Presidential academic fitness award. Annual staff for one year. Member of the national Honor Society for three years.

His hobbies and special interests include: camping, listening to music, writing songs and poems, playing guitar, and collecting old coins.

After graduation Chris plans to attend college but is not sure what career he plans for the future.



Laci Lasater

Laci Lasater is the daughter of Jack Lasater and Mary Ann Lasater. She was born on September 4, 1971. Laci has one sister, Mendy Lasater; and one brother, Cass.

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**John Hughes**

John Hughes is the son of Marilyn Hughes. He was born on April 28, 1972. John has two brothers, Homer and Buck.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FHA, FCA, Choir, football, and track (regional qualifier); U.I.L., (One Act Play).

His hobbies and special interests include: drawing and lifting weights. He received two awards, Textiles and Apparel.

After graduating John plans to join the Navy.



**Tracy Linn Thompson**

Tracy Linn Thompson is the son of Adrian Thompson and Linda Thompson. He was born on January 27, 1971. Tracy has two brothers, Troy and Wayne.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FHA (1 yr), FFA (3 yrs.), FCA (2 yrs.), Choir (3 1/2 yrs.), and football.

His hobbies and special interests include: Horses, girls, motorcycles, fishing and hunting.

After graduation Tracy plans to attend college but is undecided about his career.



**Nancy Ivey**

Nancy Ivey is the daughter of Jim Ivey and Kay Ivey. She was born on January 15, 1972. Nancy has two sisters, Kindra and Cindy, one brother, Cole.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FFA, FHA, and FCA. Outstanding Golf Award (3yrs.) 1988 Cross-Country State Champion team member of 1989 State Qualifying Cross-Country Team, member State Qualifier. Golf Team 1990. She was editor of school paper for 2 yrs.

Her hobbies and special interests include: golf, gymnastics, art, bowling and all sports.

After graduation Nancy plans to attend Oklahoma State University to prepare a career in Business/Accounting.



**Arto Kunnola**

Arto Kunnola is the son of Aimo and Viola Kunnola. He was born on August 23, 1971. Arto has one sister, Anja Kunnola.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: football and track, FCA.

His hobbies and special interests include: Photography, snowskiing, working with young people.

After graduation Arto plans to attend a college in Finland, but if he has the finances Arto plans to attend college in the U.S.

He plans to prepare for a career in photography and working with people, especially with youths.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (3 yrs.), Band (3 1/2 yrs.), Spanish Club (2 yrs.). She was on the honor roll and received academic fitness award.

Her hobbies and special interests include: swimming, bike riding in the summer.

After graduation Anna plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare for a career in Accounting.



**Anna Hutchison**

Anna Hutchison is the daughter of Joe Hutchison and Judy Hutchison. Anna was born on August 3, 1972. She has one sister, Jennifer; and two brothers Chester and Cody.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FFA (Secretary - J. r. Yr.); a Celebrate member in choir, Spanish club, and tennis.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Music.

After graduation Anna plans to attend College to prepare for a career in Law.



**Denise Arnold**

Denise Arnold is the daughter of Rickie Arnold and Rose Anna Arnold. She was born on December 15, 1971. Denise has a sister Michele Arnold.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA 4 yrs. (Regional award); Band, (4 yrs) Regional Marching contest 2 yrs. and drum major 1 yr ; Jv. basketball 1 yr. varsity basketball 2 yrs. varsity track 3 yrs. at Hale Center.

Denise was a U.I.L. Debate Champion in 1987-88.

After graduation Denise plans to attend Texas Tech to prepare for a career in law.



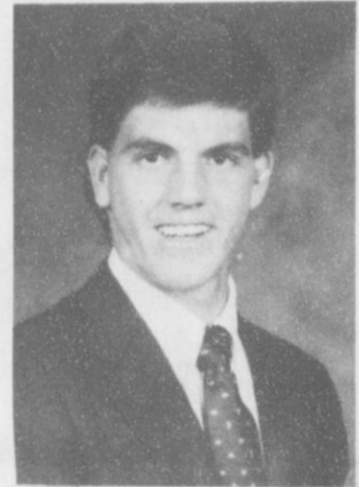
**Shane Harnish**

Shane Harnish is the son of Bill Harnish and Jody Harnish. Shane was born on June 7, 1972. Shane has two brothers, Lance and Jason.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (3 years) and Annual staff (2 years). 4-H Council delegate, secretary, treasurer. 4-H Congress in San Antonio. Shane had many placings at Houston Livestock Show & County Show.

His hobbies and special interests include: Working, partying, and dating.

After graduation Shane plans to attend Texas Tech University to prepare for a career in Medicine.



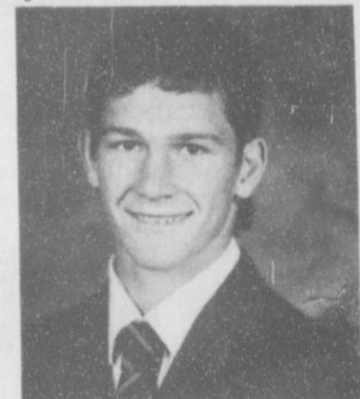
**Scott Wilkerson**

Scott Wilkerson is the son of Anthony Wilkerson and Linda Wilkerson. He was born on September 10, 1971. Scott has one brother, Chad.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA Swine Production Award; FHA, FCA, football, basketball, track, and tennis; Freshman Class favorite, Homecoming King (1989-90) Mr. SHS candidate, Pre-Alg. Economics, Free Enterprise academic award, Texas presidential academic fitness award, Swine Production award, All-District and Team Running back.

His hobbies and special interests include: weight lifting, golf, tennis mechanics, and listening to music.

After graduation Scott plans to attend Texas Tech to prepare for a career in Electrical Engineering.



**Edward Mayfield**

Edward Mayfield is the son of Fred Mayfield and Janice Mayfield. He was born on February 20, 1972. Edward has two sisters, Dee and Gale.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: received awards in Art II and Ag. Business and Marketing, FFA (3 yrs.); FHA (1 year); FCA (4 yrs.); football (4 yrs.) and basketball (2 yrs.)

His hobbies and special interests include: Lifting weights, riding horses and three wheelers.

Edward is undecided about his future plans.



**Chris Porter**

Chris Porter is the son of Terry Porter and Donna Porter. Chris has one sister, Cecely Porter.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, (2 yrs); FHA, (2 yrs.); FCA (1 yr.); Band, (Five States, 2 yrs.). Received Computer applications outstanding student award. 1st place winner at PSU computer processing contest; tennis and football.

His hobbies and special interests are computers, hunting and fishing.

After graduation Chris plans to attend Devey Technical College to prepare for a career in computers.



**Amy Blan**

Amy Blan is the daughter of Jimmy Blan and Helen Blan. She was born on August 1, 1972.

Amy has two sisters, Patsy Jones and Teresa Mendoza. Three Brothers, Jimmy Jr., Jerald and Jeremy.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FFA (4 yrs.), Parliamentary procedure (1 yr.), Radio - team, FCA (3 yrs), Choir (2 yrs.), Spanish club (1 yr.), Basketball (2 yrs.) Track, Tennis, and manager (1 yr.). Annual Staff (1yr.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: Reading, writing, spending time with family, bike riding, and traveling.

After graduation Amy plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare a career in Social Work.



**Anna Pacheco**

Anna is the daughter of Tony Pacheco and Maria Pacheco. She was born on July 4, 1972. Anna has one brother, Tony Pacheco Jr.

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**Danny Lopez**

Danny Lopez is the son of Paul Lopez and Adela Lopez. He was born on January 25, 1971. Danny has three brothers.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, FCA, Band, (2 yrs.), football, track, and basketball.

His hobbies and special interests include: Sports, art, spending time with friends.

After graduation Danny plans to join the Navy to prepare for a career in Special Forces, Seal.



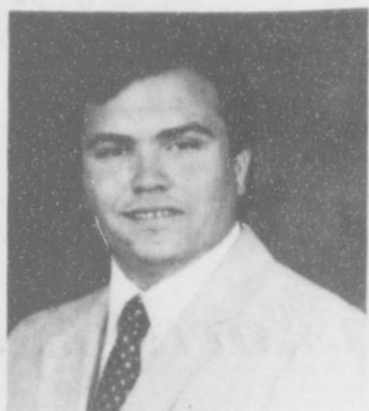
**Joy Lee Kizziar**

Joy Lee Kizziar is the daughter of Ruth Kizziar and the late (Pee Wee) Carl Kizziar. She has one sister, Connie Holmes, and three brothers, Mike, Carl, and Timmy.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (3 yrs); Band (3yrs.); Flag captain Senior yr.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Horse back riding, reading, dancing, playing the flute, organ, drums, and playing with her nieces and nephews.

After graduation Joy plans to attend a Technical school to prepare for a career as a Legal Secretary.



**Delwin Odie Whitnire**

Delwin Whitnire is the son of Raymond Russell and Debra Russell. He was born on March 11, 1970. Delwin has two brothers, Kelly and Gayen.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA member for two years, FHA member for 2 yrs. He won the outstanding member award (88-89), FCA, football, basketball and track; All District offense Tackle (87-88).

His hobbies and special interests include: football and cooking.

After graduation Delwin plans to attend the Devey Institutes of Technical school to prepare for a career in nuclear technicians.



**Ruby Ochoa**

Ruby Ochoa is the daughter of Juan Ochoa and Nancy Ochoa. She was born on October 29, 1971. Ruby has two brothers, John and Victor; and one sister, Michelle.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FCA (1 yr.), Spanish Club (1 yr.), basketball and Varsity track, Jr. basketball, Spelling, U.I.L. (Sr.), Annual Staff (1 yr).

Her hobbies and special interests include: Reading and cooking.

After graduation Ruby plans to attend McPherson College to prepare for a career of Law.



**David Boese**

David Boese is the son of Elizabeth York. He was born on February 5, 1972. David has no brothers or sisters.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA - received two awards, Lamb production and Livestock Judging, President of Choir, 1989-90, Solo medalist, All Region choir 1985, All Region ensemble 1990, Varsity Football (1 year), JV football (3 yrs.) and JV Basketball (2 yrs).

His hobbies and special interests include: Fishing, Hunting, Cycle Riding, Racing and Rapelling.

David plans to attend West Texas State University but is undecided about his future career.



**Daena "Sunshine" Smith**

Daena Smith "Sunshine" is the daughter of Rickey L. Smith and Sandee Smith. She was born on June 12, 1972. Daena has one sister, Shari.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: One year in NHS, vice president of projects, one year as vice president of FHA, four years in FCA. She received the presidential academic award, Who's Who in SHS, and NHS, one year basketball manager, four years in golf went to Regionals and State; 3 yrs. mascot.

Her hobbies and special interests include: any kind of sports, reading and playing trivia games.

After graduation Daena plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare a career in Education.



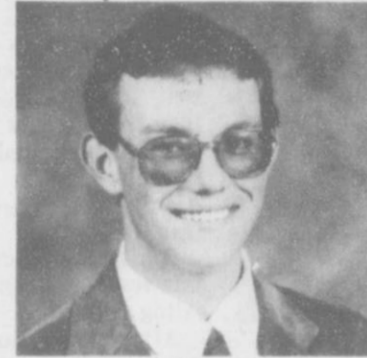
**Jami Maize**

Jami Maize is the daughter of Don Maize and Lynanne Maize. She was born on May 15, 1972. Jaime has two sisters Gerri and Tammi.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (2 yrs.), Choir (4 yrs.); Member of celebrate (3 yrs); Spanish Club (1 yr.); basketball manager, (2 yrs.); Annual Staff (1 yr.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: singing, and snow skiing.

After graduation Jami plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare for a career in Elementary Education.



**Jeff Spencer**

Jeff Spencer is the son of Earl Spencer and June Spencer. He was born on January 17, 1972. Jeff has one sister, Earla.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA Parliamentary Procedure, Vice-President freshman yr., football and photographer for the annual staff, student of the month of December.

His hobbies and special interests include: horseback riding, flying, swimming and being with family, also Rock & Classical music.

After graduation Jeff plans to join the Army or Air Force to prepare for a career in medicine.



**Melissa Diane Schumann**

Melissa Diane Schumann is the daughter of Craig Schumann and Kari Russell. She was born on January 19, 1972. Melissa has two sisters, Melodie, and Tashiana; two brothers Derrick, and Joshua.

As a high school student she participated in the following:

FFA (2 yrs), FCA (4 yrs.), choir (4 yrs.); Celebrate (3 yrs.); basketball (1 yr.) Manager for Varsity Boys Basketball (3 yrs.); U.I.L. Solo and Ensemble at W.T.S.U. made it and going on to State in June.

Her hobbies and special interests include: singing, playing piano and snowskiing, and having fun.



**Barry Beck**

Barry Beck is the son of Verlin Beck and Audene Beck. He was born on March 5, 1972. Barry has three brothers, Edward, Monte and Brooks.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: Football and Golf, held office in 4-H.

His hobbies and special interests include: riding three wheelers cycles, and mountain bikes.

After graduation Barry plans to attend Paris Junior College to prepare a career in jeweler.



**Ruben Vela**

Ruben Vela is the son of Calistro Vela and Minerva Vela. He was born on February 14, 1971. Ruben has three brothers and one sister.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (Greenhand), Spanish club member for one year, football (2 yrs.), basketball (2 yrs.).

He received P.E. award, Ag, Who's Who Among American kids, Ag, and Cla IV.

His hobbies and special interests include: weight lifting, hunting, and fishing.

After graduation Ruben plans to join the Army.



**Ann Zamora**

Ann Zamora is the daughter of Abel Zamora and Emma Zamora. She was born on January 23, 1971. Ann has two brothers and three sisters.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Spanish Club (2 yrs.), received an attendance award.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Reading.

Ann is undecided at this time about her future plans.



**Teresa Vela**

Teresa Vela is the daughter of Aurora Vela and the late Guillermo Vela. She was born June 26, 1972. Teresa has one brother and 8 sisters.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Band (1 yr.), Spanish club (2 yrs.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: Stamp collecting.

After graduation Teresa plans to attend Pan American University to prepare for a career in nursing and Lab technician.



**Dana Barker**

Dana Barker is the daughter of Helen Cummings and Joe Cummings. She was born March 9, 1971. Dana has a brother, Duane; and two half-sisters, Rebecca and Caroline.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA (vice president, and president); Choir, (received Sweepstakes.) She was in Spanish club for one year.

Danas' special hobbies are being with friends, attending many church activities and events.

After graduation Dana plans to attend McMurry College to prepare for a career in Accounting/Business.

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### Valedictorian



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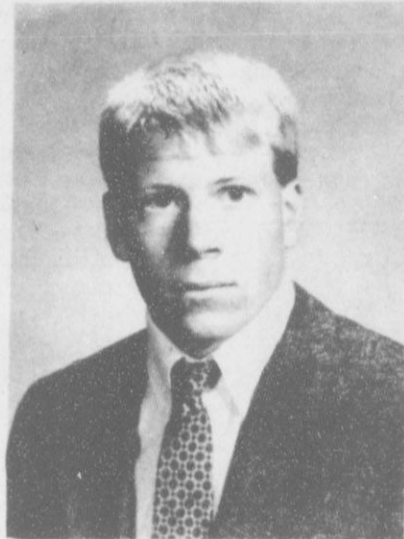
Kelly McCloy is the daughter of Allen McCloy and Karen McCloy. She was born on November 30, 1971. Kelly has one brother, Marty.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FFA, Spanish Club, Basketball, and tennis. Scholar athlete award, voted most likely to succeed. U.I.L. - poetry, literary criticism, journalism, science, accounting, debate.

Her hobbies and special interests include: rodeoing, reading and sleeping.

After graduation Kelly plans to attend Tarleton State University to prepare for a career in Sports Medicine.

### Salutatorian



Theron Park

Theron Park is the son of Bill Park and Judy Park. He was born on October 6, 1971. Theron has one brother, Michael.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: Salutatorian of the 1990 class. Voted most likely to succeed, Student Council president, Senior class vice-pres, member of FFA, Captain football and basketball, Honary Mention team, 2nd team All-District linebacker, All-district Basketball, 2nd team All-Region BB, 1st team Academic All-State Basketball, Regional Qualifier track.

His hobbies and special interests include: Golf, sports, water-skiing.

After graduation Theron plans to attend Texas A&M to prepare for a career in Business.

## Their Leadership

Vance Scarborough is the son of Dewayne Scarborough and Lynn Scarborough. He was born on November 30, 1971. Vance has one sister, Kaylynn; and two brothers, Rusty and Mickey.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, Basketball, and Football, and an Honor Graduate.

His hobbies and special interests include: Cowboy polo, having fun, going to new places, spending money on worthless items.

After graduation Vance plans to attend the University of Wyoming to prepare for a career in Engineering.



Vance Scarborough



Russ Royval

Russ Royval is the son of Josefa Royval. He was born on Sept. 9, 1971. Russ has one sister, Sandra; and two brothers Fabian and Ralph.

As a high school student Russ participated in the following activities: Football, basketball, received the Fighting Heart Award.

Outstanding All-Around Football Award, President of National Honor Society. Mr. GHS runner-up, most handsome runner-up, most friendliest runner-up.

His hobbies and special interests include: Lifting weights, eating, and being with my girlfriend, and playing football.

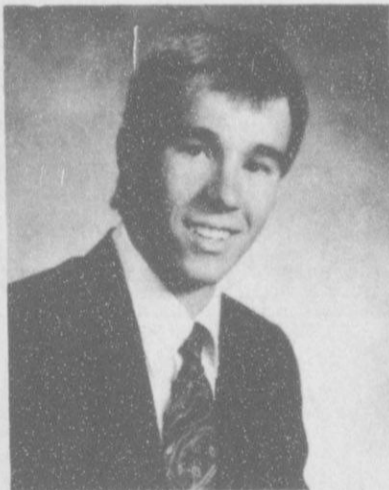


Brent Stedje

Brent Stedje is the son of Mike Stedje and Judy Stedje. He was born on July 29, 1972. Brent has one sister, Tamra; and one brother, Tim Stedje.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (2 yrs.), football, basketball, track and golf. Academic All-District in Basketball (4 yrs.), U.I.L. Events - Debate (2 yrs.), Science (3 yrs.).

After graduation Brent plans to attend Texas A&M to prepare for a career in Chemical Engineering.



Troy Seagler

Troy Seagler is the son of Stan Seagler and Sharon Seagler. He was born on May 10, 1972. Troy has two brothers, Ty and Trent.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FHA, Mr. GHS, class favorite (4 yrs.); friendliest, class president, Student Council (Secretary).

Basketball, All-District; Amarillo Chamber of Commerce player

of month, 1st team All-region, TABC 2nd team basketball All-state; Track, served on the annual staff Junior Senior year.

His hobbies and special interests include: waterskiing and basketball.

Troy is undecided at this time about the college he plans to attend but plans on a business career.



Manda Winger

Manda Winger is the daughter of Val Winger and Marlene Winger. She was born on November 8, 1971. Manda has one sister, Marva Burnam; and two brothers, Davin and Darin.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Band, Choir, Spanish Club; received Speech Award, and Chemistry Award. Most likely to Succeed Runner-up, Student council Rep., NHS Member,

Basketball.

U.I.L. events: Regionals - Spelling, Informative Speaking, Science and State -Vocal Solo.

Her hobbies and special interests include: reading, music, (singing & listening, public speaking, politics, waterskiing.

After graduation Manda plans to attend Texas Tech University to prepare for a career in Corporate Law.

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**Tina (Cator) Deluna**

Tina Dehuna is the daughter of D.A. Cator and Patty Cator. She was born on September 4, 1970. Tina has two brothers, Marshall and Durward.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Basketball and track.

After graduation Tina plans to attend Frank Phillips college to prepare for a career in business/Accounting.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (4 yrs.); Reporter, Sent. Lone Star Farmer; Spanish Club, (Junior yr.); football, basketball, and golf.

Honorable Mention Q.B., Gruver Offensive Player of the Year. His hobbies and special interests include: snow and water skiing, and golf.

After graduation Justin plans to attend Tarleton State University to prepare for a career of a Air Force Pilot.



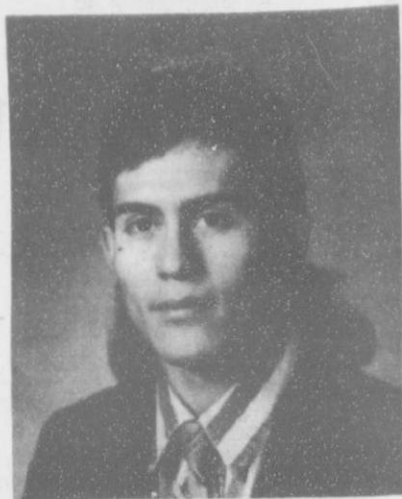
**Brooke Roberts**

Brooks Roberts is the daughter of Jim Roberts and Betty Roberts. She was born on October 6, 1971. Brooks has three sisters, Marci, Amber and Autumn; and one brother, Trey.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: track, tennis, basketball, basketball captian (Sr. yr.), All-district basketball.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Water skiing, reading, playing basketball.

After graduation Brooks is undecided about the college she plans to attend but plans a career in physical education.



**Ramon Ortega**

Ramon Ortega Jr. is the son of Romon Ortega and Alicia Ortega. He was born on October 23. Romon has five sisters and four brothers.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: football. He was player of week in 1989. All District Tailback, All state Honorable Mention tailback; class treasurer 1989.

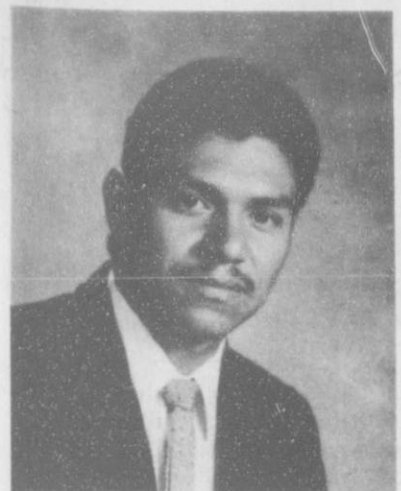
His hobbies and special interests include: boxing, weightlifting and running.

Romon is undecided at this time about his future plans.

FHA, Spanish Club member (Jr. and Sr. yrs.); Class favorite Fresh. & Sophomore yrs.); Class President (Fresh. & Sophomore yrs.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: swimming, photography, and cheerleading.

Cruz is undecided at this time about her future plans.



**Roberto Rodriguez**

Roberto Rodriguez is the son of Roberto Rodriguez and Felicitia Rodriguez. He was born on April 4, 1971. Roberta has two sisters, Betty and Ofelia; two brothers Jesus and Jose Luis.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: football, basketball, and track. He was chosen to play on the Golden All-Star Basketball in Amarillo.

His hobbies and special interests include: Card collecting, hunting, theaters, playing basketball and listening to radio.

After graduation Roberto plans to attend UTI in Phoenix Arizona.



**Jeffery Hand**

Jeffrey Hand is the son of Janie Jeffries, and Don Evans and Dave Hand Jr. He was born on May 11, 1972. Jeffrey has two brothers, Joel White and Joby White.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities; FFA - went to State "Dairy Products" 1990.

His hobbies and special interests include: skiing and motorcycle riding.

Jeffrey is undecided at this time about his future plans.

participated in the following activities: FFA(4yrs.), vice president 3rd yr.; Band, Spanish Club; Photographer; Cheerleader (2 yrs.); Most Important student (2 yrs.); Basketball (4 yrs.) Track (1 yr.); Cross Country (4 yrs.); Tennis and Annual Staff her Jr. and Sr. yr.

Her hobbies and special interests include: waterskiing, swimming, watching TV, sunbathing, being with my friends and family, and babysitting.

After graduation Katrina plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare for a career in Special Education.



**Lance Sparks**

Lance Sparks is the son of Dean Sparks and Karen Sparks. He was born on December 27, 1971. Lance has one brother and one sister.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, Secretary (Jr. Yr.); President (Sr. Yr. Livestock team (4 yrs.); football, basketball and golf.

His hobbies and special interests include: sports and animals.

After graduation Lance plans to attend Tarleton Collete to prepare for a career in Ag-business.



**Justin Armes**

Justin Armes is the son of John Armes and Doris Armes. He was born on November 4, 1971. Justin has two sisters, and one brother.



**Cruz Alvarez**

Cruz Alvarez is the daughter of Linda and Isidoror DeLeon. She was born on February 3, 1971. Cruz has one sister, Margie Alvares, and two brothers, Steve and DeLeon Jr.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: volleyball, basketball, track, tennis and cheerleader (Sophomore and Senior yrs.). Best personality girl (Sophomore yr.), friendliest Runner-up (Senior yr.), FFA Sweetheart (Sophomore yr.);



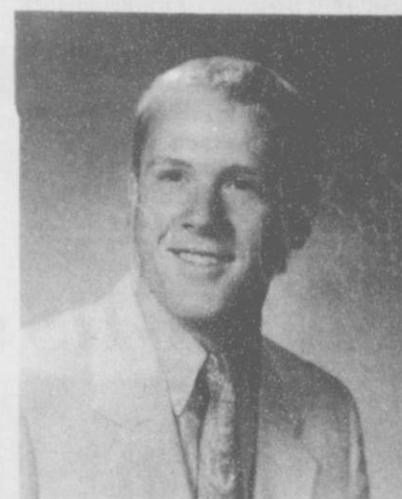
**Heather Young**

Heather Young is the daughter of Cindy Gamble and Terry Gamble. She was born on July 5, 1972. Heather has two sisters, Jinda and Terra and one brother, T. J.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA, Band, Spanish Club, Basketball and track.

Her hobbies and special interests include: basketball and softball.

After graduation Heather plans to attend West Texas; P.S.U. to prepare for a career as a vet assistant.



**Gannon Harris**

Gannon Harris is the son of Roy Harris and Rhema Harris. He was born on November 6, 1971. Gannon has one sister, ShaLynna.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: football (4 yrs.); basketball (3 yrs.); Track (4 yrs.); a football honorary mention defensive back.

His hobbies and special interests include: water and snow skiing, and sports.

After graduation Gannon plans to attend Tarleton State University to prepare for a career in computers and architecture.



**Jason Haefner**

Jason Haefner is the son of Fran Haefner and Phyllis Haefner. He was born on September 18, 1971. Jason has one sister, Janelle.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA - Horse judging and Gruver Farm Skills; FHA (3 yrs.); Band (1 yr.), Spanish Club, football, basketball, track, (District Champion, Regional Qualifer; Golf.

His hobbies and special interests include: horses, good movies, golf, baseball, and being with friends.

After graduation Jason plans to attend South Plains College to prepare for a career in Computer Systems Analogy.



**Katrina Bratton**

Katrina Bratton is the daughter of Kenneth Bratton and Patricia Bratton. She was born on October 27, 1971. Katrina has one brother, Shawn.

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## GHS Honor Graduates



**Kyle Irwin**

Kyle Irwin is the son of Pat Irwin, and Mark Irwin. He was born on August 1, 1972. Kyle has no brothers or sisters.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: Golf - 2nd Dist. 2nd Regional State Qualifier; Football - Academic All Dist. Honorable Mention; and basketball.

Most likely to Succeed Runner-Up, National Honor Society, Bob Bailey Fighting Heart Award for Football.

His hobbies and special interests include: Golf, and Stamp Collecting.

After graduation Kyle plans to attend Texas Tech to prepare for a career in Banking and Finance.



**Joe Sotelo**

Joe Sotelo is the son of Juan Sotelo and Paula Sotelo. He was born on November 1, 1971. Joe has two brothers, Tony and Danny.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: Algebra I award, FFA - Chapter V. President, State meats Judging (2 yrs.), State land Judging (Sr. yr.); Spanish Club (Reporter); National Honor Society (3 yrs.); and Varsity football manager (sr. yr.).

His hobbies and special interests include: women and cars.

After graduation Joe plans to attend West Texas State University to prepare a career in Accounting and Business.



**Sanna Sinisalo**

Sanna Sinisalo is the daughter of Ritva Sinisalo and Esko Sinisalo. She was born on May 13, 1972. Sanna has two sisters Minna and Sami.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Senior class favorite, Gruver high school honor society, Homecoming Queen, Cross Country track.

Her hobbies and special interests include: Baseball, swimming, biking, motorcycle, karate, and volleyball.

After graduation Sanna is undecided where she will go to college or what type of career she plans on.



**Klinton Venneman**

Klinton John Venneman is the son of Joe T. Venneman and Linda Venneman. He was born on November 23, 1971. Klinton has two sisters, Holly and Kim.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: an honor graduate, FFA member (4 yrs.), Band member (1 yr.), Spanish Club member (2 yrs.), Class favorite (2 yrs.), class president (1 yr.).

Football, track, golf, and baseball.

His hobbies and special interests include: skiing, flying model airplanes, and hunting.

After graduation Klinton plans to attend O.S.U. to prepare for a career in Medicine.



**Debbie Hathaway**

Debbie Hathaway, is the daughter of Garry Hathaway and Frances Hathaway. She was born on October 4, 1971. Debbie has one sister, Cora.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: FHA, vice-president; SADD, Miss Gruver High School Runner-up, most beautiful runner up, friendliest, Homecoming Queen Attendant, Cross Country, Track, and Basketball.

U.I.L. Events, Journalism - feature writing, Headlines & News.

Her hobbies and special interests include: reading, writing, jogging, snow skiing, and just hanging out with friends.

Debbie is undecided at this time where she will attend college. She plans to prepare for a career in interior designing.



**Shelley Stedje**

Shelley Stedje is the daughter of Dennis Stedje and Kathy Stedje. She was born on April 22, 1972. Shelley has one brother, Scott.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: basketball, track, Regional Qualifier, track award, cheerleader (4 yrs.); head cheerleader.

U.I.L. events - (1 - 4) participated in UIL informative persuasive speaking.

Class favorite, homecoming queen attendant, most beautiful and class secretary.

Her hobbies and special interests include: playing piano, being with friends and meeting new people, and shopping.

After graduation Shelley plans to attend Texas Christian University to prepare for a career in Special Education.

### More GHS seniors



**Lacey Gresham**

Lacey Gresham is the daughter of Bonnie Smith. She was born on January 7, 1972. Lacey has one sister, Ashley and two brothers, Casey and Kelley.

As a high school student she participated in the following activities: Basketball (3 yrs.), and Cheerleader (4 yrs.).

Her hobbies and special interests include: music, reading, swimming, and sunbathing.

Lacey is undecided at this time about her future plans.



**Adrian Garza**

Adrian Garza is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garza. He was born on May 10, 1969. Adrian has one sister, and two brothers.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA (4 yrs.), FHA (1 yr.), basketball, and football. SADD Program and Spanish Club. Received Coaches Appreciation award.

His hobbies and special interests include: eating and drinking coke.

After graduation Adrian plans to attend a tech school to prepare for a career in Mechanics.



**Lee Herrera**

Lee Herrera is the son of Pete Herrera and Maria Herrera. He was born on April 16, 1971. Lee has one sister, Sylvia; and one brother Oscar.

As a high school student he participated in the following activities: Spanish Club and S.A.A.D.

His hobbies and special interests include: writing music, poetry and stories. Listening to music.

After graduation Lee plans to attend Criminal Justice Center, Sam Houston State University at Huntsville to prepare for a career in the United States Marine Corps.



**Stefan Dorman**

Stefan Dorman is the son of James Dorman and Ann Dorman. He was born on May 23, 1972. Stefan has two sisters, Dee Steed and Bev Bennett; one brother, Chris Dorman.

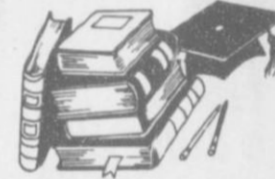
As a high school student he participated in the following activities: FFA, Band, Spanish Club, Track, Basketball, Golf, and football. He received the Greyhound Spirit Award - 1989-90.

His hobbies and special interest include: Snow skiing and water skiing.

After graduation Stefan plans to attend Texas Tech University. He is undecided at this time what career he will choose.

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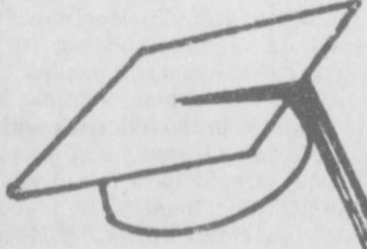
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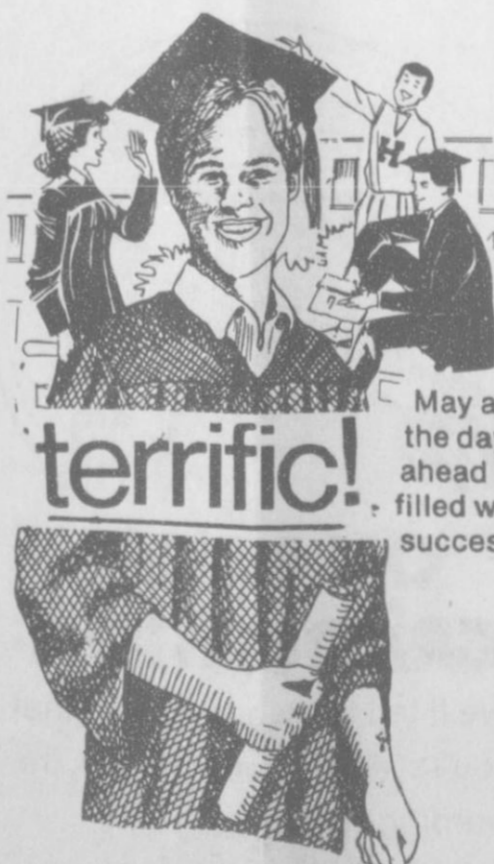
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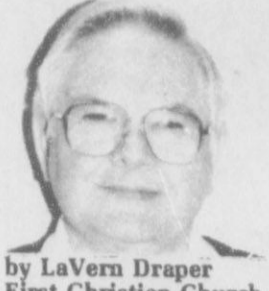
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by LaVern Draper  
First Christian Church

## Spiritually Speaking

### Could You Faith It.. When you doubt it?

The story is told that during a flight between New York and Chicago, the captain made this announcement over the plane's intercom: "Our number four engine has just been shut off because of mechanical trouble. There is nothing to worry about, however, we can still finish the flight with just three engines, besides, you will be reassured to know that we have four bishops on board." An 86 year old woman called the flight attendant and said, "Would you please tell the captain that I would rather have four engines and three bishops."

Like this elderly passenger, most Americans probably place more value in security than in faith, but without faith society would collapse and life would be unbearable. Without faith, relationships would break up, companies would fold up, fear would rise up, and people would give up.

I hear some real definitions of faith and here is one: "The ability to believe in something without evidence." Now that is a erroneous definition of faith. Faith is always based on evidence although it may not be in the form of scientific data. God's handiwork in creation, in life, in death and resurrection of Christ, the miracles and growth of the first century Church, and the change that is produced in the hearts of converted men and women are bits of evidence that God does exist and that He intervenes in the lives of people.

Hebrews 11 is referred to as the "faith chapter in the Bible." This scripture or passage identifies several characteristics of true faith.

1. Faith sees the invisible. When the Russian cosmonaut, Gherman Titov, returned from space, he said, "I looked for God but I didn't see Him." However, when American astronaut, James A. McDivitt returned, his statement was vastly different: "I did not see God looking into my space-cabin window... but I could recognize His work in the stars..." McDivitt possessed the inner eye of faith.

2. Faith hears the inaudible. There are about 9,000 radio signals in a metropolitan area, but without the aid of radio equipment, the words and music go undetected by men. Likewise, faith is the faculty which enables us to sense God's direction and reassurance.

3. Faith believes the incredible. Many say, "I just cannot believe in miracles or in Heaven and eternity; I cannot believe in the story of creation." Hebrews 11:3 answers, "Through faith we understand that the universe was

### Panhandle Events

**Chautauqua - Pampa**  
Entries for the 1990 Chautauqua to be held in Central Park in Pampa will be received through June 15.

Chautauqua is an annual event sponsored by the Pampa Fine Arts Association. Featured are crafts, arts, food and a great time for all ages.

The booth fee is \$15.00 plus 10 percent of the gross sales. There are exceptions for craftsmen who are giving demonstrations, special education displays as well as the petting zoo.

Chautauqua is a non profit operation and all excess monies after expenses will be used for improving the city parks. A number of service projects in the community are supported by the dollars made from non-profit organizations operating booths.

For further information regarding booth and space rental contact: Starla Tracy at 669-7610, 665-0703 or Debbie Lawrence at 665-7630.

June 13-August 25 - "Texas" Historical Musical Drama, Canyon. Enjoy the ceiling of big Texas sky while watching joyful experiences of pioneer life unfold in the Pioneer Amphitheater in Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo. A cast of 80 brings the history of the Texas Panhandle to life with music, dance and a thrilling light and sound experience for visitors from around the country.

### Foods for summer Barbecues Featured at Supermarkets

May is National Barbecue Month, and consumers should find attractive discounts in meats and other barbecue products.

The Memorial Day weekend, long popular for cookouts and barbecues, also marks the beginning of the summer food season.

Round steak will be priced from \$1.69 to \$1.89 per pound during the special May promotions, down from about \$3 per pound in April. Sirloin steak will sell from \$2.19 to \$2.39 per pound (down from \$3.50), and ground beef will be priced at 99 cents a pound (down from about \$1.79) when purchased in 5-pound packages.

Beef brisket, a favorite of most serious barbecuers, will be marked down to \$1.09 during May promotions. This price will be for the "packer trim," which often yields only about 50 percent of grillable meat when the fat is trimmed.

Many stores will have their own trimmed brisket priced from \$1.79 to \$1.99. You may want to check this cut out since the cost per pound usually is less than the packer trim.

Pork products also will be priced lower in May.

Pork ribs and chops are the cuts that fit the outdoor season and will be reduced most drastically.

Although it may seem a bit out of season, frozen turkey also will be placed on special in May. Prices will be about 79 to 89 cents a pound -- a bargain if your family enjoys turkey.

Besides meat items, foods that even hint of picnics and outdoor



by Karen Babitzke

## Karen's Kozy Korner

eating will be among May supermarket specials.

Available over the Memorial Day weekend will be national brand soft drinks at 99 cents a six-pack, while 2-liter bottles will be on sale for 79 cents.

You also can expect to see discounts on hot dogs, buns, charcoal, condiments, chips, baked beans, pickles, napkins and plates.

With summer's arrival, watch for sales of ice cream frozen yogurt and ice cream novelty items. Coupons for these food items will begin appearing in food sections of newspapers this month.

Produce departments will be quite active, as many summer favorites begin to arrive. Hottest sale items will be strawberries, closely followed by cantaloupes, honeydew melons and sweet onions. Prices of sweet corn,

peaches and watermelons also will decline in May as supplies increase. Other featured produce will be asparagus, cucumbers, green beans, yellow squash and artichokes.

Two other important May observances are Mother's Day on May 13 and Cinco de Mayo, or Mexican Independence Day, May 5.

More flowers are purchased for Mother's Day than any other day except Valentine's Day. The availability of flowers and container plants is good this month.

Besides roses, tulips and mums will be available at special prices. For a change of pace, consider an orchid corsage or a bouquet of colorful cut flowers.

For the Cinco de Mayo holiday, those who enjoy Mexican food found many specials, ranging from beef skirt steaks or fajitas to flour tortillas, onions, green pep-

pers and avocados for guacamole. May also is a major month for planting vegetables and doing lawn and garden work.

People still working to overcome the lawn and garden damage done by the December freeze and, in some areas, the late April flooding will find special prices in many supermarket gardening sections.

### Carpet Emissions and Indoor Air

New carpet may prompt complaints of odors, irritation, and sometimes illness. These complaints can be caused by volatile organic compounds emitted by the carpet. However, all carpets are not the same, and research has not produced information on all situations. The major component and dominant odor emitted by carpet installations 'carpet, backing, pads, etc.) is 4-phenylcyclohexene (4-pc).

If residents have problems with new carpet odors, the only practical solution is to "air out" the carpet. Increased ventilation is the best answer. Open windows (about an inch) in the affected rooms for the first month. This may result in more energy use, but it is the cheapest and most effective method available.

The Consumer Products Safety Commission has initiated a Carpet hot line to receive complaints about new carpets. The number is 1-800-638-2772.

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## MAY CALENDER OF EVENTS

To put dates on this calendar, please call the Spearman Reporter Phone 659-3434.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
	*Spearman Rotary	*Spearman Lions Club	*Gruver Lions Club	*SVFD 7 p.m.	*Flame Fellowship 7 p.m.	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
*Attend the church of your choice				*Chamber board 7 p.m. Chamber office	*SHS track State meet	*SHS track State meet
	*Spearman Rotary	*Spearman Lions Club		*Gruver FFA Area Convention Lubbock	*Gruver FFA Area Convention Lubbock	*Spearman Music Festival
					*GHS Holiday	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
*Mother's Day	*WDSCC Conf. Comm. 5:15 Chamber office	*Spearman Choir Concert	*Servitors Youth-Adult Scotchball Tournament 9 a.m. Hansford Golf Course	*Miss Hansford Modeling Clinic		*Spearman school make-up day
*Attend the church of your choice	*GHS Athletic banquet	*Gruver Methodist Church Senior banquet	*WDSCC Home Demo. Bldg. noon	*Gruver Band Trip	*Gruver Band Trip	*Gruver Band Trip
	*Spearman Rotary	*Spearman Lions Club	*Gruver First Christian Church Senior Luncheon	*Gruver Senior Trip	*Gruver Senior Trip	*Armed Forces Day
			*Gruver Lions Club	*SVFD 7 p.m.		*Spearman Chamber tennis tourney
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
*Gruver Senior Trip	*Miss Hansford Comm. 5:30 Spearman Chamber office	*Spearman music awards banquet	*Spearman Methodist Church choir banquet	*Gruver band concert 7 p.m.	*Spearman Athletic banquet	
*Attend the church of your choice	*Gruver FFA banquet	*GHS awards assembly 7 p.m.			*Gruver FFA Softball 4 p.m.	
*Chamber tennis tourney	*Spearman Rotary	*Spearman Lions Club	*GHS Baccalaureate 8 p.m.	*SVFD 7 p.m.	*Pringle-Morse last day of school	
27	28	29	30	31		
*Attend the church of your choice	*Memorial Day	*SHS graduation				
*Spearman Baccalaureate	*GHS Holiday			*Gruver Jr. High Graduation		
	*Hansford Golf Club Memorial Day Scramble			*GHS last day of school		
	*Spearman 8th grade graduation					
	*Spearman Rotary	*Spearman Lions Club				

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Shawna Maupin of Broken Arrow, Okla., granddaughter of Mrs. Verna Maupin of Spearman, was graduated May 5 from Oklahoma State University at Stillwater, Okla. Maupin, daughter of Rod and Chris Maupin of Broken Arrow and also the granddaughter of Mrs. Dorothy Sneed of Colorado City, Texas, received a bachelor of science degree in marketing from OSU, where she is a member of Chi Omega sorority.

### Club News

#### Town and Country

Town and Country Home Extension Club held its last meeting Tuesday, May 15 in the home of Delinda McLaughlin.

Karen Babitzke gave a program called "Supermarket Smart" to help members become smarter shoppers.

Laura Mackie called the meeting to order and Annette McIver had the devotion. Minutes were read and treasurer's report was given. A small business meeting was held and members adjourned for the summer.

Members present were Dalene Baker, Carma Dorton, Janie Kunselman, Darrie Francis, Delinda McLaughlin, Jeanie Laughlin, Dixie Smith, Rhonda Reitchen, Laura Mackie and Annette McIver. Three guest were present, Teresa Kirk, Wanda Wagner, and Karen Babitzke.

#### GLADIOLA FLOWER CLUB

The Gladiola Flower Club met Thursday, May 17 in the home of Mrs. John Brown.

Wanda Reed of Prairie Garden Flowers brought the program. She taught club members how to make flower arrangements by holding them in the hands from beginning to end and using fresh cut flowers and greenery.

After the arrangement was

finished she gave the arrangement to club members to take to the residents of Hansford Manor to enjoy.

Estelle Jackson, vice president called the meeting to order. Flowers were judged and Virginia Trindle won first for a homegrown arrangement and Jo Larson won first for a borrowed arrangement. Wanda Brown won first for specimen and pot plant.

Home Tour plans were finalized. Joe Larson reported on Work Day at Hansford Manor and club members voted to donate some honeysuckle bushes for the planters at the Manor.

Mrs. Trindle asked that her first place flower arrangement be taken to the Manor, along with two of Mrs. Davis' arrangements.

Refreshments were served to the following Mesdames: Newell Allen, Billy Baker, Lloyd Buzzard, Gordon Cummings, Irvin Davis, Kenneth Evans, Roy Flowers, Garland Head, Don Hergert, Nolan Holt, Bill K. Jackson, Doyle Jackson, Marcus Larson, Tom Sutton and John Trindle.

The next meeting will be June 7 at 9:30 a.m. in the country home of Mrs. Garland Head. Mrs. Marcus Larson will have the program.

## Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Rhonda Burnam with Cory and Amanda flew to San Marcos last Thursday to attend the graduation exercises of Southwest Texas University. Her brother, Ron Riley, received the Bachelor of Arts degree; he majored in Physiology and Biology. Their mother, Jo and Bill Hadley of Gruver joined them for the ceremony.

Rhonda and the children returned with them on Monday after spending Sunday in San Antonio. Cory and Amanda were fascinated by their visit to Sea World.

Paul Loftin has returned to Austin and Hazel and Ray Slyter with Mark and Kristey to Augusta, Kan. after attending the services for Mrs. Hazel Loftin here Saturday.

Mrs. Loftin, 98, has been part of the Spearman scene as long as most people can remember. Many are the memories associated with her - friends for her innate kindness and understanding - family members for her devout adherence to her faith; grandchildren for privileges not ordinarily allowed but knowing there was a standard beyond which there was no leeway.

Her life exemplified that true greatness is not found in power, prestige, positions or possessions, but in goodness, humility, service and character - her influence will be felt in succeeding generations.

There's no denying - young people who have their roots in Hansford County, have a lot of "Smart."

A recent issue of the Amarillo News listed the honor students in the Panhandle area, and for Dimmitt - the Valedictorian was Danna Ralston and the Salutatorian was Jennifer Hanners. Now it happened that when these girls graduated from the 8th grade, Jennifer was the Valedictorian and Danna the Salutatorian.

They are both daughters of Spearman graduates - Danna is the daughter of Anita and Seth Ralston, granddaughter of Reba and Bill Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith. Jennifer is the daughter of Gerald and Mrs. Hanners.

Another Spearman native receiving honors is Shayne Covell, who was the recipient of five awards from Randall High School - being the Automotive Technology Department Award; Sybil Harrington Scholarship; Canyon Chamber of Commerce Honor Award; Amarillo College National Honor Society Award and Amarillo College Board of Regents one of top ten honor awards. Shayne earned those awards even though he held down a full time job after school during all of his high school.

He is the son of Wayne and Norma Jean Stowe Corvel and the grandson of Juanita Cook.

Recently Frances and Gene Cudd

#### THANK YOU

We wish to thank all our friends for their many kindnesses and consideration during John's illness.

Especially do we appreciate Bill Dranstetter, Ed Garner, Faye Klutz, Dr. Behney, Dr. Sangalang and the hospital staff of the Borger Hospital.

John & Sammie Bishop

attended the reunion of several branches of the Cudd family. It was held in Dallas with members coming from across the United States - from Maryland to California and in between. The main activity was compiling genealogy.

Later they visited Frances' sister, Zola and J.D. Mitchell in Waco for three days. The Mitchells plan to attend the all-school reunion here in July.

Friends of Merrilyn Snider Walker get word that her mother, Mrs. E.K. (Luella) Snider is to be honored on her 90th birthday which is July 15. Mrs. Snider is in fair health, and still lives alone and fondly remembers her Spearman friends. It would please her to get Birthday cards and her address is 1201 West Tennessee, 15-A, Midland, Texas 79707.

Paul and Betty Hazlewood are back from ten days with her sister, Viola Wallin and her brother, Billy Joe Davis in Garland. They also visited Betty's aunt in Mexia.

Paul may not have been ready to come home but realized that relatives who are concerned with all the troublesome laws - head the list with in-laws!

On the gently sloping hill at the Hansford Cemetery on a cool, clear Saturday morning, a group of neighbors gathered and worked side by side cleaning the winter debris. The companionship and joint effort in a common cause is typical of this community.

Mocking birds and meadow larks contributed a melodic accompaniment. However Ronnie Willis and Lloyd Buzzard may have missed some of the melody - a couple of snakes required their concentration!

Thanks and appreciation is due the Hansford Cemetery Board for the many hours of their time and effort expended in maintaining the cemetery. Kudos to Ray Phelps, Paul Hazlewood and Freeman Barkley.

An extremely interesting trip and stay in Switzerland is that recently finished by Cathy and Pat Patterson and Maudine Patterson. They visited Clint, who has been in Switzerland nearly a year. A detailed account of the trip as well as pictures will be forthcoming.

Yvonda Stokes from Amarillo spent the weekend here with her parents, Edith and John Pipkin.

Juanita and J.L. Pierce announce the marriage of their daughter, Rosa, to Ray Roberts of Amarillo. The ceremony was in Amarillo on April 5. Ray is the son of Wayne and Bridget Roberts, also of Amarillo.

Rosa is a student at Amarillo College and is employed at the Veteran's Hospital. She plans to become a R.N. Ray is a house painter. The couple make their home in the San Jacinto area of Amarillo.

Nowhere in Spearman is there a more beautiful sight (other than looking in the mirror) than those incredibly colorful irises in the yard of T.D. Sansing. Words are inadequate to describe them and any one not driving by to see them will miss a scene of beauty.

Mr. Sansing's guest the past week was his daughter, Tynelle Jordan. Tynelle had just returned from a trip to the Orient, including Thailand and Hong Kong. She and a friend are beginning a merchandise import business and they were on a buying trip. Tynelle has travel-



Mr. and Mrs. Russell Watson of Turpin, Okla. announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Kara Watson, to Micheal Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Farmer of Morse. The couple will be married Saturday, June 2 at 4:00 p.m. in the Turpin Baptist Church at Turpin, Okla.

#### neighbor cont.

ed world-wide and has been in the Orient previously. The Jordans live in a suburb of Houston.

Max and Dorothy Baggerly have returned from a week at their mountain lodge where they were resting and reliving the pleasant event of the previous weekend. In addition to enjoying Mother's Day with their children and families, they attended the Texas Tech graduation exercises, in Lubbock.

Marc Williamson, husband of their daughter, Camille, received his PhD degree. This was the result of many hours, days, weeks of commitment, of study, and driving for Marc who has been Assistant

Superintendent of schools at Hereford.

Steven Baggerly and family of Guymon, Karen and her family of Lubbock as well as Marc's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bob Williamson of San Marcos and other family members shared the pleasure of the occasion.

In addition to these activities little Kristen Williamson was a contestant in a piano tournament, which she won.

Dr. Marc and Carnille Williamson with daughter Kristen and son Mathew will be moving to Longview where he has accepted a position as Superintendent of schools.

## Daniels honored at reception

The family of Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Daniel honored their parents with a retirement reception held at the Littlefield United Methodist Church in Littlefield, Texas.

An estimated 250 friends and relatives attended the event, including Allen and Alma Ricketts, Louis and Betty Lemons, John and Virginia Trindle and Verna Gail Keim, all of Spearman.

A specially decorated cake and hors d'oeuvres ranging from stuffed mushrooms to layered Mexican dip; along with lemonade and coffee, were served amidst decorations of red, purple and yellow helium balloons which accented a "living museum" containing photographs and memorabilia from the Daniels' 40 years of ministry. As their gift to their parents, the couple's children presented two scrapbooks, containing over 100 letters from friends and relatives. The Daniels

also received letters from each church they have served.

Six daughters performed a medley of songs which held special meaning to their family over the years. They included the only song their "tone-deaf" father ever taught them, called "Oh the Coffee In The Navy," along with songs they performed as children at church specials.

Family members attending included the Lemons of Washington, D.C.; Debi and Craig Bryant of Dallas; Lyn and Joey Woolley, Megan and Brady of Spearman; Beckee and Reagan Baker, Kiki, Lacie and Lance of Spearman; Kim and Halden Messamore, Andy and Jay of Sudan, Texas; and Buzz Daniel of Lubbock.

Rev. and Mrs. Daniels' new address is 523 Sandy Creek Rd., Breckenridge, TX 76024.

Rev. Daniel is scheduled to preach his final sermon as a pastor on Sunday morning, May 27.

## TOPS Club meets

The Spearman Chapter of TOPS met Thursday evening at 6:30 in the office located at 720 S. Roland. Janice Fulce, assistant leader, called the meeting to order and led the group in the TOPS Pledge. Roll call was answered with each member giving progress reports for the past week. Fulce shared an informative program on all the "hidden" exercise done each day in performing household chores. She told of ways to add exercise by

making small changes in certain areas of living. Nordeen Cochran reported that the club had a net loss of 11½ pounds last week. The meeting closed with the TOPS prayer.

TOPS stands for Taking Off Pounds Sensibly, and anyone who would like to join a support group to aid in weight loss and/or control is encouraged to attend meetings each Thursday evening at 6:30 at 720 S. Roland.

Just so you'll know . . .

## Kids' & Lady Stuff Fair

719 W. 7th Spearman

will be closed Monday, May 28 and Tuesday, May 29.

We will be open for business Wednesday, May 30

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere thanks for the many favors shown us during the illness and death of my sister, Clara Hull.

I am very appreciative of the kind care given her by the nurses and aides at the Manor.

I am also very grateful for the bountiful amount of food served by our friends and neighbors.

May God Bless You All,  
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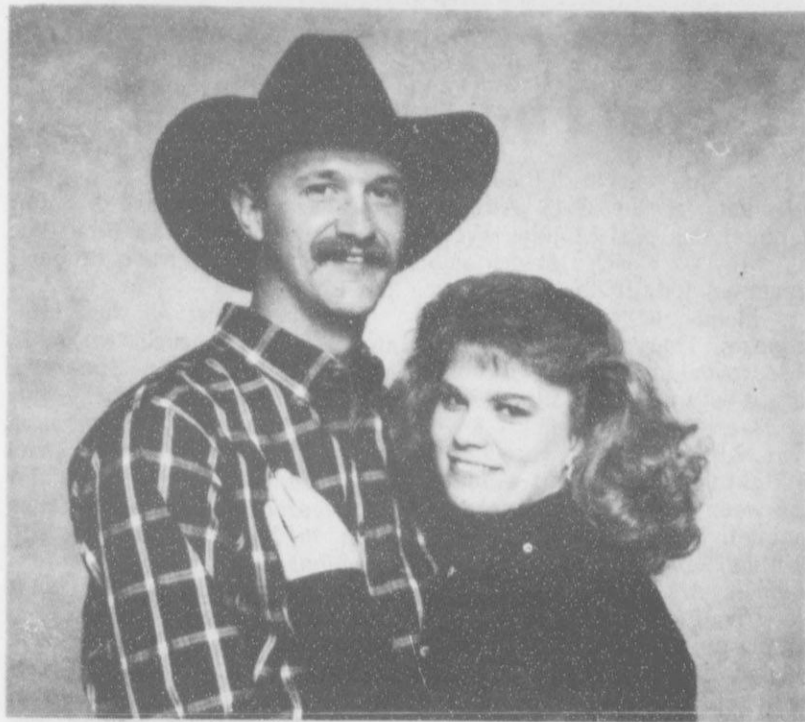
Todd Guthrie

Saturday, May 26, 1990

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

in the home of Linda Jarvis

Given by hostesses



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cator of Gruver announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Davonna Ann, to Martin Arthur Daharsh of Hugoton, Kan. Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Daharsh of Hugoton. The couple will exchange vows August 10 at the Gruver United Methodist Church.

## Club News

### FLAME FELLOWSHIP

The Top-of-Texas Flame Fellowship Chapter will hold its monthly meeting on Friday, June 1. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Jean Warner of Mesquite, Texas, the current Texas State Overseer of Flame Fellowship. A gifted speaker, Warner is a wife, mother and homemaker who is most often described as "a woman of God, used by God."

Warner has written "Sowing in Tears, Reaping in Joy," describing "how God has helped her overcome many obstacles." She expresses a desire to "see all women walk in total victory in every area of their life." She ministers to women's groups, churches, seminars and conventions across the country.

All women of Spearman and the surrounding area are invited to come hear Mrs. Warner speak. Flame Fellowship meets at the Homemakers Demonstration Building at 305 N. Bernice starting at 7:00 p.m. Flame Fellowship is a nondenominational organization and all are invited to attend.

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### Dahlia Flower Club

Sada Hoskins was hostess to the Dahlia Flower Club Monday, May 21. Marjorie Curtis conducted the business meeting and brought the food health tips. A special thank you card was read from John and Sammie Bishop.

Roll Call was answered with "my favorite flower." The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

The first place arrangement of varicolored Iris was brought by Ethel Ellsworth. First place purple Iris specimen was shown by Cleo Denman.

Refreshment plates were served to the following members: Marjorie Curtis, Mabel Edwards, Cleo

Denman, Ethel Ellsworth, Hollie Riley, Wanda Smith, Karen Babbitzke, Louise Archer, Sara Dossett, Jewel Turner, Ruth Mary Whitson, and the hostess Sada Hoskins.

The next meeting, June 4, will be with Marjorie Curtis.

### RAINBOWS & RANGLERS

Eight squares danced to the calls of Murry Beasley Thursday night in the county barn.

Visitors included Cecil and Maudie Stewart from Elkhart, Kan.; Don and Carol Gillaspie from Liberal, Kan.; C.A. and Wilda Brown and Shorty and Leola Albert from Fritch; Ross and Robba Bryan, Scot Dahl and Gayley and Anita Miller from Guymon, Okla.; and Vick and Kay Whaley from Goodwell, Okla.

Others were Harry and Mary Reynolds and Bob and Lural Enns from Dalhart; Ray and Wilma Pershell, Joe and Kathy Irwen, and Garland and Ginger Smith from Dumas; Kenny and Carolyn Limbocker, Ed and Lois Merydith, Glenda Bryant, Gennie Pilcher, Raymond and Susan Hessel, James and Norma Burris, Jack Clarke, Howard and Nancy Barkley, June Kindy, and Tommy and Imogene Williams from Booker; A.G. and Charlene Sherwood and Gib Gibbons from Borger.

Members present were Joe and Wanda Archer, Danny and Debbie Herrington, Alvin Byers, Donald Newman, Johnny and Virginia White, Tommie Anderson, Janet Broxson, Gwen Shuler, Benny and Joyce Byers, Sonny and Marlane Nollner, Carol Short and Worley Smith.

### Birth Announcement

Randy and Deatta Sparks of Gruver announce the birth of a son Saturday, May 5 in Memorial Hospital of Guymon, Okla.

He weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces and 20 1/4 inches long at birth. His parents have named him Dalton Lavoe.

Maternal grandparents are Don and Francis Pond of Venita, Okla. Maternal great-grandparents are Sylvia Wilcox of Venita, Okla. and O.A. and Opal Scroggs of Spearman.

Paternal grandparents are Lavoe Sparks of Gruver and Patty Myer of Houston.

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HOW TO TIE-DYE THE SIMPLE WAY  
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Last day to sign up will be June 4. Call Gyene at:

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## On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson

The month of May, in which we honor mothers, is fast coming to an end and soon we will begin the month for honoring fathers. All this wouldn't be possible if it wasn't for a certain commodity called "kids."

Kids are great! Grandkids are great! Someday, I plan on writing a book on all the cute things they say and do. Come to find out, someone beat me to it. However, some of the teachers, parents, etc. are keeping records of how some of the newest generation is impressed by certain subjects. Take the subject of weather, for instance.

These are true quotes from the children in the classroom of an elementary school teacher in St. Louis, Mo.

"When lightning goes through the air, clouds start making sounds. So would anybody."

"Water vapor gets huddled and snuggled together in a cloud. When it is big enough to be called a drop, it does."

"The water cycle is a cycle made out of water that you can pedal along on. I don't believe it has been invented yet."

"A blizzard is when it snows sideways."

"Listening to meteorologists is one of the chief by-products of bad weather."

"Meteorologists look something like people."

I'll save the rest of the quotes for next weeks paper. If any of you have any cute sayings or stories of kids, send them in and let all of us enjoy them. I always forgot everything mine said and did unless it was not worth mentioning or I didn't want anyone to know. Most of the time, someone else already knew it before I did.

Our community is rejoicing that some of our ill are receiving good news. Pat Irwin has been able to return home after surgery. Debbie Chisum continues chemotherapy but spent several days in the Perryton hospital with back problems. Charley Casdorff will begin chemotherapy soon. Troy and Jennifer Morris have been in Perryton to be with his Dad who is having some health problems. Lucy and Frank Pittman travelled to Altus, Okla. to spend some time with her mother, Leatha Norman, who has suffered a debilitating stroke.

Some of the recent visitors in Gruver were Joel and Adeline Wheeler, who were guests of Vivian Green. They are from Albuquerque. Glenda and Kale Steed of Canadian visited Hugh and Marie Bell. Flavil and Josephine Ayers had the Vance Ayers of El Reno, Okla. visit them as part of their travels. Vance is Flavil's brother and Aleta Mae is Josephine's first cousin. Dinner guests Sunday included Shirley and Kisaundra Nesbitt of Borger. Shirley is the daughter of the Flavil Ayers and Kisaundra is their granddaughter.

Parents of Danny and Harietta Carthel spent the weekend here in

Gruver to attend the Lions Club Jr. Olympics and watch grandchildren Kade and Kiki participate in the track events. The Carthels are from Friona and the Duane Capps are from Vernon.

Sunday visitors in Gruver were Mr. and Mrs. Alden Vann of Goodwell. He works with the Church of Christ Bible Chair at Panhandle State University.

Ruby McCullough visited in the home of her daughter Nancy Babbs and family. Danielle George was a guest of Amy Mounts, and Patrick Wyrick was guest of the Wayne Flemings. Lou and Wayne Garrett's children, Jill and Doug were here from Lubbock.

Dusty Cotter from Texas A&M will spend a few days before reporting back to work at College Station. Also Billy Kelly, Jr. had few days to spend with his parents before leaving for Austin this morning. Ron Green was called back to Abilene to report for his new job there. It was nice having some of our college kids here for a short time. Others will be popping in for short visits.

Our two week-old grandson paid his first visit to the Henderson farm this past weekend. Dustin wasn't too impressed with the fact of a new litter of baby pigs or that the baby chickens were here to welcome him, but maybe in a couple of years, he will show more interest.

Those continuing to have problems health-wise are Elsie Mae Peddy, Corlie Knight and Don Hartranft. Marlene Terry is suffering from back problems. Be sure to remember these friends with a card or friendly visit when you can.

Sanna Sinisalo, Gruver High School's foreign exchange student from Finland, will have two very special guests attending her graduation. Sanna's host parents, Lonnie and Linda Hiller were making plans to go to Amarillo last Monday to pick up Sanna's sister Miina and her friend Heli Siukonen, who are flying in from Sturku, Finland.

Their plans for the Memorial Day weekend include a trip to Red River, N.M. They will attend the GHS graduation ceremonies June 1, and also have plans to attend a youth retreat in Dallas with a group from the First Baptist Church. The visitors from Finland will fly out from Dallas on June 5.

Gruver  
Fire Department  
will hold a  
Rabies Vaccination  
Saturday, May 26 at  
Gruver Fire Station  
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Vaccinations by:  
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## Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has filed an application with the Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas to add a new optional service for business customers called Departmentalized Customer Billing Reports. The proposed effective date for this service is June 25, 1990.

Departmentalized Customer Billing Reports will enable the business customer to facilitate rapid verification and approval of complex bills. These detailed Departmentalized Customer Billing Reports will show charges specifically related to each customer-specified name or identifier on a separate, easily identifiable report page. Business customers may choose from seven different formats for the reports. Departmentalized Customer Billing Reports are designed to serve as a categorized supplement to the business customer's regular bill, and are in addition to the customer's regular bill.

There will be a \$20.00 monthly charge for this service. In addition, a charge ranging from \$10.00 to \$50.00 per month will also apply for each of the seven supplemental reports. A \$1.00 non-recurring charge, per billing number, will apply to establish the service.

Departmentalized Customer Billing Reports have been forecasted to generate first-year revenues of \$848,812.

Persons who wish to comment on this application should notify the Commission by June 15, 1990. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 450-0227, or (512) 450-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

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## Bridal shower given

A miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Shiloh Parrish was held at the Randy Brown home Saturday, May 19. Guests called between the hours of 3 and 4 p.m.

The hostesses presented daisy corsages to Shiloh, bride of Charlie Parrish; Shiloh's mother, Judy Finney of Happy, Texas; and grandmothers, Paula Kizziar of Gruver, Janis Bartley of Enid, Okla. and Patricia Finney of Garden City, Kan.

Dainty white roses decorated the cake squares and mints which were served with punch, coffee and mixed nuts. The refreshments were served from a table covered with a white lace cloth. An arrangement of spring silk flowers served as the centerpiece. Cut glass, china and silver appointments completed the table setting. Janelle Haefner, friend of the bride, served the refreshments.

Out-of-town guests for the occasion were Charlotte Gilbreath, Amarillo; Sandra Kizziar, Dalhart; Marsha Bartley, Oklahoma City; Shelly Finney, Spearman; Carla Kizziar, Dumas; and Patsy Kay Huff, Happy.

Hostesses for the shower were Diane Brown, Geneva Eddleman, Linda Venneman, Kathy Logsdon, Phyllis Haefner, Judy Virden, Deidra Deakin, Betty Roberts, Linda Haight, Debby Odum, Marguerite Nelson, LaNetta Shapley, Rita Williams, Juanita Logsdon, Pat Barkley, Pat Irwin, Tammy Red, Kathy Turner, Wanda Wagner, Hershey Turner, Nelle Evans, Marsha Lowe, Norma Red, Carolyn Hicks, Georgia Davidson, Jennifer Fletcher, Lynn Martin, Jodi Martin, Charlotte Bergin, Sharon Seagler, Darlene Hoel, Cathy Potts and Marian Tomlinson.

## Top students honored

by Bob Bort

The Academic Awards Program for Gruver High School, 1990 version, was held Tuesday, May 22, in the Sanctuary of the Methodist Church of Gruver. Master of Ceremonies was GHS Principal Barry Haenisch.

The program started off with the naming of, and presenting of awards to, the new members of the National Honor Society. Russ Royval, Kelly McCloy, Kyle Irwin and Jennifer Hart spoke on the ideals of education and the acquiring of knowledge, then the new members were acknowledged.

Shelley Stedje, Clint Venneman, Lacey Gresham, Sanna Sinisalo, Amanda Hiller, Chris Kauffman, Patricia Moreno, Dan McCloy, Luke Miller, Kenny Slough, Trent Seagler, Marty McCloy, Garrett Gumfory, Matthew Hoel, and Benny McClenagan were the new members.

The next part of the program was the presenting of the achievement awards by the instructors of each of the various academic departments.

Recognized by Mrs. Pat Burnam was the Odyssey of the Mind team, in both Geographic and Omnitronic Humor. Mr. and Mrs. Rick Barkley (geographic) and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts (omnitronic humor) were

also recognized as sponsors.

Barry Haenisch then recognized an all-state academic team nomination - Commended Scholar Brent Stedje.

Then, Mrs. Cathy Potts recognized the eight Presidential Academic Fitness Award recipients, Lacey Gresham, Debbie Hathaway, Kelly McCloy, Theron Park, Vance Scarborough, Joe Sotelo, Brent Stedje and Manda Winger. Mrs. Potts then recognized the two Extraordinary Effort Academic Award winners, Adrian Garza and Tina Cator DeLuna. Also recognized by Mrs. Potts were the two Army Scholar Athletes, Kelly McCloy and Theron Park.

Honor Graduates at GHS are Sanna Sinisalo, Debbie Hathaway, Brent Stedje, Vance Scarborough, Kyle Irwin, Joe Sotelo, Manda Winger, Clint Venneman, Shelley Stedje, Lacey Gresham, Russ Royval, Salutatorian Theron Park and Valedictorian Kelly McCloy.

Academic achievement award recipients were:

English 1, Traci Crawford; English 2, Luke Miller; English 3, Jennifer Terry; English 4, Kelly McCloy; Correlated Language 1, Angela Sistrunk; Correlated Language 2, Max Davis; Cor-

See awards page 12

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# Mini-Olympians run

by Bob Bort

Once again, the Gruver Lions Club and Wes Maupin were in charge of the Gruver Junior Olympics for students in Kindergarten through 6th grade.

Following are the results of the May 19 event.

## KINDERGARTEN GIRLS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Dallas Robinson, 9.26; 2. Sarah Miser, 9.46; 3. Judy Luciano, 9.48; 4. Ethel Flores, 10.09; 5. Brittany Morris, 10.50.

**Softball Throw-1.** Myra Jacquez, 23-10; 2. Kaylee Holt, 19-5; 3. Jacinda Jo Perez, 17-0; 4. Lauren Hoel, 16-4; 5. Sarah Miser, 16-1; 6. Dallas Robinson, 15-2.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Jennifer Renteria, 46½; 2. Lauren Hoel, 46½; 3. Kaylee Holt, 45; 4. Elizabeth O'Connell, 45; 5. Judy Luciano, 44½; 6. Bethany Yanke, 44½.

## KINDERGARTEN BOYS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Greg Banks, 9.11; 2. Kade Carthel, 9.20; 3. Nathan Watkins, 9.70; 4. Zachery Christian, 9.99; 5. Josh Harris, 10.61; 6. Joshua Nash, 11.51.

**Softball Throw-1.** Kade Carthel, 53-5; 2. Greg Banks, 39-8; 3. Zachery Christian, 32-11; 4. Dustin Red, 25-8; 5. Joshua Nash, 25-0; 6. Jamie Lopez, 17-9.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Kade Carthel, 59; 2. Greg Banks, 51; 3. Zachery Christian, 49; 4. Nathan Watkins, 46; 5. Joshua Nash, 45½; 6. Jamie Lopez, 45.

## 1ST GRADE GIRLS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Kallie Cluck, 8.22; 2. Miranda Thoreson, 8.30; 3. Sarmmie Stavlo, 8.49; 4. Natalie Steele, 8.82; 5. Tessa Yanke, 8.77; 6. Suguey Flores, 8.98.

**100 Meter Dash-1.** Kallie Cluck, 17.78; 2. Miranda Thoreson, 18.84; 3. Sarmmie Stavlo, 18.85; 4. Tessa Yanke, 19.34; 5. Suguey Flores, 19.37; 6. Sophia Flores, 20.11.

**Softball Throw-1.** Natalie Steele, 40-3; 2. Brooke Salmans, 32-6; 3. Latisha Nichols, 29-11; 4. Cecilia Favela, 29-1; 5. Julie Dahl, 28-6; 6. DeAnna Johnson, 27-2.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Sarmmie Stavlo, 63; 2. Kallie Cluck, 59½; 3. Miranda Thoreson, 58½; 4. Tessa Yanke, 58; 5. Natalie Steele, 57½; 6. Julie Dahl, 57.

## 1ST GRADE BOYS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Kirby Johnson, 8.46; 2. Brady Hart, 8.68; 3. Keith Grubbs, 8.72; 4. Chase Lamb, 8.92; 5. Manuel Luciano, 9.32; 6. Brad Holt, 9.61.

**100 Meter Dash-1.** Kirby Johnson, 17.82; 2. Keith Grubbs, 17.94; 3. Chase Lamb, 18.59; 4. Troy Miller, 19.51; 5. Brad Holt, 19.52; 6. Manuel

Luciano, 19.67.

**Softball Throw-1.** Kirby Johnson, 58-5; 2. Jeremy Tunnell, 55-10; 3. Chad TeBeest, 51-7; 4. Brady Hart, 46-8; 5. Chase Lamb, 46-4; 6. Manuel Luciano, 45-0.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Kirby Johnson, 61½; 2. Chad TeBeest, 58; 3. Keith Grubbs, 56½; 4. Manuel Luciano, 56; 5. Brady Hart, 55; 6. Troy Miller, 55.

## 2ND GRADE GIRLS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Krystle Deeds, 8.29; 2. Mary Puebla, 8.30; 3. Lindy Tolleson, 8.31; 4. Randi Atwood, 8.54; 5. Lindsay Barkley, 8.83; 6. Leah Shults, 8.84; 7. Esmeralda Bravo, 9.04.

**100 Meter Dash-1.** Randi Atwood, 17.77; 2. Krystle Deeds, 17.85; 3. Lindsay Barkley, 18.06; 4. Lindy Tolleson, 18.12; 5. Leah Shults, 18.53.

**Softball Throw-1.** Krystle Deeds, 63-3; 2. Lindsay Barkley, 48-5; 3. Leah Shults, 46-2; 4. Esmeralda Bravo, 41-7; 5. Dusty Eckhardt, 41-3; 6. Becky Cassidy, 37-10.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Randi Atwood, 66½; 2. Lindsay Barkley, 66; 3. Krystle Deeds, 63; 4. Becky Cassidy, 60; 5. Loree Viola, 59; 6. Lindy Tolleson, 57½.

## 2ND GRADE BOYS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Jared Christian, 7.78; 2. Dallas Henson, 7.79; 3. Bray Armes, 7.80; 4. Johnathan Walters, 8.08; 5. Derik Grotegut, 8.36; 6. Dan Odom, 8.66.

**100 Meter Dash-1.** Jared Christian, 16.72; 2. Bray Armes, 16.81; 3. Johnathan Walters, 16.84; 4. Dallas Henson, 16.88; 5. Colby Hunt, 18.22; 6. Derik Grotegut, 18.31.

**Softball Throw-1.** Bray Armes, 88-7; 2. Kyler Barkley, 76-3; 3. Jesus Rodriguez, 70-1; 4. Donovan Karlin, 69-0; 5. Joshua Blount, 68-3; 6. Dan Odom, 65-10.

**Standing Broad Jump-1.** Jared Christian, 69½; 2. Bray Armes, 67½; 3. Dallas Henson, 63½; 4. Dan Odom, 63; 5. Jeremy Harris, 61½; 6. Colby Hunt, 60.

## 3RD GRADE GIRLS

**50 Meter Dash-1.** Jessica Favela, 7.84; 2. Kadie Grotegut, 7.90; 3. Jennifer Dahl, 7.91; 4. Missy Johnson, 8.67; 5. Autumn Gruver, 8.68; 6. Bobbie Kay Christian, 8.91.

**100 Meter Dash-1.** Jessica Favela, 16.35; 2. Kadie Grotegut, 16.77; 3. Jennifer Dahl, 17.12; 4. Amanda Walters, 18.68; 5. Missy Johnson, 18.69; 6. Bobbi Kay Christian, 18.82.

To be continued next week

# For The Short Of It

by Bob Bort

Congratulations to all the award recipients at the GHS Athletic Banquet this past Monday evening, May 14. Coach David Steele presented four football awards - one plaque with Justin Armes (offense), Theron Park (defense), Russ Royval (all-around); and one plaque with the Bob Bailey Fighting Heart Award Winner - Kyle Irwin. All four players were listed as Fighting Heart Award winners last week in the article on the banquet, but there was only one Fighting Heart winner, and 3 Football Achievement winners.

We strive for accuracy! Congratulations also to Troy Seagler, Theron Park and Brandy Shelton. They made the **Globe-News Area Track Honor Roll** for 1990. Seagler was 5th in the high jump, and Park was tied for 6th in the same event. Shelton was 2nd by 1/10th of a second in the 800 meter run, and 7th in the 400 meter run.

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Last week, I mentioned Mother Teresa, who spent her lifetime caring for the poorest of the poor, as a good role model. Sammy Davis Jr. is another example of someone who used his talents to give to others. (How about a writer who compares Mother Teresa of Calcutta and Sammy Davis, Jr.!!) Davis struggled to defeat throat cancer, but lost his battle. Having travelled in such places as Thailand, Hong Kong and Sicily, and having seen how the "other half" lives, sometimes I have noted with dismay here in Gruver and Spearman - those who use their lives to create wealth, and give little or nothing back to society. We live more and more in a consumer society here, and there is so much to learn from the sufferings of others, that is never learned. That is what I meant last week when I mentioned that Mother Teresa, who now suffers from severe heart problems, has come to terms with suffering. It should be a requirement that all Americans travel during their lifetimes, to see how much they owe society for their good fortune.

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Well, since I seem to be using this column to clarify what was printed in last week's newspaper, I might as well go back two weeks also. The debate I raised then is whether Gruver is in a "wealthy" or a "poor" school district.

Since I wanted to know for sure, I contacted my brother Art at the Amarillo Public Library, and he contacted three sources for information on this education bill flap: State Senator Teel Bivens' office; Fred A. Snyder, member Amarillo College Board of Regents; and Dwain Walker, assistant superintendent for business, Amarillo Independent School District.

Snyder said the rating is based on "per student assessed valuation of real estate/property," and Walker stated that it is the "wealth per student in average daily attendance." According to Senator Bivens' office, after looking it up, they report that Gruver

is in the "high end of poor-to-average." This is based on information from the Texas Education Agency and Texas State Property Tax Board.

After reviewing all this information (plus the article two weeks ago by Larry Butler, Spearman superintendent), I suspect this whole education issue is confusing not only to me, but even to some of our legislators. It is no wonder the governor and the state house seem to be going in opposite directions....

My point then, and my point now, is that we must find a way to improve the quality of primary level education here in the U.S. If that means raising taxes, then so be it. We are far behind the Japanese and the West Germans, for example, in the critical fields of science and math, and there is no real improvements to be seen on the horizon. We should fund education first, as the children are our future, and cease playing the game of politics, as it is being played now in the state of Texas. That is my view.

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You might say writing is in our family. My older brother Art, who works at the Amarillo Public Library, has done quite a bit of writing, including publishing the newsletter of the European Language and Culture Club. My younger brother Steve, who lives and works in Denver, is taking a course in writing, is writing for the company newspaper, and has written several good essays that may be published. And my younger sister, Anne, who is married to a Navy man and is stationed in Guam, started before any of us. She has written many songs, some of which have been recorded, and is now taking a correspondence course in writing. She plays the piano quite well. I wish them the best of luck in their writing - it takes the pressure off me! All four of us are GHS graduates.

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The Gruver boys golf team finished 8th at state, but it was a great year, and an unexpected trip to Austin. Chad Brown and Kevin Babbs will be back next year, and Luke Miller, who played singles this year, will also be back. As I understand it, there are some excellent golfers in the 7th grade, so two years from now (and maybe next year, too, if they can come up with another golfer or two), they may make another run at a trip to Austin. Kim Boone will have company next year, as I understand it - she may be joined in golf singles by Anissa Ryan, incoming freshman next year. The more success that Mike Banks and his golf program have, the more interest that will be shown by the students, and the more the program will grow.

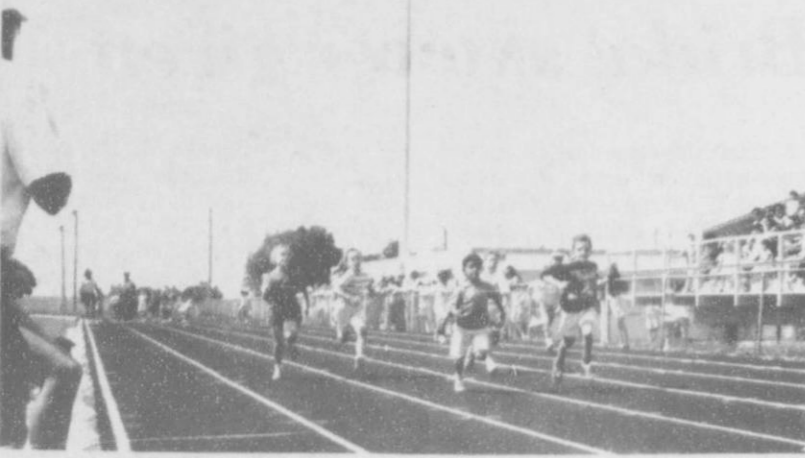
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Boys dash for the finish line at the Gruver Lion's Club Track Meet, held at the GISD stadium.

## Awards from page 11

related Language 3, Mitch Meier; Correlated Language 4, Jeffrey Hand; Consumer Math, Ramon Ortega, Pre Algebra, Isaul Cruz; Informal Geometry, Lee Bort; Geometry, Katie Williams; Algebra 1, Sharlet Slough; Algebra 2, Luke Miller; Trigonometry, Theron Park; Elementary Analysis, Kyle Irwin; Introduction to Biology, Ana Ortega; Biology, Luke Miller; Physical Science, Cody Barkley; Chemistry, Christopher Kauffman; and Laboratory Management, Manda Winger.

Other award recipients included Computer Science, Gretchen Lowder; World Geography, Luke Miller; World History, Katie Williams; American History, Cody Barkley; Government, Kyle Irwin; Free Enterprise, Kelly McCloy; Sociology, Debbie Hathaway; Environmental Science, Benny McClenagan; Speech, Cynthia Winn; Drama, Lacey Gresham; Spanish

1, Luke Miller; Spanish 2, Elda Pando; Spanish 3, Ana Ortega; Typing, Luke Miller; Accounting, Christopher Kauffman; Drivers Education, Kenny Slough; Physical Education, Katie Williams; Health, Trent Seagler; Vocational Homemaking 1, Traci Crawford; Foods and Nutrition, Matthew Hoel; Apparel, Shelley Stedje; Home Management, Amy Mounts; Child Development, Felipe Dominguez; and Ag Metal Fabrication Technology, Jeffrey Hand.

Other academic achievers were Power Technology, Jeffrey Hand; Wildlife Recreation Management, Garrett Gurfory; Animal Science, Dan McCloy; Food Technology, Ashley Wagner; Introduction to Ag Mechanics, Kenny Slough; Animal-Plant Production, Lance Sparks; Agri Science 102, Sharlet Slough; Agri Science 101, Cody Barkley; and Environmental Technology, Kelly McCloy.

# Gruver Menu

GRUVER SCHOOL LUNCHROOM  
MAY 29 - MAY 31

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MEMORIAL DAY  
TUESDAY  
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FRUIT  
MILK  
THURSDAY

PEANUT BUTTER/JELLY SANDWICHES  
FRUIT  
COOKIES  
MILK  
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Cereal, Fruit Juice, Muffins, Milk  
TUESDAY  
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WEDNESDAY  
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Spearman Music Festival . . .

# Choral division results

The choral division of the Spearman Music Festival was held at the Spearman Elementary School Saturday, May 12. With 17 choirs and 12 schools participating, this was the largest choral competition since the festival began in 1979.

Area choral directors serving as adjudicators for the choir concert and sight-reading were Billy Talley, Tascosa High School, Amarillo; Gary Kesler, Dumas High School, Dumas; and Marcus Bradford, Randall High School, Amarillo. Judges for the solo/ensemble division of the festival were Rosemarie Scott, Borger; Luana Reed, Dumas; Lewis Unger, Amarillo; and Dr. Mark Stollings, Amarillo.

All participating choirs were judged in concert, and schools choosing to sight-read were adjudicated in this area as well. The following is a list of choirs and their ratings:

West Texas 5-A Choir	I
Spearman 5/6 Treble Choir	I/I
West Texas 5-B Choir	I
Spearman 7/8 Treble Choir	I/II
Valleyview 7 Treble Choir	I/II

Dumas 7 Treble Choir	II/III
Valleyview 7 Boys Choir	II/II
Hereford 7/8 Choir	III
Valleyview 8 Mixed Choir	I/I
Tulia 7/8 Mixed Choir	I
Canyon 6 Boys Choir	I/II
Perryton 6 Choir	I/I
Canyon 6 Girls Choir	I/II
West Texas 6 Mixed Choir	I/III
Canyon 7/8 Boys Choir	I/I
Borger 6 Choir	I/I
West Texas 7/8 Mixed Choir	I/I

Valleyview 8 Mixed Choir was named Outstanding Junior High Choir of the festival. Regi Fowler is Valleyview Junior High choir director. Named Outstanding Elementary Choir was Borger 6 Choir, under the direction of Roy Benson and Johnny Miller.

Lefors Junior High and Boys Ranch Junior High brought students to participate in the solo/ensemble division of the festival.

A number of Spearman students sang solos and ensembles. The results of these events will be released following the Music Achievement Banquet held Tuesday, May 22.



Members of the Spearman girls' golf team are decked out in their state tournament shirts painted by Donnita Lusby. Pictured left to right are Nancy Ivey, Sunshine Smith, Marci Womble, Monica Blackman and Cindy Melton.

# Female linksters fifth at state tournament

Spearman High School's girls golf team brought home a fifth place finish from the recent state tournament at Austin. The team finished just six strokes off of third, according to coach Jeff Rowland, and who added he was "real proud" of their performance.

Nancy Ivey, Marci Womble, Sunshine Smith, Cindy Melton and Monica Blackman finished the state tournament with a 772 total score. Their first-day total was 381, and their second-day total was 391, according to Rowland. He commented that the group's first-day score was the best of the year, and something they could be proud of.

Individual scores included a first-day 83 and a second-day 100 for Nancy Ivey, which Rowland described as "her best score of the year." He added that pressure was probably the cause of Ivey's higher score on the second day. "I think she probably felt some pressure because of her first day total, and then she went into the water early in the second day, which caused her to have to take some penalty strokes," he explained. Still, she came away with a two day total of 183 to lead the team.

Marci Womble "played consistently," said Rowland, explaining that she shot a 91 the first day and a 94 the second day for a total score of 185, just two strokes back

from Ivey's total. Sunshine Smith had her two best days of the year, according to Rowland, as she shot a first day 95 and a second day 94, for a 189 total.

Cindy Melton played well the second day for Spearman, with a 103 score. Her first day score was 112, which gave her a two day total of 215. Monica Blackman's score was 112 on the first day and 114 on the second day, for a total of 226.

"The girls had a good time and competed well," continued Rowland, "and I'm proud of them. They played at the Jimmy Clay Municipal Golf Course, which has a lot of sand, a lot of water and plenty of distance. They had never seen the course before, and the teams that placed above them had been there the past three or four years," he commented.

"I've been coaching for six years now, and have coached the golf team the past couple of years. I think this is probably the best team I've coached so far," he said.

Looking ahead to next year's program, Rowland projected, "We will graduate two team members this year, Nancy and Sunshine, but the others will be back, and we may have some good golfers come up into high school or move in from out of Spearman. So we'll just have to wait and see what happens. You never know."

# Elementary track results given

The Spearman Elementary Track Meet was held on Saturday, May 19 at the high school track. Boys and girls in grades one through six competed in various events. Those placing in the events were:

**1ST GRADE**  
**GIRLS-50 Meter Dash-1.** Stacy McLoud, 9.74; 2. Angela Pipkin, 9.94 3. Jenny Longoria, 10.02; 4. Ashley Bariera, 10.09; 5. Adrian Simpson, 10.22; 6. Adrienne Watts, 10.23.

**BOYS-50 Meter Dash-1.** Brandon Clyburn, 8.84; 2. Cory Snyder, 9.06; 3. Ty West, 9.07; 4. Timmy Bynum, 9.36; 5. Jacob Harbour, 9.38; 6. Dusty Vinson, 9.46.

**GIRLS-75 Meter Dash-1.** Chelsa Nollner, 13.52; 2. Danica Mahanay, 13.54; 3. Jenn Schnell, 13.81; 4. Julie Bravo, 14.19; 5. Miranda Fight, 14.29; 6. Nicole Lozano, 14.43.

**BOYS-75 Meter Dash-1.** Brandon Clyburn, 12.99; 2. Cory Snyder, 13.10; 3. Richard Varnon, 14.11; 4. Homer Munoz, 14.60; 5. David Holt, 14.93; 6. Ricky Salazar, 15.19.

**GIRLS-100 Meter Dash-1.** Danica Mahanay, 17.48; 2. Julie Bravo, 17.52; 3. Chelsa Nollner, 17.61; 4. Jenn Schnell, 17.96; 5. Stacy McLoud, 18.27; 6. Miranda Fight, 18.45.

**BOYS-100 Meter Dash-1.** Dib Kirk, 17.77; 2. Carry Cates, 18.41; 3. Dustin Beck, 19.19; 4. Homer Munoz, 19.58; 5. Kyle McLaughlin, 19.81; 6. Jordan Brockman, 21.36.

**GIRLS-Softball Throw-1.** Cruz Amaya, 48'6"; 2. Jennifer Whitefield, 46'10"; 3. Maranda Fight, 40'8"; 4. Cristy Alvarado, 38'11"; 5. Chelsea Nollner, 36'6"; 6. Sarah Goodson, 35'9".

**BOYS-Softball Throw-1.** Dustin Beck, 73'5"; 2. Dusty Vinson, 69'3"; 3. Richard Varnon, 67'10"; 4. Dib Kirk, 63'10"; 5. Brady Woolley, 61'4"; 6. Micah Edwards, 59'8".

**GIRLS-Standing Long Jump-1.** Danica Mahanay, 4'10"; 2. Kayla Taylor, 4'9"; 3. (tie) Julie Bravo and Jenn Schnell, 4'8"; 4. Chelsey Villines, 4'4"; 5. (tie) Angela Pipkin and Cristy Alvarado, 4'3".

**BOYS-Standing Long Jump-1.** Dustin Beck, 5'0"; 2. Dib Kirk, 4'10"; 3. (tie) Timmy Bynum, Cary Cates, Brandon Clyburn, Ty West, and Jarred Freeman, 4'8"; 4. (tie)

Travis Burgess, Clayton Vanderburg and Brady Woolley, 4'6"; 5. David Oakley, 4'5"; 6. (tie) Richard Varnon and Daniel Ellis, 4'4";.

**2ND GRADE**  
**GIRLS-50 Meter Dash-1.** Stephanie Bynum, 8.78; 2. Kathryn Murphy, 9.36; 3. Natasha Burch, 9.40; 4. Leslie Widener, 9.83; 5. Nancy Flores, 9.84; 6. Kristi Walls, 9.92.

**BOYS-50 Meter Dash-1.** Christopher Schmehr, 8.87; 2. Aaron Winegarner, 8.96; 3. Jeff Wyrick, 8.97; 4. Jeremy Mackie, 9.03; 5. Chris Paul, 9.04; 6. Kelsey Henton, 9.10.

**GIRLS-75 Meter Dash-1.** Audrea Sanders, 12.76; 2. Haley Beasley, 13.09; 3. Brooke Lesly, 13.15; 4. Amber Ramon, 13.36; 5. Erika Flores, 13.63; 6. Cindy Goodman, 13.64.

**BOYS-75 Meter Dash-1.** Jordan Brock, 12.49; 2. Ryan Gibbs, 12.76; 3. Dusty Barber, 12.81; 4. Aaron Winegarner, 12.90; 5. Danny Davilla, 13.18; 6. Kelsey Henton, 13.21.

To be continued next week

# School Menu

JR HIGH-ELEMENTARY MENU  
 MAY 29 - MAY 30

- MONDAY**  
 PIZZA  
 LETTUCE/TOMATO SALAD  
 PEA SALAD  
 CAKE  
 MILK
- TUESDAY**  
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# 4-H officers elected

The Hansford County 4-H clubs met this past week to have their end of year picnic and elect officers for 1990-91 4-H year. Summer activities were discussed and reminders will be sent out about these activities.

The Gruver 4-Her's elected the following officers:

- President: Ashley Wagner  
 1st Vice-Pres.: Rex Ralston  
 2nd Vice-Pres.: Holly Venneman  
 3rd Vice-Pres.: Dawn McCullough  
 Secretary: Jami Ralston  
 Treasurer: Jeryme Hunter  
 Reporter: Sharlet Slough

Parliamentarian: Kevin Spivey  
 Council Delegate: Kim Boone

4-H Club Managers elected by the 4-Hers were Kelly Armes and Joe T. Venneman.

The Spearman 4-Hers elected the following officers:

- President: Leslie Latta  
 1st Vice-Pres.: Dallas Trosper  
 2nd Vice-Pres.: Kevin Williams  
 3rd Vice-Pres.: Randie Renner

Secretary: Mary Cook  
 Treasurer: Mark Eakin  
 Reporter: Tommi Latta  
 Parliamentarian: Chris Brooks  
 Council Delegate: Sara Sanders

4-H Club Managers elected by the 4-Hers were Kim Vanderburg, Janet Trosper, Billy Brown and Gerald Ray Scribner.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will conduct a public meeting on Thursday June 14, 1990, at 1:00 p.m. The location of the meeting will be at the Hansford County Courthouse on Main Street in Spearman, Texas. The meeting is being held to afford the public the opportunity to discuss the proposed completion of F.M. 3214 from the south end to the intersection of County Road 165, approximately 6 miles north of S.H. 15.

The proposed project consists of building a new two lane Farm to Market Road across the new dam being completed by the Palo Duro River Authority. The proposed action will require the acquisition of approximately 92 acres of new right of way. Approximately 55 acres of this right of way is currently under the control of the Palo Duro River Authority. Preliminary plans showing the project location and geometric design will be available for review at the meeting.

All interested citizens are invited to attend the public meeting. Verbal and written comments from the public regarding the project are requested. Comments may be presented either at the meeting or within ten days after the meeting. Written statements and other exhibits may be submitted to the District Office at 5715 Canyon Drive (P.O. Box 2708) Amarillo, Texas 79105. S30-1tp6.00



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## Obituaries

**Clyde Monroe Miller**  
OKLAHOMA CITY-Clyde Monroe Miller, 75, died Thursday, May 10.

Mr. Miller, the son of Jake and Mary Miller, was born in Zulu, Texas. He was a former resident of Morse. He worked for O'Bryan Brothers of Chicago for 30 years.

He was a hunter and a fisherman, and served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Marcella "Madge" Miller; a son, Peter M. Miller of Jones, Okla.; and a granddaughter, Delanie Miller of Jones, Okla.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, May 15 in Demuth Funeral Chapel with the Rev. John Corbin, pastor of Britton United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Resurrection Memorial Cemetery.

**Juanita Boxford**

Juanita Boxford, 68, died Tuesday, May 22.

Born in Gainesville, Ms. Boxford had lived in Spearman since 1948. She worked many years as a lab technician and a dental assistant for Dr. F.J. Daly and Dr. Earl Novak. She was a member of the First Christian Church and a charter member of the Spearman Rebekah Lodge. A grandson, Andy Lee James, preceded her in death in 1983.

Survivors include a daughter, Barbara James of Canadian; a son, James H. Maxwell of Enid, Okla.; a stepson, Don Boxford of Snohomish, Wash.; three sisters, Reba Phillips of Spearman, Alice

Faye Kittrell of Bowie and Laura P. Kirkland of Abilene; four brothers, Willard Smith of Houston, Judd E. Smith of Waukomis, Okla., V.L. Smith of Vidor and J.G. Smith of Alice; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, May 24 in First Christian Church with the Rev. LaVern Draper, pastor, officiating. Graveside services were conducted in Edith Ford Memorial Cemetery at Canadian with the Rev. Draper officiating. The family requests memorials be to Hansford Manor, 707 Roland, Spearman, TX 79081.

**Fred R. Cooper**

Fred R. Cooper, 76, died Sunday, May 20 in Borger.

Mr. Cooper was born in Ochiltree County. In 1916 his father, J.H. Cooper, purchased a ranch which is now Gruver's townsite; it was the first house in Gruver. He was a farmer and rancher. In 1939 he married Elva Monroe of Dalhart. He was a member of the Gruver Masonic Lodge No. 1326.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Carl R. Cooper of Guymon, Okla.; a daughter, Carolyn R. Erickson of Eaton, Colo.; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren;

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, May 22 in the Gruver Church of Christ with Harold Sneed, minister, and Elmer Adcock, a retired minister, officiating. Interment was in the Gruver Cemetery. The family requests memorials be to Hansford Manor.

## Hospice training

A 10 week training session for hospice volunteers will begin on Tuesday, May 29 at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Classes will be from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. each Tuesday. Tuition is \$20.00, and continuing Education Units will be awarded through Amarillo College.

Some Hansford County residents who will be attending include Jo Alice Clawson, Cindy Browning and Carolyn Hicks.

Following the lead of Dumas Memorial Hospital in furnishing further alternatives for the care of terminally ill persons, a much needed hospice volunteer group is being organized to serve the Hansford County Area. Many in this area have used the Hospice and Life Enrichment Center in Amarillo, and therefore hospice is viewed by most as "that building in Amarillo."

But, hospice is much more than a building where people are cared for. Hospice is a home based program, a concept of care, a philosophy of permitting a terminally ill person to spend their last days in their own home if they so choose, or in a hospice apartment in a hospital.

Dumas Memorial Hospital now has a licensed program, with a hospice apartment available in the hospital. In addition, the community has formed a volunteer hospice group, The Heart and Hands, who minister to those using this service.

It is their dream to establish satellite groups in surrounding communities in order to spread the outreach of this worthwhile service to others. Hansford County resident Jerry Womble of Morse serves on the Advisory Board (along with seven other members) of the Heart and Hands Hospice Volunteers.

Anyone wishing to attend the training session should call Carolyn Hicks at 733-2335. A car pool will be formed.



Children in Mrs. Brock's first grade reading class who read 26 books to be official members of the ABC Book Club are (standing, l-r) Desiree Wattier, Micah Edwards, Cory Schneider, Jacob Harbour, (sitting, l-r) Junior Moreno and David Holt.

## Oil & gas report

**Intentions to Drill**

**HANSFORD (WILDCAT)** Perry Exploration Co., #24-1 Brittany (640 ac) Sec. 24.1, WCRR, PD 7100'.

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT)** Marsh Operating Co., #4-14 Mathers (600 ac) Sec. 14.A-2, H&GN, PD 5000'.

**HUTCHINSON (WILDCAT)** Arrington C.J.M. Inc., #1 Spring Creek (1280 ac) Sec. 33.M-21, TCRR, PD 10000'.

**Application to Plug-Back**

**ROBERTS (LIPS CLEVELAND)** Hondo Oil & Gas Co., #11 Charles Lips 'K' (582 ac) Sec. 4, 44.T.E. White, PD 8697'.

**Oil Well Completions**

**OCHILTREE (KIOWA CREEK Marmaton)** Dyco Petroleum Corp., #1-912 Hurn, Sec. 912.43, H&TC, elev. 2852 kb, spud 4-2-90, drlg. compl 4-14-90, tested 5-1-90, pumped 60 bbl. of 44 grav. oil + 13 bbls. water, GOR 500, perforated 7456-7468, TD 9700', PBDT 8720'-- Plug-Back

**WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Granite Wash 'A')** Hardy Oil & Gas, USA, Inc., #3-3 Thomas, Sec. 3.5B&B, elev. 2439 gl. spud

1-1-90, drlg. compl 2-5-90, tested 5-1-90, flowed 53 bbl. of 60 grav. oil + 20 bbls. water thru 20' choke on 24 hour test, csg. pressure --#. tbg. pressure 340#, GOR 2264, perforated 12191-12246, TD 12510', PBDT 12384'--

**HANSFORD (HANSFORD Lower Morrow)** Strat Land Exploration, #2 Tucker Gas Unit, Sec. 7, 4-T, T&NO, elev. 3078 kb, spud 11-16-89, drlg. compl 11-29-89, tested 3-19-90, potential 3900 MCF, rock pressure 547, pay 7861-7878, TD 8005', PBDT 7944'--

**LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT) H & L Operating Co., #1-127 Larkey Unit, Sec. 127.OS-2, Larkey Survey, elev. 2509 rkb, spud 1-30-90, drlg. compl 2-15-90, tested 4-5-90, potential 39000 MCF, rock pressure 2429, pay 8450-8468, TD 8900', PBDT 8805'--**

**LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT) Princess Three Corp., #1 Hostutler, Sec. 518.43, H&TC, elev. 2491 rkb, spud 1-23-90, drlg. compl 2-12-90, tested 4-10-90, potential 197 MCF, rock pressure 1568, pay 7980-8006, TD 9500', PBDT 9500'--**

**Landfill from page 1**

regulations must be followed for the life of the landfill plus 30 years after it is closed. In addition a \$1 million bond must be put up by the operator of the landfill to pay for any clean up costs.

National is expected to comply with all the requirements and post the bond for the Booker landfill.

Stating their opposition to the proposal were members of Citizens Opposed to Pollution (COP). The lawyer for the group, Charles Cassie of Canadian, questioned the contract between National and the City of Booker. "A contract is only as good as the parties involved," said Cassie. He pointed out that the contract did not specify that National would use the composting method to recycle the waste entering the landfill. Also he said that Booker should make a more thorough investigation into the

**Dual Completion**  
**LIPSCOMB (COTTON Upper Morrow)** Arco Oil & Gas Co., #5 Sim Paine, Sec. 943.43, H&TC, elev. 2766 gr. spud 1-30-90, drlg. compl 2-18-90, tested 4-11-90, potential 520 MCF, rock pressure 87.6, pay 8756-8776, TD 8900', PBDT 8885'--

**LIPSCOMB (TROSPER Atoka)** Princess Three Corp., #1 'Hostutler, Sec. 518.43, H&TC, elev. 2491 rkb, spud 1-23-90, drlg. compl 2-12-90, tested 4-10-90, potential 510 MCF, rock pressure 3042, pay 9298-9313, TD 9500', PBDT 9500'-- Dual Completion.

**MOORE (WEST PANHANDLE)** Phillips Petroleum Co., #3 Shellberg, Sec. 110.3-T, T&NO, elev. 3475 rkb, spud 8-26-89, drlg. compl 9-6-89, tested 12-28-89, potential 2500 MCF, rock pressure 185.5, pay 3050-3274, TD 3400', PBDT 3348'--

**Plugged Wells**  
**LIPSCOMB (KIOWA CREEK Douglas)** Kerr-McGee Corp., #2 Gray, Sec. 853.43, H&TC, spud 5-1-63, plugged 3-27-90, TD 5826' (gas)--Form 1 filed in Patrick J. O'Hornett

financial base and track record of National before entering into a contract with the company.

David Laurie, agricultural teacher in the Booker school system, said the soil at the proposed landfill site was not suitable to seal the bottom of the pits. "The soil is Darrouzett silty loam and will allow liquids from the landfill to infiltrate the Ogallala aquifer," he commented.

David Sell, a Lipscomb county farmer, reiterated the soil problem and quoted a report which cited that 70 percent of all landfills leak. "We are playing Russian roulette with this proposed landfill," said Sell.

Jewell Squires was concerned about clean up costs and felt the \$1 million bond was inadequate. "In California it costs \$400 per square foot to clean up contaminated soil. That works out to over \$17.4 million per acre," he said.

Jerry Cartwright called on all those attending the meeting to "vote with their pocketbooks" and boycott the businesses in Booker until the waste plant proposal was dropped.

Booker mayor, Ralph Maxfield, said the city council would investigate the areas questioned by the members of COP, and action would be taken on the proposal at a later date.



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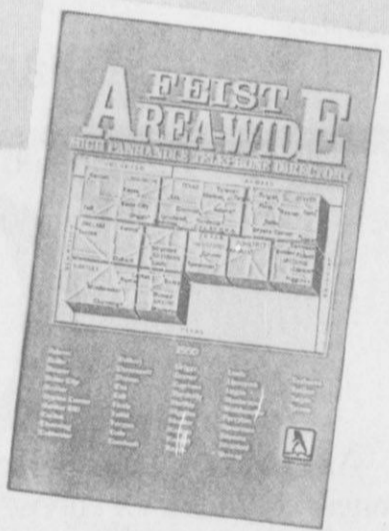
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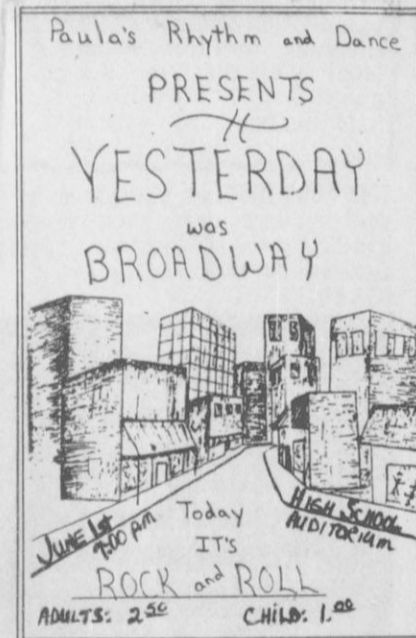
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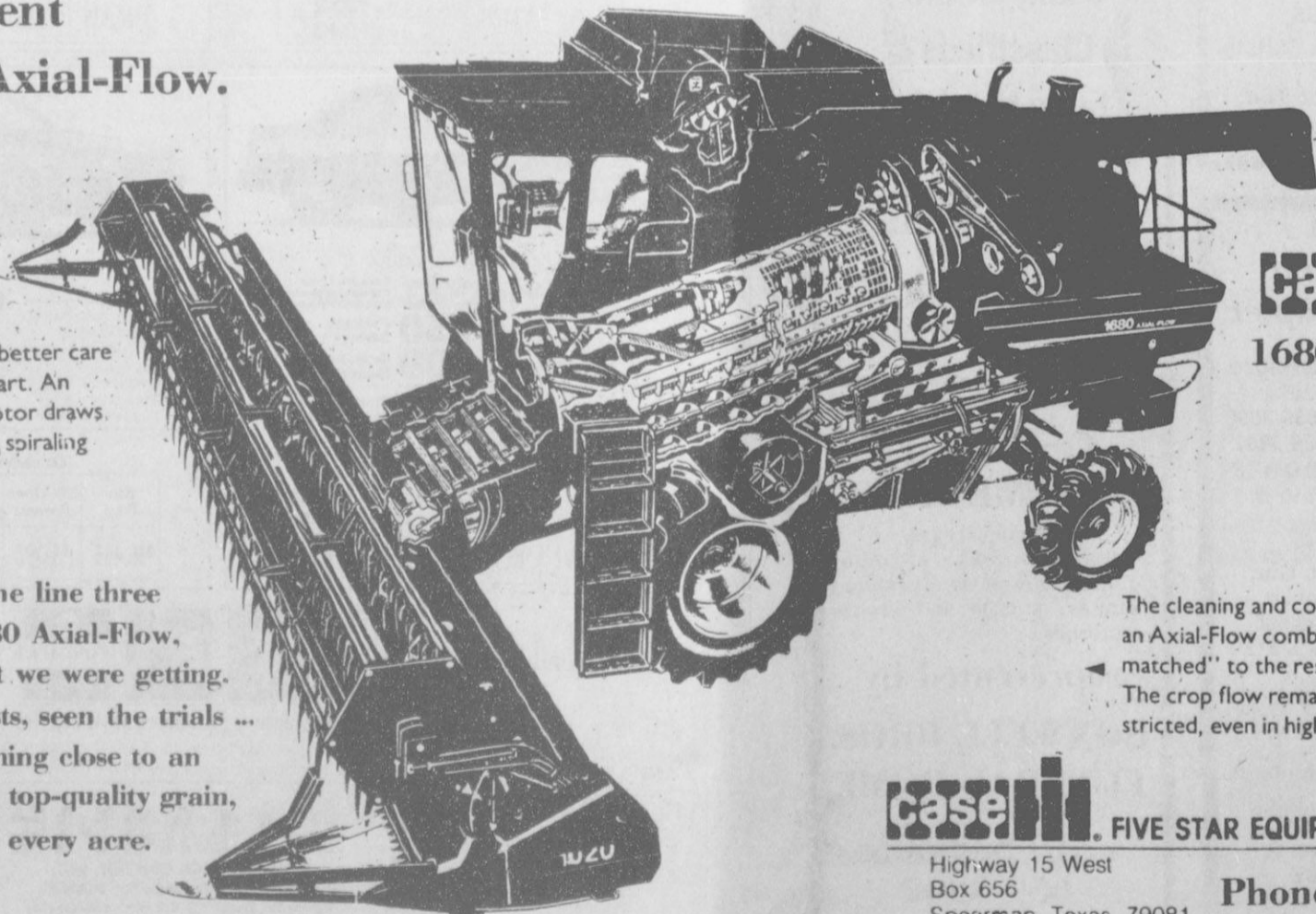
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