

City Tables Replacement For G.E.D.C. President

City The Groom Council met in regular session last week with the following present: Mayor Joe Homer, Aldermen Don Case, Ellis Stapp, Pete Ham, Jimmy Britten; and employees Mary Sue Lyles and Donnie Evans. Alderman Mary Margaret Brooks was absent from the proceedings.

Minutes of the September 8th meeting were read and approved. Payment of bills and the financial statement were read and approved.

The council unanimously approved to amend the budget as follows:

General Fund: Electricity up \$40.00 for a total of \$2540.00; Waterworks Fund:

Electricity up \$65.00 to a total of \$19,565.00; Trash up \$100.00 to a total of \$51,600.00.

A discussion was held concerning water vending machine rates. Voting in favor of leaving the rates as is were Jimmy Britten, Pete Ham and Don Case. Voting no was Ellis Stapp.

discussion A concerning an ordinance requiring an application for connection, contents and meter deposit for those wanting to have city water who do not live in the city limits was held. The Aldermen voted to table the item until more information could be obtained.

The Council approved continuation of the ACH agreement with State

National Bank of Groom at an annual cost of \$120.00.

Fire Marshall Glen Smith asked the council to consider placing a fire hydrant on the south side of Front Street (Old Route 66). The Council voted not to act on the recommendation at this time.

No action was taken on the matter of electing a new GEDC Board member to replace current President Ben Ingham, since Ingham has not formally resigned. With no further

adjourned.

business the meeting was The Groom 1998 Cubs were looking very sharp during last week's pep rally.

G.E.D.C. Discusses "Assisted Living" The Groom Economic Lamb, and with the read. Groom

Development Corporation met on October 6, 1998 at their usual meeting place with the following members present: Secretary Joyce Hutsell, and members Kathleen Barkley, Clif Britten, Sandra Britten, and Greg

following member absent:

approve the minutes as

only five first downs.

in two touchdowns.

final score of 52-6.

Grooms passing game,

The Tigers rushed 22

times for 286 yards.

They completed 11 first

downs. The game ended

just after the half with

the "45" mercy rule for a

Daniel Treadwell

Tigers "45" " Ft. Elliott

The Groom Tigers made good on their promise of being an "Equal Opportunity Team," as they treated Fort Elliott no differently than the other teams they have played, meaning they Forty-Fived them!

"The boys were not as emotional about this game as they have been others. But it didn't seem to effect their overall performance," commented Coach Larry Reid.

opened the scoring for If anything factored Groom on a 10-yard run greatly in the results of early in the first quarter. me it was the wind. "The wind hurt the Cougar's game because they rely so heavily on It affected us passing. also but luckily we also have a pretty good running offense to fall back on," Reid continued. Fort Elliott connected on only 10 of 24 attempts for 70 yards and one touchdown. They been averaging had nearly 300 passing yards per game. They rushed seven times losing yards, and completed

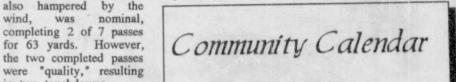
Brenda Guess reviewed her experience in the operation of assisted living facilities and offered suggestions on the floor plan, grant assistance, and renovation of the south side of the community center.

Discussion items included the improvement of rental facilities so that potential residents could living experience in

Groom. The impending resignation of Ben Ingham resulted in a consensu recommendation to the City of Groom that Phillis Jackson be appointed to the

commission should she agree to serve.

No further business was presented and the meeting was duly adjourned.



DAYLIGHT Savings time ends on Sunday, Oct. 25, remember to set your clocks back one McLean. hour on Saturday night.

HALLOWEEN is Saturday, Oct. 31. Leave your porch light on if you wish to have "Trick or Treaters" visit your High will play Miami at

DISTRICT CROSS Country competition will be held on October 26 in

THE ELEMENTARY students will perform Fall Concert on Oct. 28 at 10:30 a.m.

GROOM JUNIOR

Ben Ingham. Brenda Guess of Pampa was a guest. Joyce Hutsell called the meeting to order. Mr. Lamb moved and Mrs. Barkley seconded to



Band Earns I Rating At Marching Contest

Groom High School Marching Band competed last week in the annual area marching contest held for the first time in may years at the Dick

Stadium **Bivins** Amarillo. Groom's 53 piece band

earned a "I" rating. Last year the band also See Band Contest, pg. 5

He carried the ball twice for 16 yards and the already mentioned T.D. He also had two tackles. unassisted Treadwell was injured shortly after he scored, dislocating his finger. He is expected to be able to play this week. Dean Fields carried the ball six times for 51 yards and two touchdowns. He had an 11 yard run early in the first quarter and a 15 7 yard run in the second See Tigers, pg. 6

home.

THE GROOM Tigers will face the Miami Warriors, here, at 7:30 p.m.

BRAD AND DONDRA ask for your help in restocking the Groom Grocery. See this week's ad on page 12.

SENIOR pictures and regular individual pictures will be taken Friday in Groom School the auditorium.

5:00 pm, there.

GROOM First Baptist Church is hosting a 5th Quarter, fellowship Friday following the ball game. See ad on page 6.

TUESDAY PRICES AT ATTEBURY GRAIN CO. Wheat-\$2.65 Milo-\$3.43 Corn-\$3.73 Soybeans-\$4.86 The rain is falling as we go to press! Page 2-THE GROOM NEWS, Thursday, October 22, 1998

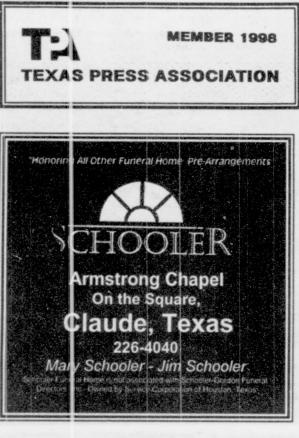
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Local Happenings

Groom Birthdays Anniversaries

October 22 - Charles Burk, Tyler Samuel Babcock. October 23 - Mark West Weinheimer, Carolyn University Moraniec, Dakota Miller, They were honored at a McKenna Beth Britten. reception October 24 - Laurie weekend. Weinheimer, Max Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn D nomination came from

Harrell (A). October 25 - Korri Lyn Britten. October 26 - Judy Eatmon, Mr. and Mrs.

Don Kelly (A), Dorothy and Bill Britten (A). October 27 - Ruben Baggerman, Raymond Wyatt Ruthardt.

Weinheimer, Jessica Stapp October 28 - George

(Jiggs) Britten Sr., Robert Homer, Mrs. Gene Earl Steed, Mrs. Bill England.

Sanfra Ann Johnson of Houston visited Helen Witt over the weekend.

VOTE

Republican

High School. Their band received a II rating at contest recently. Lyles' Nominated Rip and Joy Snyder "Parents Of The Year" Don and Mary Sue

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their daughter, Aimee,

who is a senior majoring

Groom Relative Passes

Away October 15, 1998

The News offers its

sympathy to Ada Durham in the loss of her father,

Joe Wesley Brown. His

obituary is located on

in English.

page 8.

over

visited in Claude Sunday with Les and Dora Neal Lyles were nominated as at the Claude rest home. "Parents of the Year" at A&M recently.

The 80th birthday of Robert and Whitney of Sybil with a dinner hosted by family members at the Harrell home.

Jerry Crowell, now is

band director at Memphis

theme of With a "Memories" the afternoon spent recalling was favorite events and activities of past years and picture taking. were

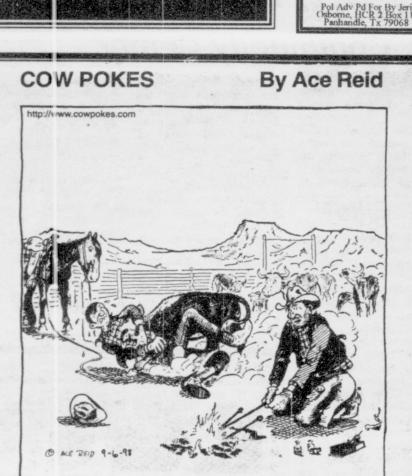
Those present Bob and Louise Mulkey and Jeremy, Steven and Sara-Allyson Hightower, honoree.

Rip and Joy Snyder visited Monday in Wellington with Marshal and Louise Peters and with Bernice Lancaster who is a patient in the rest home. Rip and Joy visited the peanut mill and brought a few peanuts home.

Harrell Celebrates Birthday

Harrell was Panhandle; Glynda Eschle observed Saturday noon and Jason of Lubbock; Jim and Beverly Ingram and Lorece York of Amarillo; Lauralee Lewisville; Ingram of Kemp Ingram of Long Beach, California; Glynn Melyssa Ingram, and Stephanie of Garland; Darron and Brandi Madison and Eschle, Bailey of Flowermound; Glynn D Harrell and the

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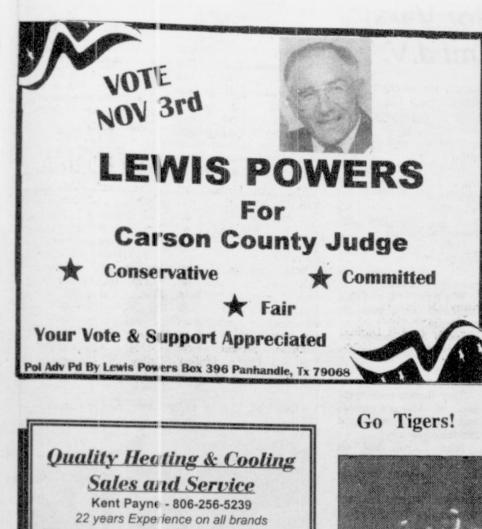
Loretta Britten, L.V.N. Mon-Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Jerry Wilson, P.A. Mon-Fri 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

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Flu Shots will be available the last two weeks in October. Cost is \$7.50 Medicare will pay for them.

Medical director

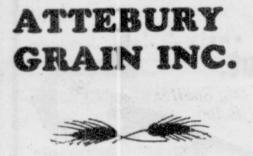


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Skunk Population Causing Problems

Skunks have come to town this year in record numbers. Residents are reminded to make sure crawl spaces around your homes are closed up.

Mothballs thrown under porches, homes and out buildings can help keep them away. Also do not leave dog or cat food out overnight.

As the weather cools the problem will lessen, residents but should remember that it is against the law to discharge a firearm in town. Any shooting of these pests must be done county deputies. bv Groom's animal control officer does not have the authority.

Ill Or Recovering Beulah Shockley, Jerry Knowles, Sybil Harrell, Gary Friemel.

Thursday, October 22, 1998-THE GROOM NEWS-Page 3 **Christian Mothers Plan Annual**

The Christians Mothers met Sunday, October 4th the parish hall. in Donuts and cinnamon rolls were enjoyed by everyone.

Holiday Bazaar & Bake Sale

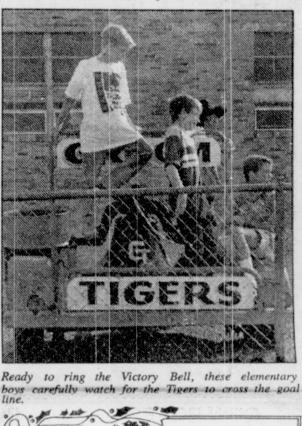
The Holiday Bazaar will be on Sunday, November 22 from 11:30 am to 2:30 pm. The theme this year will be Gingerbread Men.

Little Flower The circle will be in charge setting up and prations. The Regina of and decorations. Coeli circle is in charge

advertising and of running the bake sale and Saint Monica circle is in charge of preparing the meal.

Kathleen Barkley will be in charge of the craft booths again this year. The cost will be \$10.00. If anyone is interested, please give a call at 248-7070.

The next meeting will be on Sunday, November 8th at 8:30 am in the parish hall.





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Players Lead Area Stats

Stats for area teams are in and Groom is showing a respectable lead in many of the areas. In team offense, Groom was listed as 3rd, with 1544 yards rushing and 562 yards passing. Average for the Tigers figures out to 351. 1st place was Silverton with 1729 yards rushing and 915 yards passing earning an average of 434.5. 2nd place went to Ft. Elliott with 764 yards rushing and 1824 yards passing for an average of 431.3

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Groom leads the group in team defense. They held their opponents to 234 yards rushing and 469 yards passing, for an average of 78.1.

The Tigers boast two players in the individual Dean Fields rushing. came in 4th in rushing



Brumley

with 40 carries for 615 yards and 7 touchdowns. Wade Ritter earned 5th place with 51 attempts for 487 yards and 9 touchdowns.

Josh Evenson was named as 3rd place with 29 of 49 passes completed for 552 yards 29 14 touchdowns. and Wyatt Weinheimer was 9th receiver, catching 13 times for 211 yards and 7 touchdowns.

Wade Ritter also was named 5th in the scoring He has scored a stats. total of 12 touchdowns for 72 points. Jamie Shuck was named 6th with 3 touchdowns, and 21 point after attempts for a total of 60 points.

The Tigers work well as a team, the fact that there is no one big star of the team seems to be the key to their success.

Local Happenings

Rip and Joy Snyder visited with Skeet and Alene Brown in Clarendon who are in the Clarendon rest home and with Rose Hall, who was Rip's 2nd grade school teacher, on Sunday.

Rip and Joy visited Truman Goodlett and M.L. Rowan in the McLean rest home and with Bill and Dorothy McKee in McLean, Texas.

Tiger Junior Varsity Beats Miami J.V.

Groom's Junior Varsity played Miami's Junior Varsity at Lefors last Thursday night. The Tigers handily beat the Warriors 41 to 26.

The Tigers did an awesome job offensively as well as defensively. They rushed 25 times for 158 yards and two touchdowns.

Quarterback Grant Weinheimer connected on six of nine passes for 164 yards and three touchdowns.

Garrett Britten had a fabulous night, carrying the ball 12 times for 126 yards and two touchdowns. He also connected with Ouarterback Grant Weinheimer for a 13 yard T.D. pass. He had one interception and two kick off returns, one of which he ran in 64 yards for another touchdown making his total four for the game. He also scored three times on the point after attempt. He had six unassisted tackles.

Clay Ritter also did a good job earning two touchdowns for the Tigers. The first on an 18 yard pass and the second on a 53 yard

pass. He received three times for 121 yards. Clay contributed 12 12 unassisted tackles and a quarterback sack to the win.

Russell Conrad rushed for 15 yards on five carries and received for 24 yards. He scored on a P.A.T. and had two unassisted tackles.

Cody Bivens carried the ball six times for 25 yards and had 4 unassisted tackles.

Wyatt Britten connected on a pass for six yards.

Josiah Scott earned six unassisted tackles for Groom.

Trey Britten intercepted one of Miami's passes and had six unassisted tackles.

John Carroll had six unassisted tackles and a fumble recovery to help the team effort.

Hugh Weinheimer had three unassisted tackles.

This may have been the last game the J.V. will play, as they may suit up with the Varsity squad for the remainder of the season. An

announcement will forthcoming from be the school administration.

Local Happening

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Helen Witt attended the annual Poetry Day the at luncheon Hotel in Ambassador Amarillo.

theme was The Civilization" "Ancient carried out in decorations and special poems written



Cubs Working Hard, Still Improving

Groom's Junior High Cubs faced off with Ft. Elliott last week.

"I am very pleased with the effort the boys put out," stated Coach Randy Yelverton. "They play as hard as they possibly can. . . They never give up. . . They show a lot of character, unfortunately sometimes

we just get out-manned. We don't have a lot of depth and experience. By letting everyone play, we are gaining experience that improves our competitive edge in the future."

"All we can do is go back to work and try to correct our mistakes from one week to the next,'

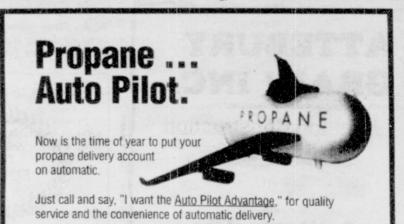
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he continued. "That's how a young, inexperienced team learns and improves. I am very proud of these boys. They have come a long way since the beginning of the season." The Junior High's final

score was Ft. Elliott 36 and Groom 6. They will play Miami there next week.

Jr. High Cheerleaders are (top) Brin Burgin; (standing) Carol Wilson, Amanda Martin, Lauren Crowell, (kneeling) Jill Britten and Caren Howard.

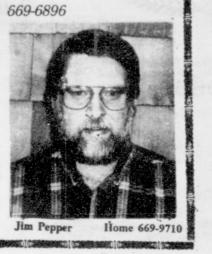


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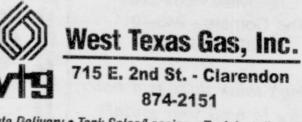
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The 1998 Groom Tiger's Marching Band earned a "1" at contest. They are under the field direction of Drum Major Allison Eatmon. Mrs. Ingham is their sponsor.





The Groom Tiger Band's flag team received kudos from contest judges.

Council On Aging Info

Care Complaints - 1-800-

Transportation 1-800-252-

8263; Medicaid Hotline -1-512-458-7263.

Texas Department of

Carson County has it's

Human Services: Food

Stamps - 1-800-248-1078.

own phone numbers for

some of these services,

as you can see, some are in Amarillo and Pampa.

Social Security: 669-1010; Texas Protective and

Regulatory Services:358-

6211; Texas Department

of Human Services: 352-

5005; The Panhandle Area Agency on Aging:

372-3381 or 1-800-642-

6008

They are as follows:

Medical

228-1570;

The State of Texas has recently compiled Statewide Resource Guide for Older Texans. This reference book has hundreds of numbers that can be of use to Groom older citizens. A few are listed below, but the News Office invites anyone interested to come by and look at this book. Hill-Burton Program: 1-800-638-0742:

A 24 hour hotline to respond to people in need of medical services who lack adequate health insurance. Medicare Hotline: 1-

442-2620.

Texas Department on Aging: 1-800-252-9240. Provides information on services available through

Area Agency on Aging Attorney General's Office - Fraud Against Seniors: 1-512-936-1317. Texas Department of Health: Home Health

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Band Contest

received "I" ratings in both marching and concert competitions making them a Sweepstakes band.

Judges comments were great, with very little criticism.

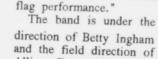
"This band has very good balance and blend. They show good attention to detail. I really enjoyed the show design." "Good carriage,

"Good carriage, attention to detail and bright uniforms make this band look great. Very good balance and blend."

"The ensemble has some great individual performers. The soloist (Evan Crowell) was especially good. Very

GROOM SCHOOL Notice To Parents:

Please do not drive behind the gym. That entrance is for buses only and is adjacent to the playground. If infractions of this rule continues, we will be forced to lock the gate. The Administration



Allison Eatmon. They can be seen performing at home football games and always put on a crowd pleasing show.

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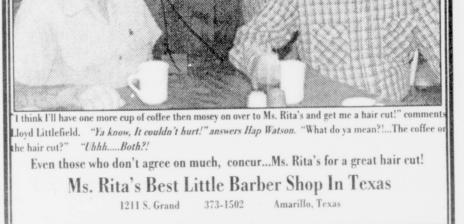




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Tigers Still Undefeated

quarter. Dean also scored on the point after attempt on a pass from Josh Evenson after one T.D. Dean also had one unassisted tackle.

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Alberto Vega was back in good form after being injured in the game against Follett. He had 52 yards on five rushes and one touchdown. He also earned Groom 20 yards on a kick off return. Vega had two unassisted tackles.

Jamie Shuck caught a 37 yard pass from Josh Evenson for a T.D. He kicked four extra points during the P.A.T. He had three unassisted tackles.

Evan Crowell scored late in the second quarter on a 26 yard pass from Evenson. He had two unassisted tackles for the Tigers.

Wade Ritter scored the last touchdown to end the game early in the third quarter, on a 50yard run. He carried the

Friday, October 23rd

First Bap'ist Church

GROOM FEEDYARD

Fellowship Mall

Groom

ball eight times for a total of 132 yards and had a fumble recovery and a quarterback sack. He earned two unassisted tackles for Groom.

Quarterback Josh Evenson connected on two of seven passes for 63 yards and the two already mentioned touchdowns. He had one unassisted tackle in the game.

Dusty Crump carried the ball once for five yards and had two unassisted tackles.

Chris Ollinger had one quarterback sack and five unassisted tackles. Wyatt Weinheimer also

added an unassisted tackle to Groom's awesome defensive line.

The Tigers will take on Miami this Friday night at home.

"Miami will pose some challenges to us," stated Coach Reid. "They are a very quick team and well balanced offensively.

5th Quarter

After Game Fellowship

Following Groom-Miami Football Game

They run and pass equally as well. The Warriors have shown rapid improvement as the season has progressed. We need to have a good week of preparation." Be sure to watch the

Tigers as they play at home Friday night beginning at 7:30 p.m. against the Miami Warriors.

Groom School Lunch Menu

October 26 -30

Monday Breakfast: Cold cereal, muffins, juice, milk. Lunch: Charbroiled chopped steak, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, pull apart bread, chocolate no bake cookies, milk.

Tuesday Breakfast: Pancakes, peanut butter, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch: Frito pie, pinto beans, salad, Tiger sized cinnamon rolls, milk.

Wednesday Breakfast: Breakfast burritoes, hash brown potatoes, juice,

milk. Lunch: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, vanilla pudding w/cookie, milk.

Thursday Breakfast: Biscuits, gravy, bacon, juice, milk. Lunch: Corn dogs, tator tots, peaches, milk.

Friday Breakfast: Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch: Cheeseburgers, French fries, pork & beans, brownies, milk.

Halloween Slated For Oct. 31

In just 10 short days, Halloween will put in it's annual appearance. Ghosts, Goblins, Witches, Batman, Princesses, and many other make-believe creatures will be stalking the streets of Groom and other nearby towns.

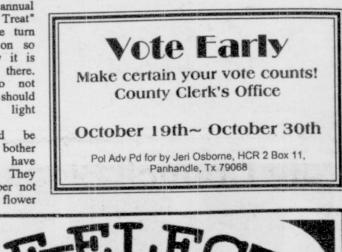
Residents who wish to participate in the annual ritual of "Trick or Treat" are asked to please turn their porch light on so that children know it is o.k. to stop there. Residents who do not want to participate should leave their porch light off.

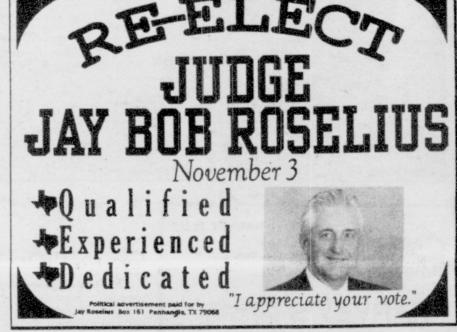
Children should be reminded not to bother those who don't have their light on. They should also remember not to run through flower

beds or yards and keep to sidewalks and driveways both for reasons of safety and to respect the property of others.

Another important safety factor is to wear

something reflective or light in color when "Trick or Treating" so that motorists may be able to see the revelers. Children should also be accompanied by an adult.



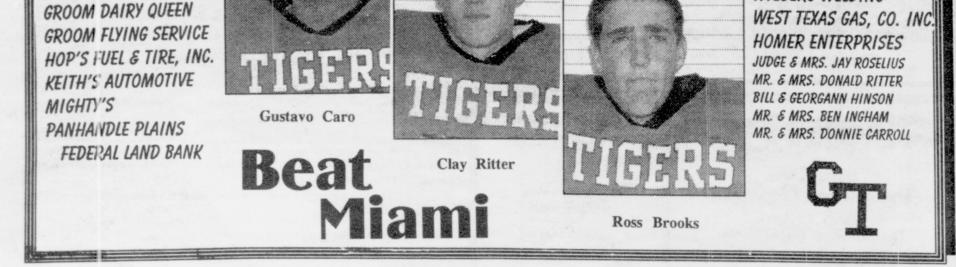


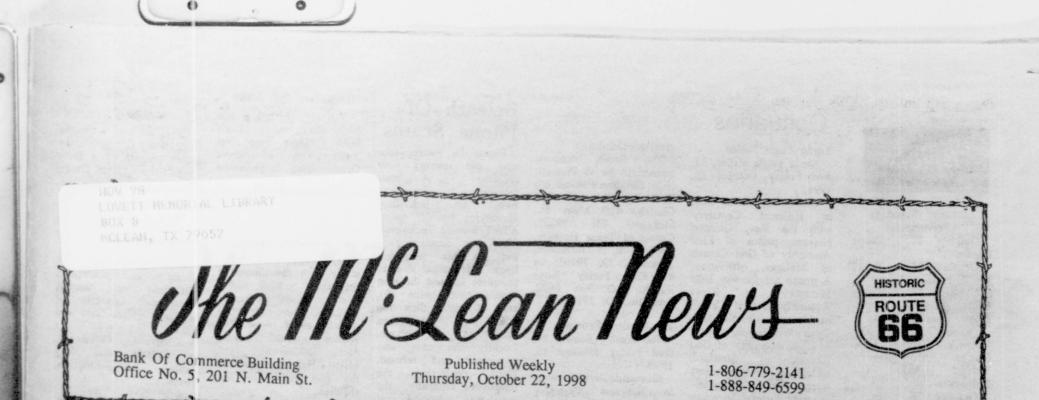
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City Council Signs Contract With Perry Gas

The City Council cf McLean met in a special session Tuesday, October 13, 1998 in the Cit/ Hall. The meeting was called to order by the Mayor, Charles McClendon, and opened with an invocation at 6:00 p.m. with the following membern present: Gordon Sheplor. Ford Smith, Jr., Bot Martin, and Jin McDonald. Sam Haynes was absent.

Others present were Fred Smith, Toni Bohlar, Ann Pierce, Kay Cantrell,

and gave the McLean

Tigers and the

Homecoming fans a sign

of things to come. Ike

Hanes, #8 for the Tigers

scored McLean's first

touchdown with #11,

Frankie Sparling bringing

in the extra point.

Samnorwood brought

more of the same in the

another touchdown and

Hauck, #44 of the Tigers

made some good tackles

in the second quarter, but

it was still not enough to

keep the Samnorwood

team from scoring yet

another touchdown and

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Allen Mixon, and Gene Smart. All

motions were unanimously approved unless otherwise stated.

Discussion was held concerning the gas wells. It was decided to advertise for bids for a pump jack for the gas wells and bids to be opened at the November meeting.

The street sign issue was tabled to a later date when a safety committee could give more attention to this item. Kay Cantrell with

Perry Gas Company

presented the council with information on her company and explained some of the details in their proposal to sell the city gas. The council voted to sign a years contract with Perry Gas Co. purchasing gas on a monthly spot index price from the San Juan Basin.

The EDC item was tabled until the December meeting so that the council could have more time to look over the EDC's by-laws.

interception which gave



Amanda Cline, Homecoming Queen is pictured with her court at last week's game. (1 to r) Cesily Cadra, Nikki Hefley, Homecoming Queen Amanda Cline, Dee Dee Floyd, and Deanna Van Brocklyn.

Queen & Court Named The McLean Tigers interests include

chose their Homecoming Queen at the coronation ceremony football game. This year's Queen is Amanda Cline. She is the 16year-old daughter of and Robbie Bobby Her school Sanderson.

1998-99 basketball, golf, tennis, Jueen at pep club, and drama. She is Vice-President of Friday night before the the Student Council and a member of the Assembly of God youth group.

The four other candidates this year were Cesily Cadra, daughter of

originally from Memphis,

Texas and Wanda is

from Canadian, Texas.

They brought up four children in McLean

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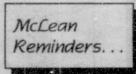
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Lamb's Flower & Gift Shop Closes After 28 Years In Business funeral home. Creed is

Creed and Wanda Lamb have closed the doors on the Lamb Flower Shop. The have Lamb's served McLean in the floral and gift business since iber of 1971. December of They first had the business in the front room of their home, then

in 1986, moved the shop stated, "It's been a lot of to downtown McLean. Creed and Wanda first moved to McLean in from Littlefield, 1956 Texas. At that time, purchased the they

Mark and Kim Cadra; Nikki Hefley, daughter of Charlotte James and Hefley; Dee Dee Floyd, daughter of Vicki Floyd; and Deanna Van Brocklyn, daughter of Gaylord and Missy Van Brocklyn.



GO TIGERS!

MCLEAN CARE Halloween Center's Carnival is Saturday, Oct. 24 with the turkey & dressing dinner starting at 6:00 p.m.

DAYLIGHT Savings ends. Make sure to turn your clocks back one hour Saturday night.

THE TIGERS play at Hedley on Friday

beginning at 4:30 p.m.

auditorium.

time score board read Samnorwood started the McLean 7, Samnorwood game with the first touchdown of the night

Tigers Fight: Homecoming Battle

21. The third quarter saw Gabriel Vega, #20 of the Tigers putting pressure on the Eagles. Sparling of the Tigers made up with yardage and #37, Brian Fuller kept Samnorwood from a first down by blocking a pass.

The fourth quarter brought the crowd to it's feet when Tiger teammate made an and a Hanes 8 interception and touchdown for the Tigers. Samnorwood made another touchdown and the score became 13-27. The Tigers receive the off and kick next fumbled the ball. Charlie Carter, #22 made an

Hanes the opportunity to score another touchdown for the Tigers. The kick was good and the score read 21-27. Samnorwood tried an off-side kick which was recovered by #53, Sy Brown. Unfortunately, the Tigers couldn't make the first down needed to keep the ball. The end of the game saw the Samnorwood Eagles the running down the clock and going home the winners of the district ball game. The Tigers will play in

Hedley on Friday, October 23. Come out Friday, support your and See Tigers, pg. 8



McLean Junior High Cubs Show Samnorwood Who's Boss The Cubs were certainly not intimidated by the size of Samnorwood's players from last week's junior high game.

Cubs Beat Eagles Sonny Northcutt gave the

The McLean Cubs were not intimidated by Cubs the lead they the size of the needed. added to the score with a Samnorwood team when 2 point conversion. He they showed them that also helped the Cubs dynamite comes in small with two interceptions packages. Sonny during the course of the Northcutt started off the game with a touchdown on the kick-off return. with two fumble Two more touchdowns in the second quarter by

fun, gotten too old." The shop and inventory are for sale, if anyone is interested they may contact Creed or Wanda Lamb.

OCTOBER 24TH at 6:30 p.m. is the costume contest and at 7:00 p.m. the Harvest Coronation at the High School

JR. HIGH Football against Hedley, here, October 22nd at 6 pm.

LION'S CLUB Arts & Crafts Trades Fair, October 24th, 9am-5pm, Ag. Bldg. 814 E. 3rd, Panhandle.

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Obituaries

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McLean Birthdays Anniversaries October 22 - Carrie Hardin.

October 23 - Peggy Webb, Patricia Adams. October 24 - Randy

Stalls, Hunter Thomas Payne, Charles Harris. October 25 - Von

Holwick, Tanner Hess, Donna Montgomery, Darryel Herndon, O.J. Milham.

October 26 - Becky Fish, Christopher Bybee. October 27 - Bonnie Bidwell, Barrie Hastey, Nama Webb, Tanner Hess.

October 28 - Randi Jo Riley, Nelson Dwyer, Grace McClellan, Bob Sherrod, Linda Fuller.

Tigers

hometown Tigers! "We need to regroup and win our next three games so we can get to the playoffs," said Coach Burch

Cubs

"Our overall recoveries. defense did an excellent stated job," Coach Herring. The final score for the game was 20 -14. The Cubs play their next game in McLean against Hedley at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday the 22nd of October.

Annie Pugh Miller Annie Pugh Miller, 83, died Friday, October 16, 1998.

Graveside services were in Hillcrest Cemetery with the Rev. Quinton Newton, pastor of First Assembly of God Church of McLean, officiating. A praise service was held Monday in First Assembly of God Church of McLean with the Rev. Dean Williamson, pastor of First Assembly of God Church of Stratford, officiating. Arrangements were by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Miller was born in Heald and had lived in McLean for most of her life. She graduated from McLean High School in 1933 and attended West Texas State Teachers College for a year. For many years, she owned and operated a beauty shop.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in McLean. In August, she moved to Pampa. married D.L. She

'Runt" Miller in 1944. He preceded her in death in 1980.

Survivors include a son, Joe Miller of Glendale, Arizona; a daughter, Mauree Moore Pampa; of grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be to Pleasant Hills Children's Home c/o First Assembly of God Church, 420 Main St., McLean, TX 79057; Crown of Texas Hospice, 1000 S. Jefferson, Amarillo, TX 79101; or to Cal Farley Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, TX 79174.

Joe Wesley Brown

Joe Wesley Brown, 84, died Friday, October 15, 1998.

Graveside services were in Hillcrest Cemetery with the Rev. James Martindale, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.

Mr. Brown was born in Titus County. He retired in 1989 after 42 years as a pumper in the He then oil fields. farmed and ranched in Wheeler and Gray He was a Counties. member of First Baptist Church.

He married Beatrice Brown in 1939 at Sayre, Oklahoma. They lived in the Kellerville, Pakan and

wife; a daughter, Ada Durham of Groom; a son, Dan Brown of San Diego; two four granddaughters; and six

Beware Of **Phone Scams**

Please be aware, take note and instruct your children. A man received a telephone call from an individual identifying himself as an AT&T Service Technician who was conducting a test on his telephone lines. He stated that to complete the test the man should touch nine (9), zero (0) and then the pound sign (#) and then hang up the phone. Luckily the man was the which phone number. He was further This with UCB with Please beware. This GTE Security you share this information with everyone you know!

Drug Free Pep Rally

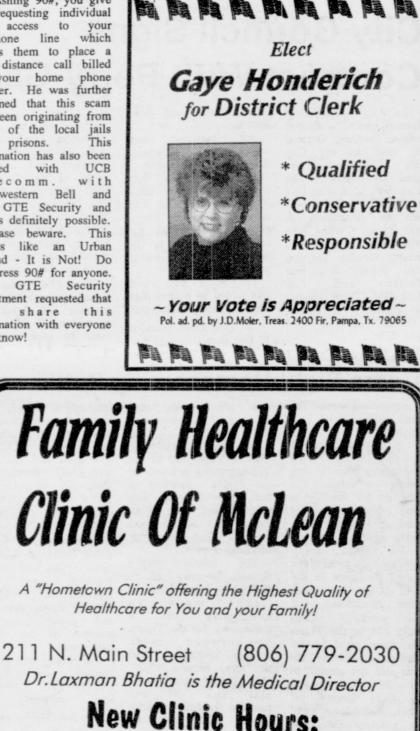
The McLean Elementary and Jr. High held a Drug Free Pep Monday, Rally on October 19th, in honor of Red Ribbon week. The Fifth Grade class made up a rap about being drug-free. The Jr. High cheerleaders also performed some cheers they had made up to go along with the theme of the week. Mrs. Judith Watkins, Music teacher at McLean, gave a brief speech about how Red Ribbon week began. Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Misty Hannon prepared the pep rally for the children.

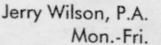
It's A

Boy!

Clayton and Shanna (Littlefield) Gregg are the proud parents of a baby boy. Chance Alan Gregg was born on October 18, Guymon, 1998, in Oklahoma, at 7:52 p.m. He weighed 6 pounds 5.8 ounces and he was 19 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Ricky and Daphne Littlefield of Beaver, Oklahoma; formerly of McLean. Also, Gary and Jan Gregg of Weatherford, Oklahoma, and Gayle and Ray Taylor of Junction, Texas.











McLean areas. Survivors include his

Young

People!

Nicole McClendon Daughter Of

Charles & Deanna McClendon

suspicious and refused. Upon contacting the telephone company, man was informed that by pushing 90#, you give the requesting individual full access to your telephone line allows them to place a long distance call billed to your home

informed that this scam has been originating from many of the local jails and prisons. information has also been verified Telecomm. Southwestern Bell and with GTE Security and this is definitely possible. sounds like an Urban Legend - It is Not! Do not press 90# for anyone. The department requested that





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McLean Elementary Students of the Week October 12-16. Kindergarten Jacob Azzazi, 1st Grade Dustin Lee, 2nd Grade Arely Vega, 3rd Grade Megan Keelin, 4th Grade Seth Childers, 5th Grade Xenia Buckhaults, 6th Grade Skyler Ferguson, 7th Grade Danielle Dampier, 8th Grade Josh Seymour.

PLACE :

Flame Queen Crowned

choir.

McLean High School held it's Homecoming Bonfire, Thursday, October 15th. The Tigers put a scarecrow figure of a Samnorwood football player on the fire representing what the the Eagles. Ms. Alicia Reynolds, cheerleader sponsor, presented the 1998-99 Flame Queen. The Cheerleaders and Pep Club voted for the girl their monthly luncheon who had been most spirited, courteous, and most willing to help. This year's Flame Queen is Lacey Steel.

Lacey is the 16-year-old daughter of Dale and Rose Steel. Her interests include basketball, golf, cross-country running, pep club, drama and

member of First United Methodist Church and Alpha Chi Youth group.

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Alanreed News By Lena Carter

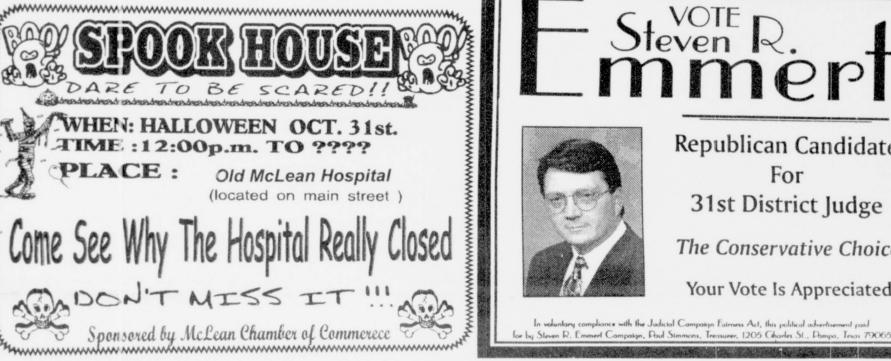
Visiting with the Keese Tigers intended to do to boys and mother this week was brother and son Terry from near Ft. Worth on his way to deer hunting in Colorado. Members of First Baptist Church enjoyed and singing at the church Saturday evening. Grace McClellan of McLean was a guest. Gee Wills has been on

the sick list lately. Ronnie Carter of

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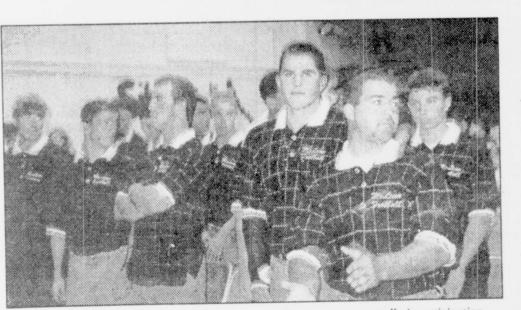
Republican Candidate For **31st District Judge**

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Red River Steakhouse Richardson Texaco Simpson Insurance Agency The Hair Gallery The McLean News Windom's Auto Supply The McLean Nursing Center The Bank of Commerce - McLean Roxie McMordie Mary Kay Consultant

The McLean Tigers are shown participating in the pre-game pep rally in anticipation of the Homecoming game against Samnorwood.

BEAT HEDLEY

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Care Center News

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Sunday began for the residents with Sunday with the School Methodist Friendship Class. In the afternoon services were attended with the Church of Christ Emma Graham, bv Florence Drake, Truman Goodlett, Sue Cubine, Turnage, Marjorie Dorothy Patterson, Gladys Andrews, Phyllis Bailey, Thelma Finson, Dovie Simmons, Don York, Dick Wheeler, Duella Beverly, Hadda Moore, McClemore, Bessie Martin, Ora ey, Vernee Glynda Billingsley, Bowling, Essie Knowles, Loma Gibbs, Joe Taylor, Lillie Billingsley, Jess Coleman, Varnie Lowe, and Eula Morrow.

Monday morning was nail care time and in the afternoon Bingo was enjoyed. Coming to help were Dorothy McKee and Betty Lowe. Bananas were furnished by the Lion's Club.

Tuesday morning was craft time and later in the afternoon dominoes were played.

Wednesday morning residents enjoyed discussion and refreshments at the morning circle Betty Lowe furnished banana nut bread. In the

afternoon residents attended the Methodist Church social. On Thursday morning

beach ball kick was an enjoyable event and in the afternoon bingo games were played with Betty Lowe and Dorothy McKee again helping out. Friday morning was Reminisce time among residents. Later on faces were painted on pumpkins in the crafts area.

Saturday afternoon a movie was shown and enjoyed by several residents.

Everyone please come to the Care Center on Saturday for the turkey dinner beginning at 6:00 pm. The Carnival begins at 7:00 pm. See you there!

Mom's Circle Learns Art Of Calligraphy

By Kristie Crockett Mom's Circle held it's monthly gathering on Wednesday, October 14th in the First Assembly of God Church.

Ella Mae Reyna presented a program about the art of calligraphy to the group of mom's, and also provided calligraphy pens for everyone. Mrs.

AlcLean Church Directory

Assembly Of God 4th & Main 779-2902 * 779-2221 Sunday School all ages 9:45 a.m. Worsh p & Children's Chruch 10:45 a.m. Wed. Worship 6:00 p.m. Bib e Study & Youth Service 7:00

Church Of Christ 4th & Clarendon 779-2548 Sunday Bible School 10:00 a.m. Worship 10:40 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Class 7:30

United Methodist Church 2nd & Gray Pastor Thacker Haynes 779-2049 779-2337 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:50a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Sun Sr. High Youth Alpha Chi 5:00 p.m. Wed. Choir 7:00 p.m.

> Heald United Methodist Church Kellerville Road Sunday 9:15

Trinity Eaptist Church 603 Commerce James Mantooth 779-3207 Sunday School 9:40 am Worship 10:50 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church 206 E. 1st Pastor James Martindale 779-2175 Sunday School 9:45; Worship 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m Reyna had several examples of her work for all to look at and she encouraged everyone to try their hand at calligraphy.

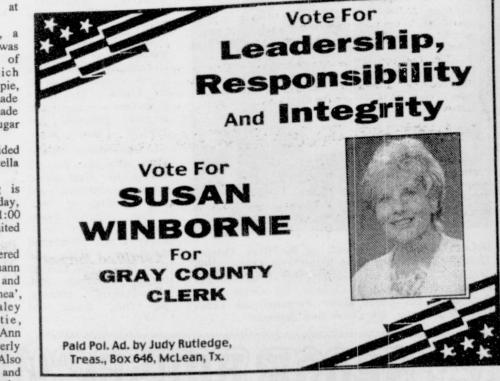
After the program, a Mexican lunch was provided by several of the moms, which consisted of taco pie, Mexican rice, homemade tortillas and homemade Halloween pumpkin sugar cookies.

Nursery was provided by Judy Lee and Stella Lee.

The next gathering is scheduled for Wednesday, November 11th at 11:00 a.m. at the United Methodist Church.

Friends that gathered and visited were Luann Mantooth, Amy and Bailey Herring, Renea', Devin, and Haley Chambers, Kristie, Crockett, Dee Ann Burkes and Skee, Beverly and Jack Odom. Also attending were Diana and Matthew Roosa, Cathy and Alex Payne, Paula Newton, Natalie and Anette Brown and Ella Mae and Becca Reyna.

Mother set her pies on the window sill to cool them. Daughter sets her's there to thaw. There are many reasons for doing a thing, but one of the most effective is the lack of an alternative.

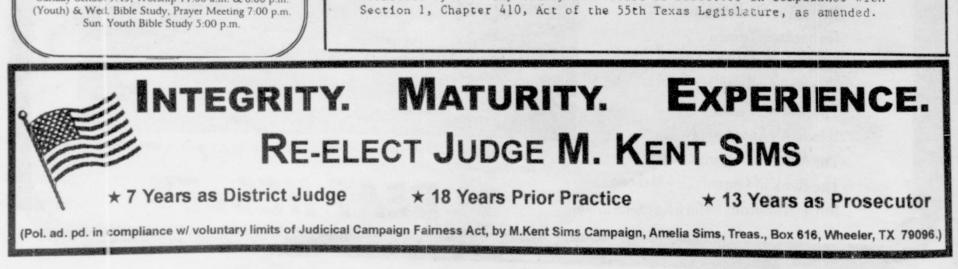


Gray County Soil And Water Conservation District #125 Statement of Receipts & Disbursements by Funds

September 1, 1997 through August 31, 1998

	STATE FUND	TRUST	McLEAN TRUST FUND
REVENUE			
State Receipts			
Matching Funds ('98 FY)	\$ 4,426.00		
Supple. Matching Funds (97 & 98 FY)	1,099.90		
Technical Assistance Funds	5,423.12		
Subchapter H Tech. Assistance Funds	320.46		
District Activities		9,671.66	
Donations		2,072.00	
Interest Credit	38.74	43.36	35.08
Fund Transfer		1,591.58	
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 11,308.22	\$ 13,378.60	\$ 35.08
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries			
Subchapter-H. Technical Assistance	\$ 322.00		
Technical Assistance	10,342.50		
District		2,715.00	
Postage	241.73	151.30	
Liability Insurance		302.00	
Texas Workforce Commission	149.54		a start and a start
Payroll Taxes	1,020.95		
Sales Tax		856.09	
District Operations	114.05	1,223.98	
District Activities		6,672.23	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 12,190.77	\$ 11,920.60	\$ 0.00
Profit or (Loss)	\$ (882.55)	\$ 1,458.00	S 35.08
BALANCE SEPTEMBER 1, 1997	\$ 2,213.08	\$ 1,731.76	\$ 1,062.04
BALANCE AUGUST 31, 1998	\$ 1,330.53	\$ 3,189.74	\$ 1,097.12

Submitted by the Gray County SWCD Board of Directors in compliance with





McLean School Menu

October 19 - 23 Monday Breakfast: French toast sticks, milk. juice. Lunch: Mini corn dogs, onion rings, salad, caramel apples, milk.

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Tuesday Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, bacon, toast, fruit, juice, milk. Lunch: Fish nuggets, potato wedges, corn, sherbet, milk. Wednesday Breakfast:

Hot or cold cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk. Lunch: Chicken fajitas, peppers, onions, refried beans, salad, fruit, milk.

PTA Recognizes Classes

The McLean PTA served ice cream to the First and Second Grade classes on Friday, October 16th. The ice cream party was given in recognition of the class with the most parent participation in PTA for the 98-99 school year. The two classes tied in the amount of paper ice

Breakfast:

Breakfast:

Lunch:

sandwich,

rolls, fruit,

Thursday

milk.

juice,

Roast

Friday

Cinnamon

Pancake, sausage on a

stick, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch: Soft tacos, salad,

Spanish rice, apple crisp,

fritos, veg. sticks, pickle

milk.

beef

cream scoops they had hanging next to their class room doors. Each scoop represented a parent or guardian for the child in that class. After the party the students in Mrs. Glass' first grade class presented President, Dawn Herndon with hand made thank you cards.

Alanreed

Sequin, son of Warren Carter, native here, had the misfortune of losing his house to flood waters last week near San Antonio. The Robert Bruces

were in Pampa on Friday.

Nora Turner was on the sick list last week.



