

Although empty now, the Oscar Archer Rodeo Arena in Spearman should be filled with kids, weather permitting. The 4-H Club has scheduled a Junior Rodeo to take place Saturday at 6 p.m. As of Friday morning the arena was muddy after the rains all day Thursday. At presstime we do not know that the event will take place due to muddy conditions.



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This "swamp" looks like something you would find in the swamp lands of Lousiana or Florida. But it is week. The City of Spearm an received approximately one mile east of Spearman on Farm to Market road

3 inches over the week.

Green 1st county auditor retires after 29 years

PDRA holds open meeting

advertising for bids on agenda

511 S.W. 11th, Spearman for the on the P.D.R.A. dam and reservoir

purpose of discussion and/or and alternate bid for the pump

The Palo Duro River Authority meeting.

Weldon Green, Hansford County Auditor is retiring from the position on August 31. Green has been Hansford County's Auditor since 1959. He was the first county Auditor in Hansford County. Up until 1959 a county auditor was not required for county government. An outside auditing firm came once a year to audit the county.

Green was a Hansford County Commissioner for six years before

will meet in regular session on July

12 at 2 p.m. in the meeting room of

the Palo Duro River Authority,

action on routine or other business.

This meeting is open to the public.

The agenda will be as follows:

he took the auditing job. Green lives in Gruver, where he farms and runs cattle.

When asked what he would do after his retirement he said he was going to slow down, farm and ranch. "I've just got to many irons in the fire." Green and his wife Elene have four children, Dee, Genna, Mittie and Ron.

Green expressed, "I've really enjoyed the work and will miss it.'

4. Pass order to advertise for bids

station, pending approval of the

Texas Water Development Board

and the Texas Water Commission.

2. Treasurer's report.

3. Payment of claims.

President of Texas-New Mexico Co. retires

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YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER

R.D. Woofter retired July 1 as chief executive officer of Texas-New Mexico Power Company and as president and chief executive officer of the Fort Worth-based utility's holding company, TNP Enterprises, Inc.

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J.M. Tarpley, who has served as president and chief operating officer of the utility since February 1987, will assume the position of chief executive officer of both entities and become president of the holding company.

Crawford graduates from SWT

Kelli Sue Crawford of Spearman was among the 1,440 Southwest Texas State University students who were candidates for degrees awarded in spring undergraduate commencement ceremonies May 14 in Strahan Coliseum.

SWT alumnus Jack L. Martin, a member of the Board of Regents, Texas State University System, delivered the keynote address. The student speaker was graduating political science major Eric Anderson of San Marcos. There were 1.437 candidates for bachelor's degrees and three candidates for associate degrees.

Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Crawford, received a bachelor of science in education degree major in elementary educa-

Sangalang on SWT honor list

Sharlene R. Sangalang of Spearman was among the 1,509 students whose 1988 spring semester grades earned them places on the Dean's List at Southwest Texas State

To qualify for the academic honors listing, an undergraduate student must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.5 during the semester while taking at least

Woofter, who will remain as chairman of the board of both entities, steps down after 38 years of service with TNP. He began his career as an engineer in Texas City and was promoted to the com-

an electric operating engineer in

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Woofter was named vice president-commerical manager in 1967 and vice president-operations in 1973. A promotion to executive vice president in 1974 preceded his election as president, chief executive officer and director of the power company in 1975. He added the duties of chairman in 1977 and was elected president, chairman and chief executive officer when the holding company was formed in 1981. He also served as chairman of three TNPE subsidiaries, Bayport Cogeneration, Inc., Texas

pany's Fort Worth headquarters as

Generating Company, and TNP Operating Company.

Woofter has been a director of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce and a past president of the West Texas and Texas State Chambers of Commerce. He is currently treasurer of the board of directors of Senior Citizens Services of Greater Tarrant County and a member of the Fort Worth Rotary

Tarpley began his career with the company in Texas City in 1954 and held various field engineering positions before transferring to Fort Worth in 1970. He was named superintendent of distribution a year later and elected vice president-contracts and regulation in 1974. In 1985 he was named executive vice president. He currently serves on the boards of the holding company and all four

All Star baseball

subsidiaries.

Sunday, July 10, 1988

Tarpley is a Registered Professional Engineer in the states of New Mexico and Texas and a member of the national and Texas Society of Professional Engineers.

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R. D. WOOFTER

5 Spearman students

1. Reading of minutes of last 5. Discussion of project.

Dancers at Dallas convention

Students of Carla's Dance Studio went to Competion and Convention June 29 - July 3.

Jennifer Atchley of Perryton placed 3rd in Jr. Solo's. She did a tap dance to "Funkytown." She is 10 years old and competed in the 9 - 13 Jr. Division.

Also competing were Haley Farber, Alisha LaRochelle and Regina Biggers in a Trio Jazz and Haley and Regina in a Duet Tap.

Other students who attended Dance Convention were Shari Smith and Leah DeArmond both of Spearman and Tiffany Hill, Deidre Shelton and Whitney Killins of Stinnet. All are students of Carla Barkley of Carla's Dance Studio here in Spearman.

Beef Checkoff deemed success by TCU expert

Texas Christian University ranching expert John Merrill has voted the National Beef Check-Off campaign a success. In an effort to better market their product, beef producers have contributed checkoff dollars to increase research, education, advertising and promotion. According to Merrill, these efforts are beginning to pay off in higher consumer demand for beef and increased profits for ranchers.

For the first time in several years the demand for beef in the last quarter of 1987 increased, and Merrill expects that demand will continue to improve.

Updated research and a response to consumer's concerns about too much fat are cited as major reasons for the upswing in beef sales, Merrill noted.

"From our research we learned that the dietary guidelines available for beef were based on samples taken in the 1960s when beef was much fatter," stated Merrill. "In addition, past statistics used the whole carcass rather than the trimmed, cooked portions we actually eat."

The latest research also shows that a change in cattle feeding practices has produced a dramatic change in the fat content of beef.

"A market basket survey just completed shows 27 percent less fat on the beef produced in 1987 than in 1986," Merrill said. "New research also indicates that much of the saturated fatty acids found in beef are in fact stearic acid which may actually reduce heart problems."

12 semester hours of course work.



The Spearman All Star Boys Baseball team participated in an All Star tournament this weekend in Guymon, Okla. The All Stars from Spearman are: Back row [l to r] Jeff Beedy, Fred Mayfield, and Allen Varnon all coaches. Players back row [I to r] Chris Beck, Jason Varnon, Paul Trosper and Radar Garcia, Middle row [I to r] Justin Arnold, Brent

Collins, Chad Wilkerson, and Valentine Macias. Front row [1 to 2] Toby Thompson, Shane Schneider, Cass Lasater and Blake Beedy. Not pictured Matt Archer and David Baca. The All Star team will be playing in the Stratford All Star Tournament beginning Tuesday.

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Going over down under

The meetings in Lake Taupo, New Zealand, started off with a bang. I flew 10,000 miles to participate in a "country meeting." I thought they meant warriors from the Polynesian warrior tribes. Turns out they meant country-western and everybody was wearing boots and Stetsons. I said to a dark-skinned fellow I assumed was a Maouri, "Pango Pango Wairakei" which I was told was a friendly greeting. He replied, "Howdy."

Stetsons are not made in the U.S. anymore, but there is a black market trade for them in New Zealand and they can still be had if you know the right hatter. They are made from rabbit fur. It takes ten rabbits for a hat. I was warned not to buy two and keep them together.

"What would happen?" I asked.
"You'd be overrun by caps,"
was the answer.

Lake Taupo is the home of thermal springs, lots of geysers, and steam spouts out of the what the South Islanders refer to as "The Mainland." I felt like I had entered the Confederacy.

This is still a young country, no

This is still a young country, no more than 150 years old, 3 million people, 1 million under the age of 21, and 65 million sheep. Some 100,000 are unemployed. The people, not the sheep.

There are two TV stations in the entire country and everybody who has a set has his choice of watching Channel 1 or 2. To tell you how exciting they are, most people watch sheep.

New Zealanders (Kiwis) have a great sense of humor. I saw a car in Nelson (on the South Island) with a bumper sticker that read, "If you don't like the way I drive, stay off the sidewalk."

It was parked on the sidewalk.
Just outside Greymouth, I stopped in a service station for petrol.
The owner told me he had no petrol because of his banker's narrow-

minded attitude about credit and

government policy which stifled

individual initiative. I have no idea what that meant, but I bought refreshments from him to do what I could to help. Next to the cash register was a sign that read, "Work for your tupper. Don't steal—The government hates competition."

"How would you describe the accomplishments of your politicians," I asked.

"They don't know cheese from chalk," he replied.

I rather like the descriptive

powers of that remark.

As one Kiwi told me in Queenstown, "The government is like my wife. She wants to have me cremated and put in an egg timer

so even after I'm gone, I can go

right on working."

Back in Wellington, on my way to Australia, I stopped in a tearoom (place to eat) and saw a sign that summed up the spirit of these hearty people. "Those of you who think you know everything are very annoying to those of us who do."

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Letter to the editor

Hansford Activity Center is still

alive and kicking

The Hansford Activity Center is not going broke this summer!

There is a runor going around to this effect and some members of our community are using this as an excuse to not give to the sustaining drive. Thinking like that will certainly be self-fulfilling! If people who normally give do not this year, it will not be good for the Center.

it will not be good for the Center.
About \$15,000 has already come

in on the drive and there are approximately 250 people, businesses, etc. on our list who always give who have not yet. This money does not have to be used much for daily expenses during the summer as the swimming pool helps make the Center self-sustaining through

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ground. Because of this, the swim-

ming pools are like giant jacuzzis.

It is Fall down under and the

temperature can drop to near zero

(celsius) overnight. I never learned

exactly how cold that was but I

learned how to ice skate on the way

Leaving the North Island we

drove (on the left . . . most of 'he

time) to the South Island of Ne y

Zealand (via a 3-hour ferry ride) to

to my morning swim.

The First Texas Panhandle Relay Race will bring some money in by August 20th, the day of the Race, and the Harvest Ball will bring in

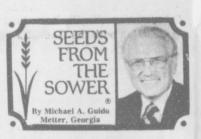
more during November so, with the support of those who normally donate, the Center will stay open.

If you have been contacted, but have not sent your check, please go ahead and send it to Box 4. If you have not been contacted but think the Activity Center is a big asset to our community, whether or not you use it or have children or grand-children in the programs, please sit down today, write out a check, and send it to Hansford Activity Center Box 4, Spearman, 79081.

If you have supported the drive every year but no one has called or seen you this year, don't wait. Go ahead and send your check.

The Center is NOT closing and will not close as long as you support it as you always have.

Wanda Archer



Two boys from the ghetto were invited to a Salvation Army banquet. As they put their hands on the clean, white tablecloth, one boasted, "My hands are dirtier than yours." "Yea," admitted the other, "but you're two years older."

So sin, if allowed to continue, develops a dirty life. It stains your soul, taints your thoughts, soils your speech, cheapens your character; and it contaminates all that it contacts.

What can wash away our sins? The Bible says, "The blood of Jesus cleanses us from every sin."

Man may be able to polish, but only Christ can cleanse. Why don't you let Him cleanse your life and cure your sinning?











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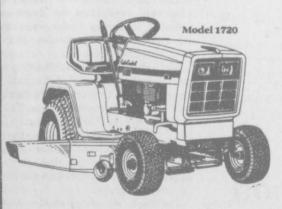
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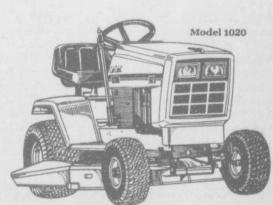
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GARAGE SALE: 130 N. Hoskins. Friday 15 and Saturday 16, 9 a.m. S37 1tp

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The family of Raymond Sparks acknowledges with deepest appreciation all of the expressions of sympathy, food, cards and Memorials that we received upon the death of our

Nadine Melam Joyce Ray Hanes

A gift in loving memory to the American Heart Association is a gift that lives on-giving us hope for a healthy future. Please give generously. We're fighting for your life. Give o through your local bank of call

LEGAL NOTICE

Applications are now being taken for the position of County Auditor for Hansford County. By law, anyone applying for this position must have the following qualifications:

1. Be of unquestionable good moral character and intelligence; 2. Be thoroughly competent in public business details; and,

3. Be a competent accountant of a least two (2) years experience in auditing and accounting.

Please submit written resume on

or before August 1, 1988, to J.E. Blackburn, District Judge, P.O. Box 38, Spearman, Texas 79081. Hansford County is an equal

opportunity employer. S35S-5t-Sonly

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposal for group term life, accidental death and dismemberment, and medical insurance will be received by the City of Spearman until 2:00 p.m. on August 15, 1988.

Bidders must provide two (2) copies of their proposals. The envelope or container in which bids are sent or hand-delivered should be clearly marked as "Sealed Life and Health Insurance Bid."

Bids should conform as closely as possible to the attached specifications. Any deviations from the attached specifications should be enumerated in a separate page attached to and made a part of the proposals.

The City of Spearman reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities. The City of Spearman is not required to select the lowest bid, but shall take into consideration other factors such as ability to service the contract, past experience, and financial stability. The City of Spearman reserves the right to award the bid to serve the best interests of its employees, as judged by the City.

Attached to these specifications is an employee census showing dates of birth, sex, salary, and whether the employee has covered

Any questions regarding the specifications should be addressed to Jim Murray at (806) 659-2524.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE of CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER UTILITY SERVICE IN HANSFORD COUNTY

Morse Utility, Inc., has filed an application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity with the Texas Water Commission to provide water utility service in Hansford County. The proposed service area is approximately 15 miles south of Gruver Texas and generally bounded by Hutchinson County line on south and Texas Highway FAS 136 on the east.

The total area being requested includes approximately one square

Persons who wish to intervene or comment should write the:

Rates Section Water Utilities Division Texas Water Commission P.O. Box 13087

Austin, Texas 78711-3087 within 30 days from the date of this publication or notice. No public hearing will be held unless a request for hearing is received. Only those individuals who sumit a written request to be notified of hearing schedules will receive notice if a hearing is scheduled. S36-2t

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Keeping your weight at a moderate level may scale down your risk of heart attack. So maintain a healthy diet and lighten up on your



Heart Association has 53 meeting in Houston

"Volunteers Make a Difference" is the theme of the American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate's 53rd Annual Meeting of the Membership on July 15 - 17 at the Westin Galleria Hotel in Houston.

The AHA is a community-based volunteer organization that devotes all of its human and financial resources to preventing premature death and disability due to heart disease and stroke. Over two hundred volunteer leaders serving as delegates, officers, and board members from across the state are gathering in Houston to review the policies and goals for the coming year and elect officers and directors for 1988-89.

A Leadership Conference designed to help volunteers sharpen leadership skills as officers, directors, and chairmen on the local level will be held on Friday, July 15. Participants will learn how to conduct successful fund raising activities, market AHA community service programs, and inform the public of AHA activities.

Newly elected National Chairman of the Board of the American Heart Association, W.W. (Bill) Aston will close the Leadership Conference. Aston is the former president, chairman, and chief executive officer of the Dallas Power and Light Company. Aston first became an AHA volunteer in the Dallas Division and served as its Chariman of the Board. He served as the Texas Affiliate's Chairman of the Board from

The 15th Annual Stroke Conference, with this year's theme of 'Getting On With It: Returning to Independence," will also be held in conjunction with the Annual Meeting. This conference is designed to demonstrate how stroke victims can help themselves, and how the family takes a role in the patient's rehabilitation. Stroke victims will give a special demonstration on one-handed functions for daily living, such as how to dress and how to get food out of a can.

Stroke Conference speakers include: James B. Murphy, Ph.D. speaking on the topic "Going and Getting: Using Support Groups to Get On With Life" and Kathy-Adler Baugh, ACSW, CSW-HCP speaking on "Community Resources -- Gaining and Maintaining Independence."

Also at the Research Luncheon, J. Kent Trinkle, M.D., a cardiothoracic surgeon from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, will talk about the heart and heart and lung transplantation program at his institution and will relate some successful transplants. Also, Dr. Trinkle will discuss the importance of organ donor programs.

The Annual Meeting's highlight is the Awards Dinner on Saturday evening. Awards will be presented to the outstanding lay, nuise and medical professional volunteers to over twenty other outstanding volunteers for their service in Texas. The Paul R. Ellis Media Awards,

given to members of the Texas media who have done an outstanding job of covering the cardiovascular disease problem during the last year, will also be presented at the Awards Dinner. The 1988 Ellis Award winners, by category, include: Radio -- Large Markets: Tim Fleck, "Cardiac Crisis" five-part news series on the dangers, early warning signs, and

News Radio, Houston; Radio --Small Markets: Bert Williams, "Heartbeat" - a one-hour collection of heart songs and interviews about heart disease, KPSM-FM. Brownwood; Television -- Major Metro: Susan Starnes, reporter, Kirk Kauder, photographer, "Heart to Heart" - five part series on heart disease and prevention techniques, KHOU-TV, Houston; Television -- All Other Markets: Judy Maggio, "Cholesterol and Its Role in Heart Disease" - three part series, KVUE-TV, Austin; Newspaper -- Large: Ruth SoRelle, 'Cholesterol' article and 'Lovastatin' article, Houston Chronicle, Houston; Newspaper -- Medium: Anne Dodson, "Sick at Heart: A coronary crisis" - first person story of having a heart attack, Corpus Christi Caller-Times, Corpus Christi; Newspaper -- Small: Susan Hanson, "Heart: Jeff Henderson has reason to celebrate" -- a dramatic change in a professor's life after undergoing valve replacement surgery, San Marcos Daily Record, San Marcos; Special Media: Margaret Roberts and Shelley Norden, Special section of the Methodist Hospital journal devoted to heart attacks, The Methodist Hospital, Houston; and Ethnic Audience: Carol Bryce, "Cuidando El Corazon" (Caring for Your Heart) -- A Weight Reduction and Management Program for Mexican American Families, Baylor College of Medicine,

prevention of heart disease, KTRH

Newly elected officers and board of directors will conduct their first board meeting of the 1988-89 fiscal year on Sunday, July 17.

Local Happening? Special Event? Club Meeting?

If it's important to you, it's important to us.

Let us know about your event and we'll do our best to get you the publicity it deserves both before and after.

Call 659-3434 Today! The Spearman Reporter The Gruver Statesman The Hansford Plainsman

Among the Neighbors

By Helen Fisher

A couple of Hansford County kids shocked the community by gleefully announcing the arrival of their first great grandchild, Andrew Guy Dixon; Peggy and Carl Archer being the proud great grandparents.

Andrew Guy was born on June 24 at Greenville, So. Car. His parents are Shannon and Mike Dixon of Clemson.

Grandparents are Mary and Perry Dixon of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas of Oklahoma City; great grandparents other than the Archers are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lovett of Perryton, Mrs. Luthera Dixon of Morse and John Feltsman of Memphis, Tenn.

Being equally proud is first-time aunt, Carlee Dixon of Lubbock and aunt and uncle Connie and Monte Dixon of Morse.

Welcome guests of Lois and Woody Gibner at their grandchildren and mother, Karen Gibner drove down with Alyssa, Lindsey, and Kelly, arriving last Saturday. They live in Portland, Ore.

They will be here for several days with Linn Gibner arriving on Wednesday.

They enjoyed the fireworks at Gruver on the 4th and are looking forward to other Panhandle activities.

Barbara and Jack Jaquess and children of Tahoka are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kitchens, Jr. They will be here several days, as Barbara who attended school here will be greeting old friends.

Sympathy is extended to the Peter Wall family on the passing of his mother last week in Stratford.

The swimming pool park was the setting for the family reunion of the late Ethel and Roscoe Walberry last Saturday evening. After a hamburger cookout the cool swimming pool attracted all.

Further cooling was made possible by the good homemade ice cream served later.

Sunday morning the families met

at the park for donuts and coffee, and late in the afternoon, a picnic ended the reunion.

Memories of their foreparents and childhood were rekindled for the pleasure of those who remembered and the edification of the younger family members.

Attending were: David and Patti Martin of Irving, Tx; Cynthia Simms, Cleburne; Carman and L.J. George with Leslie; Vicki and Kromer with Faith, Shawna and Cliff all of Vinson, Ok.; Sandy and Sonja Burch of Bushton, of Kan. From Spearman: Ruth (Walberry) and Kenneth Burch; Terry and Tammie Burch with Brandi, Natasha, Joseph, Jacob and Jeremy; Carma and Elbert Dorton with Megan; Debbie and James George with Derek, Sara and Jarod; Bill Martin, Billy Martin, June Potts and friend Ruth Baker. and a friend from Vinson, Mr. Coy.

The report from Frances Williams is that she is recovering from surgery performed late Tuesday. She is in room 334 at St. Anthonys Hospital and is expected to be there several more days.

Her brother, Lewis Brown, of Irvin came up to be with her. Friends from Spearman, Charlotte Sheets and Phyllis Cummings were also with her, as well as her son of Amarillo.

Club News

The Gladiola Flower Club

The Gladiola Flower Club met Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. Dickie Allen.

President Ann Flowers presided over the business meeting. The minutes of the July 7 meeting were read. Roll was called and answered with "The place in our country I've enjoyed most."

Dorothy Haner gave a report on the life of Sara Childress Polk, one of the presidents wives of the U.S.A. Lorene Kunselman gave a most interesting program on how to make a beautiful decorative photo album cover.

June Jackson won the arrangement of flowers category with a bouquet of African Daisies.

Coffee, cake and fresh fruit was served by hostess Dickie Allen to the following: Mrs. Dorothy Buzzard, Mrs. Rose Cummings, Mrs. Betty Jean Davis, Mrs. Margarette Evans, Mrs. Ann Flowers, Mrs. Dorothy Haner, Mrs. June Jackson, Mrs. Lorene Kunselman, Mrs. Kathleen Sutton, and Mrs. Virginia Trindle.

The July 21 meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Myra Berner, with Myra in charge of the program. SCOUT Camp

Yucca Girl Scout Council sponsors a resident camp for girls who have completed second and third grade. This camp is held at Camp Gibson near Hardesty, Ok. and offers many opportunities such as hiking, swimming, learning about nature and getting to know the out-of-doors. This resident camp, Adventure I is available to Girl Scouts and non-scouts with the following dates set: Session I-August 1-3

Session II-August 3-5
Session I and II are for 2nd and 3rd
graders.

Session III-August 1-5 for third

Contact Yucca Girl Scout Council, P.O. Box 70, Guymon, Ok. 73942, or call 405-338-6414.

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Honoring
Priscilla Katie Farris
daughter of Darl & Sally Farris
Monday, July 11 at 8 p.m.
at the home Claudine Clark
at 1115 Linn Drive
Given by Hostesses:



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Get Ready Tennis Buffs

for the

Fourth Annual First National Bank

Junior and Open

Tennis Tournament

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Date:

Junior - July 28th and 29th
Open - July 30th and 31st

Place:

Spearman High School's Omni Courts

Benefactor:

Tournament Proceeds and Concessions to benefit
Hansford County Activity Center

Entry Deadline: Noon, Wednesday, July 27th

Entry Form:

Junior Tournament
All Singles events will be played through the
finals on Thursday.
All Doubles events will be played through the
finals on Friday.
\$7.00 per single event \$14.00 per doubles team.

BOYS
Singles
Doubles
Singles
Doubles

10 and under
12 and under
14 and under
16 and under
18 and under

NAME:
ADDRESS:
TELEPHONE:

Open Tournament
All Singles events will be played through the finals on Saturday.
All Doubles events will be played through the finals on Sunday.
\$8.00 per single event, \$16.00 per doubles team. Limit (2) events per person. Starting time is 8:30 a.m.

Limit (3) events per person. Starting time 8:30 a.m.

Women's singles
Women's doubles
Men's singles
Men's doubles
Mixed Doubles
NAME:
ADDRESS:
TELEPHONE:
SEEDING INFORMATION:

Send entries to: First National Bank, P. O. Box 337, Spearman, Texas 79081 Phone: (806)659-5544

Tournament Directors: Don and Barbara Townsen, (806) 659-2735

SEEDING INFORMATION:

Entry Forms available at First National Bank of Spearman

Proceeds to benefit Hansford County Activity Center



Hours: Mon. - Fri. 7:30 - 3:00

Open Thurs.

4 p.m. - 6 p.m.