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Mountaineers To See First Scrimmage Fri.

The Santa Anna High School varsity Mountaineers will see action in their first scrimmage Friday evening at 6 p.m. at Mountaineer Stadium against the Evant Elks. Coaches will be looking at how well the offense can adapt to different defenses and looking for the best people to fill several key positions. This years Mountaineers pictured above are front row, Bo Morgan,

Michael Malaer, Allan Tucker, Jesse Tucker, Ignacio Guerrero, Bennie Bible, Erwin Loyd and Adam Lapin; middle row, Tristan Tomme, Bobby Hale, Brian Coyle, Mosies Mata; Adam Garza, Dustin Maedgin, Brent Beal, Clay Crossley and David Coyle; ar.J. back row, Cole McBride, J. J. Beloit, Michael Padilla, Jesse Goodman, Junior Padilla, Chris Boyet, Eric Ellerbe and Casey Herring.

Council Discusses Closing 3rd Street Railroad Crossing; City Pumping Water From Lake Brownwood;

The Santa Anna City Council met for their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, August 11.

Councilmen attending were Jean Findley, Jim Spillman, Kay Yancy and Bobby Morgan. Other attending were Carmen Donham, Lewis Miles Guthrie, Buddy Benge, Chief of Police Carlos Torres, Director of Public Works Doug Watson, Assistant Secretary/Court Clerk Cindy Pelton and City Secretary Alys Pelton.

Carmen Donham discussed with the council the handling of the dog who bit her. The Council agreed that the situation was not handled properly and corrections for dog bits will be made in the future.

Lewis Miles Guthrie discusses concerns over the cemetery's water bill. He suggested billing the people who are watering be charged a set amount on their residential bills. The City is unable to do this and stated that it is the cemetery association's to collect from those watering.

A city water customer discussed a water bill. They asked the council to adjust the water bill since the customer is on a fixed income. The Council informed the person that an adjustment could not be made but the bill could be paid out.

The resolution for the traffic signals on Wallis Avenue could not be found and the matter was tabled.

The annual contribution to the Green Thumb program was approved. This pays the salary of the

library employee. The City pays \$250.00 in quarterly payments of \$62.50.

The City Employee's medical insurance is up for renewal. TML Group Benefit Risk Pool will be raising their rates. Medical insurance will increase from \$223.64 to \$246.00 with dental and vision insurance premiums remaining the same. This was approved without change to benefits.

The setting of the 1998 property tax rate was tabled until further information can be obtained about the reported rates.

The utility rate ordinance was discussed. The City will be turning on the water pumps at Lake Brownwood which will cost an additional estimated \$3,000.00 per month. Also the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission has set a deadline for the mountain storage facility to be painted, if the deadline is missed the City will be fined.

The new rate ordinance change will be for minimum usage only. The proposed minimum usage will go down to 2,000 gallons from 3,000 gallons with actual rates not increasing. Customers who use more than 2,000 gallons per month will see an increase of \$4.50 per month. Another proposed change is a charge of 1-1/2 times the rate if you live more than 1/2 miles outside the city limits. There are many problems when people say they live within the 1/2 mile radius and the City will have to measure

the distance. To simply the matter would be to set is as anyone outside the city limits. The matter was tabled under the next meeting.

Director of Public Doug Watson reported six water leaks during the month. He has spoke with Guy Godfrey with the Texas Department of Transportation regarding the Third Street railroad crossing and putting in a guarded crossing at 5th street. This would increase traffic on the Second Street crossing and Godfrey will do a vehicle county survey to see if a guarded crossing would be warranted on Second Street.

Watson reported that problems with BFI are continuing. The facility manager has changed with David Kelly the new facility manager. Kelly has assured Watson the problems will be addressed. The BFI billing shows an increase in the residential count without the City reporting any new figures. The City has contacted the billing clerk for BFI and they are working to get the matter corrected.

Barbara Metcalf with Central Texas Opportunities has spoke to Watson about the City applying for a grant to upgrade the Armory to put in a head start program.

Watson informed the Council that the City will no longer contracting for equipment services with the public. The City does not have the time and it is taking work away from people who contract for services. New larger speed limit signs will be put up on Wallis Avenue in the near future. Bill Gilbreath is still interested in

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October 17 Date Set For Frontier Heritage Festival

Santa Anna's Frontier Heritage Festival has been set for Saturday, October 17 with the Cavalry drill team to be on hand again to present a thrilling show.

It is expected that other activities will include cook-offs, Comanche Indians, and living history exhibitions. Plans are in the making now so make your plans to take in the activities that day.

Telephone Cooperative Meeting Set For Saturday

The 44th annual membership meeting of Coleman County Telephone Cooperative will be Saturday, August 22 at Mountaineer Stadium on the school campus. (In the event of inclement weather, the meeting will be moved to the high school auditorium.) Registration will be from 7 to 8 p.m., at which time the business meeting will begin.

Items on the agenda for the business session include the report of officers, election of directors and other business which may come before the meeting.

Nominees for new directors are Tommie Connelly and Charles Andrews for Burkett; Jerry Allen and Gary Wilson for Mozelle; and Glenda Gassiot and Betsy Davis for Valera.

All members of the Cooperative are urged to attend the meeting and vote for the directors of their choice.

Door prizes will be presented to members as they register. Only members who attend are eligible to win prizes and vote. There will also be a drawing for prizes at the conclusion of the business meeting. Free cold drinks will be served.

Manager of the cooperative is Mike Walton; Jerry Allen, president; Donnie Neff, vice president; Tommie Connelly, secretary; Glenda Gassiot, Stanley Hartman, Royce McIver and Glen Scarborough.

School Begins With Four More Students Than Last Year

School enrollment is up by four this year at Santa Anna ISD. Enrollment on Tuesday morning following the start of school Friday morning showed a total of 287 students compared to 283 last year.

The figures include students from the local district who are attending CAP High School.

A breakdown by grades is: K 20; 1st 21; 2nd 20; 3rd 23; 4th 23; 5th 24; 6th 28; 7th 20; 8th 26; 9th 23; 10th 21; 11th 15; 12th 16; and CAP 7.

Give Thanks For Rain!



Rainfall Measurements are a total from Wed. of last week thru Tues.

Santa Anna - .90 of an inch
Claudia Rutherford reporting from near Rockwood - 1.30.

Leona Henderson reporting from near Trickhan - .40

Kirk Johnson & David Key reporting from Plainview community - 1.37.

Trudi Rutherford at Whon reports a whopping 2.30 inches for that time period.

NEWS Office Will Be Closed Fridays During August



School Board Sets Proposed Tax Rate At \$1.50 Per \$100 Evaluation

The Santa Anna ISD Board of Trustees met Tuesday evening, August 11 with board members Roddy Dean, Mike Pritchard, Sharon Guthrie, Sandra Ferrara, Paul Martin, Gay Abernathy and J. R. Salazar.

Also present were Superintendent of School Dean Bass, Business Manager Judy Hartman, Secondary Principal Lee Coffman, Elementary Principal Debbie Bacon, Gail Loyd, David Robinett, Montie Guthrie, Lois Harper and Gay Martin.

Gail Loyd gave the board a brief report of the work accomplishment by the JTPA Summer Program.

The Board set the proposed tax

rate for the 1998 collection year at \$1.50 per valuation. The rate will be voted on at a September 3 meeting.

During the Superintendent's Report, it was agreed to schedule the September meeting for September 14. Montie Guthrie presented the 1998 Accountability Rating for the district and each campus (also known as the school report card).

Superintendent Bass gave the board brochures and other information received from Jeff Robert with First Southwest Company. He gave a bus/vehicle condition report. Various plant improvement projects were discussed.

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Obituaries

Terry Pickett

Terry Pickett, 42, of Coleman, died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998 at Coleman County Medical Center. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 19, 1998 at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Paul Smith officiating. Burial followed at Fairview Cemetery with full military honors. He was born July 6, 1956 in Coleman where he grew up and attended school. He served in the U. S. Army from 1973 until 1993, when he retired with the rank of E7. On Jan. 19, 1980, he married Cathy Smith in Coleman. He moved to Coleman after retiring from the military. His last assignment was Ft. Dix, NJ. He was a general contractor and a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Tye Pickett of Coleman; a daughter, Christy Pickett of Coleman; his father, Gaylen Pickett of Coleman; his mother and step-father, Rita and Clint Day of Santa Anna; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Tammy and Dennis Franke of Santa Anna and Tina and J. W. Johnson of Placada; his grandmother, Willie Mae Wilson of Santa Anna; a number of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

William A. Mills

HALTOM CITY—William A. "Bill" Mills, 48, a cabinet maker, died Sunday, Aug. 9, 1998 in Fort Worth.

Services were held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1998 at Mount Olivet Funeral Home with burial in Greenwood Memorial Park.

He was born June 7, 1950 in Grand Prairie. He was a Vietnam War Navy veteran and a member of the Church of Christ and Boy Scouts.

Survivors include his wife Tawana Mills of Haltom City; three sons, Brandon Mills, Travis Mills and Emmett Mills of the home; a daughter, Rachel Mills of the home; his father and mother, George and Rose Marie Mills of Ferris; his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Emmett and Eunice Cupps Terry of Watauga; a brother, Johnny Mills of Garland; a sister and brother-in-law, Beverly and Mikell Harrod of Montgomery; two sisters-in-law and their husbands, Sherrill and Rand Carlson and Cindy and Jack Bryant; and numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Lena Jennings

Lena Jennings, 87, of Arnold, Calif. died Monday, July 20, 1998. A church service was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 22, 1998 at the First Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. John Denney officiating.

She was born in Santa Anna to the late Claude and Lela Baugh Hodges on Oct. 31, 1910. She was a Porterville, Calif. area resident for 19 years prior to moving to Arnold three months ago. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Church of the Nazarene in Porterville.

Survivors include her husband Richard Jennings of Arnold; two sons, Kenneth Jennings of Arnold and Herschell Jennings of Alta Loma, CA; two sisters, Ilene Ellis of Brownwood and Gwendolyn Garey of Buckholts, TX; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Rockwood Ice Cream Supper Enjoyed By All

Contributed
An eating and visiting good time was had by all who attended the ice cream supper at Rockwood last Saturday night. The Rockwood ladies did themselves with the ice cream, cakes and cookies. I don't think anyone can beat them.

We had a good turn-out with 23 in attendance. They were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darden; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. Elc Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Whisenant; Coleta Pearson; Claudia Rutherford; Minnie Bray; Faye Wise; Frosty Robinson; Mrs. John Gregg; Mrs. Hettie Scarborough; Mrs. Doris Stearns; and Mrs. and Mrs. Jr. Brusenhan. Our next supper will be in October; in the meantime you can be looking forward to the Rockwood Homecoming in September. There will be more about that later on.

NEWS Office Will Be Closed Fridays During August

Lillian Preas

Lillian Preas, 99, of Brownwood, died Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1998 in the Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 13, 1998 in Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. R. J. Elkins officiating. Burial followed in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

Born in Pulaski, Tenn., she married John W. Preas in Santa Anna in 1918, and the couple moved to Brownwood in 1927. She was a Harvey Girl for 10 years, until the Harvey House closed during the depression. The Preas ran a cafe from 1940 until 1955, and she continued cafe work until 1967. She was also a private duty nurse for 17 years, and didn't retire until she reached the age of 82. A member of the Brownwood Rebekah Lodge since 1931, she served as Noble Grand four terms and the other offices many times. She was Lodge Deputy for 15 years and District Deputy for two years, and she represented her lodge at the state assembly for 12 years. She received the Decoration of Chivalry in 1947, the highest honor that the lodge can give.

Survivors include two daughters, Mildred Graves of Kerrville and Bessie Mae "Bunk" Ellis of Brownwood; a brother, Bill Davis of Midland; six grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and 34 great-great-grandchildren.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

AUGUST 20

Dorothy Eisenhower
Sharon Greenlee
Derriel Warnock
Toni Watson
Danny Wheatley

AUGUST 21

Heather Bradley
Jason Wade Dean
Candi Daniel Dockery
Kathy Hudson
Mr&Mrs. Zane Keeney*

AUGUST 22

Tim Abernathy
Bobby Chamberlin
Molly Pritchard

AUGUST 23

Jeff Greenlee
Tom Guthrie
Lois Ann Harper

AUGUST 24

Brent Beal
Kelly Rose Nixon

AUGUST 25

J.E. Casey Jr.
Jim Laubhan
Oleta Mobley
Mr&Mrs David Horner*

AUGUST 26

Vicki Drake
Danna Jones
Guy McElrath
Tara D'Ann Watts
Pat Wright

Dorcas Class Enjoys Picnic

Contributed
The Dorcas Class of First Baptist Church met in the church annex on Thursday, August 13. A good fellowship and food was enjoyed by all. Those present were Edna Adian, Carmen Donham, Annette Clark, Dorothy Harris, Katherine Horner, Opal Langford, Virgie Morgan and Winnie Rutherford.

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County Court Disposes Of Two Cases; Hears Arraignments

District Attorney Ross L. Jones presented the following cases before Judge Jess Holloway on Thursday, August 6:

Lorenzo Castillo pled guilty to Aggravated Robbery of the southside Allsup's Store in Coleman on March 14, 1998. By plea agreement, he was sentenced to fifteen years confinement in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and was ordered to pay a \$1,000.00 fine, court costs, court-appointed attorney fees and community supervision fees. He was represented by Stuart Holden, defense counsel.

Jamies Tony Owen pled guilty to setting fire to a building located at the City Maintenance Barn on April 4, 1998. Following his plea, he was sentenced to sixteen years confinement in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and was ordered to pay court costs and court-appointed attorney fees. He was represented by defense counsel Stuart Holden.

The following cases were presented for arraignment:

Linda Michelle Estrada, Tampering with a Governmental Record. Stuart Holden was appointed by the Court to represent Estrada.

Stephen Paul Garza, Aggravated Robbery. Dana Smith was appointed to represent Garza in the pending case of Aggravated Robbery of the southside Allsup's store in Coleman.

Lee Dan Griffin, Sexual Assault. Arraignment was rescheduled for August 20.

Christy M. Dean's charge of Forgery was dismissed upon motion filed by the District Attorney as the case was taken into consideration in cases out of Runnels County and the Runnels County Court ordered her to pay restitution on this case to the Coleman County victim.

Rabid Skunk Killed Near Here

According to local veterinarian, Kathy Pearce, a rabid skunk was shot last week on the Jim Rice place south of Santa Anna. Rice and his grandfather, James Rice, had to dispose of all their dogs, which included several puppies, due to the skunk's intrusion. The animals had not been vaccinated.

As a result of the attack, two people who handled some of the wounded animals are now having to take rabies shots.

Dr. Pearce once again reminds people to be sure their pets are vaccinated against rabies since it is definitely in this area. It is always a safety measure to have pets vaccinated.

"Round & About"

Visiting Sunday with Dale and Carol Herring and Casey Wade were Pete and Pam Herring and Lane of Lake Brownwood and Derek Little and Christina Funderburg of Brownwood.

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Sat-Sun 1:30 7:00 9:35

Blade (R)
Fri, Mon-Thurs 4:45 7:15 9:45
Sat-Sun 1:30 4:45 7:15 9:45

Wrongfully Accused
Fri, Mon-Thurs 5:15 7:20 9:30
Sat-Sun 1:15 3:15 5:15 7:20 9:30

The Avengers (PG)
Fri-Thurs 5:00

Schedule Begins
Friday, August 21

Trickham Tidbits

By Anna York

The summer time weather is still staying with us. Some folks had pretty good showers Wednesday but here we only received around two-tenths, however it did stay cloudy and cool for the day, so it was nice and we appreciated that, as it was a break from the heat for a little while.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and little son from Wisconsin are visiting a few days with his grandparents Royce and Wanda McIver. Saturday night they attended an ice cream supper at Rockwood. Their Sunday visitors were Sabrina and Artie Smith and sons Kyle and Phillips from Midland. Kyle and Phillips were on their way to Kerrville to enter college for the fall semester.

Pat and Edna Stearns of Fort Worth visited Tuesday with Mrs. Florence Stearns, R. C. and Ann Stearns spent the day Wednesday with his mother. Verna and Arvil Bolton visited with her Thursday and Saturday Alice Wells of Coleman and Verna Bolton spent the day with their mother. Sunday afternoon Leona Henderson and Novella Stearns visited her.

Paul and Gaynell Martin and children Colt and Sabrina of Santa Anna visited Saturday with Mrs. Gertrude Martin and did some chores for her and had lunch with Felton and Bettie Martin. John Hood from the Brownwood lake visited with Felton Saturday morning.

Grady Clay and Brandi McIver of San Angelo. Sally McIver of Austin and Betsy and Ray Jones and Genia Mae of Santa Anna spent Saturday night with Terry and Helen McIver. Sally is getting ready to enter school at the University of Texas in Austin for the fall semester.

Talmadge and Laverne McClatchy met Joel and Diane McClatchy of Rockwall at the Section Hand Restaurant in Brownwood Tuesday evening for dinner and visiting. Billy Wallace of Lake Whitney

visited with his parents Frank and Lois Wallace in Santa Anna Thursday afternoon and had dinner with them before returning home.

Natalie McIver along with seven other ladies were in Granbury Saturday where they attended the summer presentation of "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" at the Granbury Opera House. Rankin was in Coleman Saturday on business and later visited with Sherrie and Megan Blake.

Annie Lou Vaughn and Earlene Dockery visited in Bangs Sunday afternoon with Rodney and Cellena Guthrie and Mason.

Lois and Frank Wallace were Thursday afternoon visitors with Reba and Elvis Cozart. Reba and Elvis spent the weekend in Snyder visiting with her mother Ilene Haynes.

Shane and Tona Holland and children Jonathan and Charity visited at Brooksmith Saturday with his dad and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Holland. Shane and Tona are doing some remodeling on their home so Greg Kirk who is helping had supper a few evenings.

Let Us Hear About Your "College Bound" Students

With colleges and universities due to being within the next few weeks, we will be running the "College Bound" column again.

We will want to know the name of your student, year of graduation, college attending, course of study and parents names.

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Don And Emily Howard To Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Donald Ray and Emily Howard will be honored with a reception commemorating their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 22. The event will be held in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall in Coleman between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m.

Donald Ray was born and reared in Santa Anna, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard, graduating from Santa Anna High School in 1945. His father will be remembered as a barber who had shop in downtown Santa Anna. He continued his education at Hardin Simmons University in Abilene, receiving his Business Administration degree in 1949.

Emily attended Hardin-Simmons following graduation from high school.

He met Emily Louise McGregor of Abilene at a beginning of the school year party hosted by the University Baptist Church. They were married on Aug. 22, 1948.

While growing up in Santa Anna, Don worked at the local Piggly-Wiggly store for Neal Oakes and went to work in Abilene for Piggly-Wiggly after marrying Emily. While waiting for a manager-position to come available, Don received an offer from Bill

"Hotpoint" Jones to come be office manager for Jones Electric. The couple moved to Coleman and Don began work on June 19, 1950 continuing there until 1954 when he became plant manager for Coleman Butane Gas Company. He retired from Coleman Butane Gas Company after 39 years.

The Howards have three children,

four grandchildren and one great-grandchild who will be hosting the reception. Their children are Donna Sue Pearson of Fairfield, Virginia; Stan of Windsor, South Carolina and Ronnie of Falfurrias, Texas.

Their grandchildren are Glenn Pearson of Herdon, Virginia; Rob Pearson, a student at Texas A&M University in College Station; Brian Howard, a high school senior at Woodberry Forest, a private school in Virginia; and Agnes Marguerite Howard of Windsor, South Carolina. Their great-grandchildren is Jennifer Denali Pearson, daughter of Rob and Rachel Pearson of College Station.

Don and Emily are members of First Baptist Church of Coleman where Don serves as deacon. They are also members of the Men's Challenge Sunday School Class and the ladies Lydia Sunday School Class and the Triple L Club. Their hobbies through the years have been hunting, fishing and traveling including going to Hords Creek Lake with their travel trailer. As their children were growing up the couple were involved in sports, Girl and Boy Scouts, Little League and Senior League baseball and many church activities.

Emily is a past member of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club and Don is a master mason, belonging to Coleman Lodge #496.

Everyone is invited to come to the golden anniversary reception and the couple request the only gift you bring is your attendance on Saturday, August 22.

Commissioners Hire Jeffrey Osbourn As County Agent

Contributed
During a special meeting of the Coleman County Commissioners Monday morning, as they were addressing the budget for the new year, commissioners took time to address another agenda item, the interviewing and hiring of a County Agent.

In June, former County Agent Farron Sultemeier submitted his resignation when he and his wife returned to Johnson City. It was hoped a new agent would be found quickly and commissioners were very pleased that they could hire one within a six week period.

Jeffrey Osbourn, 25, along with District Extension Directors Scott Durham and Renee Sanders of San Angelo, appeared before commissioners. After a short interview with all commissioners present, Osbourn was hired and will begin his duties on October 1. Also present was Coleman County Judge Sherrill Ragsdale.

Osbourn, who originally comes from Llano, is married and his wife Jennifer is also from Llano. They have one child, a seventeen month old daughter Hailey. He stated his wife is presently manager of the Bathand Body Shop in Amarillo.

Osbourn graduated from Angelo State University in 1996 majoring in Animal Science. He has served as County Agent for the past two years in Canyon (Randall County).

Osbourn said in a short interview, "I am very excited about coming to Coleman. I look forward to working with the Commissioners Court and co-workers along with the people of Coleman County."

Buna And Mack Baucom 1998 Family Reunion Held At Lake Palestine

Contributed
The Baucom Family Reunion was held this year in Tyler, Texas at the Lake of the Pine's Resort on Lake Palestine. The reunion this year was a one week affair from Friday, June 19 through Friday, June 26. The host and hostess of the reunion were Theresa Baucom, and Barbara and Larry Osborne.

Many activities were planned along with the traditional eating and visiting activities. Among the activities this year were softball games, swimming, trips to Tyler Zoo, and Brookshire Museum and lunch out at McDonalds. Also, there were craft activities for the children. The crafts included cooking, sand-art, treasure chest painting, leaf collecting and a few others.

We had family members and friends from Washington, California, Utah, New Mexico, Missouri, Oklahoma as well as Texas. There were 70 folks present at the reunion with most there for the first weekend and 33 staying for the full seven days.

Our business meeting was held on Sunday morning. We decided to hold our next year's reunion in Oklahoma at Robber's Cave resort in July. The children of Mack Baucom, Jr.--Darren, Dedre, Donna and Debbie--will be in charge of the '99 reunion. Also, after the business meeting we held a craft auction. We raised over \$600.00 to help with the reunion expense.

Again, we would like to express our thanks to Theresa, Barbara and Larry for providing an exciting, action filled week. It will be hard to out do their efforts.

Those attending were Pat Jones, Leon Jones, Michael Jones, Dianne

Jones, Shaun Jones, Candice Jones, Ryan Jones, Britni Jones, Zachary Jones, Charles Jones, Austin Sass, Mary John Burns, Frank Burns, Theresa Baucom, Hilda Baucom,

Darren Baucom, Susan Baucom, Ryan Baucom, Laren Baucom, Brooke Baucom, Dedre Beaman, Carl Beaman, Britni Beaman, Taylor Beaman; Alex Beaman, Donna Jones, Bryan Johnson, Bryan Montgomery, Dereck Walters, Preston Johnson, Parker Johnson, Debbie Auston, Richard Auston,

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Brandon Cloud, Cary Morgan, Army, Cameron Morgan, Gregg Dobbert, Barbara Dobbert, Michael Dobbert, Brian Baucom, Glenda Baucom, Tina Shimek, Arron Shimek, Garrett Shimek, Kevin Baucom, Barbara Osborne, Larry Osborne, Robert Baucom, Beth Moore and Bill Moore.

Methodist Youth Will Wash Cars And Sell Brisket

The Methodist Youth group will hold a car wash and brisket feed Saturday, September 5, at the parking lot of Holt's General Store. Along with getting your vehicle washed you can buy brisket sandwiches or a whole brisket to feed your Labor Day weekend guests. Hunters can purchase a whole or half brisket to feed their hunting group on that first weekend of the new hunting season.

If you would like to order ahead for a brisket to pick up contact Terry McIver at 348-3110 or 348-3746; or Rev. Kermit Sorrells at 348-3776 or 348-3667.

Funds raised will be used for the Methodist Youth activities and meals for their meetings throughout the coming year.


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Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the members of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will be held at the Santa Anna Football Stadium (in case of bad weather, the High School Gymnasium) at Santa Anna, Texas, on Saturday, August 22, 1998 at 8:00 P.M. (registration beginning at 7:00 P.M.) to take action on the following matters, to wit:

- Report of Officers
- Election of three directors of said Cooperative. You must be a member of the Cooperative and attend the meeting to vote. The nominees are as follows:

| BURKETT | |
|---|---|
| Tommie Connelly Route 1 Box 14 Burkett, Texas 76828 | Charles Andrews Route 1 Box 15 Burkett, Texas 76828 |
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| Jerry Allen HCR 76 Box 97 Coleman, Texas 76834 | Gary Wilson HCR 73 Box 3 Valera, Texas 76884 |
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August School Events

August 21:
Football scrimmage--
Mountaineers vs. Evant--here-6
p.m.

August 25:
Volleyball--Mountaineers vs.
Miles--there--5 p.m.

August 27:
Football .scrimmage--
Mountaineers vs. Robert Lee--
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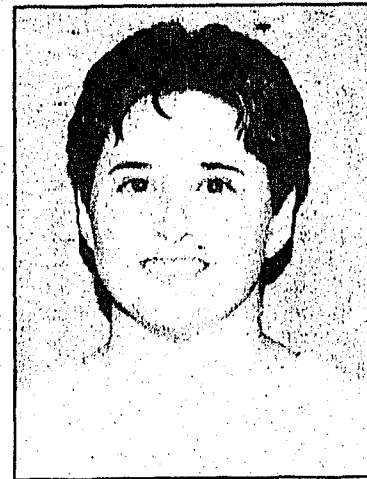
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1998 Mountaineer Football Schedule

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|-----------|--------------|-------|-----------|
| Aug. 21 | Evant | Here | 6 p.m. |
| Aug. 27 | Robert Lee | There | TBA |
| Sept. 4 | Christoval | There | 8 p.m. |
| Sept. 11 | Rising Star | Here | 8 p.m. |
| Sept. 18 | May | There | 7:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 25 | Bryson | Here | 8 p.m. |
| Oct. 2 | Giddings | Here | 6:30 p.m. |
| *Oct. 9 | Bronte | There | 7:30 p.m. |
| **Oct. 16 | Miles | Here | 7:30 p.m. |
| *Oct. 23 | Baird | There | 7:30 p.m. |
| *Oct. 30 | Cross Plains | There | 7:30 p.m. |
| *Nov. 6 | Eden | Here | 7:30 p.m. |

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Previous schools taught in: Head Football coach at Lohn High School, Bi-District Champions with a record of 8-3

Education: Cisco Junior College Associates in Applied Science and Bachelor of Science from Texas Tech University

What influenced you to become a teacher: My teachers and coaches influenced me the most in pursuing the teaching field.



Mountaineers Return Seven Lettermen

The Santa Anna Mountaineers will have seven returning lettermen playing this year. Returning are front row, Clay Crossley, senior; Jesse Castillo, junior; and David Coyle, senior; and back row, Junior Padilla, senior; Jesse Goodman, senior; Adam Garza, senior and Chris Boyet, senior.

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...purchasing the property north of the city lakes. The Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission has informed Watson that certain restrictions would apply

...which would include septic systems being at least 75 feet from the outmost water level possible and no livestock near a public drinking source.

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Raelee Watson, Dusty McCrary Qualify For KIX Rodeo Finals

Raelee Watson, a fifth grader at Santa Anna Elementary has earned a position in the KIX Rodeo Finals to be held Friday and Saturday in Brownwood. Raelee has competed all summer to earn a spot in the finals. She will be competing in barrel racing and pole bending.

Dusty McCrary, a senior at Santa Anna High School, will be competing in team-roping and has been competitive all summer.

The rodeo association takes only the top 10 competitors in each event.

The finals will start at 7:30 each night at the Earl Q. Wilson Arena in Brownwood.

School Menu

MONDAY, AUGUST 24
Breakfast: Donuts
Lunch: Meat and spaghetti w/cheese, blackeye peas, toss salad w/dressing and hot rolls

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25
Breakfast: Pancakes, sausage and syrup
Lunch: Ham and cheese sandwich w/lettuce and tomato, tator tots, cookies, catsup, mustard and mayo

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, toast and jelly
Lunch: Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, english pea salad, whole wheat rolls, gravy and catsup

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27
Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage gravy and jelly
Lunch: Burrito's w/chili and cheese, whole kernel corn, toss salad w/dressing, picante sauce and peppers

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28
Breakfast: Cream of wheat, and cinnamon toast
Lunch: Hamburger or cheeseburger, burger salad, french fries, brownie, catsup and mayo or mustard

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(NAPS)—You may be one of the more than 184,000 men this year who will face a diagnosis of prostate cancer. Making decisions about how to treat this disease, which is the most common type of cancer in men, is often a difficult and confusing process. There are few clear answers and no simple ones. And because it is cancer, many men rush to treatment without being fully aware of all their options and the risks, benefits, and potential side effects associated with each one.

That is why the National Cancer Institute (NCI), the major Federal government agency for cancer research, and US TOO International, the largest men's cancer organization with over 100,000 members worldwide, have joined forces to help men and their families get the information and support they need to make the medical decisions that are right for them.

Become An Informed Consumer

The truth is that you do not need to rush your decision about how to treat your prostate cancer. In fact, many men do not require treatment, and for those who do, there are several treatment options available. Of course, this doesn't mean you can ignore it. However, a short delay will not reduce the chances that treatment will be successful. And given all the uncertainties about prostate cancer treatment, it is wise to become a well-informed consumer before taking action. Take the time to learn about the disease and explore all your options. Talk with your doctor about what to do—or with several doctors—you may want to consult one or more specialists.

In addition, talk it over with your spouse, your family, or close friend. You also may want to get in touch with other men who have been diagnosed with prostate cancer to hear how they are dealing with it. Men tend not to want to talk about personal things, but this is too important to keep to yourself.

Questions To Ask Your Doctor

Here are some questions to keep in mind when you talk to your doctor about your prostate cancer diagnosis. It might be helpful to take this list with you. If you don't understand something, ask your doctor to explain further.

- Is it certain that I have cancer? Would it be useful to get a second opinion?
- What stage is the cancer? What grade? What does that mean?
- What is my prognosis, or chances of recovery?
- Do I need to be treated right away? What are my treatment choices? What do you recommend for me?
- What are the expected benefits for each kind of treatment?
- What are the risks and possible side effects of each treatment?
- Is treatment likely to affect my sex life?
- Am I likely to have urinary problems?
- Could you explain "watchful waiting"?
- Are the various treatments being studied in clinical trials? Would a trial be appropriate for me?

- What other doctors should I talk to—cancer specialists, surgeons, radiotherapists?
 - How much experience does the specialist or surgeon have? How many times a year does he or she perform this procedure? What will they do during the treatment procedure?
 - Where can I learn more about my disease?
- Your decision on what to do next will depend on a number of factors. Your age, general health, the extent of the cancer, whether the cancer is fast-growing or slow-growing, and your feelings about the treatments and their possible side effects. There are a number of available treatments for men with prostate cancer—surgery, radiation therapy, hormone therapy, and chemotherapy.
- Clinical trials are also available for each of these methods. Keep in mind, however, that not all men require treatment. The decision to not treat prostate cancer may be an acceptable and appropriate option. If it's slow-growing and found early, the possible side effects and the risks of treatment may outweigh the possible benefits of treatment. Instead, the doctor may suggest "watchful waiting"—following the patient closely and treating the patient later for symptoms should they arise.

Ultimately, the decisions about

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how to treat prostate cancer are very personal ones. You, after all, are the one who has to live with the results. So, get the facts, talk with your doctor and your family, weigh your options, and then make the decisions that are right for you.

For more information about prostate cancer, call the National Cancer Institute's Cancer Information Service at 1-800-4-CANCER (422-6237). For more information about US TOO and its prostate cancer support groups, call 1-800-808-7866.

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5. What famous cattle trail passed through Waco and Waxahatchie?
6. What is the fruit of the prickly pear commonly known as?
7. Where is the Callaghan's Museum?
8. McLean is home to the Devil's Rope Museum. The name refers to what?
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79¢ LB

LB. PKG
CARROTS
4/\$1

CELERY
2/\$1

 **LETTUCE**
69¢

Dairy

BORDEN'S
POINTSETTIA MILK GAL 1.99

SHURFINE
SPREAD 16 OZ 1.19

VELVEETA
SLICED CHEESE 12 OZ 1.99

SUNNY DELIGHT
CITUS DRINK 128 OZ 1.99

LIQUID OR POWDER
 92-100 OZ
TIDE
5.99

2 QT SIZE
KOOLADE
5/\$1