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Local Chapter Show Champions



Jimmy Grissam champion and Colt Martin, reserve champion and showmanship Pen of Rabbits

County Livestock Show Begins Sat. Continuing Through Tues.

The 1999 Coleman County Livestock Show will begin Saturday, January 16 and continue through Tuesday, January 19.

Judging will be at the Coleman Rodeo Grounds and the sale is scheduled at the Coleman Livestock Auction.

Chairman of this year's show is Chris Jamison and he has reported there are 519 entries.

Superintendents are Tommy Saunders, sheep; Joe Ed Wise, meat goats; Sherman Smith, hogs; Henry Dodson, steers; and Terri Nix, rabbits.

Entries include 104 sheep; 161 meat goats; 203 hogs; 33 steers;

and 18 pens of rabbits.

Steers will weigh in Friday, between 4 and 6 p.m. at the Coleman Livestock Auction.

All other livestock must be in the barn by 3 p.m. Saturday with weighing and siffs of barrow, lambs and goats to begin at 4 p.m. At 6 p.m. steers will be sifted and classified.

The swine show will begin at noon on Sunday. Rabbits will weigh in a 1 p.m. followed by the show at 2 p.m.

Monday morning at 8 a.m. the steer show will take place following by the lamb show at 11 a.m.,

the Little Britches Goat Show at 3 p.m. and the meat goat show at 3:30 p.m.

The sale will end this year's show on Tuesday beginning at 12 noon.

Santa Anna Cemetery Association Annual Meeting January 22

The Santa Anna Cemetery Association will hold their annual membership meeting on Friday, January 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mountain City Community Center (Hi-Rise).

Due to the \$20,000.00 spent on roads and water lines plus other expenses the Association is short financially. A discussion will be made on the water usage and the caretaker duties.

Directors whose terms expire are Carmen Donham, Oma Dean Horner, John Pearce and Jackie Watkins.

The Association appreciates any donations and memorials.

Business Breakfast Set Thursday, 21st

The regular monthly business breakfast sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce will be held Next Thursday, January 21 at the former office of Coleman County Telecommunications, 801 Wallis.

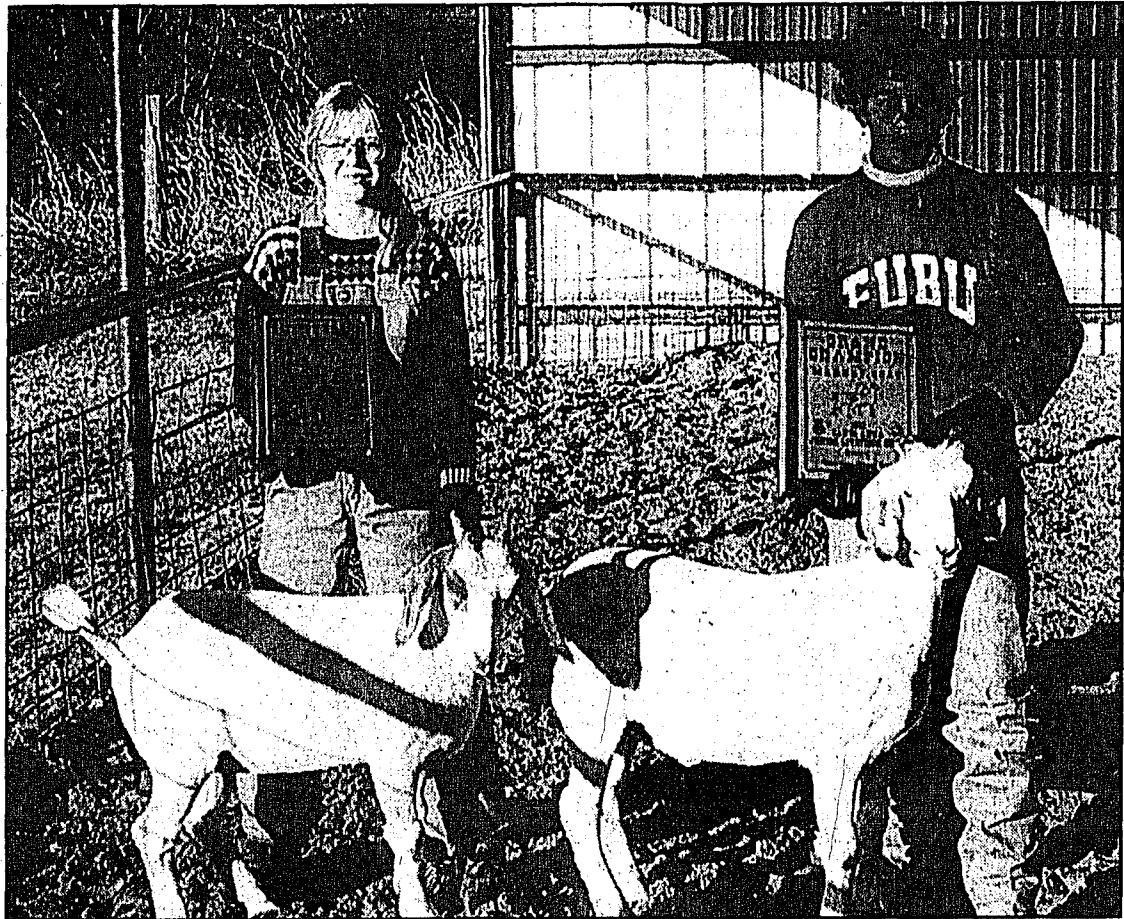
The breakfast will be hosted by Delta Omicron Sorority from 7:00 to 8:30 a.m.

All people associated with business in Santa Anna are invited.

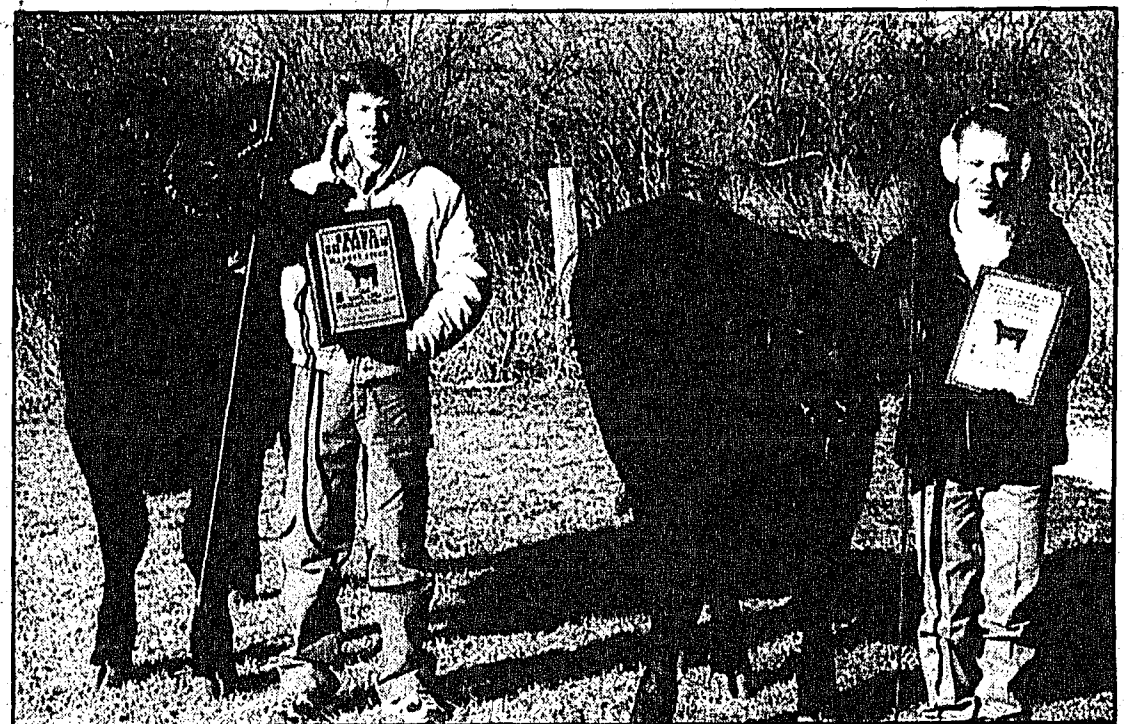
Elementary School Awards Ceremony To Be Held Thursday

Santa Anna Elementary School will be holding an awards assembly on Thursday, January 14 at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

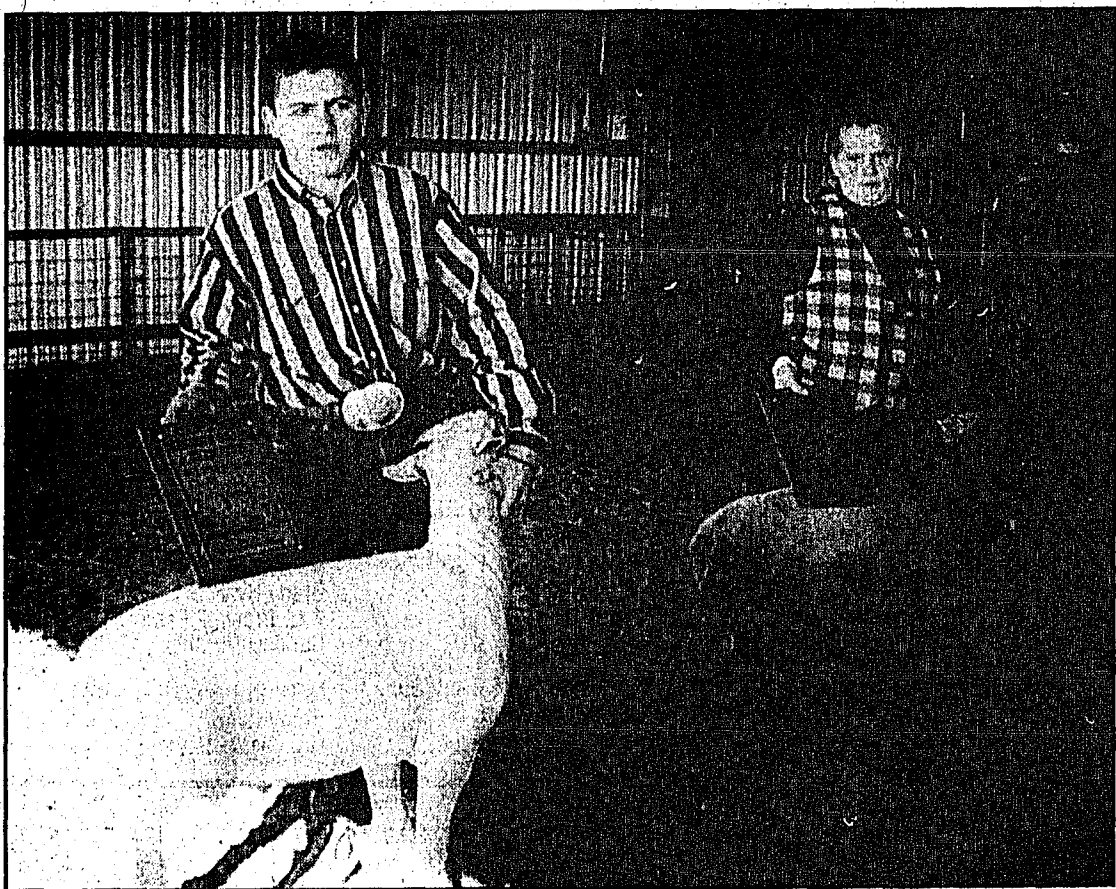
Elementary students will receive awards for perfect attendance and honor roll for the six weeks and semester.



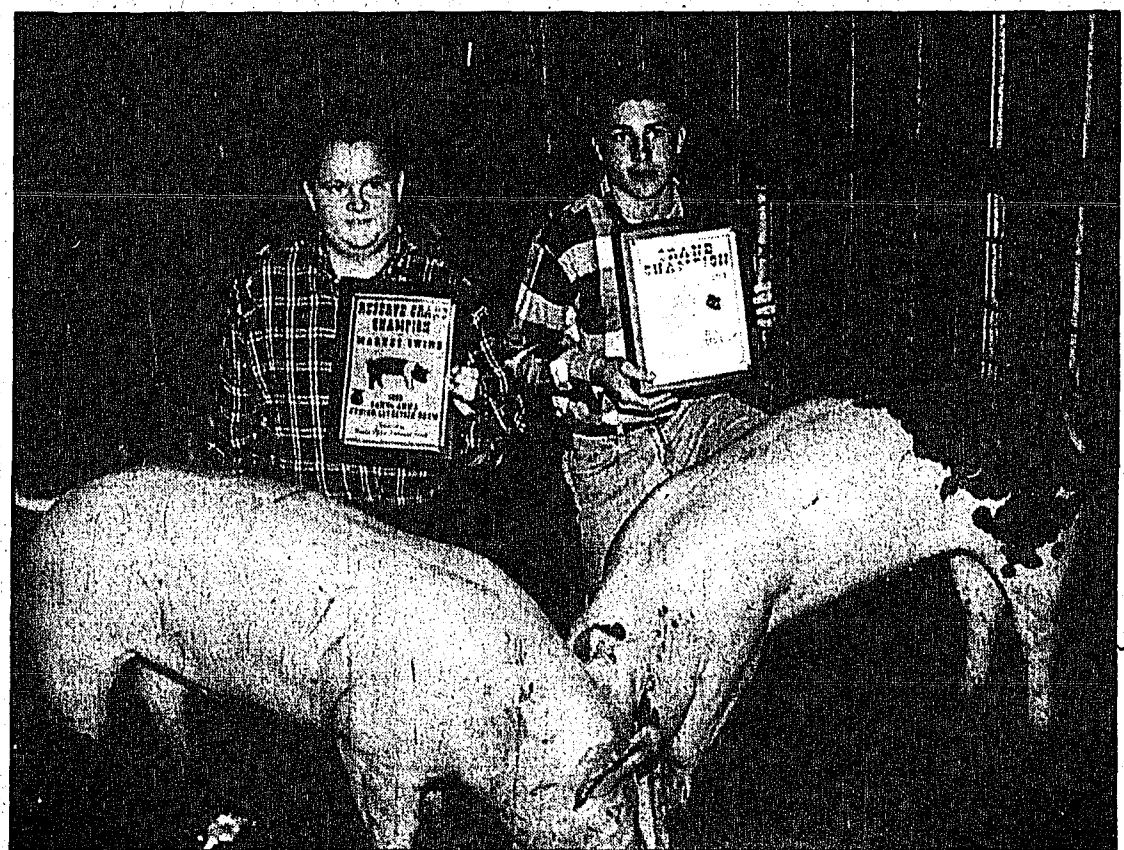
Raelee Watson, reserve champion and Lexi DeLeon, champion Market Goat



Tyson Johnson, champion and showmanship and MacKenzie Johnson, reserve champion Market Steer



Bennie Bible, reserve champion and Erwin Loyd, champion Market Lamb



Erwin Loyd, reserve champion and Tristan Tomme, champion Market Swine

Santa Anna — A Town Of Friendly People

Saying Hello to
Bill Mills of Universal City

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Obituaries

Daymond Jackson Olena Price

Daymond Jackson, 78, of Coleman, died Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1999 at 7 p.m. at the Coleman County Medical Center.

Services were held Thursday, Jan. 7, 1999 at Henderson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Arthur Switzer officiating under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home of Coleman. Burial followed in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

He was born Otis Daymond Jackson to the late Otis Marion and Ruby May Davis Jackson on Sept. 27, 1920 in Coleman County.

He was a lifetime resident of Coleman County where he attended the Plainview schools and graduated from Santa Anna High School 1938.

He married Ida Lee Switzer in Santa Anna on April 7, 1940 and they celebrated over fifty-eight years of marriage.

He was a member of the Baptist Church and retired stockfarmer. He was employed with Birdwell and Son Drilling and Dago Alexander Oil Company before his retirement.

Survivors include his wife, a daughter and son-in-law, Geneva and Harry Anderson of Abilene; two sons and daughters-in-law, Dayton and Mary Jackson of Midland and Clayton and Carolyn Jackson of Abilene; two brothers, T. A. Jackson of Martinsburg, WV and J. D. Jackson of LaGrange; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Russell Anderson, Wes Jackson, Gary Pittman, Ross Pittman, Jesse Madrid and Rick Riojas.

COMANCHE--Services for Olena May Latimer Price, 85, of Brownwood were held at 11 a.m., Thursday, Jan. 7, 1999 at Comanche Funeral Home with Pastor Clarence Hoag officiating. Burial was in Bangs Cemetery.

She died Monday, Jan. 4, 1999 at Brownwood Regional Medical Center.

She was born May 27, 1913 in Bosque County to Thomas C. and Gracie May Eastman Nystel. She was married to Jesse Orin Latimer on Jan. 4, 1934, in Bangs; he died June 17, 1973. She was married to Willie "Bill" Price in Coleman; he died Aug. 30, 1991.

She was a L.V.N. and a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

She lived for several years in Santa Anna.

Survivors include four daughters, Ann Drennan of Sidney, Betty Hoag of Little Rock, Ark., Linda Stair of Arlington and Priscilla Perry of Lake Brownwood; two sisters, Edmee Weiden of Lomalinda Calif., and Elizabeth Zumwalt of Fortuna, Calif.; two brothers, George Nystel of Glen Rose and Joseph Nystel of University City; 10 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her son, Gerald Andrew on April 28, 1954.

Santa Anna Cemetery Memorials

The Santa Anna Cemetery Association has received the following memorials:

In memory of Lee Keeney from Tommy and Kay Dyer and Roy and Katy Harvey;

In memory of Dick and Eunice Longbrake from Polly Wheeler; In memory of Chester Galloway from Lorene Rice and Harold and Mary White;

In memory of Teagley, Overby and Thames from Ernestine and Ward Blacklock;

In memory of Ethel Judd from Allene Jones, Barbara Colgin, Maurine Landers and Margaret Reid; and

In memory of Daymond Jackson from Gwendolyn Walker. Donations have been received from Paul and Margaret Wilburn, Gwendolyn Walker and Frances Pearce.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

JANUARY 14
Anita Greenlee
Elaine Brown
David Herrod

JANUARY 15
Cassandra Castillo
R. V. Baker
Katrina Tomlinson Guerrero
Michelle Morgan

JANUARY 16
Melinda Bouldin
Ward Stewardson
Jeanette Strickland
Gloria Williams

JANUARY 17
Maggie Robinett
Christi Beal Brown
Jo Ashworth
David Powell
Nikki Holcomb

JANUARY 18
Sandy Williams
Joyce Wilson DeLay

JANUARY 19
Frances Pyburn
James Allen
Zach Tobin

JANUARY 20
Sarah Frausto
Susan Snipes
Othal Warmock
George Wheatley
Johnny Dean Dorsett

Coleman County District Court Returns 46 True Bills

The following cases were presented by District Attorney Ross L. Jones to the Coleman County Grand Jury on Tuesday, December 22. True bills were handed down on the following cases:

David Mark Smith, Theft, a class 4 felony

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Toby W. Gillaspie, Presumption of Theft by Check, a class 4 felony
Deatrice Tolliver, Possession of Controlled Substance, a class 4 felony

Teddy Faries, Burglary of a Habitation, a class 2 felony
Brian Bodine, Bryan Sanders and Stephen Hall, Burglary of a Habitation, a class 2 felony
Mary Evelyn Isbell, Forgery, a class 4 felony

Clifford Kirkpatrick, Unlawful Possession of Firearm by Felon, a class 3 felony

Clifford Kirkpatrick, Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Injury to an Elderly Individual, class 2 felonies

Teresa Kay Devoss, Forgery, a class 4 felony

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FCE To Serve Noon Meals At Coleman County Stock Show

By Carol Katzer
County Extension Agent
Family & Consumer Sciences

Make plans now to be a part of the Coleman County Livestock Show. Come and see our young people as they show their animals and the hard work it has taken to get them to this point. Then come by the Breeder-Feeder Building for a snack or a meal. The Coleman County Family and Community Education Clubs invited everyone to come share a meal with family and friends this Sunday and Monday.

Sunday, January 17--11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Ham Plate Lunch \$5.00 (ham, potato salad, red beans, slaw, bread, tea/coffee and either cobble or pie)

Monday, January 18--11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The famous FCE Stew and Cornbread Lunch \$3.00 (stew, cornbread, coffee or tea)

No matter what the weather...come and join the festivities.

Cleveland Cemetery Memorials

The Cleveland Cemetery Association has received the following memorials:

In memory of L. V. Cupps and Irene Ritchie from Eula Bigham; and

In memory of Tom Molden, Billy Mills, L. V. Cupps and Jason Turner from Ovella Williams.

All donations and memorials are appreciated.

Donations and memorials may be mailed to the Cleveland Cemetery Association, P. O. Box 722, Santa Anna, Texas 76878.

Boss Estes Celebrates 104th Birthday

Boss Estes of Fort Worth and formerly of Rockwood was honored on Sunday, January 10 with a birthday celebration of his 104th year.

Approximately 50 friends from church and family members attended.

It is reported he is in good health and spirits.

FACTS and FIGURES

(NAPS)--What's in a number? Well, this year is 1999, or '99 in shorthand. Divide that by three and you've got 33, a number that already boasts a famous history and will be making its presence known throughout the calendar year. A coincidence, or not? It's hard to tell when you consider the following:

'33' Occurrences in 1999
1999 will be a year marked by several "33" occurrences. As of January 10, the price of a first-class postage stamp is 33 cents. Trekkie fans can party it up in honor of the 33rd anniversary of the Starship Enterprise. The Super Bowl celebrates its 33rd anniversary at Pro Player Stadium in Miami in January. Dinosaur lovers can pop open

Presbyterian Youth To Host Sunday Movie/Fellowship

The Santa Anna Presbyterian Youth will host a movie and fellowship afternoon Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Presbyterian Manse.

All youth in the community are invited to the fellowship which will be held every other Sunday.

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Glen Cove Baptist Church To Host Monthly Baptist Association Meet

The regular meeting of the Coleman Baptist Association will be held Tuesday, January 19 at the Glen Cove Baptist Church.

The executive board and WMU will meet at 6 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:30 p.m.

The program will be held at 7:15 p.m. and will be on the prayer ministry emphasis. Marty Reed, Association Prayer Chairman, is in charge of the program.

The public is invited to attend.

Why does an inspiring sight like a sunrise always have to take place at such an inconvenient time?

Thank You
I would like to say thanks to friends, family, and loved ones, for the prayers, cards, flowers and all other expressions of concern during my hospitalization.
-Bobbie Guthrie

In memory of Lee Keeney from Tommy and Kay Dyer and Roy and Katy Harvey;
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Thank You
The family of Lee Keeney would like to thank everyone who had our family in their prayers and thoughts during this time of our loss of Lee. Thanks for the prayers, visits, cards, calls, food, memorials and all the other thoughtful things that were done to help our family through this. Lee will be greatly missed. Thanks again - as Lee would say, "Peace, Love and Empathy."
Roy, Glenda, Kristen, Zane, Joycelyn, Sierra, Branson and Carson, Donald and Janette Strickland, LeRoy and Laura Keeney and the rest of Lee's family.

Come Let Us Worship

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Brady Hwy.
James Ford - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45
Worship Service - 11:00
Sunday Evening - 6:30
Wednesday Evening - 7:00

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
405 South 1st
Kermit Sorrells - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00
Worship Service - 11:00
Youth Group - Wed. 3:30 (program 5:00)

CHURCH OF CHRIST
310 Ave. B
Jim Jones - Minister
Sunday Bible Classes - 9:30
Worship Service - 10:30
Sunday Evening - 6:00
Wednesday Evening 6:30

FIRST BAPTIST
106 S. Lee
Marty Reed - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:30
Worship Service - 10:45
Sunday Evening - 6:00
Mission Organizations 6:00 Wed.
All Age Groups Bible Study 6:00 Wed.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST
708 Ave. B
Marvin Hale - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45
Worship Service - 10:50
Sunday Evening - 6:00
Wed. Prayer Service - 6:30

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Ave C & 1st Street
Clyde Malors - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 every Sun.
Worship Services - 3rd. Sun.

CORDERO BAPTIST
Ave. C & South 6th
Joe M. Frausto - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45
Worship Service - 11:00
Sun. Evening Worship - 5:00
Wednesday Bible Study - 6:30


FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
1001 Willis
Gary Boyd - Interim Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45
Worship Service - 11:00
Family Night Dinner - 3rd Wed.
Fellowship Dinner Each 5th Sun.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST
Ranger Park
Robert L. Stumph - Pastor
Sat. Sabbath School - 9:30
Sabbath Worship Service - 11:00
Vespers - SDA School - 4:00
Prayer Meeting - Tues. at School

ST WILLOW BAPTIST
Brady Hwy.
R.L. Brown - Pastor
Sunday Worship - 11:00

NEW HOPE COMMUNITY
Brady Hwy.
D.C. Neal - Pastor

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Cozart Grandson Graduates From College In Penn.

Troy Ryan Preece graduate from Edinboro, University in Edinboro, Pennsylvania on Dec. 19, 1998. He received his degree in Art Education.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Preece of Oakmont, Penn., the grandson of Elvis and Reba Cozart of Trickham and great-grandson of Ilene Haynes of Santa Anna. Elvis and Reba Cozart attended the graduation ceremony.

Coleman County Court Report

Coleman County Judge Sherrill Ragsdale reports the following action took place in the Coleman County Court during the month of December:

Kimberly Kay Halmon pled not guilty to Driving While License Suspended and was released after posting bond.

Debra Kay Ammerson pled not guilty to second offense Driving While License Suspended and was released after posting bond.

Santos Mendoza, III pled guilty to Assault and was assessed a fine and court costs.

A Criminal Mischief charge was dismissed on a plea of not guilty. Rosario Barciaga pled not guilty to Criminal Mischief and the charge was dismissed.

Mac Hoy Fisher pled not guilty to second offense Driving While Intoxicated and was released after posting bond.

Fred William Coffey pled guilty to a second offense Driving While Intoxicated charge and was assessed a fine, court costs and placed on probation.

Daniel Cosby pled guilty to Theft by Check and was assessed a fine, court costs and restitution.

William Ray Baker pled guilty to Criminal Trespass and was assessed a fine, court costs, a jail term and placed on probation.

Alejandro Solis Mauricio pled guilty to first offense Driving While Intoxicated and was assessed a fine, court costs and placed on probation.

Jeff Berry made full restitution on a Theft by Check charge and it was dismissed.

Sharon Arthur pled guilty to first offense Driving While Intoxicated and was assessed a fine, court costs and placed on probation.

Brandon Burkett pled guilty to Possession of Marijuana and not guilty to Possession of Prohibited Weapon. He was assessed a fine, court costs and placed on probation. The Prohibited Weapon charge was dismissed.

Commissioners met on Monday for their first meeting of the new year. Commissioners approved the allocation of road base material received from the Texas Department of Public Transportation. Allocated was \$21,312 of flex base which amounts to 3,914 tons. Each precinct will receive a certain amount and commissioners are ready for it to be delivered.

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Have You Thanked A School Board Member Lately?

School board members exemplify local citizen control and decision making in education. They volunteer hundreds of hours and an immeasurable amount of energy to assure that our schools are providing the best education possible for the children of the community. Here are some reasons we are taking this opportunity to show them our appreciation during School Board Recognition Month in January 1999.

School board members are citizens whose decisions affect our children-what they learn, who will teach them, and what kinds of facilities house their classrooms.

These are men and women elected to establish the policies that provide the framework for public schools. They represent you, and they take this responsibility seriously by attending lengthy meetings; at conferences and institutes

Delta Omicron Names Bowker Outstanding ESA'er, Harris Outstanding Chapter Member

Delta Omicron of Santa Anna met Monday, January 11 at the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative office with Dorothy Harris as hostess.

Meeting was called to order by president Coyita Bowker leading the members in the opening ritual.

Officers and committees gave their reports. Donations were made to the stock show and the National Honor Society.

Coyita Bowker was elected as Outstanding ESA'er and Dorothy Harris was elected as Outstanding Chapter Member.

Ladies Night Out will be held February 21 with the location to be determined next meeting.

Delta Omicron will host the monthly Chamber of Commerce Breakfast on January 21 at 801 Wallis.

Pat Vance gave the program on "Women and Retirement".

Members attending were Coyita Bowker; Dorothy Harris; Peggy Hensley; Patji Musick; Gayle Stewardson; Pat Vance; Bernidine Watson and Debbie Wheatley.

All members participated in the closing ritual.

Delta Omicron expresses their appreciation to Jesse Hensley, Maria Ellerbe, Randa Watts, Jaci Kuykendall, Chris Boyet and Buffy Martin for helping with the West Texas Rehab Telethon by manning the phone lines to call the good citizens of Santa Anna. Also appreciation goes to Wanda Campbell. To date a total of \$1,700.00 in pledges have been received with more coming in.

Commissioners Approve Road Base Receive From TxDOT

The Coleman County Commissioners met on Monday for their first meeting of the new year.

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where they broaden their knowledge about education; and during numerous conversations about the schools.

Our school board is one of 1,047 such board across the state. These boards enable us to have local control of public schools, meaning that decisions on school programming are made by local, elected representatives who understand the community's unique problems, values, culture and circumstances.

With the advice and counsel of the educational professionals they hire, our school board has an impact on virtually every aspect of our schools. It's a huge responsibility and one which should not be taken lightly.

Too often we neglect to recognize the dedication and hard work of these men and women who represent us.

Jack Kingsbery's Book Now Available At 'News' Office

You read in the Santa Anna News a few weeks ago that former resident Jack Kingsbery, now of Crystal City, had published a book. In *Cowboy Wrecks & Rattlesnakes* Kingsbery tells fascinating stories of his cowboy adventures, first while growing up here and later after he went into the ranching business.

The staff and students of our school district are asking all local citizens to take a moment to tell a school board member "thanks for caring for our students."

So hats off to the dedicated women and men who make it possible for local citizens to have a say about education in our communities. We salute the public servants of Santa Anna, ISD whose dedication and civic responsibility make local control of public school in our community possible. We applaud them for their vision and voice to help shape a better tomorrow.

So take this opportunity to thank the following: Roddy Dean, board president; Sharon Guthrie, vice president; and Billie Gay Abernathy, secretary.

Downtown Monthly Bible Study To Be Held Next Monday

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy a good meal, a short Bible study, and a lot of good gospel music on Monday, January 18 at 6 p.m. in the Lions Club Building in Santa Anna.

Bible study is held here the third Monday of each month with Raymond Jones as Bible Teacher.

First Group Home Occupied At Aldersgate Enrichment Center

The Rev. and Mrs. Kermit Sorrells and Derriel Warnock attended an open house dedication at Aldersgate Enrichment Center near Early on Saturday.

The dedication marked the occupation of the Loyd-Hamrick Group home, the first of several that are to be built.

Officials said the home, which already has two occupants opens a new era for the center which is designed to provide jobs and independence for mentally challenged individuals.

The facility which employs about 40 associates at this time, is a project of the United Methodist Men of the Central Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church. Warnock serves on the board of directors of Aldersgate and chaired the building committee for the first group home.

Aldersgate Enrichment Center is open to all who need its particular services, regardless of religious affiliation. It is located between Early and Zephyr in Brown County.

No School Monday And Tuesday

Students in the Santa Anna ISD will be enjoying a holiday next Monday and Tuesday, January 18-19.

School will resume Wednesday, January 20.

For we must share if we would keep that blessing from above; Ceasing to give, we cease to have, such is the law of love.

Chamber Announces New Directors, Plans For The Future

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce met on January 5 and began with the introduction of new board members Craig Adams, Kathy Holt and Patti Musick. Also on the board are Liz Morris, Rita Harris and Celeste Simmons.

Members unanimously voted Morris as president; and Adams as vice president.

Following a discussion it was agreed that the position of secretary-treasurer would be separated and Simmons will serve as secretary and Harris as treasurer.

The Christmas parade sponsored by the Chamber was discussed with changes to be made next year in traffic control being planned.

Morris suggested that the Chamber work on ideas to promote commerce in Santa Anna and how to make the Chamber a more productive organization. Ideas included have someone at the office during business hours; find a way to plan activities with interfering with plans by the city and school and visa versa; sending to the newspaper a report of each meeting; quarterly evening meetings with a speaker; the Chamber and volunteers cleaning up Veteran's Park; and a hunter's appreciation dinner.

The next meeting of the Chamber will be Tuesday, January 26 at 7 p.m. This meeting will be for the purpose of discussing plans for this year's Frontier Days. Ideas are needed and everyone is urged to come and bring any idea you might have to help the Chamber have a successful event this year. For the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce to be successful they need help and ideas from everyone in the community.

OOPS!

In an article last week we mistakenly advised that U.S. Post Office post card rates would be increased. Post cards remain the same.

Post Office To Be Closed Monday For Holiday

The Santa Anna Post Office will be closed Monday, January 18 in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

Mail will be boxed but there will be no window service or route mail.

TRIVIA

Match wits with "HyperTex"! He knows everything about Texas...do you? Test your Texas know-how by answering the 10 questions below. Some are tougher than you think!

Answer all 10: You're a Texas star!
Answer 7-9: You're elected sheriff!
Answer 3-6: Proud to call you pardner!
Answer less than 3: You must be from Oklahoma!

1. What Texas city claims to be Cowboy Capital of the World?
2. Once known as "Six-shooter Junction," what Texas community is now known as the Watermelon Capital of the World?
3. What is the Cotton Capital of the World?
4. What Texas city is known as the Turkey Capital of the World?
5. Marshall, Texas was the capital of what state during the Civil War?
6. What Texas city is closer to five other state capitals than to its own?
7. What city claims the title, "Square Dance Capital of the World," with dances going on 24 hours a day, seven days a week?
8. What Texas city is considered the Video Game Production Capital of the World?
9. What town is known as both the live music capital of the world and the capital of Texas?
10. What city is known as the Goose Hunting Capital of the World?

BONUS QUESTION (for the title of Cattle Baron): What town was named the "Bluebonnet Capital of Texas" by the 67th Texas Legislature?

To find out the answer to the Bonus Question, and learn more about Texas destinations, events and trivia, go to www.travelstx.com and click on "Let's Ride." For a free Texas Travel Guide, call **1-800-888-TEX**.

Delta Omicron Attends District Meeting in Bangs

Contributed
ESA District VII met Sunday, January 10 at the Bangs ISD Cafeterium with Delta Theta of Brownwood as hostess.

Meeting was called to order by Janie Pritz, president with all members reciting the opening ritual.

Roll call and officers report were given. Prissy Kennedy entertained with a solo.

New business was election of officers for the 1999-2000 year. They are as follows: president, Berta Pruitt, Beta Lamda, San Angelo; vice president Carol Ford, Theta Alpha, San Angelo; coordinators, Prissy Kennedy, Beta Lamda, San Angelo; recording secretary, Jane Devery, Delta Theta, Brownwood; treasurer, Pat Vance, Delta Omicron, Santa Anna; and parliamentarian, Peggy Gamblin, Delta Theta, Brownwood. They will be installed at the March 14th meeting to be hosted by Delta Omicron of Santa Anna.

After the meeting a lunch was served. Thirty members, two pledges and a guest, Rose Tubbs Paillass, state recording secretary, attended.

Members attend from Delta Omicron, Santa Anna were Coyita Bowker, Pat Vance and Bernidine Watson. Emmalou Brink, member at large from Coleman also attended.

Meeting was closed with all members participating in the closing ritual.

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If the world is getting smaller, why do postal rates keep going up?

MORE SAVINGS in EVERY AISLE

Preferred Trim Beef Arm Roast lb 1.59	Ground Chuck lb 1.49	Preferred Trim Beef Arm Steak lb 1.69
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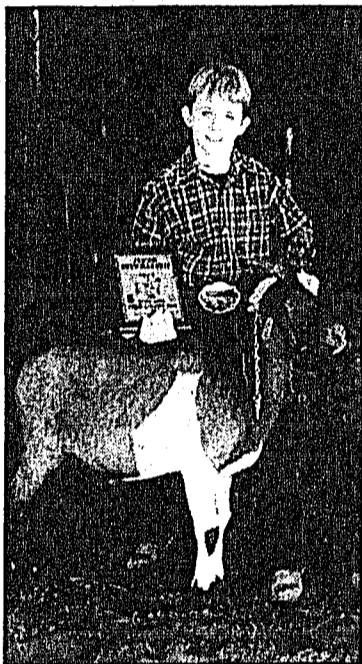
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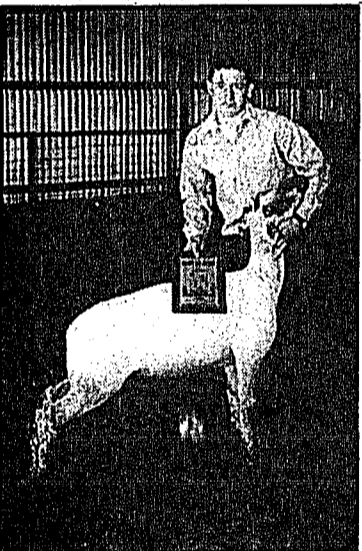
Julie Garza (Junior) and Jala Rankin (Senior) Swine



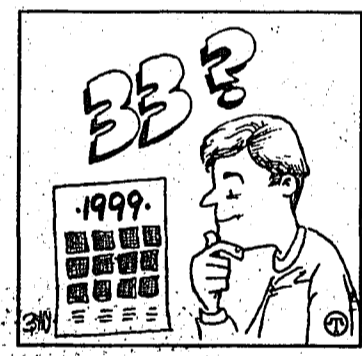
Steffany Fitzpatrick Senior Goat



Justin Johnson Junior Goat



Michael Guthrie Lamb



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figures are celebrating their 33rd birthdays, including actor and comedian Chris Rock; supermodel Cindy Crawford; actresses and actors Salma Hayek, Tea Leoni, Robin Wright, Stephen Baldwin, and John Cusack; singer Edie Brickell; and baseball player David Justice. And...since the automated bowling alley was developed in 1933, light a candle in honor of Team USA Bowling members John Gaines and Lesia Herdiers, who will also celebrate their 33rd birthdays in 1999.

Athletes Sporting '33' What about "33" and sports? No, Dennis Rodman hasn't shaved the number on the back of his head yet, but basketball players Grant Hill, Scottie Pippen and Patrick Ewing sport number 33. So does David Wells of the New York Yankees, who hurled a perfect game last season. Sports Hall-of-Famers Larry Bird and Tony Dorsett also wore number 33.

Hollywood Theaters advertisement listing movies like Waterboy, Mighty Joe Young, Patch Adams, and A Bug's Life with showtimes.

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Margaret Hensley MSN, RNCS Family Nurse Practitioner advertisement for Family Health Care Clinic.

Helpful Tips From Santa Anna Elementary

Questions & Answers

Q. Both my husband and I love to read. Our fifth grader doesn't share that love. It's not that he can't... but he won't. Now he says he's having trouble reading the material for his classes. How can we help him become a better reader? A. Your son is certainly not alone. As almost any teacher can tell you, the biggest reading problem we face is not that our kids are illiterate, but that they're alliterate. Given a choice, they'll do anything to avoid reading. And since reading is a skill that needs to be practiced

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regularly (just like playing the piano or shooting a free throw), kids who don't read soon find they can't keep up with the reading that's required in school.

What you need to do is launch a campaign to get your son to read as much as possible. The more he reads, the easier it'll get. So make sure your house is filled with things your son enjoys reading. If it's Batman comic books, then have a zillion of them around. What you want is to let him have the experience of reading something and feeling, "Hey, this is easy—and it's fun." That's an attitude that will make him want to read more. Look for other high-interest things to leave around the house. If your son is a sports nut, get a sports magazine. If he loves computers, look for a computer magazine. The key is to get him reading.

—By Kristen J. Amundson, Senior Editor, The Parent Institute

Working With Your School

Schools, Parents Must Work To Prevent School Violence

Recent tragedies have made schools aware of the need to pay special attention to school safety. But the best school safety efforts involve parents and schools working together. Here are some things you can do to help prevent school violence: Stop thinking that "It can't happen here." School violence may happen in the smallest town. Get the facts. According to the Centers for Disease Control, kids face less than one chance in a million of being killed at school. According to the National School Safety Center, twice as many people were killed by lightning in 1997 as were killed at school. In fact, there were 27 percent fewer killings in the 1997-98 school year than there were just five years ago. If your child talks about a school bully, pay attention. The "typical" school violence problem is more likely to involve a bully than a gun. If you suspect

- your child is the bully, talk to the teacher to see what you can do to correct your child's behavior.
Supervise your children. Know where they are and what they're doing.
If you have guns in your home, lock them up. Keep ammunition in a separate place, locked with a separate key.
Talk with your children about their fears and worries, as well as their hopes and dreams.
Get involved. If your child reports trouble in the lunchroom, organize a group of parents who will take turns supervising. Get a group of parents to watch kids.
If many children in your community walk to school, see if you can work with the police department to create "Safe Homes"—places where kids can go if they feel their safety is threatened.

Source: Virginia Youth Violence Project, http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/curry/centers/youthviol/(9/98), 804/924-8929.

Reinforcing Learning

Playing 'Firsts & Lasts' Helps Reinforce Phonics, Spelling

Here's a great way to help your child with phonics and spelling... while having some fun. It's also a great game for those times when you're stuck waiting in the grocery store, at the bank or in the doctor's office without a book to read. Choose a category—say, Animals. One person names an animal—for example, "Toad." The next person has to think of an animal that starts with the last letter of that word. So the next player might say "Dog." The next player could respond with "Goat," and so on.

Other categories might include geography, foods or plants. As your child gets older, make the categories more difficult—instead of geography, choose state names, country names, rivers, sports stars, popular singers, explorers, or inventors for example.

Little Dribblers Begins Saturday, January 23

The 1999 Coleman County Little Dribblers fifth and sixth grade boys and girls will begin play next Saturday, January 23 in Coleman. Santa Anna coaches are Billie Gay Abernathy, gold girls; Toni Watson, black girls; Jill Crawford, gold boys; and Gay Martin, black boys. Games will be played at the Coleman Junior High Gym or the Santa Anna school gym. The schedule for Santa Anna teams is: January 23 at Coleman: black girls 1 p.m.; black boys 2 p.m.; gold girls 3 p.m.; and gold boys 4 p.m. January 29 at Santa Anna: black girls 5:30 p.m.; gold girls 7:30 p.m. January 30 at Coleman: black boys 2 p.m. and black girls 4 p.m. January 30 at Santa Anna: gold boys 12 noon and gold girls 1 p.m. February 6 at Santa Anna: black girls 10 a.m.; black boys 11 a.m.; gold girls 12 noon; gold boys 1 p.m. February 9 at Santa Anna: black girls at 5:30 p.m. February 11 at Santa Anna: gold vs. black (girls) 5:30 p.m.; gold boys 6:30 p.m. February 12 at Santa Anna: black boys 6:30 p.m. February 13 at Coleman: gold girls 1 p.m.; black boys 2 p.m.; black girls 4 p.m. February 13 at Santa Anna: gold boys 1 p.m. February 15 at Santa Anna: black boys 6:30 p.m. February 19 at Santa Anna: gold boys 6:30 p.m. February 20 at Coleman: black girls 10 a.m.; black boys 11 a.m.; gold girls 12 noon.

***** Trying times are times for trying. *****

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Trickham Tidbits

By Anna York

We enjoyed the sermon of Kermit Sorrells Sunday morning when he preached at church. His wife was with him and our attendance was better which was nice. If you don't have a church home, come meet with us, you are invited.

Ray and Barbara Dockery of Paint Rock were overnight guests of John and Earlene Dockery Saturday night and joining them for the day Sunday were Lynn and Jason Dillard and two children of Stephenville and Wesley and Candi Dockery.

Bettie Martin visited in Brownwood Tuesday with her mother Mrs. Mary Crawford.

Natalie McIver celebrated a birthday Thursday by having lunch at the country club in Brownwood with her sister Jane Young and daughter Darla Gibson.

Billy Don and Carol Haynes of Hermleigh visited with his mother Ilene Haynes in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon and the three of them ate supper with Reba and Elvis Cozart. Sunday their daughter and her husband Linda and Preston Gray of Georgetown visited a while and had lunch.

Sherman Stearns of McGregor spent Friday night with his mother Novella Stearns.

Mary Lou Jones attended a program put on by the Joy Group of the First Baptist Church of Santa Anna Thursday and was about the history of the town and was told by Billie Guthrie, which she said was very interesting.

Janice Snow and son Taylor of near Brownwood were Saturday visitors with her grandmother Mrs. Gertrude Martin.

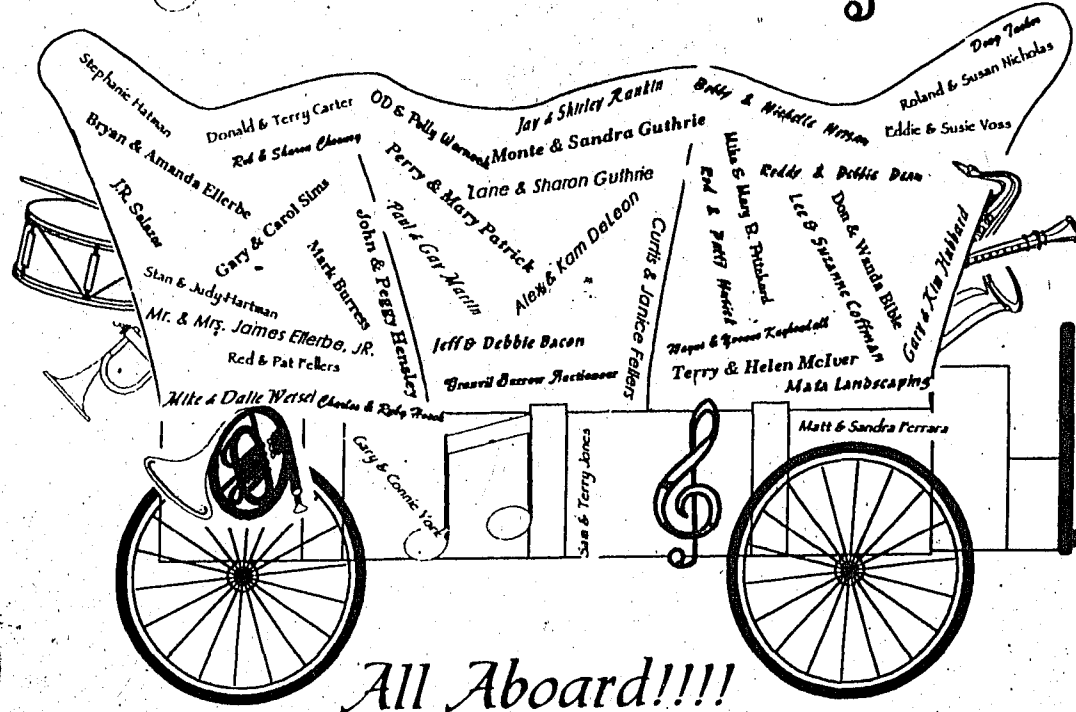
Helen McIver visited Saturday with Annie Lou Vaughn and Sunday Barbara Dockery of Paint Rock and Lynn Dillard and children Jaylon and Jason visited. Earlene Dockery was in and out several times during the week.

The eighty-four club met Thursday night with fourteen present.

SANTA ANNA MOUNTAINEER

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All Aboard!!!!

Get On The Band Wagon!

There will be a Band Booster meeting today, Thursday, January 14 at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church CLC.

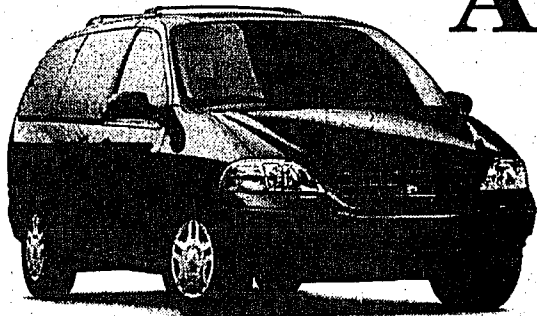
Some of topics to be discussed are incentives to band members competing in solo and ensemble contest and when band members can receive letter jackets. A fund raiser will also be discussed.

If you haven't joined the "Band Wagon" by becoming a band booster member, you may still join. Cost is \$5.00 per family. You will receive a membership card and a treble clef pin to be worn proudly at all band functions.

For more information contact Peggy Hensley, Gay Martin or Mary Pritchard.

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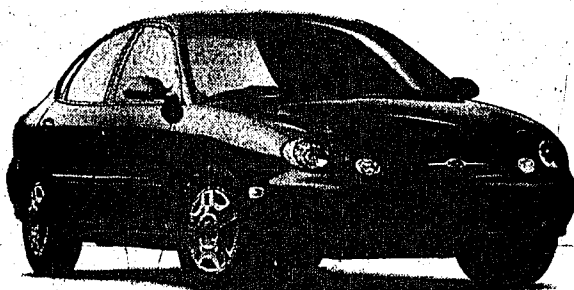


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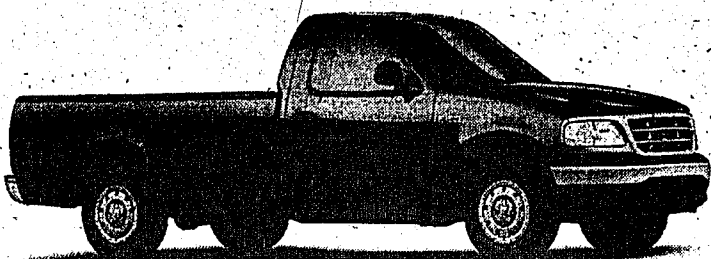


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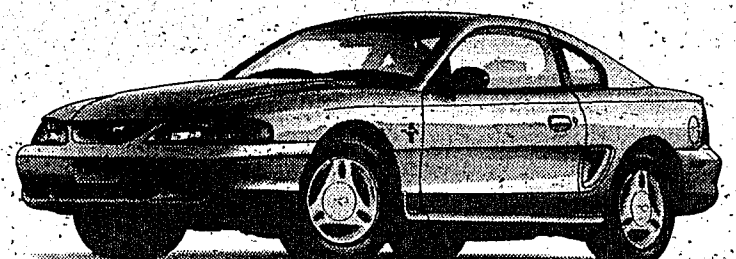


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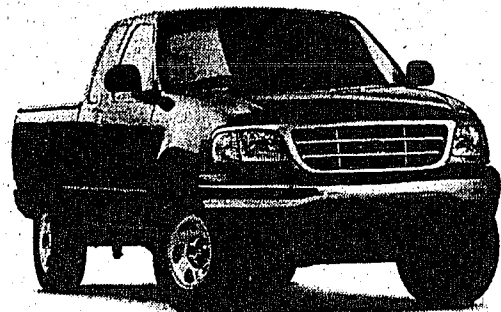


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