

The Gorman Progress

"Serving Gorman For Over 104 Years"

Gorman, Eastland County, Texas 76454

2005 Member
Texas Press Association

NUMBER FORTY-NINE

DECEMBER 15, 2005

Cub Basketball News

7th Grade Cubs Win against Cross Plains

On December 5th the Cubs traveled to Cross Plains to take on the Buffaloes. The Cubs led throughout the contest and wound up running away with the game. The Cubs won by a Score of 28 - 5. Those contributing in the win include Cameron Clark who tallied up eleven points and numerous rebounds along with superb defense. Matt Keith who played good defense and added a whopping 8 points, and Keifer Wilson who added 6 point and played great defensively. Also contributing were Randy Woodall, Jacob Fritz, and Jacob Singleton and Raymond Martin.

Cubs outlast Ranger

The Cubs played an exciting game Tuesday night against Ranger. Defeating the bulldogs by a score of 48-42. The game was close throughout. The Cubs played an excellent game. Leading the way for the Cubs was Raymond Martin with an astounding 23 points. The Entire Cub team did an excellent job of playing good fundamental basketball. The entire Cub team should be commended for their great effort and hard work. Those recognized Wilson Keifer, Randy Woodall, Raymond Martin, Jacob Singleton, Matt Keith, Cameron Clark, Jacob Frits.

8th Grade Cubs Remain Undefeated

The 8th grade Cubs went over to Cross Plains and preceded to take care of business as they defeated the Buffaloes by a score of 36 - 18. Leading the way for the Cubs was Alex Giles with 10 points and excellent play from the Point Guard position. Those also contributing to the win, Ben Burgess with 8 points, Ernie Rodriguez who score 8 points while playing through an injury. Also contributing to the game, Tyler Johnson with 5 and Taylor Chew with 4 but most importantly setting the tone with good inside play and rebounding. Jose Velasquez also added a point in the win. Others making impacts include Eric Ryon for his excellent defense, John Flores who showed great leadership, and Justin Little who provided a great energy boost anytime he entered the game. The Cubs remain Undefeated in District play and have only one loss on the season.

Cubs Maul Bulldogs

The 8th grade Cubs defeated the Ranger Bulldogs in Gorman Monday night by a score of 37 - 9. The game was never close as the Cubs jumped out early to a 14 - 1 lead and never looked back. These Cubs play excellent defense, and should be commended on the way they play as a unit. Those leading the way for the Cubs include, Ernie Rodriguez with 11 points, Alex Giles with 8 points, and Ben Burgess with 5 points. The entire team played excellent and showed a lot of class in victory. Following the win the Cubs record now stands at 5-0 in District with 5 games to play. This Cubs alone in 1st place in the district headed into the holiday break. The Cubs overall record now stands at 8-1 on the season 5-0 in district play.

Swanner · Swanner and Seaton Earn All-Tournament Honors At Tourneys



Tyson Swanner received All-Tournament Honors at the Newcastle Tournament. Kendra Swanner received All-Tournament Honors at the Newcastle Tournament. Kaci Seaton received All-Tournament Honors at the Rising Star Tournament. Congratulations to these players.

Panthers/Rising Star Tournament

On December 1-3 the Panthers traveled to Rising Star to play in their tournament. The Panthers played Strawn and Cross Plains. During the Strawn game they were tied up 33-33, going into overtime. In overtime Strawn scored three, leaving the score 33-36. With less than a second left Tyson Swanner attempted a 3 point shot to tie the score again. However the Gorman Panthers were unable to come out with this win. The Panthers played hard and learned very much through these two games.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Over Time | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-------|
| Gorman | 9 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 0 | 33 |
| Strawn | 5 | 9 | 5 | 14 | 3 | 36 |

Swanner-14pts, Rodriguez-2pts, Keith-9pts, Greer-7pts, Underwood-1pt, Clark-2pts,

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 3 | 9 | 8 | 15 | 35 |
| Cross Plains | 11 | 17 | 16 | 21 | 63 |

Swanner-17pts, Rodriguez-2pts, Greer-8pts, Underwood-1pt, Clark 4pts, Ramirez-3pts.

Christmas Eve Celebration At Firstfruits Christian Fellowship

The community is invited to a special event on Christmas Eve, from 5:00 to 6:30PM. There will be free food, special music, a testimony from a man who has been wonderfully freed from drug and alcohol addiction during this past year, and a reading of the Christmas story from the Bible. The dress is casual and there will be childcare available. Come as you are. Call the church for more details: 254-734-3203.

Thank you Johnny Smith! Our park really looks great. Santa came and then the bears. Thank you so much.

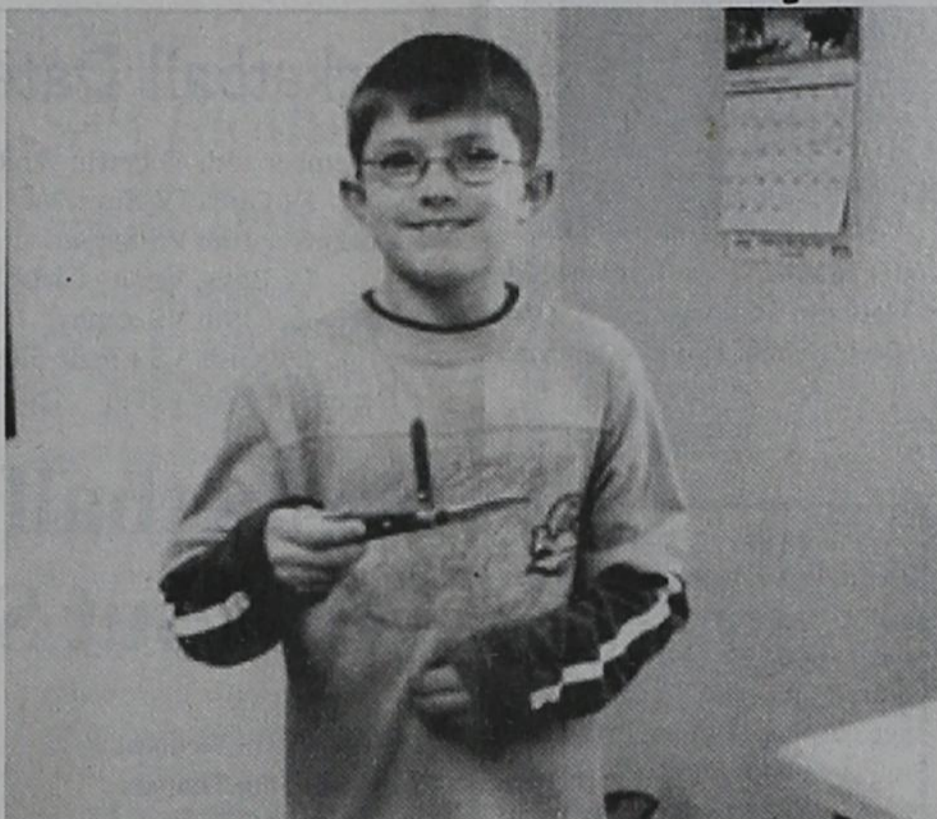
Christmas In Gorman

The Winner of the Christmas Tree Contest was the Sixth Grade. The Fifth Grade won Second Place and Pre-K won Third Place.

Thanks to all the children who worked very hard on their decorations. First Prize was a Pizza Party and a Popcorn Party for the other two winners. Everyone who did not see the Ballet Folklorico really missed a very entertaining evening. They will be performing again sometime in the spring.

Jimmy Johnson won the Shotgun and Barbara Helberg of De Leon won the Quilt. Have a Very Blessed Christmas.

Drawing For First Knife From Nathan's Barber Shop



The drawing for the first knife given away by Nathan's Barber Shop was drawn by Ryland Laminack on November 30th. The winner was Jimmy Jesse of the Eastland area. The next drawing will be on December 31st.

Panthers/Newcastle Tournament

The Panthers traveled to the New Castle tournament on December 9-10. The boys were able to win two of their three games. The Panthers started with a loss to Newcastle, but were able to beat Strawn 41-37 and Midway 46-40. Tyson Swanner's hard work earned him All-Tournament Honors. He scored a total of 52 points during the entire tournament.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 15 | 14 | 16 | 5 | 50 |
| Newcastle | 11 | 18 | 16 | 22 | 67 |

Swanner-14pts, Rodriguez-3pts, Keith-8pts, Greer-7pts, Underwood-10pts, Ramirez-8pts

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 13 | 9 | 11 | 8 | 41 |
| Strawn | 8 | 8 | 7 | 14 | 37 |

Swanner-13pts, Rodriguez-2pts, Keith-11pts, Greer-4pts, Underwood-1pt, Clark-7pts, Ramirez-1pt, Bryan-2pts

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 4 | 10 | 11 | 21 | 46 |
| Midway | 13 | 10 | 7 | 10 | 40 |

Swanner-25pts, Rodriguez-3pts, Keith-6pts, Greer-6pts, Clark-2pts, Ramirez

Lady Panthers /Rising Star Tournament

On December 1-3 the Lady Panthers traveled to Rising Star to participate in their tournament. The Lady Panthers started with a loss to Strawn with a score of 63-37, but the Lady Panthers were able to come back and dominate their last two games, receiving consolation. In the second game the Lady Panthers beat Cross Plains 44-38. Finally the Lady Panthers finished the tournament with a win against Groom with a score of 49-37. Kaci Seaton received All Tournament Honors for her hard work. She scored a total of 15 points and had 20 rebounds through out the tournament.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 9 | 6 | 7 | 16 | 37 |
| Strawn | 20 | 13 | 9 | 21 | 63 |

Longoria-5pts, Johnston-6pts, Keith-6pts, Panter-3pts, Herrera-2pts, Swanner-9pts, Granado-2pts, and Carlton-4pts.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 0 | 10 | 15 | 19 | 44 |
| Cross Plains | 16 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 38 |

Longoria-5pts, Johnston-8pts, Keith-2pts, Swanner-12pts, Seaton-6pts, and Carlton-11pts.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 11 | 10 | 9 | 19 | 49 |
| Groom | 14 | 2 | 8 | 13 | 37 |

Longoria-11pts, Panter-3pts, Keith-4pts, Johnston-13pts, Swanner-7pts, Seaton-9pts, and Carlton-2pts.

2005 FALL SEMESTER EXAM SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15TH

1ST 8:00-9:15
3RD 9:20-10:35
5TH 10:40-11:55
LUNCH 12:00-12:30
DISMISSAL 12:30
BUSSES RUN AT 12:45

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH

2ND 8:00-9:15
4TH 9:20-10:35
6TH 10:40-11:55
LUNCH 12:00-12:30
DISMISSAL 12:30
BUSSES RUN AT 12:45

2005 GORMAN LIVESTOCK SHOW

DECEMBER 17, 2005 @ 10:00 a.m.

Concession stand available in the cafeteria by Gorman Livestock Raisers Assoc.

Shawn Boles.....Show Director / Ag Science Teacher

Zack Blount.....Judge / Ag Science Teacher Waxahachie ISD

10:00. Lamb and Goat Showmanship Clinic (all exhibitors need to be in the bleachers)

11:00 Goat Division
Light Weight
Light/Medium weight
Heavy /Medium weight
Heavy Weight
Grand Champion Market Goat
Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat
Goat Sr., Jr., and Pee Wee Showmanship

12:00 Lamb Division
Light Weight
Heavy Weight
Grand Champion Market Lamb
Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb
Lamb Sr., Jr., and Pee Wee Showmanship

12:30 LUNCH BREAK

1:00 a.m. Swine Division
Berkshires
Hampshires
Polands
Spots
White OPB
Yorkshires
Crosses
Grand Champion Market Swine
Reserve Grand Champion Market Swine
Swine Sr., Jr., and Pee Wee Showmanship

Please come out and support our local youth as they prepare for tough competition at the Eastland County Show and the Major shows!! On behalf of the Gorman Livestock Raisers we appreciate your support and it makes such a difference for the kids to know they have your continued support. Come watch and eat lunch, we will have a great concession!

Gorman Athletic Booster Club

To Meet Dec. 15th

The Athletic Booster Club will have their next meeting on Thursday, December 15th, at 7:00 p.m. We will honor this past month's "Athlete of the Week" and will be discussing future plans and activities that the club intends to participate in. If you are a parent of an athlete or an interested community member please plan to attend this meeting.

Lady Panthers/Newcastle Tournament

The Lady Panthers traveled to Newcastle for a tournament on December 9-10. The Lady Panthers played Newcastle, Strawn, and Midway. The Lady panthers worked hard while putting out tremendous effort in all their games, and were able to come up with a win against Midway with a score of 46-41. Kendra Swanner's hard work earned her All Tournament Honors. She scored a total of 43 points and had 50 rebounds through out the entire tournament.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 10 | 10 | 9 | 13 | 42 |
| New Castle | 12 | 18 | 15 | 14 | 59 |

Longoria-6pts and 2 steals, Panter-1pt and 3 steals, Johnston-6pts and 2 steals, Swanner-13pts and 16 rebounds, Seaton-4pts, Carlton-12pts and 9 rebounds, and Keith-2 steals and 6 rebounds.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 8 | 6 | 10 | 14 | 38 |
| Strawn | 15 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 62 |

Longoria-4pts and 2 steals, Panter-6pts, Johnston-10pts and 2 steals, Herrera-2pts, Swanner-8pts and 15 rebounds, Seaton-2pts, Carlton-6pts and 8 rebounds.

| Team | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Final |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Gorman | 10 | 14 | 6 | 16 | 46 |
| Midway | 11 | 5 | 14 | 11 | 41 |

Panter-7pts, Keith-5pts and 3 steals, Swanner-22pts, 19 rebounds, and 5 steals, Johnston-5pts and 3 steals, Seaton-4pts and 6 rebounds and Carlton-3pts.

Next Gorman GROW meeting this Thursday, December 15, @7:30

Christmas Lighting Contest Entry Form Deadline Dec. 15

The Gorman Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Christmas Lighting Contest. The Contest is open to all Residents in a 5 mile radius of Gorman. Entry deadline is Thursday, December 15. Judging will be on Friday, December 16th. No Entry Fee. Prizes will be awarded for First Place- \$75.00; Second Place- \$50.00; Third Place- \$25.00;

Entry Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

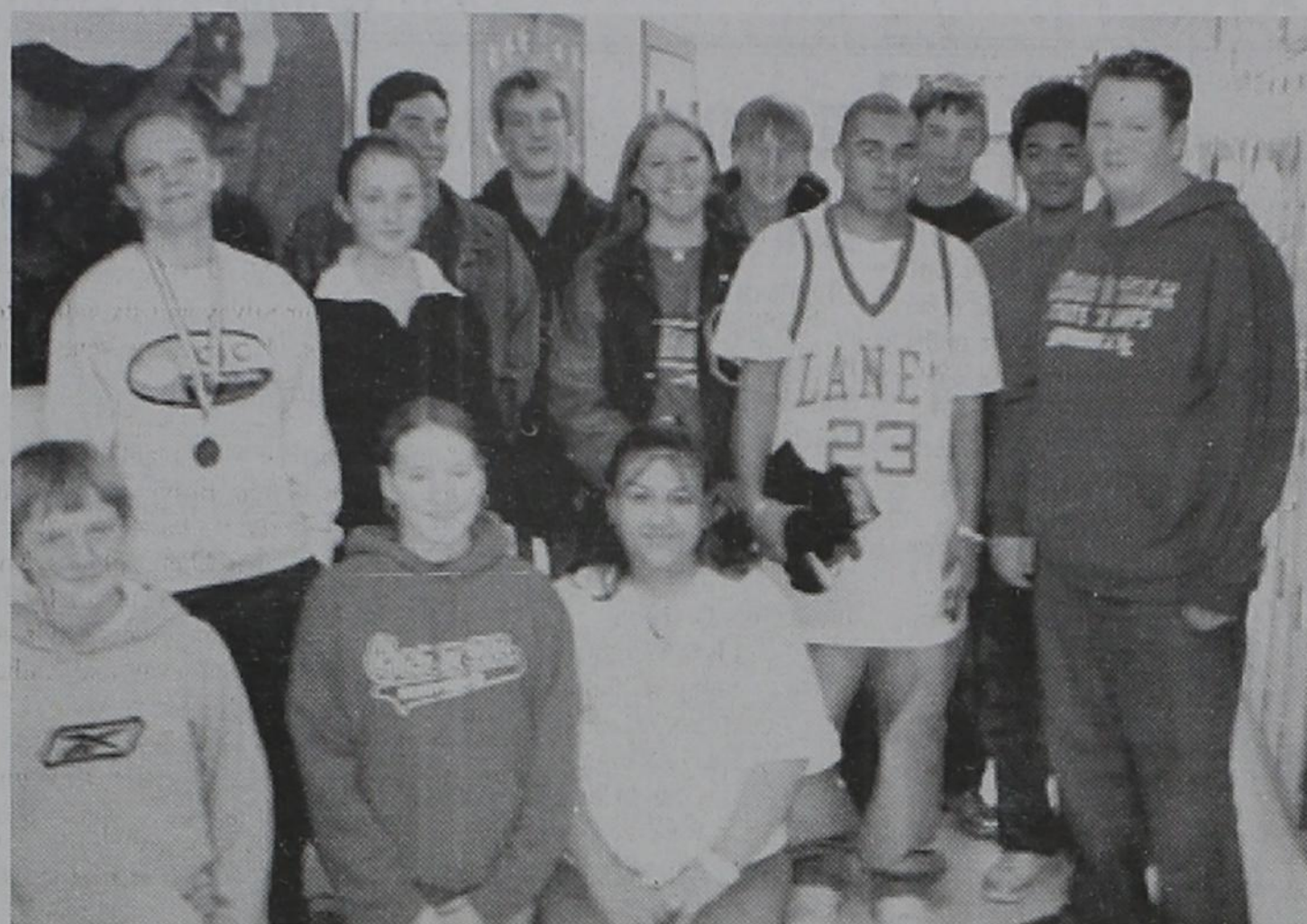
Directions to House _____

Forms need to be turned in at the City Office.

Several Students Competed At UIL Contest At Howard Payne

Several Gorman High School students competed at the Howard Payne Academy of Freedom Scholastic Competition in Brownwood on Friday, December 9. The students competed in many different subject categories against other 1A and 2A school students. This was the first year for Gorman High School to attend this competition, and the students said they are looking forward to competing next year. Paul Burt was awarded first place in the Western Civilization contest. Congratulations Paul!!

Between competitions, the students enjoyed a hamburger meal and a game of bowling. They played against Mrs. Segura and Mrs. Granado at the Academy Lanes. Everyone was excited when Ty beat Mrs. Segura in a serious game of bowling. Those attending the competition are pictured below.

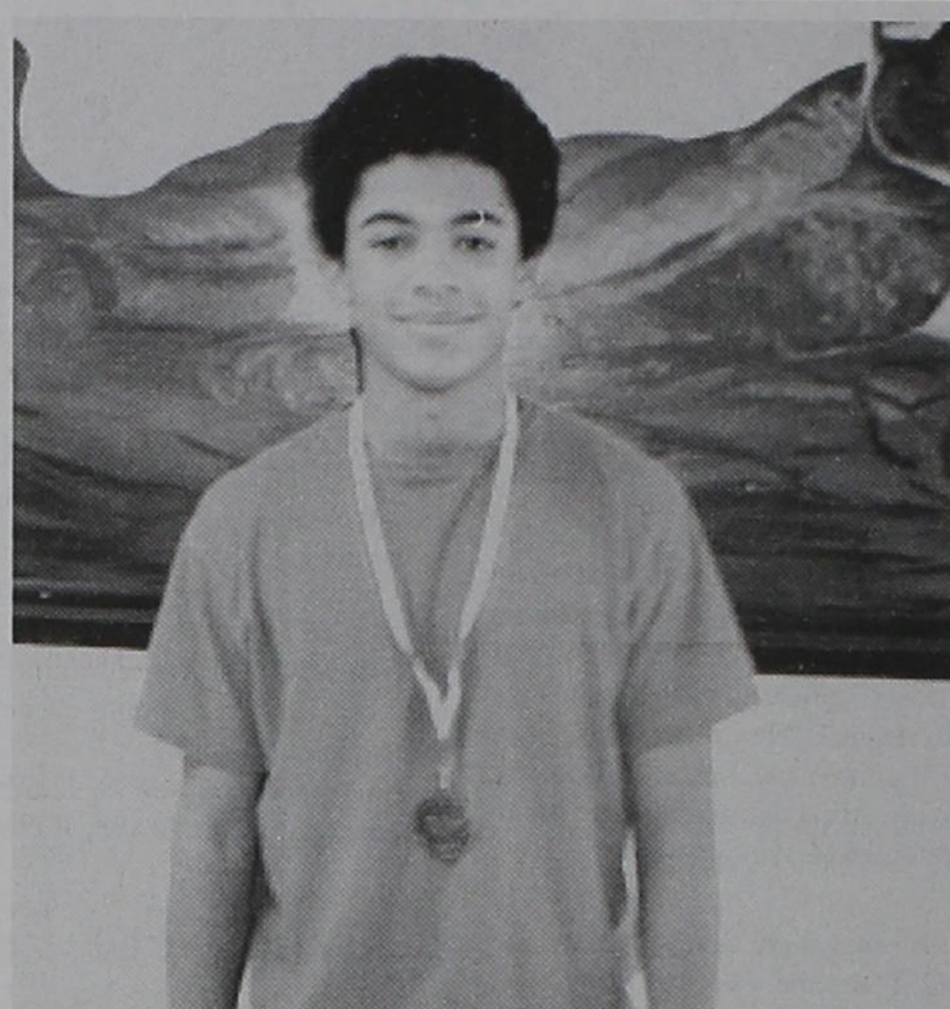


Top row left to right: Crystal Thackerson, K' Ann Howard, Jordan Perry, Codi Church, Nicole Cogburn, Matthew Smith, Corey Brown, Ty Vaughn, Paul Burt, Kent Long; front row: Matthew Cogburn, Emily Lewis, Marcy Gonzales. Those attending but not pictured: Cindy Lopez, Amber Ervin, Sonia Hipolito, and Perla Velasquez.

One-Act Play Selections

Recently, high school one-act play auditions were held. Many students tried out for parts in I Never Sang for My Father. Playing the part of Margaret is Holly Wright, Mary is Brittany Shirley, the nurse is Veronica Walton, Alice is K'Ann Howard, Gene is Chance Underwood, Tom is Matthew Smith, Dr. Pell is Corey Clark, Marvin Scott is Paul Burt, Dr. Mayberry is Trey Holdman, and the porter/waiter is Carlos Gutierrez.

These students will be putting in many hours of practice before they compete in district competition in Ranger in March. Crew selections will be made and announced after the Christmas holidays.



Paul Burt was awarded first place in the Western Civilization contest.

Homemade Ornament Contest

Special thanks to all the students who participated in the contest, 66 entries in all, and also the people who came out to vote for their favorite ornaments. There were over 100 votes cast, and here are the results:

- 1st Place - Courtney Seaton
- 2nd Place - Samuel Rainey
Alaina Swanner
- 3rd Place - Stetson Thompson
Sydney Casey

Minutes For November

Gorman Grow

Minutes For November Meeting of Gorman Grow

Called to order on November 17 @ 8:00.

Minutes reviewed by members present.

Motion made to approve minutes by Curly Lipsen, seconded by Cliffa Vaughn, motion carried.

- Financial Report
- No Bills Pending
- Upcoming Costs
- Prizes for Gorman GROW's Homemade Christmas Ornament Contest.

Income
Two donations from American State Bank - \$178.36 - \$377.34

A Thank You note will be sent. Old business:

Item - Park News
There are 3 new barrels, the 2 bridges have been leveled, and the underbrush has been cut out.

New Business:
Item - Homemade Ornament Contest

Notes have been sent to students in grades Pre-K through 6th.

They will be on display at the Opera House on December 3rd, where they will be voted on by the public, prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Place, in the amounts of \$30, \$20, \$15.

Item - Tour of Homes
Postpone at this time

Item - Beautification Grant
Lori Dodd presented information about a grant to beautify the downtown area. She is asking us to commit to contributing \$500.00. We will discuss it further on Dec. 6th.

Motion made by Cliffa to adjourn, seconded by Curly, motion carried.

Next meeting December 6 @ 7:30.

Basketball Dates of Importance

- December 13th @ Perrin Whitt
JV Girls, JV Boys, Varsity Girls, Varsity Boys
- December 16th VS Strawn
JV Boys, Varsity Girls, Varsity Boys
- December 19th VS Zephyr
(JV Girls VS Lingleville), JV Boys, Varsity Girls, Varsity Boys
- December 27th - 29th Zephyr Tourney TBA

Basketball Holiday Workout Schedules

| | Girls | Boys |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------|
| December 14th Wednesday | 2:15-4:45 | 4:45-7:30 |
| December 15th Thursday | 5:00-7:30 | 2:30-5:00 |
| December 16th Friday | 1:00-2:00 | 2:00-4:00 |
| December 19th Monday | 2:00-3:00 | 1:00-2:00 |
| December 20th -26th | Gym Closed for floor refinsh and UIL requirements | |
| December 27th-29th | Zephyr Varsity Tour TBA | |
| January 2nd Monday | 2:00-5:00 | 11:00-2:00 |
| January 3rd Tuesday | return to school shooting practice 8th period | |
| December 14th Wednesday | 4:00-JV girls v Perrin | |
| December 15th Thursday | 5:00-JV boys v Perrin | |
| December 16th Friday | Var. girls v Perrin | Var. boys v Perrin |

Weight Watchers
Starting in Gorman Wed. at 5:30
Gorman Elementary Library
Call Crystal if you are interested / more info: 734-2027 / 734-5428
Crystal Snider - 309 Hwy 8 - Gorman, Tx 76454
mcsnider@txol.net

Paul Williams Roofing
Carbon, Texas
254-639-2330
30 years of Service in Gorman Area
Free Estimates
Extended Warranties

Your Electric Bill Too High!
Lowest Rates In Texas! Lock In For Two (2) Years! Eula Miers 254-734-4371.

TXOL INTERNET
\$23.50 Unlimited
\$9.95 For 50 Hours to
Call 254-734-2410
See Lorraine At The Gorman Progress

Morenci Candles
Available At City Grocery

DRIVER POSITIONS AVAILABLE
Must Have:
CDL
Good Driving Record
Reliable
Benefits:
(401K) (Health Insurance)
Home Every Night - Paid Holidays
APPLY AT:
GORMAN MILLING CO.
Gorman, Texas — 1-800-588-2252

Business Directory

"Discover Arbonne"
Natural / Botanical Ingredients
Cosmetics · Armotherpay · Nutrition
Swiss Skin Care · Formulated In Switzerland · Made in USA
Ask Me How You Can Be Part Of An Incredible Arbonne Opportunity For A Home Based Business...
Valerie Hampton · Independent Consultant · 254-734-2174
Michelle Byrd · Independent Consultant · 254-639-2849
Julie May · Independent Consultant · 254-734-4463

CUSTOM HOME BUILDERS
SINCE 1980
Let Us Build Your New Home or Room Addition
If You Can Dream It, We Can Build It!!
T. J. Clark Construction Co., Inc.
(254) 734-2755
P. O. Box 176 -- 111 E. Roberts St. -- Gorman, Texas 76454
General Building Contractors - All Work Guaranteed
Custom Homes - Remodeling - Commercial - Industrial - Farm
Financing - Free Estimates - Design, Engineering & Plan Services

MATERIAL HANDLERS NEEDED: Peanut Processing facility is seeking Material Handlers. Drug Screening will be required. Excellent benefit package. Apply at office located 4.5 miles west of Dublin on Hwy 6; Dublin, Tx; Monday thru Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. 2-12-15 C.

FOR SALE: Steel Barrels - Call Denver Rainey at 254-734-5131. FNC.
WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE COASTAL HAY: Round or Square Bales. Will pay up to \$40/acre for standing coastal. Call Bryan Morris at 254-893-4040 or 817-313-9077, Neal Morris at 893-2167. 5-12-29 C.

Knife Drawings at Nathan's Barber Shop
Smith and Wesson Pocket Knife will be given away in November and December
Get a haircut and register for Knives.

NITA DANSBY REAL ESTATE COMPANY
Nita Dansby - Broker / Owner
Commercial - Residential - Farm - Ranch
132 S. Texas - De Leon, Tx 76444
254-893-6441
LOT at Promontory RV Resort - Proctor Lake! Possible Seller Financing! \$5,500. Access to pool, lake, pavilion.
FORMER Nursing Home! Only 17' x 17' Large Lot \$89,000. OFFERS INVITED!!!
WHAT Every Family Looks For!! 3-2-2 Brick on almost 2 Acres! Immaculate Condition! \$72,500.00
NINE Lots! \$13,500 for All. Restricted To Brick Homes.
3 ACRES +/- Frontage on two (2) city streets. All Utilities; tall trees! Make Offer!

Gilder Realty www.gilderrealty.com
Hwy. 6 W -- De Leon, Texas -- 254-893-3404
Agent: Ronnie Golden - Broker: Robert Gilder
Agent: David Gilder - Agent: Wayne Parsons
75A Eastland Co. with pivot irrig. System, 5-wells, tank, coastal. \$150,000.
165A Comanche Co., with 3/2 brick home, 1,800 sf, corrals, creek and hunting. \$440,000
243A Comanche Co., large reservoir, 14 irrig. wells, irrig. pit, hwy. frontage, coastal, and cultivation. \$473,850
240A Comanche Co. with 5-tanks, woods, hwy. frontage, rural water, hunting. \$396,000
56A Coastal, water well, stock tank. \$112,100 UNDER CONTRACT
26A with 2/1 Frame, water well, stock tank, woods, coastal, hunting. \$79,500
70A Comanche Co., 2 tanks, coastal, woods, hunting. \$155,750
Medical Clinic: 5,230 sf brick bldg, two covered carports, 280' x 282' paved parking lot. \$150,000
Nursing Home: 12,900 sf brick bldg. with kitchen, therapy room lobby, 22 double rooms, large lot. \$89,000
7A with 3/3 2,239 sf brick, fireplace, water well, carport, storm cellar. \$115,000
69A wooded, rolling terrain, corrals, 3 tanks, hunting. REDUCED \$172,500.
2A 3/2 1,900 sf frame, 2 wells, CH/A. REDUCED \$72,000. UNDER CONTRACT
63A coastal, corrals, water wells, hunting. \$123,700.
7 A., 3/2, 2,347sf brick, carport, stock tank, corrals, RV shed, metal barn, 2 wells, hwy. frontage. \$145,000.
97A 5/4.5, 5632 sf brick, swimming pool, deck with hot tub, metal barn, pecan trees, tanks, corral, and much more. \$599,999 UNDER CONTRACT
Other house available from \$18,000 to \$105,000.
— Other Listings Available — — We Appreciate All Listings —

Riley Gardner Memorial Represented By JONELL TORREZ — 254-734-2535
Our Memorial Display Is Now Located Behind Higginbotham's Funeral Home. We Guarantee You Can Buy The FINEST QUALITY Memorial At The LOWEST PRICE. All Work Guaranteed.

CLASSIFIED

For Sale: Used washers, dryers, refrigerators, and freezers. 30 day warranty. Call 254-893-4198 or 254-842-8167. fnc

FOR RENT: Building downtown Gorman across from JZ's Steakhouse. Available Now!!! Central Heat and Air, restroom and water heater. Call Joe at Gorman Progress - 254-734-2410.

We buy houses! Quick CASH closings! Call Ron 432-580-4883. fnc

Town & Country REAL ESTATE
BARBARA LOVE, Broker
317 E. Main St.
254-629-1725
EASTLAND, TX 76448

PRIVACY WITH ROOM TO ROAM! Large BR, 3 bath brick home on 6 acres, m/l living/dining combo, CH/A, pool, 2 carport, orch, DAG, city water & water well. Peaceful surroundings not far from town. HA9 COMFY, COZY, AFFORDABLE! 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home on a large lot. Living, dining, gas heat, window A/C, kitchen with ashwood cabinets, patio, SDG & 2 car carport. 04
HELP YOURSELF TO COMFORT! Enjoy life in this 3 BR, 2 bath brick home. Livingroom with F/P, dining, kitchen appliances, CH/A, covered patio, 2 car carport & storage bldg. 07
TAKE A PEEK - THEN SETTLE IN! 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home with living, dining, CH/A, screened porch & 2 sheds. Act fast - it won't last! 011
BARGAIN PRICED! 2 BR, 1 bath, large utility. De Leon DACP. Great starter home. 02

THE GORMAN PROGRESS
P. O. Box 68 - Gorman, Texas 76454
Phone 254-734-2410 or 2411 - Fax 254-734-2799
Email - gprogress@txbusiness.com
EPS - JPEG Photos (Only) Email - jake@txol.net
Publication Number 222780
PUBLISHER: Joe Bennett
ASST. PUBLISHER: Lorraine (Jake) Bennett
EDITOR & SUBSCRIPTIONS: Marilyn Warren
SUBSCRIPTION RATES: By Mail in Eastland and Comanche Counties - 1 year -- \$12.00; Outside Eastland and Comanche Counties but in Texas - 1 year -- \$16.50; and Out of State - 1 year -- \$18.50 - Effective 1-1997.
Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Gorman Progress will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.
Entered as Periodical Postage Paid at the Post Office in Gorman, Texas 76454, under the Act of March 3, 1978. Published Weekly by Gorman Progress, 106 S. Kent, Gorman, Texas 76454. Periodical Postage Paid at Gorman, Texas 76454
DISPLAY AD RATE
\$3.00 Per NAA COL. INCH
NATIONAL AD RATE
\$3.75 Per NAA COL. INCH
Advertising Line Rate - 2678
NO COMMISSION DISCOUNTS
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS
20 Cents a Word
Minimum Charge - \$3.00 per issue - CASH
Charged - Additional Fee - \$1.00.
No Commission.
Additional 50 cents for Borders. Wedding Announcements - \$5.00 / \$10 with Picture - Weddings - \$10.00 Minimum.
ADVERTISING DEADLINE - TUESDAY NOON
Card of Thanks - \$3.00
THE GORMAN PROGRESS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY ADVERTISING.
POSTMASTER: Please Send Change of Address To: GORMAN PROGRESS, P. O. Box 68, Gorman, Texas 76454-0068

Mobile Homes For Sale
16 X 80
3 + 2
\$19,900
Cash or Finance.
817-279-8505 - RBI 35823

3+2 D/Wide
\$23,900 Cash!
817-279-8505 - RBI 35823
Must Go!
4 Bdrm D/Wide - \$35,900!
Cash or Finance Available.
817-279-8505 - RBI 38523

BUYING
Junk Cars and Pickups
Jamie Mason
DeLeon Auto Supply
254/893-6776

COGBURN REALTY
893-6666 DE LEON, TX
3-2 Frame, app. 1250, CH/A, detached garage/storage, corner lot with shade trees. \$29,500.00
NEW: Kent St. Nice 3-1-1 frame, app. 1357', 2 living areas, much remodeling, carpeted, metal roof, vinyl siding, alum. windows, fenced back yard. \$29,500.00. Offers Considered
NEW: Kent St. App. 2 A., 3-2-2 brick, central a/h, lots kitch. cabinets, garden area, large pecan trees, nice retirement property. \$69,500
NEW: 1.75 A m/l, 3-2 frame, app. 1476', metal roof, several sheds, large oak and pecan trees. \$20,000.00 OFFERS CONSIDERED.
NEW: 1 A m/l, 2-1 frame, app. 900', metal roof, shop bldg., numerous outbuildings, water well, and much more. \$12,000.00.
13.958 acres west of De Leon: 2 or 3 br. - 1 bath brick, 1375', garage and carport. Tifton 85 pasture, 2 wells, big hayshed, older shop, 1/4 mile off pavement. \$112,500
NEW: 30A., near De Leon, 3-3-3 m/h, 1190 sf, CH/A, Klein grass, cult., fenced, well, pond, coop water, barn & sheds, nice view. \$96,000.
NEW: 40 A. West Gorman, rough, wooded, secluded, great deer/turkey hunting, canyon w/80' elevation change, pond, electricity, views. \$2,250 per acre
NEW: 73A near Duster, good hunting, 3 nice deer blinds, 2 ponds, 30 x 40 barn w/elec., coastal, pecans, fenced. \$1,600 acre.
NEW: 97A S/W Gorman: Secluded, good hunting, seasonal creek, oak/mesquite, pond, fenced. Will divide into 27a and 70a tracts. \$1,850 acre.
100 A. near Duster: 3 - 1 1/2 - 2 brick, central A/H, fireplace, 1444', 24 x 30 shop on slab, 2 wells, 3 ponds, steel corrals, app. 36 A. coastal, some cult., and native. \$249,500.00
NEW: 102.81 A S/E Gorman: Native pasture, coastal, 2 ponds, 3 wells, new fence 2 sides, paved rd., pecans, deer & hogs, will divide. \$2,250 per acre.
We NEED Your Listings. The market is Good. Call Us.
SELLING
GORMAN - DE LEON AREAS OVER 50 YEARS

Neugebauer Says Opening Of Japanese Market Good News For Texas Ranchers

Washington, DC-Congressman Randy Neugebauer released the following statement Monday regarding the reopening of the Japanese market to American beef.

"The move by Japan to complete the steps needed to reopen its market to American beef is a development that is long overdue and one that is good news for Texas cattle producers. The ability of our farmers and ranchers to sell their products in foreign markets is vital to the success of the agriculture industry in this country.

"Today's news is also testament to the hard work put in over the past two years by the entire agriculture community, including President Bush and Agriculture Secretary Mike Johanns.

"I am pleased that the Japanese government has finally reached the conclusion already reached by consumers across the United States: U.S. beef is safe and is a high quality product. I hope additional nations follow the lead of Japan and again allow their consumers to enjoy U.S. beef."

Kokomo News

By Zelda Jordan

The Christmas program at the Kokomo Baptist Church will be on Wednesday, December 21st at 6:00 p.m. Following the program Santa will be there to talk to the children. Then all will adjourn to the fellowship hall for barbecue sandwiches and cobblers furnished by the church. Visitors are welcome. If you bring a child that was not in Sunday School to draw names, please bring a gift to put under the Christmas tree for them. Let us come together to enjoy fellowship together as we worship our Lord and celebrate His birth.

Bro. Aaron Oden of Dublin was the speaker at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday. His wife Gladys accompanied him to Kokomo. Tommy Seay of Alpine was also a visitor. Mary Jane Little gave a mission emphasis on the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering saying it was "A Gift Of Hope" to those around the world when we pray and give our offerings that the message of hope in Jesus Christ may be presented through out the world. The special music "The Plan Of Salvation" was so beautifully rendered by Ruby Lee Kinser and Jimmy Little.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church going to Heritage Manor in Gorman for the church services on Sunday afternoon were Woodrow and Helen Browning, Joe Bond, Jimmy Little, Ruby Lee Kinser, Nancy Hendricks and Kay Snider.

Bro. Jim Haggard of Strawn will be the speaker at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday, December 18th.

Joe and Glynda Bond hosted a Christmas party for Glynda's brothers and their families on Saturday, December 10. Those in attendance were Glynn and Debbie Wilson of Houston, Nathan and Ashley Wilson of Uvalde, Steve, Amy, Cameron, Garrett and Madison of Stephenville, Jimmy Don Wilson and his friend Vickie and her daughter, Tiffany, Chance and Nikki Wilson all of Ranger and Shannon, Stephanie, Raegan, Sydnie and Joey Bond of Copperas Cove. Shannon and family visited with Joe and Glynda from Thursday night until Saturday night.

Woodrow and Helen Browning attended the birthday party for their grandson, Garrett Gatlin in celebration of his 7th birthday on Saturday in Graham, and visited with Donna, Gary, Leslie, Melanie and Garrett Gatlin and Gary, Rebecca and Emily Browning.

Those visiting with Nancy Hendricks were Betty Little, Bertie Stacy, Zelda Jordan and Sylvia Buchanan.

We extend get well wishes to Mary Donham who underwent surgery recently in Abilene.

Bobby and Mary Jane Little and Zelda Jordan attended the Birthday party honoring Mrs. Opal Little in Eastland on Sunday. Mrs. Little, or "Miss Ramsey" as she was known at the time, taught English at Carbon High School when Zelda and Bobby were students there, and she was a very good teacher.

As you prepare for Christmas

Season's Greetings,
From all of us, to all of you.
Have a Safe
&
Happy Holiday Season
Gorman PTO

Desdemona News

BY VONNIE GUTHERY

Peggy Jacobs, 71, of Pasadena passed away on December 1, 2005 following a lengthy illness. Survivors include her husband, Tommy Jacobs, one son and three daughters all of Pasadena. The Jacobs family are former residents of Desdemona, where all their children attended school. Jr. Jacobs graduated with the Class of 1948, Tommy Jacobs with the Class of 1949, June Jacobs with the Class of 1951 and Jo Jacobs with the Class of 1954. Our sincere sympathy goes out to this family.

Dorothy Roberts spend the past weekend in Fort Worth with her daughter, Ulenda Cofsky and husband, Richard. Dorothy had appointment on Monday with a Foot Specialist in Fort Worth.

June Jacobs spent several days in Fort Worth visiting with her sister, Jo Jacobs and family.

Lots of sickness in our area. Several from our community are in the local rest home. Remember them with your cards and prayers.

Please contact this reporter with your weekly news. Thanks, have a nice day.

Vonnie

4-H Clothing Workshop and Field Trip Set

Anyone interested in participating in the clothing and textiles project would greatly benefit by attending a multi-county 4-H Clothing Workshop and Field Trip. The event will take place in Stephenville on December 29th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 4-Hers will travel to various clothing stores throughout Stephenville along with having a pizza lunch. This is a great opportunity to learn since topics will include buying, identifying quality clothing, along with covering many other areas of fashion and textiles. If you are interested in attending the 4-H Clothing Workshop and Field Trip, please contact Beth Stone, County Extension Agent-FCS at 254-629-2222 as soon as possible so arrangements can be made.

celebrations remember that "Jesus Is The Reason" that we celebrate Christmas.

Obituary

Julia Pauline Hafford

Julia Pauline Hafford, age 94, of De Leon, Texas, passed away Sunday, December 11, 2005, at her home in De Leon.

She was born April 5, 1911 in Gorman, Texas to the Late William Julius Skaggs and Mary Etta Campbell.

Pauline was married to John Hafford January 26, 1941 in Granbury, Texas. They moved to Fort Worth where she worked at Consolidated Airplane Factory during the war. She as one of the riveters that helped make the bombers that were used to fight the war. She also worked at the sewing factories in Eastland and other towns around De Leon and at the De Leon Peanut Company for many years in De Leon.

Pauline was in bad health for the last few years and she has been ready to join all her loved ones that have preceded her in death. Her husband John (Nomer) Hafford in 1981, one son Bobby Gail Winkles in 2003, One granddaughter Donna Kay Winkles in 2002, one sister Mabel Skaggs Ezzell, five half-brothers: Henry Franklin Skaggs, William Lee Jefferson Skaggs, J. D. Skaggs, Elwood Silvey, Arthur Silvey and six half-sisters, Martha Elizabeth Skaggs, Sara Minta Skaggs, Mary Roxione Irene Skaggs, Ida Ellen Skaggs, Erma Silvey and Opal Silvey.

She is survived by: one daughter, Christeen McDonald and husband W. A. McDonald of Abilene; four grandchildren, Bobby Gail Winkles, Jr., Roger Allen Winkles, Carolyn Ann Roberts, Barbara Brown; seven great grandchildren: Brittany Gail Winkles, Taner Allen Winkles, Mitch Ryan Winkles, Chelsea Winkles, Todd Douglas Brown, Shelly Ann Holloway, James Troy Roberts; four great great grandchildren: Kayla Ann Holloway, Trisha Lee Holloway, Leann Marie Holloway and Anthony Lee Holloway.

Graveside services were at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 14th in the Downing Cemetery, with Bro. Jackie Auvenshine officiating, under the direction of Nowlin Funeral Home.



George Perry



Charles Fisher

254-629-2636
1245 E Main Eastland TX
800-460-6537
fmc@tcol.net

TEXAS AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION

OnStar Driving Radio in a New Direction

"Visit Us On The Web: www.fullenmotors.com"

"First Time Buyers Welcome"

BAD CREDIT -- BANKRUPTCY -- NO PROBLEM

View Our Inventory Or Get Approved Online at www.fullenmotors.com



"See Some Red - Save Some Green"

"The Price On Our Tag Is The Price You Pay, Not A Penny More"

2006 Chevrolet Colorado Crew Cab



Red w/Pewter Cloth, 2 Wheel Drive, Tinted Windows, Power Locks, Power Windows, Cruise, Tilt, 4 Sp. Automatic, Radio w/CD Player, Vinyl Floor Mats
Stock #5969D
MSRP - \$25,930

\$22,465.89 + TT&L

2006 Chevrolet Impala LT



White w/Neutral Interior, Power Drive Seat, Steering Audio Controls, Dual Climate Control, Cruise, 4 Spd. Automatic, Radio w/CD Player, Remote Vehicle Start, 3.5L V6, XM Radio, OnStar Stock #6213
MSRP - \$24,185

\$21,701.75 + TT&L

2006 Chevrolet Tahoe LS



White w/Dark Charcoal Cloth, Tinted Windows, Third Row Seating, Power Windows/Locks, Rear A/C, Power Heated Mirrors, Power Driver Seat, Dual Climate Control Cruise, 4 Sp. Auto, Radio w/CD Player, Steering Wheel Audio Controls, Tire Pressure Monitor, HD Trailering Equipment, V8, 2WD - Stock #6194
MSRP - \$37,835

\$30,052.15 + TT&L

2006 Chevrolet 1500 Extended Cab LT



White w/Tan Cloth, 2 Wheel Drive, Tinted Windows, Power Windows/Locks, Dual Climate Control, Power Heated Mirrors, 4 Sp. Auto, Power Driver Seat, Cruise, Radio w/CD & Cassette, XM Radio, OnStar Stock #6138
MSRP - \$30,170

\$23,755.68 + TT&L

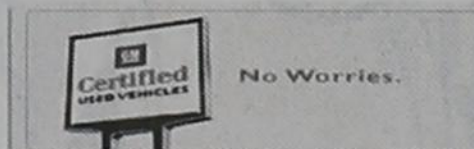
2006 Chevrolet Cobalt Sedan LS



Silver w/Gray Cloth, Radio w/CD Player, Bucket Seats, Power Locks, Cruise, 4 Spd. Automatic
Stock #6053E
MSRP - \$16,205

\$14,460.48 + TT&L

Prices Good Until January 3, 2006



No Worries.

All Certified Vehicles Have Three Month 3,000 Mile Extended Warranty

2005 Chevy Trailblazer LS 4X4



Silver Stone Metallic w/Light Grey Interior, V6, 4 Sp. Auto, Tint, Buckets, Cruise, Climate Control, Daytime Running Lights, CD, Alarm, P/Heated Mirrors, 13,000 Miles - Stock #6235

\$17,995.00 + TT&L

2003 GMC Yukon XL Denali SLT



AWD, V8, 4 sp. auto, Cruise, Power Windows, Running Boards, Front Power Seats, Captains Chairs, Power Adjustable Pedals, Radio w/Cass, & Cd Changer, XM Radio, OnStar, Onys Black w/pewter LOTS, LOTS MORE - 44K
Stock #6070B

\$28,500.00 + TT&L

2003 Pontiac Vibe



Slate with Slate Cloth, Power Windows and Locks, Cruise, Tilt, 1.8L, 4 Cyl., 4 Speed Automatic, Daytime Running Lights
28,000 Miles
Stock #6207

\$12,950.00 + TT&L

2002 Chevy Silverado LS



Summit White w/Graphite Cloth, 1500, Power Windows, Locks, Cruise, 4 Spd., V8, CD Player, Tinted Windows, 47,000 Miles
Stock #5823C

\$16,995.00 + TT&L

2002 Chevy Tahoe 4X4 Z71



White / Neutral Leather - Power Windows/Locks - 4 Sp. Auto Rear Seat Audio Controls - CD/CASS Tinted Windows - Tilt - Cruise
Stock #6203

\$22,500.00 + TT&L

2003 Chevy Suburban 1500 LS



Summit White w/Gray Interior, 4 Spd. Automatic, V8, 2WD, Power Windows, Locks, Tinted Windows, Cruise, 3rd Row Seating, Power Adjustable Pedals, 6 Disc CD, DVD, 35K 35,000 Miles - Stock #5965A

\$18,995.00 + TT&L

2005 Chevy Malibu LS



Light Driftwood Metallic w/Neutral Cloth, V6, 4 Sp. Auto, CD, P/W, P/L, T/C, 18,000 Miles
Stock #6236

\$13,995.00 + TT&L



White w/Gray Cloth, V6, 4 Sp. Auto, P/Driver Seat, Dual Climate Control, Cruise, P/L, P/W, 11,000 Miles - Stock #6238

\$13,995.00 + TT&L

Prices Good Until December 21, 2005

Dublin Livestock Auction Annual Replacement Sale

Thursday, December 29th

Bred Cows - Pairs - Young Bulls
Bred and Open Heifers
All Bulls Fert. Tested - ALL CATTLE AGED
Consignments Welcome!!!

For More Information Call:
Dale McKinney - 254-485-1289 Barn - 254-445-1734

NO SALE **DEC. 23RD or DEC 30TH**

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

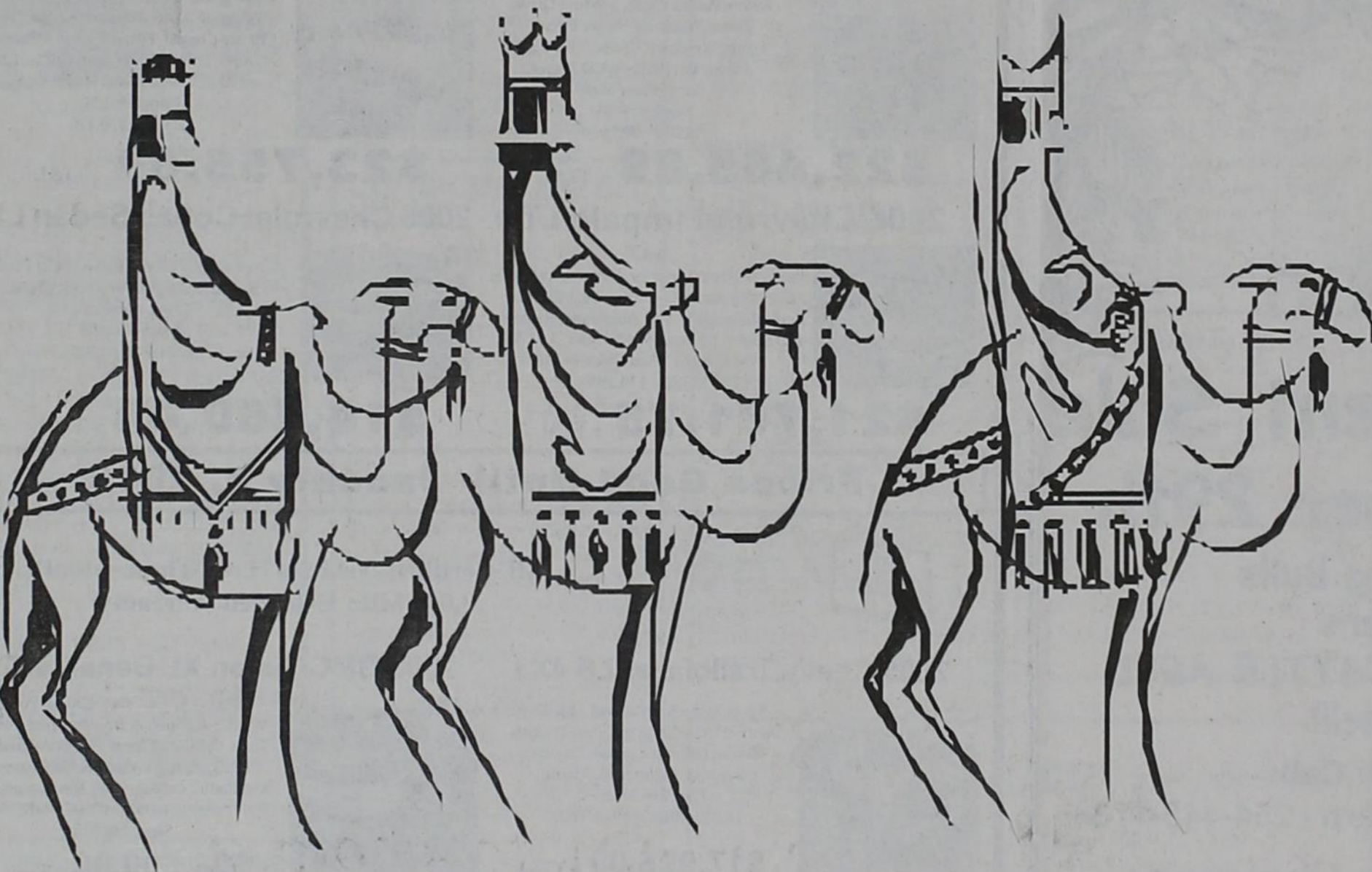
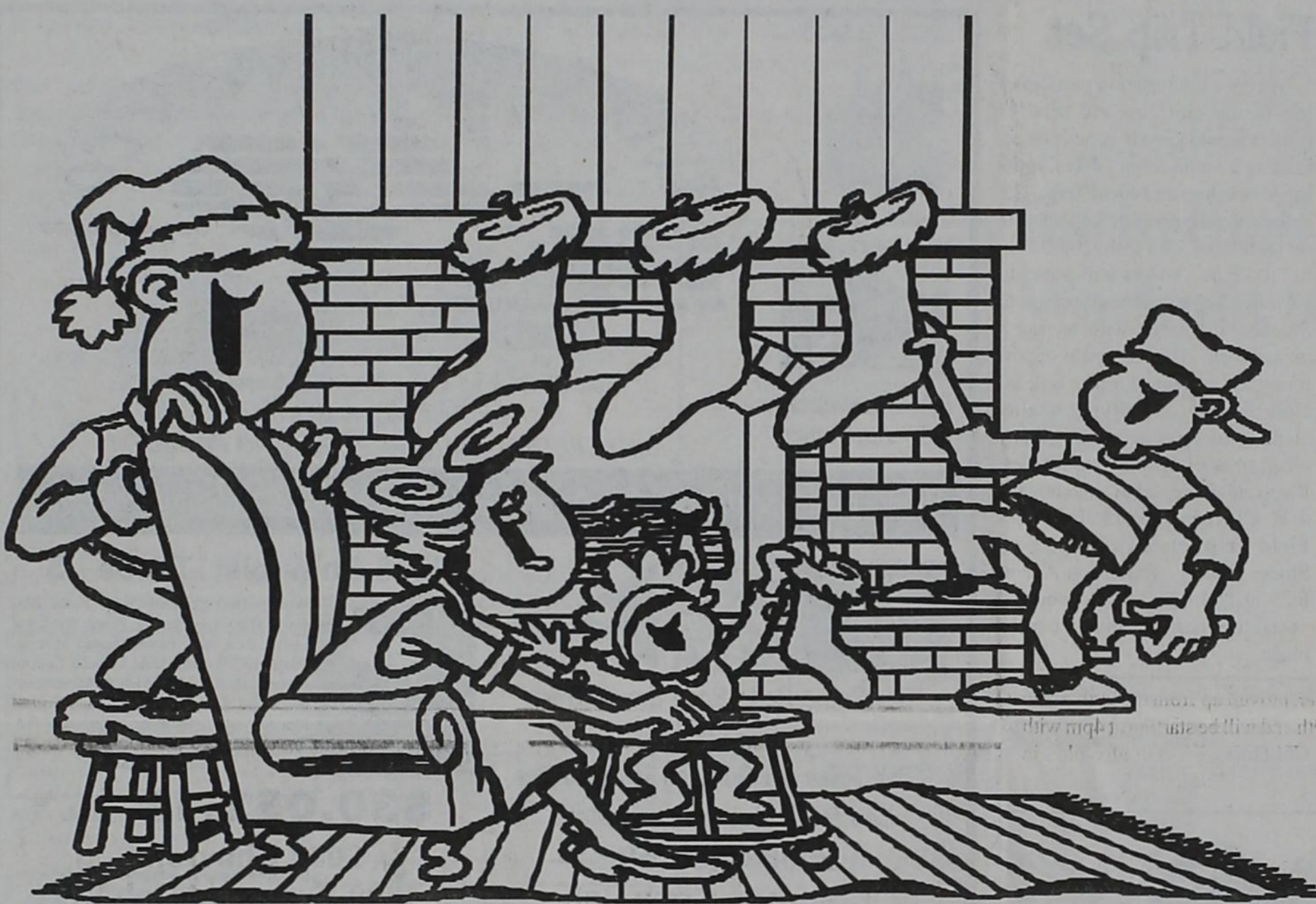
- Pro Shop On Site -
BYOB On Friday and Saturday Nights - 9 to 12
BUZZ FREE BOWLING ON MON. - TUES. - THURS. - 9 to 12
Friday and Saturday Night Specials
Acquire Entire Bowling Center For Private Parties
Birthday Parties and Church Lock-Ins Available
"Take The Family Out For A Night of Bowling"

Star Lanes

Lone

254-968-0440
Stephenville

Something To Do While School Is Out!!



School Menu

December 15 thru 16
BREAKFAST

THURSDAY – Cinnamon Rolls, Banana, Juice and Milk.
FRIDAY – Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice and Milk.

LUNCH

THURSDAY - Taco Salad or Chicken Fajati, Salad, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Salsa, Peppers and milk.
FRIDAY – Chefs Choice, Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Chips, Oranges and milk.

End To Japanese Ban On U.S. Beef Welcome News To Texans

Key Market Generates \$3 Billion Annual For U.S.; Texas Leads American Beef Producers

WASHINGTON—U.S. Sen. John Cornyn, a member of the President's Export Council and the Congressional Oversight Group on Trade, made the following statement Monday regarding an agreement reached to re-open the Japanese market to most U.S. beef:

"As the nation's leading cattle producing and cattle feeding state, the unfair and unnecessary ban had a greater impact on Texas than anywhere else. So opening the Japanese export market is certainly welcome news to our cattlemen and a \$210 million annual boost to our economy. The USDA, our diplomatic team and the administration did an outstanding job ensuring that the Japanese can once again enjoy Texas beef."

Prior to the ban, Texas exported approximately \$210 million annually in beef to Japan.

Cornyn is the co-sponsor of bipartisan legislation urging Japan to re-open its markets to U.S. beef. The bill, introduced in October and sponsored by Sens. Kent Conrad (D-N.D.) and Pat Roberts (R-Kan.), would have required the U.S. Treasury Department to impose tariffs on select Japanese products if that country does not re-open its domestic market to U.S. beef by the end of the year.

Sen. Cornyn met with the Japanese Ambassador in February, and has communicated with Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice and Agriculture Secretary Mike Johanns, expressing concern over the Japanese delay. He also voted for an amendment to the Agriculture Appropriations bill earlier this year that would prohibit the implementation of a proposed rule to allow boneless cuts of Japanese beef to be imported into the United States. Most recently, he signed a letter to U.S. Trade Rep. Rob Portman encouraging the Administration to impose retaliatory economic sanctions on Japan in light of their ongoing embargo.

Sen. Cornyn is a member of the following key Senate Committees: Armed Services; Judiciary; Budget; Small Business and Entrepreneurship; and Joint Economic.

-30-

www.cornyn.senate.gov

A Word in Season

By Pastor Dane Gressett

BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL (Part 1)

"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy."
(Matthew 5:7)

A "theologian" is someone who has ideas/thoughts about God. (theo=God; logian=thinker) Last time I noticed, the world is full of folks who have their opinions about God. If you read my articles and form opinions about what you read, you are proving that you are a theologian! However, when it comes down to bedrock, it matters very little what our opinions of God are, if our opinions do not square with the actual nature and attributes of God. Actually, if our thoughts about God are incorrect, we may in the end be counted as idolators! So it is very important that our thoughts about God be as near to who He really is as possible.

The Sermon on the Mount is the only full-length sermon we have on record for Jesus. In it He focuses on revealing the true nature of His heavenly Father. When He tells us we will be blessed if we are merciful, it is because mercy is one of the essential attributes of the living God. "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." (Luke 6:36) God is merciful. This means that if you think of God largely as a "fault-finder" then you have misconceived or misrepresented Him.

To show mercy means to treat people better than they deserve. God is looking for reasons to bless people and not to harm or destroy them. Is this how you perceive God? Do you see Him as a frowning record-keeper who continually takes note of each of your failings? Perhaps you see Him as "the big man upstairs", who like Santa Claus is making a list and checking it twice and who is finding out who's naughty and nice?

God didn't robe Himself in frail humanity on that first Christmas morning because He wanted to come to earth and find out who was naughty and nice! On the contrary, Christ came to earth as a man to reveal to us and secure for us the mercy of God. This is a marvelous thought, and is clearly supported in the pages of the Bible. (to be continued...Questions or comments? Email dane@txol.net)

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Child Safety Seat Classes will be held the first Wednesday of each month at the Gorman Community Center @ 7 p.m., and on the third Wednesday of each month at Eastland Memorial Hospital @ 7p.m. This is a free class. Call 734-4526 or 734-5989 To Sign Up.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Donations can be sent to Aline Garrett, P. O. Box 711, Gorman, Tx 76454 or to American State Bank.

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Mark Wilkerson, Master — Pat Moseley, Secretary.

VET Science 4-H Project - 4th Tuesday each Month. Technology Center / Gorman Community Center. Contact Lee or Amy Wood at 254-734-2973.

FOOD BANK

New Hours - 10 - 11:00 a.m.
Second Thursday

Boy Scouts

Meeting Week
Tuesdays — 6:00 p.m.
Methodist Church

SANDRA CAGLE WILL BE IN GORMAN AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT - WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 21ST FROM 9 - 11 A.M.

4-H - Meets Second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall - Amy Wood - 734-2973.

Oakland Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. Donations can be sent to Oakland Cemetery Association, 503 N. Fisher, Gorman, Tx 76454, or American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS — Blood Pressure Checks by Heritage Manor of Gorman. Every Wednesday at Senior Citizens at 11:00 a.m. Other week at Gorman Hotel at 10:30 a.m.

254-968-0440

Stephenville

Lone Star Lanes

"Take The Family Out For A Night of Bowling"

Birthday Parties and Church Lock-Ins Available
Acquire Entire Bowling Center For Private Parties
Friday and Saturday Night Specials

BYOB On Friday & Saturday - 9 to 12

- Pro Shop On Site -

We Teach Bowling

Lingleville Hwy.

TXOL INTERNET
\$9.95 For 50 Hours to \$23.50 Unlimited
See Lonnie At The Gorman Progress
Call 254-734-2410

dperry@gorman.esc14.net
734-3171

This will be the last Super Notes article until after we return from the Christmas break and I would like to wish everyone within the Gorman school community and everyone in the surrounding communities a very Merry Christmas and a blessed new year! I cannot believe how fast time has gone by this first semester. We have a wonderful student body being taught by a great faculty. At the end of this school year, I truly believe that we will be able to look back on this year as a great one.

I also want to take this opportunity to tell you all what a great school board you have. January is officially "School Board Recognition Month" and I will be singing their praises in this article after we return. School Board members receive absolutely no compensation for their time and effort and rarely receive a thank you from the general public. Most board

CAPITOL COMMENT



**U.S. SENATOR
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON**

A Giant of the Nano-World

Under the nurturing gaze of his mother, he peered through the eyepiece of a microscope and saw a whole universe: parametia, diatoms, and amoebas — the various single-celled organisms they had collected together in a nearby pond. To most of us, the many creatures he found in just a drop of water would be too small to notice, too insignificant to make us pause and consider them further. But, for Dr. Smalley, microscopic things held gigantic possibilities. Those pond creatures were actually among the biggest objects he studied. The universe in which he would later blaze trails, was much, much smaller — 100,000 times smaller in fact.

To explore that universe, Dr. Smalley, had to be, not only bold and creative, he also had to create his own tools. He studied at some of the best schools in the country, from his education in chemistry at the University of Michigan and Princeton, to his work at the University of Chicago and Rice, work that would earn him a Nobel prize in 1996. To see molecules, an ordinary microscope would not do. Since molecules are constantly moving, he pioneered new methods of slowing them down so that it was possible to learn more about them.

It was his amazing combination of expert chemist and basement inventor that made his success possible. He started out as a boy building gadgets with his father and ended up building the most advanced super-sonic beam apparatus of its time for his own lab at Rice University, as well as for Exxon. As his vision of the nano-world improved, he discovered the fullerene, a soccer ball-shaped carbon molecule, commonly known as a buckyball. Further research led him to identify a tube-shaped carbon molecule, known as a nanotube.

I was extremely fortunate to work with Dr. Smalley when I began my effort to make Texas one of America's top research states in the hard sciences. He was a very generous man. Rather than seeking to maximize the profits he might have made on his new discovery, he provided other researchers with access to high-quality nanotube so they could learn from his research and it would help mankind as quickly as possible.

Dr. Smalley was not only a scientist, he was a gallant leader of scientists, affirming his mother's intuition in naming him after Richard the Lion-Hearted, one of the great kings of England. When I developed a consortium to use nanotechnology to improve our military equipment (SPRING), Dr. Smalley was happy to lead other scientists in the new endeavor. The group's work has already produced new, lighter, yet stronger, body armor that will save many soldiers' lives.

He was also eager to use his knowledge to save lives by curing diseases. Dr. Smalley played a key role in the formation of the Alliance for NanoHealth, a group that unites Texas's top medical institutions in the mission to cure diseases like cancer with the new technologies his discovery made possible. Scientists are now developing buckyballs they can load with drugs or radioactive atoms to more precisely attack cancer and other diseases.

Finally, Dr. Smalley added his insight to my most ambitious plan to fuel the work of researchers in Texas: The Academy of Medicine, Engineering and Science of Texas (TAMEST). This group was designed to bring together Texas doctors, scientists, and engineers who are recognized as leaders through membership in the national academies. Their goal is to share their work in order to increase research collaboration.

Dr. Smalley's true legacy to our state and the world is not yet fully realized because the brightest gems of his discovery have not yet been mined. In the decades to come, computers may be made with tiny, nanotubes circuits, making the smallest computers of today look gigantic; tiny robots may be placed in a patient's bloodstream to clean out his arteries, making intrusive heart surgery unnecessary. By looking at the smallest of things, Dr. Smalley made one of the biggest discoveries in recent history.

He once wrote that when he was 18, he was "convinced that Kansas City, Missouri was the exact center of the known universe." During his life, he changed the center of his universe by seeing the grandest possibilities in the world's most minute details.

Last October, Dr. Smalley died after a long battle with cancer. Now, we mourn the loss of his brilliant mind and great heart. We cannot replace his remarkable vision of the world. But, at the same time, we know that his discovery will continue to revolutionize science.

I will continue to miss this giant of the nano-world, and I will do everything in my power to ensure that our state continues to build on — the life work of this dedicated, lion-hearted man.

members are only contacted when someone has a complaint about something. So if you are hearing good things about what we are doing at Gorman ISD, please make a point of thanking our board members: Bobby Rich — President, Jeff Seaton — Vice-President, Melinda Harrington — Secretary, Daryl Hirst, Mark Simmons, Beth Underwood, and Larry Thompson. We would not be able to accomplish the things that we do without their help and support!

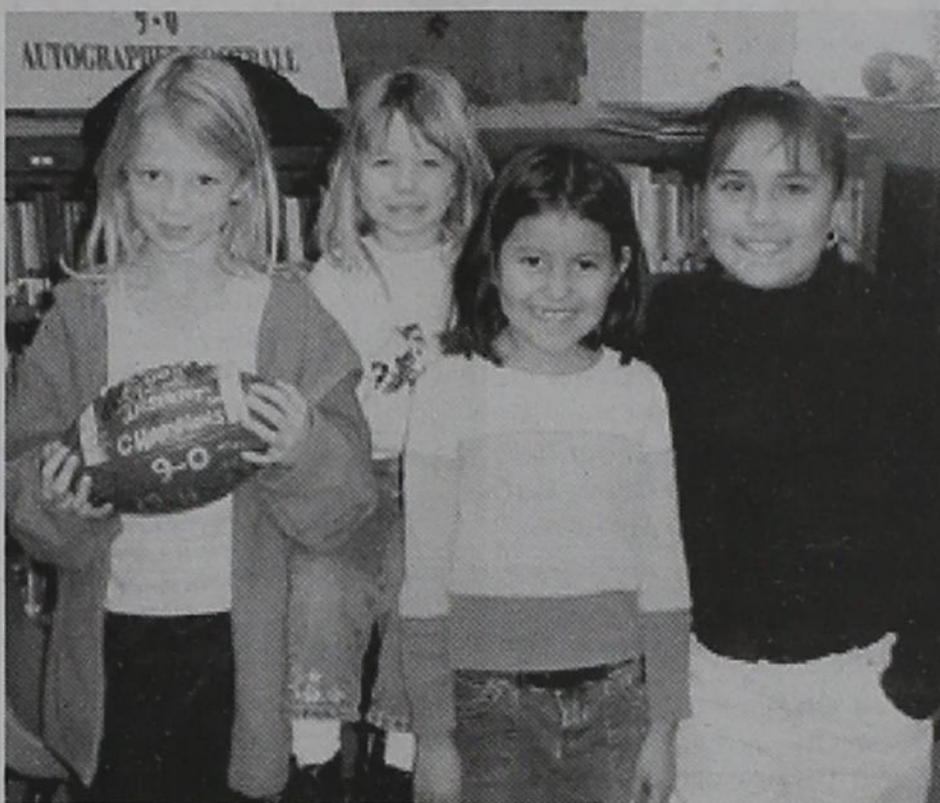
I also wish you a warmer and wetter new year. I am tired of cold! How about you?

Did you hear about Paul Burt? We had several high school students entered in academic competition at Howard Payne University in Brownwood. Paul won the "Western Civilization" History competition!

The Band Concert last Sunday was great! They played to a near full auditorium of students, parents, and community members. The students have really excelled this year under the direction of Mr. Howard. I can't wait until the spring concert!

National Children's Book Week was November 14th - November 20th. To celebrate National Children's Book Week, Maxfield Elementary held daily drawings. Every time a student read a book, he/she entered their name in that day's drawing. The more books they read, the more chances they had of winning. The week ended on Friday with a very special prize. We always have a great number of readers in elementary, but on Friday, we were happily bombarded with students reading everything they could get their hands on. The prize was an autographed football that was autographed by the Jr. High CUBS football team, (2005 District Champs) and their coaches. We are very proud of their winning record this year, 9 wins and 0 losses. YEA CUBS AND YEA READERS!!!!

The National Children's Book Week winners are:
MONDAY - VANESSA LONGORIA, 2A - CONNECT 4 HAND HELD GAME
TUESDAY - MORGAN WRIGHT, PRE-K - SIMON HAND HELD GAME
WEDNESDAY - ARLETTE GILES, 2A - SUPER BREAKOUT HAND HELD GAME
THURSDAY - MILES TURNER, 4B - ULTIMATE PINBALL HAND HELD GAME
FRIDAY - LINDEY THACKERSON, 3B - CUBS 2005 DISTRICT CHAMPION AUTOGRAPHED FOOTBALL



On December 15th and 16th students will be released at 1:00pm. The school will be closed until January 3, 2006 when the students return to school. There will be Basketball! The Zephyr games have been moved up from the 20th to the 19th and will be starting at 4pm with the JV Girls. We will also play in the Zephyr Tournament December 27th-29th.

Report cards will not be mailed until after we return from the Christmas break. It will probably be toward the end of the week after we return. If you have concerns, please contact your child's teacher and set up a meeting. I know I've said it before, but the more you partner with your child's teacher(s), the more successful your child will be. It takes teamwork!

If I missed any event that you would like to have seen covered, please let me know. It takes community involvement for a school to be successful and you are welcome to get involved at Gorman ISD anytime. Remember, this is your school; these are your children; and these children are your future! Come help us shape the future.

A World Of Adventure Awaits You

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE) is looking for enthusiastic people in the community who like working with young people and learning about different cultures to become Area Representative. When you become an ASSE Area Representative, you provide a valuable opportunity to outstanding high school exchange students who want to experience the American way of life for either a school year or semester. You will also be able to offer American teens study abroad programs. Area Representatives receive training, are reimbursed for expenses, and enjoy friendships with people from all over the world. ASSE invites you to join our family of Area Representatives. Please call to find out how your adventure can get started: **1-800-473-0696 or 409-745-2433.**

Pvt. Rex A. Brewer Completes Basic Marine Training

Marine Corps Pvt. Rex A. Brewer, son of Amanda F. Brewer of Austin, Texas and Robert A. Brewer of Carbon, Texas, recently completed 12 weeks of basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif. designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Brewer and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a. m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Brewer spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit during field training.

Brewer and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values—honor, courage and commitment, and what the core values mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Brewer and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour, team evolution culminating in an emotional ceremony in which recruits are presented the Marine Corps Emblem, and addressed as "Marines" for the first time in their careers.

Pig Tales From Hogtown

Price Reduction Sale: We had a great response to our Christmas Store the last two weekends! There are just a few items left but some very nice things that we are going to put on sale this weekend. In that way, we won't have to store them for next year. Yes, the Christmas Store is going to be a yearly event here in downtown Desdemona! Please come this weekend Dec. 16th and 17th from 10:00a.m. until 8:00p.m. to see if there are any bargains that might interest you. Those of us who worked in the store enjoyed the many friendly people who came to shop. We thank them for coming and for giving us such positive feedback on our venture. Folks are putting on their 'crafting hats' to come up with new things for next year's sale which will be held in our soon-to-be-built Activity Center.

Of interest to the gentlemen (and maybe some ladies), the drawing for the rifle will be held at 6:00p.m. on Saturday evening at the Christmas Store. You do not have to be present to win but are welcome to come to the drawing.

Happy Holidays from Hogtown!

On a sad note - Ronnie Bush and Helen Collum have each lost a sister recently. This is an especially difficult time of the year for such happenings and we want the families to know that they are in our thoughts and prayers.

Why get your local news anywhere else?

Grand Opening









Here's an offer you can't refuse.

HAIRCUT & BLOWDRY

\$2.99

DC

NOT VALID WITH OTHER OFFERS. LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER. GOOD ONLY AT GREAT CLIPS-STEPHENVILLE. OFFER EXPIRES 1/13/06

Great Clips for hair:

Located behind Chill's
(254) 918-5200
 Monday - Friday 9-9 • Saturday 9-6 • Sunday 12-5

Join Us!

at our

Christmas Open House


Friday, December 16, 2005

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

American State Bank

115 South Fisher
734-2255

Come in and sign up for a chance to win a free ham!



AmericanStateBank

Banking for you.

Member FDIC

Heritage Manor News

By Nancy Hendricks

Perspectives

One day a father and his rich family took his young son on trip to the country with the firm purpose to show him how poor people can be. They spent a day and night in the farm of a very poor family. When they got back from their trip the father asked his son, "How was the trip?"

"Very good, dad!"

"Did you see how poor people can be?" the father asked.

"Yeah!"

"And what did you learn?" the father asked.

The son answered, "I saw that we have a dog at home, and they have four. We have a pool that reaches to the middle of the garden, they have a creek that has no end. We have imported lamps in the garden, they have the stars. Our patio reaches to the front yard, they have a whole horizon."

When the little boy was finishing, his father was speechless.

His son then added, "Thanks, Dad, for showing me how poor we are!"

Isn't it true that it all depends on the way you look at things. If you have love, friends, family, health, good humor and a positive attitude toward life, you've got everything.

You can't buy any of these things. You can have all the material possessions you can imagine, provisions for the future, etc., but if you are poor of spirit, you have nothing!

"Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God" Matthew 4:4

By Larry Stogsdill

ATTN: The December Residents Birthday Party will be Thursday, December 29th at 2:30 p.m. Three residents will be honored for having December birthdays. Relatives and friends are welcome.

Recent guests were Pam Childers and Annie Fay Foster of Gorman, Harold and Tody Zink and Delton and Joy Watson of Ranger.

On Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. those coming from the First Baptist Church for Sunday School were James Mears, Nelda Mauney and Frances Warren. James taught the lesson, "Need for Mercy." Biblical Truth - "Christians Are to Recognize God's Mercy and Patience in Dealing With Unbelievers." Background passage, Romans 9:1-29. Key Verse Romans 9:16. There were seventeen residents present.

Some visitors were Diana Snider, Larry and DeLinda Snider of Gorman, Coy Clayton and Sue Pettigrew of Desdemona, Jackie Whitlock of De Leon, Maudie Husband, Bill Moll, Bobby and Peggy Ingram all of Cisco.

On Sunday afternoon those coming from the First Baptist Church were Bro. Larry and Charlene Schahn, Ann Maxfield, Pam Childers, Nelda Mauney, Ruthie Porter, June Dossey, Annie Faye Foster, Frankie Jo Shipman, Allen and Linda Gibbs, Merissa Gillen, Mark Gillen, and Kimberly Seaton and guest Bro. Chuck Conner of Montgomery, Alabama. Nelda led singing accompanied by Pam. Bro. Chuck brought the message, "Here Am I, Lord Send Me." Bible passage, Isaiah 40. Bro. Barry voiced the closing prayer. There were twenty-two residents attending.

Recent guests were Larry and Colene Barnett of Wylie, David and Pam Wheat of Possum Kingdom, Brad, Treva and Jack Keith of Allen, Emmitt and Kay Lynn Lasater, Dorothy Cate and Connie Cate all of Eastland, Bonnie Croft of Lake Leon, Max and Janice Grice of Brownfield.

On Friday those coming for BINGO were Billie Marble, Judy Killebrew, Pat Graham, Jason Killebrew and Ina Smith. There were nine residents playing. Everyone enjoyed breakfast juices.

Some visitors were Cecil and Rena Mae Robertson of Brownwood, Allen, Maggie, Ruthie and Emily Quan of Fort Worth, France Warren, Mary Jeffs, Billie Marble, Howard and Pat Hagood, Donnie and Nelda Mauney and George Rodgers.

On Monday morning at 8:00 Karen Guthery opened the Beauty Shop for hair styling.

Visiting were Thomas and Vicki Seay, James Mears, Merissa Gillen and Kimberly Seaton.

Residents sure enjoyed the good magazines that Icy Munn gave.

Some guests were Brawner and Nell Files of Carbon, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Betty Little of Eastland.

On Monday morning lots of residents enjoyed visiting and the coffee break with Ina Smith.

Recent guests were Bro. Barry and Charlene Schahn, Chuck Conner of Montgomery, AL., James, Mitzi, Laura and Sahara Cross of Katy, Pam Hulse of Hobbs, NM., Kay Snider, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Ann Maxfield and Virginia Skaggs.

Monday afternoon at 2:30 those coming for the Gospel Singing were Brawner and Nell Files, Ruby Lee Kinser, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Margjorie Nell Treadway, Ernestine Campbell, Kay Snider and Nancy Hendricks. Specials by Ruby Lee, Woodrow and Helen were "Beautiful Star of Bethelmen" and "What a Lovely Name." Woodrow gave the Dismissal prayer. There were twenty-three residents.

Some guests were Don Landers of Springtown, Lendon and Frankie Jo Shipman, Ernestine Campbell, Marjorie Treadway, and Jerry Majors of De Leon.

Recent visitors were Johnny Hoover of Abilene, Jackie and Becky Simpson of Brownfield, Cody Simpson of Lubbock, Casey Simpson of Clyde, Bud and Dee Smithy of Granbury, Bonnie Croft of Lake Leon, Larry Stogsdill, Durwood Webb, Sherrel Everton, Tacy and Madison Warren, Billy Earl Simpson.

Residents were happy for Rose Hamilton to manicure their nails.

Visiting were Frankie Stacy, Raymond Hattox, Mary Turner, Maxine Huddleston of Lake Leon and Mary Turner, Maxine Huddleston of Lake Leon and Larry Stogsdill.

On Tuesday Ina Smith had BINGO for nine residents.

Some guests were Judy Killebrew, Jason Killebrew and Jeff Killebrew, Darrell and Pat Graham.

On Tuesday Shawnah Bass had "Caring Hearts" for several residents. They enjoyed refreshments.

Recent visitors were Dr. Michael and Marsha Whitehorn of Abilene, James and Mary Jessee of Fort Worth, Sylvia and Bubba Estes of De Leon.

On Tuesday Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona came and opened the Beauty Shop for Styling residents hair.

Some visitors were Kennard and Doylena Roberts of Gustine, Dorothy Roberts of Desdemona, Bo and Anna Lee Roberts and Rodney of Gorman.

On Wednesday morning at 10:00 Bro. Larry Stogsdill had Chapel for thirteen residents. His message "Unity in Christ". Bible passage I Corinthians Chapter 1.

Visiting were Dalton Taylor, James, Ellen and Rachel Tucker, Allen and Linda Gibbs and June Dossey.

On Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. Ina Smith and Billie Marble came and had "CRAZY BINGO" for seven residents. Everyone enjoyed fresh popped popcorn and drinks.

Some guests were Clyde and DeSha Johnson, Roy and Charlotte Johnson of Desdemona, Paul and Pat Johnson of Lubbock.

-- Randy's Roundup --

A Weekly Newsletter from Congressman Randy Neugebauer

House To Consider Immigration Bill

To Regain Control Of Our Borders

As I mentioned last week, the House is working on a major immigration bill. A flurry of legislation is set to come to the House floor before Christmas, and one of those bills looks to be this bill to secure the borders.

This bill would eliminate the "catch and release" program that currently plagues our immigration system. This year alone, 115,000 illegal immigrants from countries other than Mexico have been apprehended by the Border Patrol, only to be released due to a lack of detention space. Realizing that this practice presents a clear danger to our nation's homeland security efforts, the bill requires all illegal immigrants apprehended at any U.S. border to remain in custody until removal from the country.

The bill also combats the hiring of illegal workers by establishing an employment eligibility verification system. The legislation also calls for increased penalties for illegal smuggling and human trafficking and for those who re-enter the country illegally after having been previously deported for the same violation.

These provisions, in addition to increased federal funds for greater detention space and more Border Patrol agents already approved by Congress, are a step in the right direction to regain control of our borders and bring some accountability to our immigration system.

Good News For Texas Cattle Producers

The weekend brought good news for our friends in the cattle industry. At

long last, Japan has taken the steps needed for American beef to make its way back into the Japanese market. In 2003, the last year before Japan enacted its ban, the U.S. beef exports to Japan were valued at \$1.4 billion. I have been part of a group of House Agriculture Committee members that has been calling for Japan to stop dragging its feet on this issue. Now, thanks to the leadership of President Bush and the hard work of Ag Secretary Mike Johanns and the entire agriculture community, American beef will once again be available to Japanese consumers.

My Rural Public Housing Authorities Bill On This Week's Agenda

Some of you may remember that I introduced legislation earlier this year to ease the reporting requirements for public housing authorities (PHAs) in smaller, rural communities. These PHAs have very limited staff and often are one-man operations. Since 1992, the federal government has required all PHAs to compile detailed reports and plans every year to be approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

My legislation will come to the House floor for a vote this week. If it passes and becomes law, PHAs with 250 or fewer public housing units and Section 8 vouchers will be exempted from this reporting requirement. As a result, these PHAs will be able to focus their limited resources on providing affordable housing to rural residents rather than filling out paperwork to send to federal bureaucrats.

--Randy

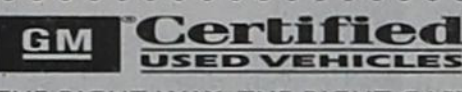
Previous Roundups can be found on my website at http://www.randy.house.gov/newsroom_roundup.shtml

Inventory Can Be Viewed At: www.bayermotor.com or www.bayermotorco.com

BAYER MOTOR CO. USED VEHICLES

714 E. Central - Comanche

All Vehicles Come With A Limited Warranty



THE RIGHT WAY. THE RIGHT CAR.

2005 • 2005 • 2005

| | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
| '05 Buick Rendezvous | Loaded, V6, 23K, Warranty | \$17,950 |
| '05 Buick Century | Loaded, 4 Dr., 24K, Warranty | \$13,950 |
| '05 Chevy Malibu | Loaded, Auto, 23K, Warranty | \$12,750 |
| '05 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | 4X4, loaded, 3K, Warranty | \$27,900 |
| '05 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | 4X4, leather, only 3K, Warranty | \$27,900 |
| '05 Chevy 3500 Crew Cab | 4X4, flatbed, diesel, 36K | \$29,900 |
| '05 Chevy 3500 Crew Cab | Duramax, 4X4, 14K, Warranty | \$34,900 |
| '05 GMC 1500 Crew Cab | 4X4, leather, 15K, Warranty | \$26,900 |
| '05 GMC 1500 Crew Cab | 4X4, leather, 15K, Warranty | \$26,900 |
| '05 Pontiac Grand-Am | Auto, loaded, 12K, Warranty | \$13,500 |

2004 • 2004 • 2004

| | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| '04 Chevy Impala | Loaded, V6, 22K, Warranty | \$12,950 |
| '04 Chevy Impala | Loaded, Auto, 21K, Warranty | \$12,950 |
| '04 Chevy Venture | LS, loaded, 23K, Warranty | \$15,900 |
| '04 Chevy Trailblazer | LS, loaded, 48K, Warranty | \$17,900 |
| '04 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | LS, V8, 18K, Warranty | \$19,500 |
| '04 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | 4X4, loaded, 52K, Warranty | \$19,000 |
| '04 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | 4X4, leather, 28K, Warranty | \$22,750 |
| '04 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | LT, 4 X 4, 28K Warranty | \$22,750 |
| '04 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | 4X4, LS, 46K, Warranty | \$24,250 |
| '04 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | Duramax, 4X4, leather, 23K, Warranty | \$32,500 |
| '04 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | 4X4, Diesel, 6-Spd. 30K, Warranty | \$25,900 |
| '04 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | 4X4, Diesel, loaded, 32K, Warranty | \$28,900 |
| '04 Ford Escape | Loaded, XLT, 18K, Warranty | \$17,500 |
| '04 Ford F150 Reg. Cab | Auto, V6, 8K, Warranty | \$15,500 |
| '04 Ford F150 Crew Cab | 4X4, loaded, 17K, Warranty | \$26,500 |
| '04 Olds Alero | 4 Dr., loaded, 25K, Warranty | \$11,500 |

2003 • 2003 • 2003

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| '03 Chevy Tahoe | LS, loaded, 33K, Warranty | \$22,000 |
| '03 Chevy Avalanche | Loaded, V8, 18K, Warranty | \$21,900 |
| '03 Ford Ranger X-Cab | Auto, loaded, 76K, Warranty | \$10,900 |
| '03 Chevy Suburban LS | Loaded, cloth, 47K, Warranty | \$19,900 |
| '03 Chevy 1500 Reg. Cab | Sportside, loaded, V8, 51K, Warranty | \$15,500 |
| '03 Chevy 1500 Crew Cab | HD, loaded, 34K, Warranty | \$21,500 |
| '03 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | LS, loaded, 48K, Warranty | \$20,500 |
| '03 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | 4X4, loaded, 25K, Warranty | \$19,500 |
| '03 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | 4X4, loaded, 25K, Warranty | \$19,500 |
| '03 Chevy 3500 X-Cab | Duramax, loaded, 117K, Warranty | \$19,000 |
| '03 Ford F250 Crew Cab | Diesel, 4X4, 51K, Warranty | \$29,000 |
| '03 Ford F250 Crew Cab | Diesel, 4X4, 49K, Warranty | \$29,000 |
| '03 Dodge 1500 Reg. Cab | Auto, V6, 43K, Warranty | \$10,950 |
| '03 Toyota 4-Runner Limited | 4X4, leather, 28K, Warranty | \$27,900 |
| '03 Volvo V70 | Leather, sunroof, 26K, Warranty | \$23,500 |

2002 • 2002 • 2002

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| '02 Chevy Monte Carlo SS | Leather, Loaded, 45K, Warranty | \$14,000 |
| '02 Chevy Trailblazer | LS, loaded, 37K, Warranty | \$15,500 |
| '02 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | LS, loaded, 27K, Warranty | \$15,250 |
| '02 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | Loaded, LS, 60K, Warranty | \$14,750 |
| '02 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | Duramax, 4X4, LT, 79K, Warranty | \$25,500 |
| '02 Chevy 2500 Crew Cab | Auto, loaded, 73K | \$15,750 |
| '02 Ford F250 X-Cab | 4X4, diesel, Flatbed, 60K, Warranty | \$22,500 |
| '02 Dodge 1500 Crew Cab | Loaded, V8, 48K, Warranty | \$15,500 |
| '02 GMC 3500 Cab/Chassis | Diesel, 6-Speed, 167K | \$12,900 |



THE RIGHT WAY. THE RIGHT CAR.

2001 • 2001 • 2001

| | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| '01 Buick Le Sabre | Loaded, V6, 36K, Warranty | \$11,500 |
| '01 Chevy Tahoe | 3rd Row Seat, loaded, 79K, Warranty | \$15,250 |
| '01 Chevy Tracker | Loaded, auto, V6, 61K, Warranty | \$ 8,250 |
| '01 Chevy 1500 Crew Cab | 4X4, LT, 149K, Warranty | \$13,000 |
| '01 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | 4X4, loaded, 97K, Warranty | \$14,500 |
| '01 Chevy 1500 Crew Cab | Loaded, auto, 69K, Warranty | \$17,500 |
| '01 Chevy 2500 X-Cab | 6 Spd., V8, 4X4, 57K, Warranty | \$17,500 |
| '01 Dodge Neon | SE, auto, 38K, Warranty | \$ 7,000 |
| '01 Ford F150 Reg. Cab | 4X4, V8, 34K, Warranty | \$13,000 |
| '01 Ford F150 Super Crew | 4X4, loaded, 101K, Warranty | \$14,750 |
| '01 Ford F150 Super Crew | XLT, loaded, 61K, Warranty | \$13,900 |
| '01 GMC Sonoma X-Cab | V6, auto, 81K, Warranty | \$ 9,750 |
| '01 Mitsubishi Montero Sport | Leather, loaded, 89K, Warranty | \$11,500 |
| '01 Mercury Grand Marquis | Leather, loaded, 61K, Warranty | \$11,500 |

2000 • 1999 • 1998 • 1997 • 1995

| | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|
| '00 Buick Le Sabre | Loaded, V6, 59K, Warranty | \$ 9,950 |
| '00 Ford Explorer | XLT, loaded, 71K, Warranty | \$ 9,500 |
| '00 Ford Ranger Reg. Cab | 4 Cyl., 5-Spd., 72K, Warranty | \$ 5,990 |
| '99 Ford Conversion Van | Loaded, auto, 79K, Warranty | \$ 9,250 |
| '99 Lexus G5 300 | Leather, loaded, 71K, Warranty | \$16,900 |
| '99 Chevy 3500 Crew Cab | Leather, 4X4, 120K, Warranty | \$ 9,990 |
| '99 Pontiac Montana | Loaded, LS, 55K, Warranty | \$ 8,950 |
| '98 Chevy 1500 S-Cab | Loaded, only 71K, Warranty | \$ 9,500 |
| '98 Dodge Dakota X-Cab | V6, 5 Spd., 53K, Warranty | \$ 6,250 |
| '98 GMC 1500 X-Cab | Leather, loaded, 97K, Warranty | \$ 9,000 |
| '97 Olds 88 | Loaded, only 49K, Warranty | \$ 5,950 |
| '97 Olds Aurora | Loaded, leather, 75K, Warrant | \$ 6,750 |
| '95 Chevy 1500 X-Cab | Loaded, V8, 97K, Warranty | \$ 6,750 |

325-356-2530 or 1-800-968-1877

254-968-0440
Stephenville

our LEAGUES,
on how to bowl and to invites you to join
Jerry Ferguson is available to coach you

\$12.00 Per Person includes Shoes
9 to 12 - BYOB on Last Shift Only
Friday Nights from 6 to 8:30 and
Cosmic Bowling in the dark on

Mon. - Tues. - Thurs. NIGHTS - 9-12
BUZZ FREE ON BOWLING ON

Lone Star Lanes