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“Wheeler; town of friendship and pride.”

Internationally Known Bomb Squad To Perform At 26th Annual 4th Of July Celebration July 2

Fireworks display Replaced With Performances Sat.

Wheeler's 26th Annual 4th of July celebration will be held Saturday, July 2, 2011. Since its beginning in 1975, the activities have been held on the 4th except when the 4th fell on Sunday. (July 4, 2010, was on Sunday and the festivities at the park were held on July 3).

In an attempt to bring back a big celebration to the town of Wheeler, efforts have been ramped up to accommodate the working world's schedule.

Cajun Boil & Street Dance

On Friday, July 1, 2011, we will be hosting a shrimp/crawfish Cajun boil at the Wheeler City Park to kick off the 26th Annual 4th of July celebration for 2011. We will begin serving this festive meal at 6:30 p.m. Following the Cajun boil, we will be having a dance under the pavilion. Playing this year will be Morgan Lane and the Brogans. We hope to see everyone at the event this year. The price of admission and all-you-can-eat Cajun food is \$15 each.

For the first time in its 26-year history, there will be no fireworks at dusk at the park. This is due to the statewide ban on fireworks. Wheeler has received less than 0.2" rain all year.

Bomb Squad To Appear

Substituting for the fireworks show, at dusk the Moore Brothers and members of the internationally known "Bomb Squad" will be performing their finale with high-flying twists, flips and tricks on their ATVs.

Park activities on July 2 begin

at 10:00 A.M. Saturday morning, continue until dusk and the celebrants will move to the Square for an old-fashioned street dance. Playing this year will be Triple Kick featuring the outstanding voice of Cori Emmett.

Anyone wishing to have a booth at the park this year for the 4th is asked to notify Matt Sullivan at 580-799-1853. All vendors welcome. We would like to have a variety of booths this year at the City Park. We will welcome fun, food, drink, and game and craft booths to add to this year's festivities.

Fun Run/Walk early will be charged a \$12.00 entry fee; those participating without pre-registration will have a \$15.00 fee. Each individual participating will receive a t-shirt; those registering on the day of the race may have to wait for their t-shirts.

It is not necessary to run... many just walk and enjoy the fellowship of fellow participants. The starting point for the run will be the southwest corner of the Courthouse Square on Texas Street. Male and female participants will be divided into five groups: 10 and under; 11-18; 19-30; 31-55 and over 55. First place medals will be presented following the race.

Registration on site will begin at 7:00 A.M. and continue until 7:30 A.M. at the southwest corner of the Square.

Parade

Participants in the parade will line up in front of the Wheeler School beginning at 9:00 A.M. The parade will start at 9:30 A.M. and continue down Main Street, past the Square and then to the City Park. Prizes will be awarded to the following entries: Best Overall; Best Auto, Best Kid's, Best Horse, Best Kid's Costume and Best Float. The parade is under the direction of Justin James, the Wheeler Ag teacher.

Open House Attracts 140

Greenbelt Shows New Building South Of Wheeler



RIBBON CUTTING: Greenbelt Electric held an open house at their new building south of Wheeler. The facility will be used as a Wheeler headquarters, to store materials and offer housing for the workers when it is necessary for them to remain in Wheeler for the night. The ribbon cutting, sponsored by the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce took place in front of the facility. See page 5 for an enlargement of this picture and other information and pictures.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

In case you did not recognize what was happening early Tuesday morning, that was thunder and lightning.

The measurement of moisture was 0.2".

Time #26 for the July 4 celebration will kick off Friday evening, July 1, with the Cajun boil and dance.

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STORM REPORT

As Reported by... Stormie Meriwether, First Grade Student

Dear Friends, Houston was great! My dad does not have "Bad Boys" in him! I hope they are gone forever! Cancer is very bad and I don't want it to ever be in my dad again!

We went to the Children's Museum in Houston. That was fun! I got to do anything I want. They have a place called Kidopolous. It's a little town just for kids. My favorite was the grocery store and the vet clinic.

In the grocery store you can be the worker or the buyer. It is fun to get the shopping list and go find all the things for your basket. Then you can go check it out.

In the vet clinic you can be the vet or the groomer or something. You get the animals out of the cage and check them.

After the museum we went to this very good place to eat with John and Emily (Walker). Emily gave me a little frog and John gave me a little turtle from Aruba. I think Aruba is almost in Mexico.

We ate at a Turkey (Turkish) food place, but they didn't have turkey. That's strange. They had the best pizza ever. It wasn't even greasy. My mom and dad thought it was going to be a little strange, but they loved their food too! Sometimes it's good to try strange things! The place is called Istanbul. John and Emily know all the very good places to eat. They are so fun!

When we got home to my ranch house, my mom went to check my heifers. She called my dad and me to help. "Octopus" is my cows name. She was about to have a baby. It got stuck and it suffocated! My mom rode the 4wheeler to bring her to the pens. My dad and I honked the horn. We took her to Dr. Ben Ed. He is very good at getting stuck calves out! It was a little yucky! I wanted to help, but my mom won't let me. I just got to watch. When the baby got out, I think Octopus felt a lot better! Ben Ed had to stitch her up to fix her. That was a very big needle. I hope I won't get stitches with that thing! Now Octopus is just fine. She can walk good and everything. I'm so sorry 'bout that little baby calf, but I'm happy Octopus is ok.
Big Jimmy (Adams) is so funny.

Commissioners July 27 Meeting

The Commissioners' Court of Wheeler County, Texas, met in

Fire Departments Respond To Fires

Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department was called to two fires this past week. Four hundred ninety-seven acres of grass and pasture were destroyed. With homes and other structures within range, only an oilfield doghouse was destroyed.

The first of the fires this past week was on Wednesday, June 22. The location was FM1046 and Co Rd. 22; it was determined a swather started the fire. The fire was reported at 12:45 p.m. in a field of lovegrass. The 90 acres of grass was destroyed with no other damage. Firemen were back in the station by 2:45 p.m.

Also responding to the fire were

Delilah Hershman Buried In Indiana

Mrs. Delilah E. Hershman, 94, of Kirklint, Indiana, died Monday, June 13, 2011, at Essex Nursing Home in Lebanon, Indiana. Visitation was held June 17 at Kercheval Funeral Home in Sheridan, Indiana. Services were held Saturday, June 18, at the funeral home with Joseph Huse officiating. Interment was in Mudd Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Hershman was born November 25, 1916, in Sheridan, Indiana. She was the daughter of now-deceased Leonard and Edith Johns. She graduated from Sheridan High School in 1934. She married Samuel Stoker Hershman on June 19, 1938. They were married for 60 years. He passed away August 12, 1998.

Mrs. Hershman was a full-time homemaker and mother and assisted her husband with the farming and the dairy farm. She was a guide to her husband when he became blind later in life.

She was a member of the Clinton Township Home Economics Club and the First Baptist Church of Lebanon, Indiana, where she was Elizaville Baptist Church Ladies Aide and youth department leader.

Survivors include one son, Edwin (Laurel) of Wheeler, Texas; one daughter, Christian (Dean) Cavin of Kirklint, Indiana; one sister, Donna (Kenneth) Pickett of Spencer, Indiana; grandchildren, Troy and Cindy Hershman of New Castle, Indiana; Sarita and Brad Dawson of Amarillo, Texas; Alan Hershman of Lebanon, Indiana; Jerry Cavin of Kirklint, Indiana; Amy and Bruce Corbin of Lafayette, Indiana; and Julie and Matt West of Indianapolis, Indiana; eight great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

regular session on Monday, June 27, 2011, at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse, 401 S. Main Street, Wheeler, Texas, to consider prior bills and discuss matters of mutual concern.

At 10:00 a.m., 15 items on the agenda were discussed and acted upon.

The court approved the hourly payroll time sheets for payment as presented.

The court voted to pay the bills as approved.

No action was taken on the budget.

No action was taken on the Burn Ban.

No county office reports were presented for consideration or approval.

The commissioners voted to purchase a tract of land, described as out of the SW/4 of the SE/4 of Section 7, block A-4, H&GN Ry. Co. Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, (approximately 2.5 acres) from J. C. and Patty Brooks. The purchase price is \$6,000; the property is located next to the pct 1 and 2 county barn on the west edge of the city limit.

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Project Graduation To Serve Breakfast

"Project Graduation" will be serving breakfast Saturday morning, July 2, at the United Methodist Church from 7:00 - 10:00 a.m. Bacon, eggs, sausage and potatoes will be served as "make your own burrito" or not. Donations will go toward 2012 Project Graduation.

Donations To Determine which Extension Agent Will 'Kiss A Pig'

Donation jars have been set up at Maxey's, Buck & Beyond and the Extension Office to raise money for the victims in Joplin, MO.

The extension agent, Wendy Hazzard or Kenny Brdecko, will have to pucker up and "Kiss A Pig". So, with each donation please designate which one you want to "Kiss a Pig".

This is your chance to help out the tornado victims in Joplin. Let's pull together as a community and have one of our County Agents kiss a pig.

Ambulance Serv. Says "Thank You"

North Wheeler Ambulance Service would like to say a big "Thank You" to everyone that made our fund raiser a success. Thanks to everyone who made a donation to the silent auction and attended the dance. J. W. Lane and Co. Rd. X did a fantastic job and a lot of pizza was sold. We have not reached our goal yet, but all of you who donated got us a lot closer. Thanks again for helping us out.

Memorial Services For Earl Hustead

Earl Hustead, 79, of Wheeler, Texas, died on Friday, June 24, 2011. Memorial services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 28, 2011, at Cornerstone Church in Wheeler, Texas, with Erion Mercer officiating.

Earl was born on January 4, 1932, to Francis and Ruby Hustead. He married Betty Smith on January 24, 1952, in Crane, Texas, and retired from Chevron Oil in 1985 in McLean, Texas. He later attended Rhema Bible Training Center in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, and then pastored and helped teach at the Wheeler Christian Academy. He was still helping with church services at the Wheeler Nursing Home until becoming ill.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Hustead of Wheeler; a daughter, Loyce Masten and husband, Eddie, of Sanger, Texas; a son, Steven Hustead and wife, Edda, of Amarillo; two sisters, Nadine Andrew and Francenia Lingle both of Kerrville, Texas; six grandchildren, John Parker and wife, Heidi; Aaron Parker; Adam Parker; Lisa Hustead Grooms; Lacy Love and husband, Jesse, and Steven P. Hustead; two great-grandchildren, Alyssa Love and Brigid Parker; many nieces, nephews and family, a host of friends who loved him and a very special pet, Mayc Gail.

The family suggests memorials be made to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79105.



Earl Hustead

Amended Mobeetie Meeting Minutes

June 13, 2011 Meeting called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Mayor Gordon Estes

Swearing in of Mayor and City Council members. Emma Swigart made a motion to elect Gordon Estes, Mayor, Patricia Kephart Mayor Pro Tem, Pam Jones Place 1, and Patricia Kephart Place 2, seconded by Pam Jones. Motion approved 4-0.

Members Present: Mayor Gordon Estes, Pam Jones, Emma Swigart, Louise Shorter, Gaylord Thompson, Patricia Kephart
Members absent: None
Guests: None
Minutes for the May meeting were read by Patricia Kephart. Gaylord Thompson made a motion to approve the minutes as read, seconded by Louise Shorter. Motion approved 4-0.

The Financial Reports for May were read by Emma Swigart.

Individuals signing up for the

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BOMB SQUAD TO APPEAR IN WHEELER: The internationally known Bomb Squad with ties to Wheeler will be performing in Wheeler on Saturday, July 2, 2011, in connection with the annual July 4 Celebration. They will be performing their stunts on the baseball field at the park. Caleb and Colton Moore are the grandsons of Charles and Butch Moore of Wheeler; they spent a lot of time in Wheeler growing up and are excited about appearing in Wheeler. This picture was taken in Monaco. Parents are Wade and Michele (Bentley) Moore.

Eula 'Pete' Cole, 91 Services June 25

Eula Mable Cole, 91, died Tuesday, June 21, 2011, in Wheeler, Texas. Graveside services were held Saturday, June 25, 2011, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Johnny Crawford and Rev. Jimmie Cole officiating. Burial was in the Kelton Cemetery, Kelton, Texas, under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors, Wheeler, Texas.

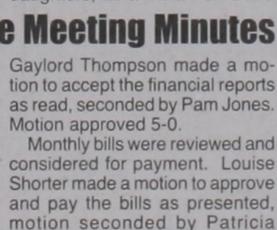
Eula was born on April 9, 1920, to Frank Chavado and Gertrude Bliss in Texola, Oklahoma. She married Elmer Orr in September, 1937, and was later married to T.J. Cole in April, 1988. Eula was a school bus driver for Kelton Schools. She loved to fish, crochet, embroider and do other handwork. She collected salt and pepper shakers. Eula was preceded in death by her first husband, Elmer Orr; her second husband, T.J. Cole; six sisters and one brother.

Eula is survived by one son, Charles Wayne Orr, and wife, Betty, of Ada, Oklahoma; two daughters, Eula Viola Parks and

husband, Dutch, of Decatur, Texas; and Gertrude Beth Pugh and husband, John, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; one sister Naomi Kemper of Springfield, Oregon; six step-children, Jimmie Cole and wife, Wendy; Frances Dickey and husband, Toney; Tommye Cole and wife, Sharlotte; Rusty Cole and wife, Belinda; Kay Dickey; and Paul Hicks and wife, Judy; 10 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

The family has requested that in lieu of flowers, memorials be sent to Kelton Cemetery, c/o Carolyn Buckingham, FM 2697, Wheeler, Texas 79096.

Please sign online guest book at wrightfuneraldirectors.com.



GRADUATES: Kelsey Zybach graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma, on May 7, 2011. He graduated with a 4.0 GPA and Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Business Administration in both Accounting and Finance. Kelsey also received a minor in Industrial/Organizational Psychology. Kelsey has moved to Elk City, Oklahoma, and works as a staff accountant at Hutton Inc. and also part-time for Zybach & Fairchild, CPAs. He is the son of Eric and Pauline Zybach.

OLD TIMES NOT FORGOTTEN

By Roland Miles

MISS JESSIE, TATER & HOOT

With a story title like this, you might think you were going to find out about some old-time, love triangle. That couldn't be farther from the truth. Actually, it has more to do with hamburgers and chicken fried steaks than love affairs.

When I was growing up, there was a small restaurant right across the street, north from the City Drug. Over the years, it changed hands several times. The first people I remember running it, was the Howe family. It was called, "Hoot's Café." Hoot, was the dad of my friend, Bobby. You may remember... it was Bobby that made the ill-fated parachute jump with the umbrella.

The whole family worked in the café, with very little outside help. The cooks name was Tater

McClain. At one time or another, he'd cooked for just about every restaurant in town. Eventually, Hoot sold out to a lady called, "Miss Jessie." That's the only name I ever knew her by. I think Tater worked for her, too. I sure did like Miss Jessie's twenty-five cent hamburgers and five cent soda pops. You didn't have to float a loan to eat at her place.

After I got in high school, we could walk to town and eat dinner anywhere we wanted. If you needed to eat cheaper, you could get a grilled cheese sandwich at either drugstore for twenty cents and a drink for a nickel. I'm sure, Miss Jessie and Hoot, would be shocked at today's prices.

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from June 20, 2011 - June 24, 2011.
JUNE 20, 2011

Sun Safety in the Texas Heat

It's that time again in Texas when the temperatures get up to three digit numbers, but it isn't just the heat that is getting to you. The sun also emits UV rays which can be harmful to the skin. Did you know that excessive exposure to the ultraviolet radiation of the sun is the most important preventable cause of all skin cancers? Melanoma is the most serious form of skin cancer and according to the National Cancer Institute it is estimated that there will be 62,480 new cases in the United States as well as 8,420 deaths in 2008. Don't let yourself or your family members be a part of these numbers. Learning a few things about skin safety can help you prevent it.

There are different types of UV rays that come from the sun. Some sunscreens only protect from one type. Be sure to get a sunscreen that protects from both UVA and UVB rays. Just because it is cloudy outside doesn't mean that the UV rays are blocked from reaching your skin. Like light UVA rays can go through glass, so before taking off for a car ride don't forget to put some sunscreen on. UV rays can also do damage to your eyes so find a wide (3") brim hat and some sunglasses to protect your face as well.

Some tips on keeping the UV rays from harming you:

1. Apply sunscreen 20 minutes before going out in the sun - it needs to soak in before being effective. Make it a morning routine and then you'll never forget!
2. Apply sunscreen every two hours when in the sun - SPF 30 or higher and one that protects against both UVA and UVB rays. Remember the hat and sunglasses too!
3. Fill a basket by the front door with sunglasses, hats and sunscreen - so as you rush out the door you remember take a bottle with you to reapply later as needed.
4. Make playing in the shade fun - During the peak hours of the day when the sun's rays are at their highest point find some fun games at <http://gameskidsplay.net>.
5. Use extra caution around water and sand - these surfaces reflect the UV rays which can increase your chances of getting a sun burn.

Want to learn more, check out <http://coolshade.tamu.edu/index.asp>. The Texas AgriLife Extension Service and Texas Cancer Council encourage you and your family to practice sun-safe habits this summer and throughout the year.

Source: Courtney J. Schoessow, MPH, Extension Program Specialist - Texas AgriLife Extension Service, and Jessica Rodgers, June 2008. Texas AgriLife Extension Service Family and Consumer Sciences website: <http://fcs.tamu.edu/>.

Shamrock Little Irish Ftbl Camp

Shamrock Little Irish Football is hosting Football Camp, "Taking You Higher Sports Performance", July 25-28 at Shamrock High School. Coaches, Julian Reese and Daniel Snyder, Venom, will be conducting the camp. Forms are available in Shamrock at the Suddenlink office and Hasty's.

The camp is for grades first through eighth. Cost of the camp will be \$65, including t-shirt. For more information, call 806-584-9351.

Julian Reese - Interim Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator: Julian Reese began his coaching career at Indiana State University in 2003 where he coached receivers. He moved to Amarillo in 2004 to play for the Amarillo team formerly known as the Amarillo Dust-ers and led them to an intense football league championship in 2004 as the starting quarterback. Reese was a big part of the Amarillo organization from 2004-2005 and 2008-2010. Reese holds several Amarillo passing and rushing records, but was forced to join the Venom coaching staff after a rotator-cuff injury and a setback during rehabilitation following surgery. In his first year of coaching at Venom, Reese has also coached at Austin Middle School in Amarillo since 2008.

Daniel Snyder - Defensive Coordinator: Daniel Snyder is in his second year as an Amarillo-Venom coach. Coach Snyder began his coaching career in 2005 at College of the Holy Cross as an assistant coach where he coached both offensive and defensive lines, as well as linebackers for two seasons. Coach Snyder played in the arena game for eight seasons before deciding to begin coaching at the arena level. Other than coaching the Venom, Coach Snyder is a coach at Palo Duro High School where he coaches girls' basketball and football.

C/C PROBATE-Neta Joyce Ault to Ex Parte, 6-15-11, No Land Given. ROL-Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, et al to Black Stone Natural Resources LLP, 5-16-11, Pt. Secs. 14, 26, 27 and 28, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ROW-Wayne Zybach, et ux to Devon Energy Production Company LP, 5-27-11, Sec. 19, Camp County School Land. ROW-Mest LLC to Devon Energy Production Company LP, 5-20-11, SW/4 Sec. 16, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. RELEASE FEDERAL TAX LIEN-Small Business Administration to John P. Lavelle, 6-8-11. ASSIGN.-Bill J. Barbee to Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC, 6-7-11, Sec. 2, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

C/C PROBATE-Richard F. Dollar to Ex Parte, 5-5-09, No Land Given. ABSTRACT OF JUDG.-FIA Card Services NA to Gary McWhorter, 6-6-11, No Land Given. ASSIGN. DT-Petro Hunt LLC, et al to Bokf NA, 6-10-11, See Instrument.

CORR. DVL-Stock NGB Limited Partners Ltd. to George Clift, 6-15-11, 299.79 acs. E/2 Sec. 23, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-George Clift to Acton & Sons Incorporated, 6-17-11, 10' wide strip Sec. 23, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DVL-Marcia Joyce Rives to Brandon G. Angeley, et ux, 6-20-11, 10 acs. E/2 Sec. 15, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Brandon G. Angeley, et ux to First State Bank of Canadian, 6-20-11, 10 acs. E/2 Sec. 15, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. JUNE 21, 2011

UNIT DESIGN.-Linn Energy Holdings LLC, et al to Tommy Wayne Velasquez, et al, 4-5-11, Sec. 2, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey. UNIT DESIGN.-Linn Energy Holdings LLC, et al to Barbara Sue Miller, et al, 4-5-11, W/2 Sec. 22, Camp County School Land.

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Jane D. Miller, et al to Clayton G. Dorn, 6-16-11, Sec. 50, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. JUNE 22, 2011

ASSIGN.-Samson Lone Star LLC, et al to Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC, 6-15-11, SE/4 Sec. 40, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; and Sec. 10, Camp County School Land.

EXECUTRIX OL-Mary C. Smith, et vir to Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC, 5-11-11, E/2 SW/4 Sec. 4, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

CHILD SUPPORT LIEN-Billy Gene Tollison to Aimee Jean Burrell, 6-20-11, No Land Given. CHILD SUPPORT LIEN-Robert Dale Brown to Angela Dawn Brown, 6-20-11, No Land Given.

ASSIGN.-Bryan H. Close to Kenneth Wischkaemper, et al, 6-17-11, Pt. S/2 Sec. 53, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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MOBEETIE NEWS

By Melba Corcoran

Visiting last week with Dale and Melba Corcoran were Jerry Rector of Amarillo and Stephen Rector and daughter, Hannah, and friends of South Carolina.

Marion Grimes was transferred to Baptist Saint Anthony. He had some fluid drained off his brain. He was there about a week and got back to the care center on Friday.

Danny Rogers was airlifted to Baptist Saint Anthony. He had his colon removed and is still in the hospital in Amarillo. He will be transferred to another hospital for more treatment while he learns to walk again. Remember him and Betty in your prayers.

Peggy Carter is finishing up her therapy; then, she will be dismissed from the care center.

Melba Corcoran was dismissed from the care center last week. She is still taking therapy as an outpatient and is waiting for the time the cast can come off her right arm.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Ernest and Brenda Lancaster and family on the death of Brenda's mother, Janie Taylor, of Crowell.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Carolyn Sabbe.

Our sympathy goes out to the Joan Thompson family of Amarillo. She was an ex-student of Mobeetie. She was married to Warren Thompson.

The NOE group camped at the museum this weekend. They were from Amarillo and the panhandle area.

Our sympathy goes out to Eula "Pete" Cole's family. She was married to T.J. Cole.

Rob and Geneva Hogan of Fort Stockton visited with Louise Hogan for nearly a week. They went home on Wednesday.

Those that worked at the museum this week were Suzanne Lohberger, Maurita Stribling, Louise Hogan, Melba Corcoran, Bobbie Walker and Gina Seitz. The men worked on the new electric hookups. They are putting in some 50-amp hookups. Bill Finsterwald, David Seitz, Dale Corcoran, Joe VanZandt and others have been working. They got the dead trees removed from the seating area. They removed six of the big trees and are replacing them. The new trees should be here tomorrow. Three of the trees were from down north in the campground.

This was the week of the Shelton Reunion. Maybe I can get some of their news next week.

John and Francis Collins of California were here for 2 weeks visiting with Mae and Hugh Bailey and attended the Shelton Reunion.

Texas DPS warns of telephone scams using its name

Scammers have been calling Texans in various parts of the state, demanding that residents immediately pay for overdue red-light tickets.

The most recent incident was reported in Cleveland, Texas, where police say that residents have received calls from someone claiming to represent DPS and demanding payment on a red-light safety camera ticket. The scammers say that an arrest warrant will be issued if the person receiving the call does not provide a credit card number, as well as Social Security numbers and other personal information.

The Texas Department of Public Safety does not collect traffic fines or oversee red-light cameras.

"You should never give out personal information over the phone when someone else initiated the call," said Steven C. McCraw, director of DPS. "If you receive a call like this, you should write down any contact information from the Caller ID, if available, and then contact your local law enforcement agency."

DPS also reminds Texans that the department does not call requesting charitable donations.

"The Department of Public Safety will never solicit financial

contributions from private citizens. DPS is funded by tax dollars and our employees will never call your home or business to solicit donations," McCraw said.

DPS advises citizens not to give money to these groups as the funds may not go to the causes that are claimed. Some groups include in their names the terms, "Texas Rangers," "State Troopers," "Texas Highway Patrol," or "Department of Public Safety."

While some current or former employees may be members of some of these associations on their own time, these organizations are not affiliated with the DPS nor do they represent the department. Many of these organizations provide only a small percent of their donations for good causes, with the majority of the donations going to administrative and operational purposes.

Some of these organizations suggest that official looking decals resembling official DPS affiliation placed on personal vehicles may somehow keep the individual from receiving a traffic citation from law enforcement. There is also a lack of public accountability and transparency by many of these organizations.

If you are contacted by a group you believe is misrepresenting itself as part of the Texas Department of Public Safety, contact the Consumer Protection Division of the Texas Attorney General's Office at 1-800-621-0508.

Card of Thanks

We want to thank everyone, who came and helped put out the fire on our place June 22. May God bless each of you.

Bob and Gena Zybach
Steve and Joy Zybach

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Sunday Schedule

Coffee & Donut Fellowship - 9:30 A.M.

Sunday School - 9:45 A.M.

Worship - 11:00 A.M.

Youth Fellowship - 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday Schedule

Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 P.M.



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Plans Completed For Local Rodeo

Charlie Plummer Will Furnish Stock
The Wheeler Riding Club's 6th Annual Rodeo will be held at their arena northeast of Wheeler starting Thursday, July 13, and continuing through Saturday night, July 15. All performances will be at 8:00 p.m.

A special feature of this year's rodeo will be a merchant-sponsored barbecue. The barbecue will be held following the parade Thursday afternoon. Serving will begin at 6:00 p.m. Everyone attending the first night's performance of the rodeo will be served a barbecue lunch at no additional charge.

Briscoe FFA Wins More Honors

Official notice has been received from Austin, TX., state headquarters for the Texas FFA, that only four boys from the Top of Texas District made the degree of Lone Star Farmer this year. The report stated that almost one-third of those applying were turned down for the first time.

Area FFA officer, David Hefley of Briscoe, and Gale Singleton were two of those that were successful this year. The students of Jim Jacob, the boys will receive the highest award that the state FFA can give in Dallas July 19.

David Hefley will also be a candidate for national FFA delegate to the National FFA convention in Kansas City, Missouri, and represent Texas on all official business. David will speak to over 5,000 delegates from all corners of the state in the new municipal auditorium in Dallas, July 20. If he makes this office, it will be the first time a student from the Panhandle has won this office in several years. David is now serving as an Area I FFA officer in the Panhandle.

Had Swimming Party
The Intermediate Girls Class of the First Baptist Church of Mobeetie had a picnic and swimming party June 23 at Wheeler. Each girl and her guest brought a sack lunch, which was enjoyed in

the park. Following lunch, the group took advantage of the playground equipment.

A swimming party followed, after which refreshments were served.

Those attending were Judy Rowell, Ann Riley, Fourtesha Riley and Mrs. Robert Hogan. Attending as guests were: Carolyn Page, Wheeler; and Rita and Mary Read of Mobeetie.

Grasshoppers And Cotton Aphids On The Build-Up

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Grasshoppers and cotton aphids are building up in the county according to Bryan Swaim, County Agent. The grasshoppers are confined to a small area now and are much easier controlled than they will be after they scatter from their hatching beds.

Cotton Aphids (plant lice) are building up and causing cotton seedlings to stop growth. These insects are small green bugs found on the under side of the cotton leaf and suck sap from the leaf, causing a stunting of the plant and severe case of honeydew, which is a silver color on the plant leaf.

66 Truck Stop had a tire sale under way from June 16 through 30. Phillips 66 Rayon Tube Type 670-15 tires were \$10.50 plus tax and recappable tire.

H&B Appliance started their Whole Hog Sale on Friday, June 30.

"Come in and ask about our Whole Hog Sale . . . We will assure you that this will be the surprise of a lifetime . . . Don't forget, come in first thing Friday morning. A GE portable TV was \$149.95 plus tax and no payment till October.

You could get three boxes of ice cream spoons at Wheeler Drug for only 19c

Flavor Wright Bacon was 89c for a 2 lb. pkg.

All Meat Franks were 49c for a 1 lb. pkg.

Premium Crackers were 27c for a 1 lb. box.

Coca Cola was 29c for a 6-bottle carton.

McIlhany's had cowboy boots for \$22.95.

Fryers at Clay Food Store were 59c each.

Three family-size bottles of Coca Cola were 25c.



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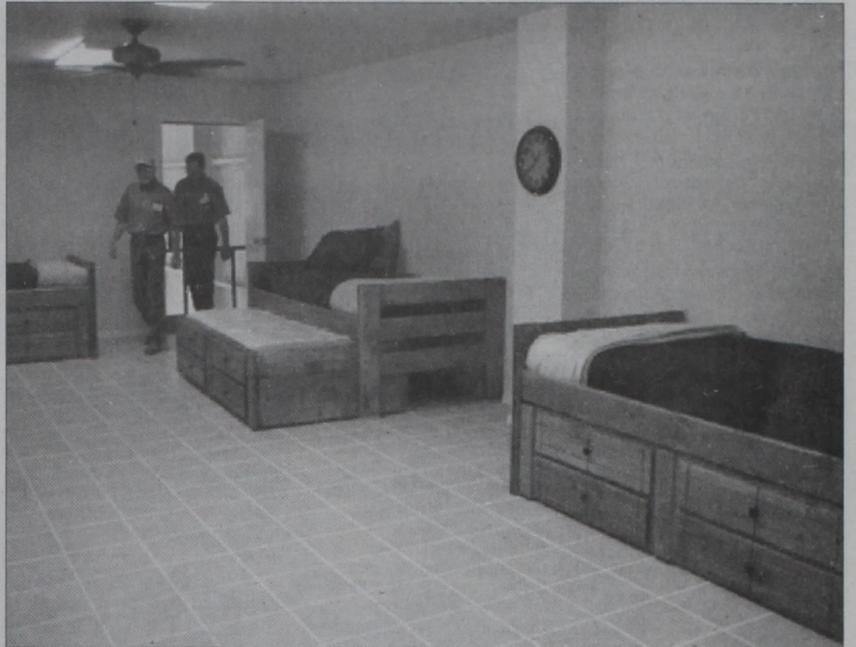
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"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."

Lean ground beef was 3 lbs. for \$1.00.

Rainbow Girls Are In Ute Park, N.M.

Some of the Wheeler Rainbow Girls left Wheeler Sunday morning for Ute Park, N.M. for a camping trip. Going were Bobblye Carol

Adams, Connie Farmer, Linda Hall, Glenda Ford, Melinda and Marina Gunter, Linda Topper, Debbie Snelgroves, Norma Kay McNeil and Marsha Lee. Going as sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Adams. Jimmy Adams also went. They are to return Saturday.



BUNK ROOM: The Greenbelt Electric Warehouse at the south edge of Wheeler was opened to the public Thursday, June 23. The facility contains a bunkhouse which will sleep 14. The area has a seating area for employees to relax and read or watch television. This area can be used when employees find themselves remaining in Wheeler for long periods of time or stranded due to weather.

Statewide Initiative Offers Texans Cost-Saving Clean Air Tips

Annual Campaign to Reduce Air Pollution Kicks Off with Hybrid Car Giveaway

High gas prices and the higher ozone levels that accompany scorching temperatures are causing a growing number of Texas drivers to think "green" this summer. That's welcome news for organizers of the state's Drive Clean Across Texas air quality campaign.

Officials at the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) say it's easier than many motorists realize to save money at the pump and help reduce air pollution at the same time. That's why they're kicking off the annual Drive Clean campaign this week by encouraging motorists to implement cost-saving, no-cost, and low-cost changes in their driving and vehicle maintenance behaviors to reduce harmful vehicle emissions. In some places in Texas, emissions from cars and trucks make up half of all the air pollution.

"For better gas mileage and cleaner air, we recommend that drivers change their air and fuel filters regularly, keep tires properly inflated, and get their vehicle serviced on schedule," says Dianna Noble, TxDOT's Environmental Affairs Division Director. "A poorly maintained car or truck can release ten times more pollution than one in top condition."

Among other suggestions to "drive green" are to carpool, drive the speed limit, refuel in the evening, combine errands into a single trip, and avoid idling at drive-thrus. These simple steps not only can help eliminate tailpipe emissions, which create un-

healthy air, but also will increase fuel efficiency in a car or truck.

For Texas drivers looking to replace their vehicle this year, a low-emission hybrid car or truck is a good way to drive clean. To reinforce this point, the campaign will give away a 2012 Ford Fusion

Hybrid to one lucky Texan. The vehicle is being donated by the Dallas Cowboys Football Club.

Texas drivers ages 18 and up can enter to win the brand-new Ford Fusion Hybrid, and get more tips on helping improve air quality, at www.DriveCleanAcrossTexas.org. The deadline for entering the online sweepstakes is September 26.

TxDOT Enforcing Truck 'Buckle Up'

Pickup Truck Drivers & Passengers Lag Behind in Seat Belt Use

The Texas Department of Transportation's Buckle Up in Your Truck campaign kicks off this month to remind pickup truck drivers and their passengers about the importance of using seat belts every time they get in a vehicle. While seat belt use across the state is seeing record highs among people in cars, people in pickup trucks are still not using their seat belts regularly. TxDOT

is launching a summer campaign focusing on those pickup truck drivers and passengers to ensure that all Texas motorists are buckled up.

Safety officials attribute lower seat belt use among truck drivers and passengers to a false sense of security in larger vehicles and the incorrect belief that seat belts aren't necessary for short trips.

"Pickup truck drivers and passengers tend to be younger and male, and they are not getting the message that seat belts save lives," said Carol Rawson, TxDOT's Traffic Operations Division Director. "In fact, crashes involving pickup trucks can be particularly deadly because of the tendency for the trucks to roll over and for occupants to be thrown from the vehicles unless they are buckled up."

Studies have shown that wearing a seat belt reduces the risk of fatal injury by 45 percent in passenger cars. That number increases to 60 percent for pickups due to their likelihood of rolling over in a crash. According to TxDOT, one out of every two pickup truck drivers killed in a traffic crash was not buckled up.

Despite an overall downward trend in fatalities between 2003 and 2009, traffic crashes remain the leading cause of death for those between one and 44 years of age in Texas. On average, the number of trucks involved in fatal crashes exceeded the number of passenger cars by 20 percent. In 2009 in Texas, more than 3,000 people died in fatal collisions on Texas streets and highways, and just under half were not buckled up.

Fines and court costs for failing to fasten your seat belt can add up to \$250 or more. It's not just drivers that must buckle up—state law also requires passengers in the front and back seat to buckle up. Visit:

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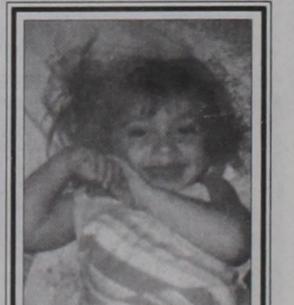
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JULY 2011

This Calendar runs the last Thursday of Each Month and is available for Organizations & School Activities. Call: 806/826-3123 for listings.

SUNDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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3 Church . . . Wheeler Nursing & Rehab W. First Baptist 3:00 P.M.	4	5 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's 6:00 A.M. Wheeler S. Citiz. 3:00 P.M. Drivers' License Renewals Shamrock—256-1595	6	7 Wheeler Fire Dept. . . 7:00 P.M. Drivers' License Renewals Shamrock—256-1595	8
10 Church . . . Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Allison 3:00 P.M.	11 Kelton I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M. Mobeetie City Coun. 7:00 P.M. Fl. Elliott C.I.S.D. Bd. . . . 7:00 Wheeler I.S.D. Bd. 6:30 P.M.	12 Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:30 A.M. American Legion Whlr. Vol. Fire Dept. . . . 7:30 P.M. Birthday Party 2:30 P.M. Care Ctr. (Meth. Women) Our Country Band Care Center 6:30 P.M.	13	14 Old Mobeetie, Texas, Assoc. Visitors' Center 7:00 P.M.	15
17 Church . . . Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Mobeetie Baptist 3:00 P.M.	18 Wheeler City Council City Hall 7:00 P.M.	19 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:30 A.M. Drivers' License Renewals Shamrock—256-1595	20 Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Monthly Meeting Time and Place . . . to be announced	21 Wheeler Fire Dept. . . 7:00 P.M. Drivers' License Renewals Shamrock—256-1595	22
24 Church . . . Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Johnnie & Patty Crawford	25	26 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:30 A.M. Our Country Band . . . 6:30 P.M. Wheeler Nursing & Rehab	27	28	23 Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Sponsored T.C.R.A. RODEO Wheeler Rodeo Arena
31 OLD MOBEETIE MUSIC FESTIVAL 9 A.M.-NOON Church . . . Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Cornerstone Church . . . 3:00 P.M.				29 OLD MOBEETIE MUSIC FESTIVAL 6 P.M.-???	30 OLD MOBEETIE MUSIC FESTIVAL 10 A.M.-???



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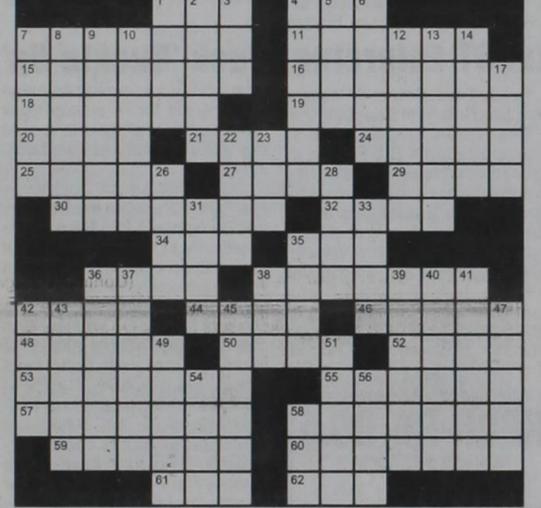
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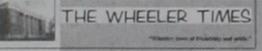
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 - "_____ here long?"
 - Delicate
 - Swindled
 - "Snowy" bird
 - Casket holder
 - Choir member
 - Consumer
 - Greasy
- Down
- Spring back
 - Hay fever maybe?
 - Campaigner, for short
 - Thickness
 - Additional
 - Knee/ankle connector
 - Imps
 - Sailor's affirmative
 - Pertain
 - x, y or z
 - Concentrate
 - Grease one's palms
 - Weasel out
39. Make bubbly
- Luger
 - Like some pigeons
 - Have a sudden inspiration?
 - Additional
 - Not healthy

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34. Bug out

35. Do-it-yourselfer's purchase

36. _____ bread

38. Loose

42. Kind of cheese

44. Ponder

46. Honeydew, e.g.

48. Book of maps

50. Call for

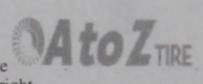
52. "The _____ of the Antminer"

53. Lack of depth

55. Band worker

57. Leafstalk

58. Compete



9. Back

10. Very high

12. _____ floss

13. Excessively

14. Bloodhound's clue

17. Start of a conclusion

22. Comply with

23. Alpine sight

26. A bunch of hair

28. Aggravate

31. Bridge feat

33. Big-ticket

35. "Trick" joint

36. Gourmet's sense

37. Leaning to the right

38. "It's no _____!"



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IN the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life; and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all men through him might believe. He was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light. That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. He came unto his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him, in them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name: Which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of man, but of God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth. John 1:14

The Lord is gracious, and full of compassion: slow to anger, and of great mercy. The Lord is good to all: and his tender mercies are over all his works. All thy works, shall praise thee, O Lord; and thy saints shall bless thee. They shall speak of the glory of thy kingdom, and talk of thy power: To make known to the sons of men his mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of his kingdom. Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations. Psalm 145:6-13

The weather in Allison, Texas on this Tuesday morning is just beautiful. Its cloudy and not windy and just wonderful. Praise be to Jesus for the wonderful rain in the early morning hours. This reporter missed out on it, but was told that it did thunder and lightened and yes it rained. Glory to God!! For his goodness to us. I knew it would finally rain one day. Just so grateful that it finally did rain. Makes it feel so much better this morning. And yes it is some cooler this morning. Won-

Chat (from Page 1)
Then Saturday we hope everyone is in town for the big celebration. Should be lots of fun for everyone.

— cwe —
Turtles seem to be at a premium this year. Stormie suggested last week that we have a horny road race. There are usually turtles for the youngsters to race, but if one can't be found, some turtles may have to 'run' twice.

— cwe —
You will notice someone was found to serve breakfast on Saturday; 2012 Project Graduation will be serving breakfast burritos.

— cwe —
And, I am told we have several booths for the park.

— cwe —
The family is looking forward to the big shindig... family being the extended Meriwether family and whomever of the Stas family that shows up.

— cwe —
I don't think we will have any trouble staying warm.

— cwe —
You will find jars at different lo-

derful!! To God be the Glory!! So thankful for the rain and the purifying of the air. Maybe now the allergies that bother some of us will be better now. Maybe the dough has been broken. Thank the Lord!!

This reporter has an apology for Alice Kelly. She is so very sorry that she didn't put in her news last week. Please forgive this reporter!! Janice McCloy of Morse, Texas visited her mother, Alice Kelly last week and she forgot to put it in. Please forgive!!

Louise Boydston and Shirley Chadwick went to Amarillo, Texas last week on Monday and spent the night at the Kim Thompson home. On Tuesday, Brittany and Chase Thompson came home with Louise and Shirley to spend a few days while their parents went on a business trip to Reno, Nevada or rather Lake Tahoe. Said there was snow on the side of road and the mountains were covered. They said the lake water was just beautiful.



OPEN HOUSE: This is only a few of those enjoying hamburgers at Greenbelt Electric's Open House Thursday, June 23, 2011. Following the ribbon cutting some 140 employees, board members and guests took tours of the warehouse and enjoyed hamburgers and the trimming prepared by Maxey's Steakhouse.

Walk (from Page 1)
10:00 A.M.

At 10:00 A.M., the activities at the park will begin. The park activities will kick-off with the raising

cations around to raise money for the Joplin, MO., tornado victims. Your donations will decide which of the County Extension leaders (Wendy Hazzard or Kenny Brdecko) has to 'Kiss a Pig'.

— cwe —
I heard it was 115° in Wheeler Saturday.

— cwe —
We were in OKC over the weekend.

— cwe —
I had 'Earlybird Special' at Golden Corral with the Arnolds on Friday afternoon.

— cwe —
Saturday, we were at the Musae residence between Ykon and Mustang for cards and swimming. (They are part of the Meriwether clan.)

— cwe —
We missed Tom Fisher's birthday dinner Sunday and I understand he almost missed it.

— cwe —
Cards were played Monday evening. Barbara, Bob and I were the winners, claiming the first and third game. Rhonda, Leroy and Dwight made a comeback the second game, only

On Saturday, Louise had a birthday dinner for Bennie at her home. Ham, brisket and all the trimmings were served. Those present were: Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Josh, Heather, Paisley and Easton Archer, Opal and Juanita Boydston, Eddy and Shiela Walker, Shirley Chadwick, Gary Boydston all from Allison, Texas. Kim, Brittany and Chase Thompson, Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina Dupont, Makenna and Maddie from Amarillo, Texas, Ernie and Sue Martin of Leedey, Oklahoma. Had a great time visiting.

On Sunday afternoon, Louise Boydston and Shirley Chadwick visited Pearl Harrison at the Elk City Nursing Home at Elk City, Oklahoma.

Glad to report that Warren Brown of Amarillo, Texas is back home and doing fairly well. He was so happy to be home again. Praise the Lord for his goodness and healing power.

Glad to report that Vance

Boydston had one doctor's appointment already and received a good report. Praise the Lord for his mercy and goodness to us. Praise be to Jesus!!

Opal and Juanita Boydston were in Wheeler, Texas on last Tuesday for Opal to see the doctor. She received a good report as well. Praise be to Jesus!!

Opal and Juanita Boydston enjoyed another meal at the Reydon Senior Citizen's Center. It was brisket, baked potato, corn, hot roll and something else I can't think of. And for dessert there was homemade ice cream. Bob and Mary Cornell and Pete Gilmer and also we saw Virginia Puryear, Reta Grayson, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie and I'm sure others were there. This reporter shouldn't ever start naming names cause she always gets in trouble. Please forgive me if I miss you.

Again I say THANK THE LORD for the RAIN!!
God Bless and Keep ya'll till next time!!!

of the flag and the singing of the National Anthem immediately following the parade. A volunteer is needed to sing The Star Spangled Banner; anyone willing to perform is asked to contact the chamber at 826-3408.

Many activities are scheduled throughout the day, including live music. Thursday Review will again sponsor the turtle race; a very popular event each year.

Entertainment
Several groups and/or individuals will be performing at the park in the afternoon. If you would like to perform, contact Matt Sullivan at 580-799-1853.

Booth Spaces Available
Some of the activities scheduled at the park are Turtle Races, Water Polo, Horseshoes, Washer Tournament, Bouncy Room, Punt, Pass & Kick, food and fun. This year, we will be hosting a sand castle build-off, so bring your sand toys. Awards will be given to the "Best Sand Castle" in various age

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Water safety

Pools, lakes, ponds, and beaches mean summer fun and cool relief from hot weather. But water also can be dangerous for kids if you don't take the proper precautions. Nearly 1,000 kids die each year by drowning. And

groups.
Booths are open to any individual, business or organization. Groups/organizations wishing to have a booth at the park are asked to contact Matt Sullivan (580-799-1853) by 4:00 P.M., Thursday, June 30. Early contact ensures your booth.

Fireworks
There will be no fireworks at dusk due to the statewide ban on fireworks. Come watch the infamous "Bomb Squad" perform their acts instead. It will be an invigorating show full of heart-thumping excitement for all.

Street Dance
The dance will begin immediately after the Moore Brothers' act. The dance will be on the Square in Wheeler (the 100 block of East Texas—south side of the Square). Playing for the dance will be Triple Kick featuring Cori Emmett. There will be no charge for the dance on the Square.

most drownings occur in home swimming pools.

The good news is there are many ways to keep your kids safe in the water and make sure that they take the right precautions when they're on their own.

Keeping Kids Safe
Kids need constant supervision around water — whether the water is in a bathtub, a wading pool, an ornamental fish pond, a swimming pool, a spa, the beach, or a lake.

Young children are especially vulnerable — they can drown in less than 2 inches (6 centimeters) of water. That means drowning can happen where you'd least expect it — the sink, the toilet bowl, fountains, buckets, inflatable pools, or small bodies of standing water around your home, such as ditches filled with rain water. Always watch children closely when they're in or near any water.

It's a good idea to learn to

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RDT-Citizens Bank to Tanya L. Hobbs, et vir, 6-13-11, 18 acs. SE/4 Sec. 57, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN-Twitty Production LP to Shamrock Partners, 6-1-11, Pt. Sec. 5 and all Sec. 4, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; Pt. Secs 73 & 90, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

AFF-Edward L. Green to Ones Dalton Green, 6-13-11, 320 acs. Sec. 1 C&M Ry. Company Survey & Thomas James Survey.

AFF-Edward L. Green to Ollie M. Green, 6-13-11, 320 acs. Sec. 1 C&M Ry. Company Survey & Thomas James Survey.

RDT-National Bank of Commerce to Joe C. Lisle, et ux, 6-23-11, 103.3 acs. SW/4 Sec. 56, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXECUTOR ASSIGN.-Joe Kirk Fulton, et al to Queen Sabe Oil & Gas, 6-21-11, See Instrument.

DEED-Mary Joetta Sword to Javier Casillas, et ux, 6-24-11, S/2 Lot 4 and all Lot 5, Blk. 34, Wheeler.

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We will see you at the park Saturday!



Members of the Quanah Parker Trail Committee of the Texas Plains Trail Region (TPTR) and friends gather Friday for a photograph on the grounds of the Hutchinson County Museum in Borger. Wearing the sheriff's badge is Deborah Sue McDonald, TPTR executive director. After the quarterly meeting, some committee members participated in Borger's annual Adobe Walls Trek Saturday to battle sites dating from 1864 and 1874. Standing, from left: Jane Bray, Charles Smith, Jeremiah Boatright, Lynn Hopkins, Judith Flanders, Ron Bailey, Wes Phillips, Daniel Schlegel, Jeff Indek, Hanaba Munn Welch, Mike Dreith, Dolores Mosser, Terry Gilbreth, Hollie Humphries, Deborah Sue McDonald, Carolyn Wilson, Ardit Parker-Leming, Don Parker, Glen Leming; seated, from left: Ada Lester, Elyndabeth Toland, Marisue Potts Powell, Paula Hatfield. PHOTO BY CHARLES MARTIN

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The court voted to renew the contract with Air Evac out of Elk City, OK., for transportation via helicopter in the event of a medical emergency involving any of the county's employees. County employees may pay for adding their family and/or spouse to the plan.

The Wheeler County Sheriff's Department asked that Carolyn Sabbe be removed from the county payroll, effective June 18, with check to include any vacation or comp time. Crystal Scott was added to the county payroll as a dispatcher/jailer with the salary at \$2,416.96.

No action was taken on item 9, which had to do with purchase of

motor graders. Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) L.P. was given permission to bore under CR "22" for installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) L.P. was given permission to bore under CR "E" for installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

Chesapeake Midstream Gas Services, L.L.C. was given permission to cut CR "18" and CR "D" for installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

Linn Gas Marketing, L.L.C. was given permission to bore under CR "28" and CR "22" for installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

Shawn Scholl met with the court for the consideration of reopening CR "21" which was closed by the

court at an earlier meeting. The court voted not to open the road in sections 8 and 9.

Shawn Scholl also asked that the county consider opening a neighborhood road, giving them access to property they own in the southeast part of Wheeler County. The court voted not to make a neighborhood road.

The next meeting is July 11.

Fires (from Page 1)

Allison, Briscoe, Kelton, Mobeetie, Reydon, Gem City and Canadian. County blades and tankers were on site and used.

On Thursday, June 23, at 3:50 p.m., the pagers were sounded for the local firemen. They were needed four miles east of Wheeler to battle a pasture fire.

Three homes were in danger and were saved. An oilfield doghouse was lost and a trailer was damaged before the blaze was brought under control by 9:50 p.m.

The fire, started by a catalytic converter, burned 407 acres. Four firefighters suffered heat exhaustion.

Responding to Thursday afternoon and evening's fire were Allison, Briscoe, Kelton, Mobeetie, Shamrock, Wheeler, Gem City, Canadian, Erick, Texola, Sweetwater, Texas Forest Service ground crews, six single engine air tankers (SEATS) and a helicopter from a Hemphill County ranch, as well as county blades and tankers.

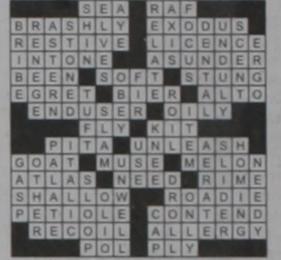


C. of Mob. (from Page 1) motion to accept the annual Drinking Water Quality Report, seconded by Louise Shorter. Motion approved 5-0.

Pam Jones made a motion to increase the dumpster fee by \$2.00 plus tax which will make the fee \$15.50 plus \$1.12 tax to cover increase in fees from Allied Waste Services beginning with July bill, seconded by Emma Swigart. Motion approved 5-0.

Mayors Report: Praying for rain.

Water Report: Good. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.



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