

GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

Psalm 34:8 "O taste and see that the Lord is Good! Happy is the man who takes refuge in Him."

Happy Birthday to LeAndra Stuckey Wittenberg on April 24, Susie Mabry, Lucille Helton, Bonnie Harmon, Peggy Chandler, Kelah McGlothlin and Verna Fillingim on April 25, Vickie Greenwood on April 26, Lori Baird and Grace Holt on April 27, Lisa Meek on April 28, Glenn Williams, Phoebe Hartline, James Moffett and Georgia Tipps on April 29, Alesha Moffett, Crystal Hudson and Earl Jolly on April 30.

Happy Anniversary to Bob and Mary Cornell on April 26, Billy and Kathy James on April 27.

Wheeler Spring Band Concert before they go to Dallas will be Monday April 25 in the High School Auditorium. Everyone is invited. Time is 7:00 p.m.

R.L. and Rozena Zybach met R.H. and Betty Dyson and Herman and Estelle Topper at Furrs at Pampa Saturday for lunch and went to Dysons and visited awhile.

Enjoying a delicious supper and games of 42 at the home of Edna May near Allison Friday night were Homer Sanders, Virginia Puryear, Lois Mead-

ows, J. P. and Martha Meek, Willis and Verna Fillingim and Edna May.

Homer Sanders' daughter Janiz is working for Dr. Darocha in Canadian.

Marsha Reynolds mom, Gloria Vogt, passed away of cancer. Marsha and the girls still live in her home in Houston.

There was a very nice party at Mobeetie Saturday to celebrate Ray and Velma Forbes 50th Anniversary. Claudetta Laverty made the beautiful cakes.

Fort Elliott P.T.O. will meet at Mobeetie Thursday April 21 at 7:00 p.m. with U.I.L. entries such as Story

Telling, Oral Reading, ect. Everyone invited.

Congratulations to Marki (Chandler) and Ronnie Stringer of Temple, Oklahoma in the birth of their new baby girl, Kinin Jade, who is also welcomed by a brother, Chandler. Come to see us! "You can dress a frog in silk drawers, but it won't stop him from croaking", from Oleta Rogers.

Several of the Christian Academy youth were eating at Maxeys Thursday night before doing some recording. Also there Rev. Ricky and Diana Pfeil and Rev. Joe and Mrs. Jernigan celebrating Diana Pfeil's birthday.

Nice to have Cecil Reynolds and his mom, Lottie Reynolds come by and visit awhile Saturday afternoon and play 42. They had been to the Vise Reunion at Briscoe School and Pot Luck lunch. They also planned to visit Lottie's brother, Monroe and Jane Seitz and J.P. and Martha Meek. Cecil still teaches at North Heights School in Amarillo and spends weekends with his mom in Pampa.

Lafay and Katherine Vise have moved to Pampa on Cherokee Street from their home in Canadian.

When I went to renew my driver's license, she asked for my social security card - not just the numbers, but my original card - which I didn't have. She went ahead and renewed my license, but said must have it next time.

Curtis and Jane Ann Hall took granddaughter Krista Murray to Amarillo to the Asthma Clinic Saturday.

Verneal Prater has been working down at Wheeler on the Terrell Gunter place getting things ready for an auction for Paul Hathaway. Lots of antique autos.

Pray for David and Winnie Gilmer. Winnie is taking him to Oklahoma City Tuesday for a doctor's appointment about his back.

Johnny Reed, beloved by all, got his promotion to heaven Monday and to be with his beloved Jewell. Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Johnny's. Many have enjoyed his music for many years. He and Jewell frequently visited Travis and Rosalie Keelin in earlier years when their health was better and enjoyed making music together. He came and played at our housewarming in 1964 or 65. His violin music has always been special. He had cancer and had been in poor health for several years.

Monday visitors to Rosalie Keelin were sisters Floy Larkin, Joy Garrison and Sylvia Brown. Sylvia spent last week in Amarillo to go to the doctor. They were planning to visit another sister, Ruth Taylor in Wheeler.

Rosalie has been filling in some at Wheeler Care Center to help with treatment on weekends.

We enjoyed going to the Fort Elliott vs. Borger J.V. game at Briscoe Monday afternoon. Our boys won 8-6. Congratulations!

Preston and Elsie Glazner treated Jewell Holloman, Jean Pollack and Fannie Mae Bradstreet to supper at

The Dairy Queen in Wheeler Monday night. We enjoyed visiting with them. Also there Percy Farmer, Deana and Karen Keys and Tina, Toby and Terry and many others.

You can now vote absentee at the school during school hours for the school board election, in case you might be unable to vote on May 7. For Fort Elliott School Board are Mike Goad, David Pearson, Bob Finsterwald and Debbie Kinnaman. Two places to be filled. Vote at superintendent's office at Briscoe or principal's office at Mobeetie.

Barbara Williams visited Mae Welch Monday. Keep praying for Mae.

Congratulations to Lindsey Fillingim and Brandi Luttrell for winning first in district tennis at Pampa Tuesday and Wednesday. They defeated Ferguson and Frantz of Follett 6-1, 6-1; Glenn and Parker of Hartley 2-6, 7-6 and 9-7; Wheeler and White of Miami 7-6, 3-6 and 6-2. Lindsey and Brandi got district medals and will play for Regional at Levelland April 28 and 29.

Shelly Hunt defeated Collier 6-0, 6-1; and from Follett 6-3, 6-2; but lost to Frantz from Hartley 0-6, 1-6. Frantz won first in district. Blankenship from Adrian was second and Shelly was 3rd. Congratulations!

Janet Tatyrek was the coach. Also playing were Stacie Dukes and Misty Morgan, doubles and Johnny Brannen and David Helton, doubles, but lost their first games. Good for you for participating.

Nice to have Lyle and Dorothy Miller out to church at Gageby Sunday with Ray Forbes. Dorothy is a sister to Velma Forbes. They sang beautifully and helped with discussion. They are from Oates, North Dakota where Lyle pastors a United Methodist Church. They were here for the Forbes 50th Anniversary celebration.

Maralee Singleton and a friend from Amarillo visited grandparents E. G. and Willa Fillingim Saturday.

Congratulations to Fort Elliott High School for winning the Miami District Track Meet. Some Regional qualifiers are Jimmy Nelson in Discus and Shot Put; Jake Swigart in long jump and triple jump; David Helton in 3200 meters; Jake Swigart in 400 meter; taking first in 1600 relay were Jake Swigart, Josh Purcell, David Helton and Justin Wesbrooks; in 400 relay Fort Elliott was second with Josh Purcell, Jimmy Nelson, Jason Wesbrooks and John Moffett. They will go to Levelland April 29 and 30. Also several won thirds but couldn't advance for regional. Dana Trimble was third in 300 hurdles.

The most beautiful story given to man Was written long ago By Mathew, Mark, Luke and John, Of Christ and His mission below. And you write a gospel, a chapter a day, By your deeds, whether faithless or true; When others read it, what will they think Of the gospel according to you? Nice to have Dale and Debbie Stinnett and Cuyler meet us for supper Tuesday night in Amarillo. Then they took us to see their house they were buying for less than 1/2 as much per month as the rent they paid on the other house. It is a nice house and we are happy for them. Cassidy was working at the Grande Hamburger place. Christian has been taking a nursing course at Amarillo College.

We saw Anna Dukes with Adeline and Jack Hammer and later Bob Dukes all there to be with Red Dukes. They thought Red had a light stroke, but were running tests to see. Pray for Red that he will soon be ok. He's a great guy and one of Fort Elliott's most faithful fans to all games. Glad to hear Red got to go home and is improving right along.

Oden and Lois Hudson went to Amarillo Thursday. They got Ma Mary and did a little shopping and ate lunch and supper at Sharon Grandstaffs. They also visited Cheryl and Jeff Fraley and Steven John and Sonya Paul. Cheryl has started back to school and Sonya baby sits some with Steven.

Lois Hudson visited her sister Margie Meadows in Wheeler Saturday and they went to the Zelma Reid Auction

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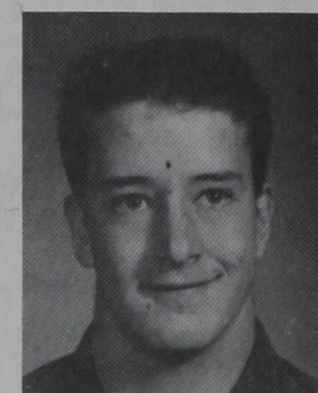
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(Left to Right) JUSTIN HEFLEY, 166m;
 CLIFTON FLETCHER, Shot Put; PHILLIP STOLS, 3200m;
 CHAD DUNNAM, 300 I.H.

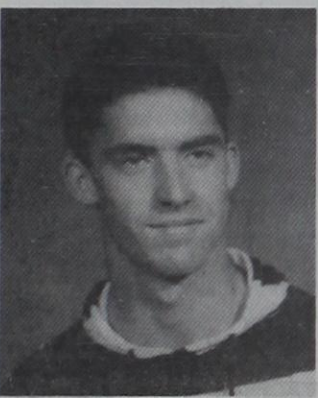


WHEELER GOLFERS: (Left to Right) RACHEL SMITH, MIKA GOAD, SANDY LEWALLEN, KASEY McCASLAND, ANGIE THOMAS & SHELBY BEERS. Thomas & McCasland will also compete individually

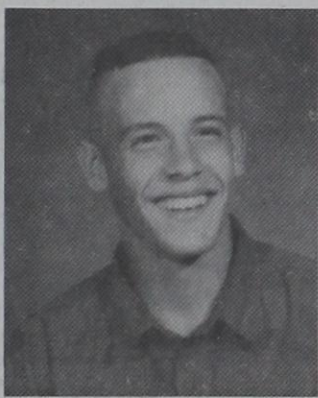
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MISTY WALKER
 ... Feature Writing



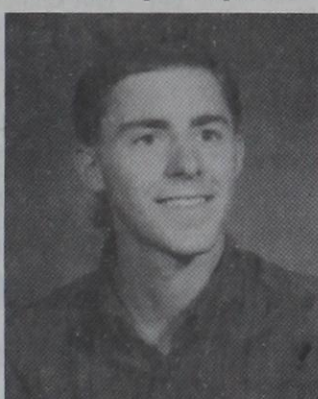
JAKE SWIGART
 ... Long Jump, 400, 1600



DAVID HELTON
 ... 3200, Triple Jump, 1600



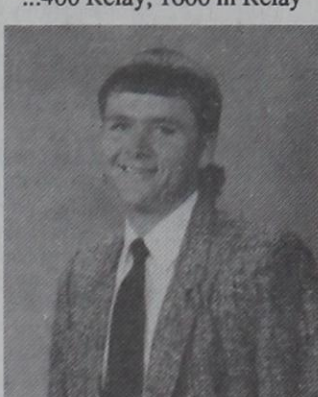
JOHNNY BRANNEN
 ... 400 Relay



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 ... 400 Relay, 1600 m Relay



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 ... 400 Relay



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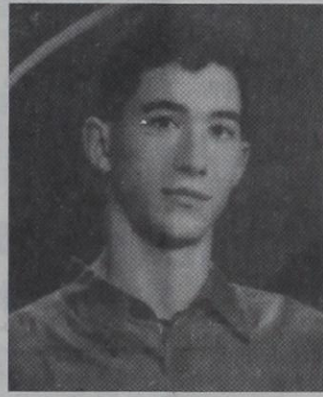


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 ... Number Sense

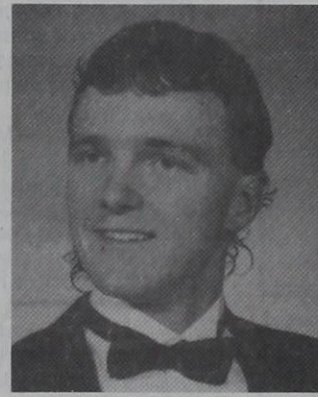


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 BRANDI LUTTRELL & LINDSEY FILLINGIM

KELTON TRACK:



DANNY BUCKINGHAM
 ... Long Jump



BRIAN KIRKLAND
 ... Long Jump



ALLISON GOLFERS: (Left to Right-Back) GREG BOYDSTON, TOBY KEYS, JEREMY SUTTERFIELD, JONATHAN WALKER, (Front) TONY INGERSOLL & JAMEY HARREN

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