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## Trial date could be set in baby's 2007

BY DAVID BOWSER

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A Pampa woman may have a trial date set in the death of her infant daughter more than two years ago.

Mary Lee Bolin, 29, faces capital murder charges of a person of 6-week-old daughter, Kenzie Renae Bolin, in June, 2007. She was released on a \$100,000 bond June 8, 2007.

Evelyn Rutherford with the District Attorney's office said Bolin had been indicted in the death of the child is on the docket

under six years old in the death call next week for trial in 31st District Judge Steven Emmert's court.

The baby was taken from her home to Pampa Regional Medical Center on May 21, 2007. She reportedly had difficulty breathing. While medical personnel tried to resuscitate the child, she died at

the hospital.

An autopsy indicated the infant had suffered blunt force trauma to the head.

Pampa police officers arrested Bolin early Friday morning, June 8, 2007. She was released on bond the same day.

2009 Shopping Tour

## Optimists ready for annual Christmas event

Plans for the annual Children's Shopping Tour to be held Saturday at the Pampa Optimist Club are being finalized, according to Nikki Shelton, an Optimist member who is serving as the general chair for the project.

"Volunteers will begin registering at 8 a.m. at the Optimist Gym," Shelton "The volunteers will have an orientation about the project and enjoy orange juice, coffee and donuts. They will then pick up the children, take them shopping and bring them back afterwards to the Optimist Gym for a

wrapping party. The volunteers and children will be treated to lunch. They will sing Christmas carols, hear Christmas stories and hear a presentation on Reason for the Season."

As the children leave about noon to go home, they will be offered a copy of The New Testament in either English or Spanish.

Capt. Laura Martin of The Salvation Army and Sandra McKinney of the Health and Human Services Commission of Texas have screened the children and issued invitations to participate to children who qualified.

The children must be between the ages of five and 10 and must not have been on the tour before.

They do not buy presents for themselves, but instead buy presents for "For most of their family members. the children," McKinney explained, "it is the first time they have experienced giving at Christmas."

McKinney, who is a member of the Altrusa Club, will lead a group of 25 volunteers to assist with registration Saturday morning. Drivers must be 18 years of age or older, present a valid drivers license, a cell phone number and proof of liability insurance in order to chaperone a child this year. Contributors to the project and volunteers taking a child will receive a copy of a brochure being put together by

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staff photo by David Bowser

Daniel Walsh, left, and Mark Wood, city water department employees, braved the elements today at Brunow and Tally to fix another water main. The freezing weather Tuesday caused three water mains to break. City water crews spent 16 hours repairing one break on U.S. Highway 60.

# Cold snap causes water main breaks, outages

BY DAVID BOWSER

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Water services were restored in Pampa today after city crews battled frigid weather to fix broken water mains.

Danny Winborne, Pampa building official, said that the city street and water department spent Tuesday in frigid cold temperatures battling major water leaks on city mains.

While there were leaks that gushed water at Market and Faulkner and on Atchison Street west of the Central Fire State, Winborne said a broken main at Faulkner and U.S. Highway 60 was the major

problem. As the day started with single digit temperatures, calls began cerning broken water mains Tuesday morning.

Already working with a short staff, Winboune said city employees from other departments had to be called in to deal the water mains.

City water workers had to wade waist deep into the hole they had to dig to reach the broken mains Tuesday morn-

The breaks at Market and Faulkner and on Atchison were fixed relatively quickly, but the major break in the city's water lines at Faulkner and U.S. Highway 60 took most of the day to repair.

City crews worked on teh break at Faulkner and U.S. 60 from about 8 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Winborne said.

pouring in to the city con- At 7 p.m., Tuesday, the temperature was 17 degrees and dropping.

"I've never been so cold in my life," said Joe Palma, superintendent of the water department. Palma explained that winter

is a busy time for his department. As the ground shifts with the onset of cold weather, lines underground are squeezed. He said they often face similar problems in the spring when the weather warms up.

"Those guys are heroes,"

Winborne said.

Palma and his crew were out again this morning in 14 degree weather fixing a leak at Brunow and Tally. The high today is expected to reach only 28 degrees.

#### Man accused of hit and run remains in jail BY DAVID BOWSER ihavecomputerproblems.com dbowser@thepampanews.com 806-665-HELP(4357) A Lefors man remains in Combs Worley Building 120 W Kingsmill Ave

and-run last summer. Gage Dane Zeek, 18, was in jail today in lieu of \$13,000 bond on charges of a hit-and-run in Lefors and on drug charges. Gray County jailers said this week he was being held in lieu of a \$6,000 bond

the Gray County jail today

in connection with a hit-

ing death or injury and a \$7,000 bond for possession and transportation of chemicals with intent to deliver a controlled substance.

According to Gray County deputies, Carson County also has a hold on him for more drug charges. He is being held in lieu of three \$40,000 bonds on charges of possession of chemicals with intent to manufacture and deliver

controlled substances and possession of a controlled substance.

"At this point," Evelyn Rutherford with the District Attorney's office of the charges in Gray County, "they've not gone to Grand Jury."

Zeek was arrested by Lefors City Marshal Terry Hodge last summer on an outstanding warrant for drug charges. Upon further investigation, Zeek

was charged with causing an accident involving an injury to a child.

"I think we're still waiting for one or two pieces of information to come in before it can be forwarded to the grand jury," Rutherford said this week of the case.

Zeek was arrested about 9 p.m., Monday, July 20, at the intersection of First and McLean Streets in Lefors.

A 7-year-old Lefors

girl was riding her bicycle about 10 a.m. that day in Lefors when she was struck by a pickup matching the description of the pickup Zeek was in when

he was arrested. The girl was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital for treatment. Zeek was charged with hit-and-run in that case.

Rutherford said this week that the girl that was struck is in good condition.



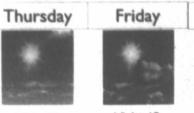






# For the record

#### PAMPA FORECAST



High 42 High 33 Low 22 Low 28

Saturday

High 48 Low 32

Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low around 10, Wind chill values between -2 and 8. Calm wind becoming south between 10 and 15

Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 33. Wind chill values between zero and 10. South wind around 5 mph becoming calm.

Thursday Night: Mostly cloudy, with a low around 22. Wind chill values between 11 and 16. South southeast wind between 5 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Friday: Partly sunny, with a high near 42. South wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph. Friday Night: Mostly cloudy, with a low

around 28. South southwest wind between 5 and 10 mph.

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 48. West northwest wind between 5 and 10 mph.

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 32. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming southwest.

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## Delores (Dee) J. Cooper

Delores (Dee) Cooper Hall passed away December 6, 2009 in Amarillo, Texas. Resident of Miami, Oklahoma since 1963, who had recently relocated to Booker, Texas.

Born January 24, 1933 to Herman Warren and Annie Elizabeth McAdams of McLean, Texas. Survived by one brother; Calvin McAdams of Amarillo, Texas and one sister; Gwen Tidwell of Pampa, Texas. Preceded in death by one sister; Jo Anne Kelley of Pampa, Texas. Also survived by nieces; Cara Morris and Celia McClintock and nephews; Alan Tidwell and Terry, Mike, and Bill Cook.

Married Morris (Pete) Cooper in 1951, who preceded her in death in 1975. Survived by children; Ken Cooper and wife Janell of New Orleans. Louisiana; Kim Paine and husband Bob of Norman, Oklahoma, and Dr. Kary Cooper and wife Shelly of Fairview, Texas. Also preceded in death by infant daughter, Karen Cooper in 1952. Survived by five grandchildren: Dr. Shelly Guillory of Lake Charles, Louisiana; Kelly Marbry of Shreveport, Louisiana; Collin Cooper, Carson Cooper, and Camden Cooper of Fairview, Texas. Also survived by four great-grandchildren: Luke Guillory and Jack Guillory both of Lake Charles, Louisiana; Kaylen Marbry and Cooper Marbry both of Shreveport, Louisiana.



death in 2004.

Booker, Texas.

in 1950. Worked as secretary for Cabot Corporation of Pampa, Texas, as real estate agent for Neal Hall 22, 1938 in Wheeler, Texas Real Estate of Miami, to Millard F. and Clara Oklahoma, and as secretary (Hubble) Brewer. He was for First Baptist Church, a Master Electrician, an Miami Oklahoma, of which avid hunter and deep sea she was an active member fisherman. He worked for since 1963. Active member and secretary of the Northeastern Oklahoma Football A&M and : Basketball Booster Clubs

for many years. Visitation will be held Thursday, December 10, 2009 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at First Baptist Church Miami, Oklahoma. Funeral Friday, December 11, 2009 Cemetery, Miami.

Cooper, Kary Cooper, Bob Paine, Collin, Carson, and 31, Canyon, was arrested Camden Cooper.

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## **Obituaries**

Miami- Eva Espinosa Losoya, 64, died December

7, 2009, in Pampa, Texas. Vigil will be at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 9, 2009, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel in Pampa, with Rev. Joseph Ravi, associate pastor of St. Vincent dePaul Catholic Church of Pampa, officiating, and funeral mass will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 10, 2009, at St. Vincent dePaul Catholic Church in Pampa, with Rev. Francisco Perez, pastor, officiating. Cremation will follow the services, under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

June 13, 1945 in Weslaco. She married Lupe C. Losoya on February 26, 1968 in Wichita Falls. She came to Miami in 1990 from Knox City. Eva was a member of St. Vincent dePaul Catholic Church in Pampa. The family would like to

thank the staff at Pampa Regional Medical Center for their loving care of Eva, and the community of Miami for their prayers.

Survivors include husband: Lupe C. Losoya of the home; a son: Eddie Losoya and wife Cecelia of Pampa; a daughter: Donna Kay Almaraz of Miami; 5 brothers: Raul Espinosa,

Eva Espinosa Losoya, 64 Mrs. Losoya was born Manuel Espinosa, Jr., Robert Espinosa, Juan Espinosa, all of Knox City, and Rosendo Espinosa of Santa Paula, California; 3 sisters: Emma Casillas of O'Brien, Ermenia Sosa of Munday, and Elva Aleman of Garland; 3 grandchildren: Joel Almaraz, Jr., of Miami, Celeste Gonzales and Andres Losoya, both of Pampa; 1 greatgranddaughter: Melody Angeliah Almaraz of Santa Maria, California. She was preceded in death by her parents: Manuel and Celia

Espinosa. MEMORIALS: Vincent dePaul Catholic Church, 810 W. 23rd, Pampa, Texas 79065.

Wilson and wife Connie

of Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Pam was preceded in

death by her father: Frank

Edward Scheurich and

father-in-law, Austin H.

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friends at the funeral home

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#### Pamela "Pam" Wilson, 59 children, mother-in-law,

Pamela Columbus— "Pam" Wilson, 59, died December 6, 2009, in Columbus, Texas.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, December 11, 2009, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel in Pampa, with Garrell Kidd, minister of Yukon Church of Christ in Yukon, Oklahoma, and Pastor Mike Sublett, of Hi-Land Christian Church of Pampa, officiating.

Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery in Pampa, under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Wilson was born March 9, 1950 in Joplin, and Frances May Walters Scheurich. She graduated from high school in 1968 in Monett, Missouri, and was married on August 4, 1972 to Herman "Lynn" Wilson. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Columbus and was a former secretary of the church. Pam was also a member of the Columbus Hospital Community Auxiliary. Survivors include her

husband, Lynn Wilson of the home; two sons, Steven Wilson and wife Kathryn of Alexandria, Virginia, and Brian Wilson and wife Laura of Austin; mother, Frances Scheurich Missouri, to Frank Edward of Columbus; four grand-

Sclerosis Center, attn: Amelia Kleiman, Baylor Brewer, 71

at 10 a.m. on Friday.

"Whip" Wilson. SPECIAL

McElroy and husband, Leo of Spearman, and Cathy Schick of Denver, Colorado; 8 grandchildren, Jenna McElroy and fiancée, Chance Riggins, Kade Turner, Rhiley Turner, Harley Brewer, Kayla Brewer, Christopher Brewer, Heather Brewer and Cyrus Brewer; a brother, Ron Brewer; and 2 sisters, Elaine Taylor and

Estelle Carnal. He was preceded in death by two brothers; two sisters; two sons, Curtis Brewer and Denny Ray



Brewer

Brewer; and a grandson. Camerick McElroy.

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#### Vernon Rayford "Ray" Vernon Union 76 (later Unocal) for

SADLER Married to Neal Hall in Rayford "Ray" Brewer, 71, 1985, who preceded her in passed away on Thursday, in the U.S. Navy aboard Also survived by spe- Texoma Medical Center cial friend, Jerry Hunter of in Denison. No services are planned at this time. collecting arrowheads. Ray Graduated from Pampa Cremation arrangements was the best "Papa" ever, High School, Pampa, Texas are under the direction of Meador Funeral Home in Whitesboro.

Ray was born on Sept.

30 years. He also served December 3, 2009 at the USS Vesuvius during the Vietnam Conflict. He also enjoyed boating and dearly loving his family and especially his grandchildren. He was known for his big heart.

Survivors include his wife, Sandra Brewer of Sadler; 2 sons, Michael "Deno" Brewer of Dallas, and Lonnie Brewer of Burnet; 2 daughters, Denise

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The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests as of 8 a.m. today.

Monday, Dec. 7.

Eric Michael Guyer, 27, was arrested by Pampa services will be held police officers on charges of criminal mischief, strikat 10:30 am at the First ing an unattended vehicle, Baptist Church Miami, having an expired regis-Oklahoma with Pastor tration, failure to control Rick Longcrier presiding. speed, animal at large, Burial will follow at GAR animal nuisance, no rabies vaccination, seat belt viola-Pallbearers will be: Ken tion and failure to appear.

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license and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Tuesday, Dec. 8. John Lewis Miller, 29, was arrested by Gray County deputies on charg- ties on warrants charging

es of possession of a controlled substance. Louis Wayne Cantrell, 41, Muleshoe, was arrested by Gray County depu-

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Owens Music Studio recently held their Christmas recital. The following are students of Barry Owens: Front row, Reata Collins, voice; Cole Davis, voice and piano; Taylor May, violin; Tara Goldsmith, voice and piano; Tori Dalton, piano; Shelby Langley, piano. In the back row: Lora Potter, voice; Jacee Smith, violin; Alison Alexander, voice and piano; Chase Cree, piano; Taylor Dalton, voice; Megan Brock, piano; and music instructor, Barry Owens Not pictured was Jacey Steel, piano.

# Ice blamed for SUV plunge into panhandle canyon

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Officials are blaming an icy road for the fatal 90-foot plunge of a sportutility vehicle into Palo Duro Canyon.

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School officials in the small Texas Panhandle town of Claude identify the man killed in the

Texas Tuesday morning plunge as 64-year-old Claude school district driver Tom Cruise. The accident happened sometime before 6:30 a.m., when Claude school Superintendent Toby Tucker tried to con-

tact Cruise by cell phone. Tucker said a search took two hours before the SUV wreckage was found on the canyon floor.

Tucker says Cruise was driving to pick up students when the crash happened on Texas 207 just over a miles south of Claude, which is 27 miles southeast of Amarillo.

Clarification—

The Texas Department of State Health Services will sponsor a free H1N1 flu vaccine clinic Thursday only, December 17. The clinic will be from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Senior Citizens building, 500 W. Frances St.

#### Tour

Sue Pribble of the Altrusa Club. The brochure is in English and Spanish.

Shonda Rucker of the Pampa Kiwanis Club is in charge of recruiting volunteers to help the children shop for as well as wrap their presents. An estimated 200 volunteers Last year are needed. more than 1200 gifts were wrapped, according to Whitney Davis, an Opti-Mrs. Club member, who heads the committee for the wrapping party. The Optimist Club will furnish the volunteers and children a hamburger luncheon and all the trimmings. Heading the Optimist

effort is Kevin Davis.

The Energizer Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church led by Brett Troxell and Shatner Reeves and the National Junior Honor Society led by Ryan Powell are in charge of entertain-

ing children who finish purchasing and wrapping their presents early. They will hold a coloring contest with materials and prizes furnish by Jana Gregory of the American Red Cross. They will lead in singing Christmas carols and the telling of Christmas stories. David Gerhardt, the youth minister of the First United Methodist Church, will give a talk to the children about "The Reason for the Season.'

The Pampa High School cheerleaders will take pictures of each child visiting with Santa Claus to give as a souvenir to each child. Harley Knutson and Dr. Mark Ford head up a group of Gideons, who will provide the children an opportunity to receive a New Testament as they

Dee Dee Laramore of Tralee Crisis Center is in charge of the continental cont. from page 1

breakfast for the volunteers. Brad Pingel of the Pampa Noon Lions Club and other Lions will contact the parents of children who do not have a phone to remind them of the tour and what time volunteers will be picking up their children. John Warner serves as treasurer for the project.

"I have been involved with this project for about 30 years," Whitney Davis said. "It puts the spirit of Christmas into the season for me every year."

More than 40 churches and organizations have combined to present the shopping tour each year since 1963. The project is organized by a Steering Committee consisting of those named above. Members at large include Bob Marx, Robert Jacobs, Judy Warner and Travis Tidmore.

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# Pampa wrestling roughs up River Road Thursday

BY ANDREW GLOVER aglover@thepampanews.com formance.

The Pampa Harvesters wrestling team won 11 of 16 matches against River Road Thursday in the MPAC Gymnasium.

Head Coach Billy Smith said he thought the meet went well for his team and was pleased with their per-

"I thought they did pretty good," Smith said. "I enjoyed it. I thought it went really well. They fought hard. We've been practicing before Thanksgiving and we haven't wrestled since before Thanksgiving. but the last week we've

been going against each other. So It was nice to go against someone else."

The Harvesters followed the meet with one in Canyon Randall and will wrestle in the Weatherford, tournament Oklahoma December 18 through the

staff photo by Andrew Glover



## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: My husband, "Bud," and I have been married more than 50 years. It has been a great half-century. We have good jobs and a fantastic family.

A problem has arisen recently that I need advice about. When I met Bud, I wasn't a virgin. I wasn't promiscuous, but I did end several dates with a "grand finale." Bud knew about it and was OK with it then, and he's still OK with it now. But he keeps asking me to describe those dates down to the most intimate detail. He says they are part of our "family history," just like our school activities and other events with family and friends before we started going together. I'm not sure I can remember everything, but Bud wants to hear about those things I can recall. What do you think about this? - CAUGHT OFF **GUARD** 

DEAR CAUGHT: I'd be fascinated to know why, after more than 50 years, your husband is suddenly pumping you for the information. Could he find the idea of you and another man titillating? To me, "family history" begins when a couple forms a family, not before.

If discussing the subject of your premarital sexual experiences makes you uncomfortable, then don't take the bait because if you do, I have a hunch your husband will never stop fishing.

DEAR ABBY: work for a national package delivery company. It's nearing what we refer to as "peak season" (Christmas). We try our best to deliver the much-anticipated packages on time, but sometimes we are unable to find the addresses. If there are no names or numbers on the mailboxes or on the

houses, we waste a lot of time trying to locate the right residence through the process of elimination.

What concerns us most is, if we - experienced delivery people - have prob-lems finding a residence, we know an emergency vehicle will encounter the same problem. A few minutes' delay can result in a tragic outcome if an EMT is unable to find a house.

Please advise your readers to post their addresses clearly. If they do, it will help all of us to have a safer and happier holiday season. - SANTA'S HELPERS IN ALABAMA

SANTA'S DEAR HELPERS: Thanks for this important reminder. Readers, to ensure that Santa finds you - remember to have not only cookies and milk waiting by the fireplace, but also your address clearly visible so he can find you. And the same goes for the fire department, the police department and an ambulance if, heaven forbid, they should be needed.

DEAR ABBY: Would it be improper of me to write the owners of a house we are buying to thank them for selling it to us? My wife and I keep getting conflicting answers.

They have small children, so they're probably moving to a bigger place to accommodate their children. Selling us their house is allowing us the opportunity of starting a family like they did.

What do you think? Should we send it to them directly or to their real estate agent? We don't want to overstep our boundaries. – SOON-TO-BE HOMEOWNER IN PHILADELPHIA

DEAR SOON-TO-BE HOMEOWNER: There may be reasons the owners are selling the house that have nothing to do with the fact that their children are growing. While the idea of a thankyou note is sweet, it would be better to wait until the sale is complete and you have lived in it awhile before writing. If you still feel the same a few months after you're in, then by all means share your gratitude and have the note forwarded to them by their real estate agent.



Stephen Botello tries to take down his River Road opponent Thursday. Botello won

Garrett Ericson attempts a free throw against the River Road Wildcats in the tournament championship Saturday. The Harvesters won 57-30 for their third straight win. (Photo contributed by Dawn Clendening).

#### 7th grade B team 2-0 in home tourney

BY ANDREW GLOVER aglover@thepampanews.com

The seventh grade A team lost both games and the B team won both of two games in the Pampa Tournament Thursday and Saturday in Pampa.

The A team lost 55-23 to Perryton. Montre Williams and Johnathan Stevens led the team in scoring with five points each. Brycen McClendon and Calven Webb each had four points. Allen Stovall and Josh Miner each had two.

The A team lost 33-17 to Dumas. Stevens led the team in scoring with seven points, Aaron Allen had four and Stovall and Webb each had two.

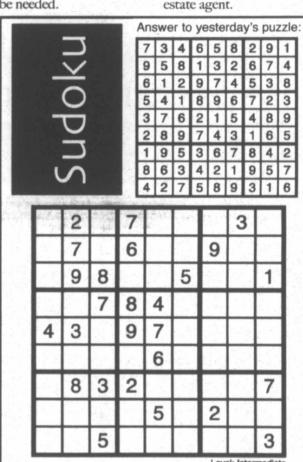
The B team beat Perryton 33-11. Dante Jordan led the team in scoring with 10 points. Braden Keown had seven, Josh Lance scored six, Ashjen Payne had four and John Allen, Braden Childress and Tyler Curfman each had two.

The B team beat Dumas 28-23. Curfman led the team in scoring with 10 points. Allen and Jordan each had six points. Aaron McKinney had four points and Childress had two points.



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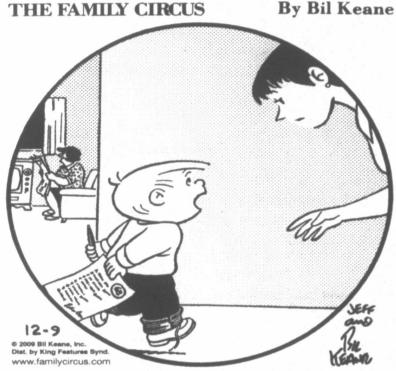
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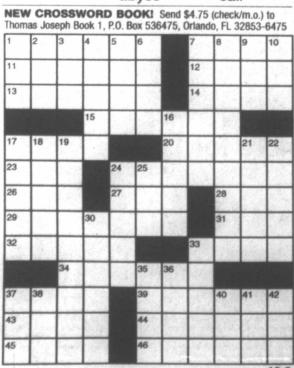
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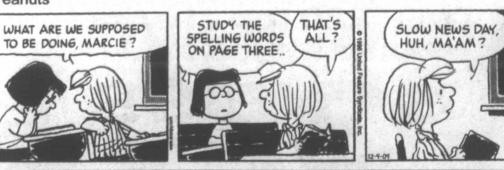
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This year, remain focused on your goals

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ent turns in the near future. You need to

remain steady and sure of yourself.

Confusion surrounds friends, especially

if you overanalyze things. Be gentle with

those you care about. They, too, might

feel tested and not as sure of themselves

as in the past. If you are single, you could

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makes you smile and could be your next

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\*\*\* Even with your best efforts,

confusion infiltrates and might prevent

action. Use your energy positively, and

you'll draw excellent results. Know

when to draw a line. Tonight: Let some-

\*\* Approach your work in the most

efficient manner possible. You don't

need to agree with others. Use different

ideas to strengthen your point of view.

Be gentler with a child or loved one.

\*\*\*\* Your creativity comes out

because of a desire and a sense of confu-

sion that surrounds others and plans.

Tonight: Get into a home project.

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someone when you don't intend to.

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please do. If you are open to a family

member and don't feel that you have

anything to prove, you can make it

through the innate stumbling blocks of

the present moment. Tonight: All smiles.

\*\*\*\* Keep talks open and flowing.

You could be shocked by what comes up

out of the blue. Before you react, know

that it easily could be a misunderstand-

ing. Stay mellow. Take a walk if you're

\*\* Realize that you need to take a

stronger hand with your funds. You see

life in a far more dynamic manner

because of a newfound openness. You

like how someone takes a stronger role in

\*\*\*\* Deal with someone directly.

Doing something halfway simply doesn't

work. You need to do everything with

100 percent effort. If you do, you will

feel better about yourself. Go for what

you want without looking for applause

Tonight: All smiles, because you feel

\*\*\* You move in a new fashion. You

choose a new course. Take your time and

confirm that it is the right way to go.

More observation and less talk will work.

Listen to your inner voice with a boss.

your life. Tonight: Use your instincts.

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ates your thoughtfulness. Suddenly you

can make a difference and understand

where someone is coming from. Be true

to yourself. Make time for a key talk.

Tonight: Break a pattern and don't stand

\*\*\*\* Defer to a key individual in

your life whom you trust and understand.

Trust that this person knows much more

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## Early lead fades, Lady Harvesters fall to Randal

aglover@thepampanews.com Pampa Lady Harvesters couldn't hold on

to a first-half lead, losing the district opener 51-40 to the Randall Lady Raiders Tuesday in Canyon.

In the first quarter, Pampa and Randall exchanged baskets at the beginning with Pampa trailing 6-5 half-way through the first quarter.

The Lady Harvesters went on an 8-0 run to take a 13-6 lead and led 13-9 at the end of the quarter. Pampa was three for five from the field and Randall shot two for six. The Lady Harvesters were one for one in three pointers and one for two in free throws. The Lady Raiders was zero for four in three-pointers and three for four in free

In the second quarter, Randall continued their run from the end of the first quarter scoring the first four points of the second to tie the game at 13. Pampa went on a 7-3 run to take a 20-16 lead midway through

the quarter. Shelbie Watson and Andi Hutto made two pointers and Taryn Eubank hit a three-pointer during the run. The Lady Raiders would take over the rest of the quarter going on a 10-0 run to lead 26-20 at halftime.

The Lady Harvesters (5-8, 0-1) missed their last seven shots and turned the ball over six times to close out the second quarter. In the third quarter, the Lady Raiders didn't allow Pampa to get closer than six points. Randall scored 11 of the final 15 points of the quarter to expand their lead to 39-26 after three.

Pampa shot one for five from the field, one for two from the three-point line and one for two in free throw shooting. The Lady Harvesters turned the ball over four times.

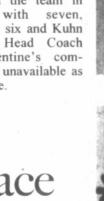
Randall shot one for six from the field, one for five in three-point shooting, and eight for 11 in free throw

The Lady Raiders opened the forth quarter on a 10-4 rt to expand their lead to 49-30. The Lady

on a 10-2 run not pulling closer than 11 points.

Pampa has lost three of their last four games. The Lady Harvesters shot 36 percent from the field, 42 percent in three-point shooting, and 53 percent in free, throw shooting. Pampa had four offensive rebounds and 18 defensive rebounds for a total of 22 rebounds. Randall shot 36 percent from the field, 31 percent in threepoint shooting and 58 percent in free throw shooting. The Lady Raiders had 11 offensive rebounds and 11 defensive rebounds for 22 total rebounds.

Watson led the Lady Harvesters in scoring with 13 points. Eubank and Hutto each scored eight, Liz Hoelting and Emilie Troxell each had four and Kirsten Kuhn had three. Eubank led the team in rebounds with seven, Watson had six and Kuhn had five. Head Coach Gene Valentine's comments were unavailable as of press time.



## 7th grade girls win second and fourth place

BY ANDREW GLOVER aglover@thepampanews.com

The Pampa Junior High seventh grade girls A team won fourth and the B team won second in a tournament at Perryton Thursday and Saturday

The A team lost to Perryton 28-27, beat Borger 37-16 for their first win of the season, lost to Dalhart 27-14 and lost to Dumas 40-30. Taylor Eubank led the team in scoring, averaging 13 points per game. Madison Brown averaged six points per game. Brown led the team in rebounds averaging nine per game, Eubank averaged 5.8 and Caragan Niccum averaged

five. Eubank led the team in steals averaging 3.8 per game. Macie Loggins averaged one and one half steals per game. Coach Stefani Devoll said the team has things they need to improve but was proud of their effort.

"They really played their hearts out," Devoll said. "The Dumas coach came up to me after the game and said he was really impressed with our team."

The B team beat Perryton 19-9 for their first win of the season, beat Borger 20-11, lost to Dalhart 23-10 and beat Dumas 19-13. Devoll said people were impressed with their character.

"On the way home after

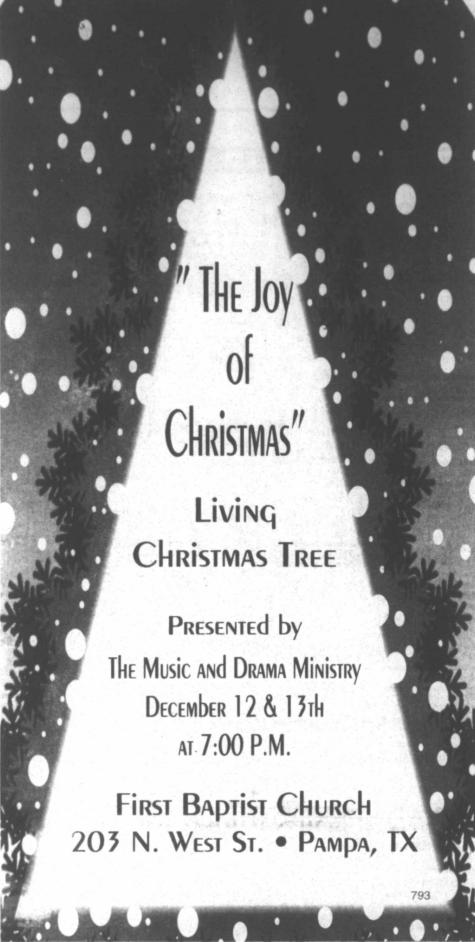
we ate, the managers came up to me and said how polite and respectful our girls were," Devoll said. "These girls learning manners and life lessons are

sometimes more valuable than any game you win or lose!" Ty'Randa Johnson led the team in scoring averag-

ing seven points per game.

Risa Rodriguez averaged four points per game and Allison Noble averaged 2. Johnson was the leading rebounder averaging 3.8 per game, Rodriguez aver aged 2 and Noble averaged 1.5. Johnson led the team in steals averaging 5 per game. Madelyn Solis aver-

aged one per game.



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