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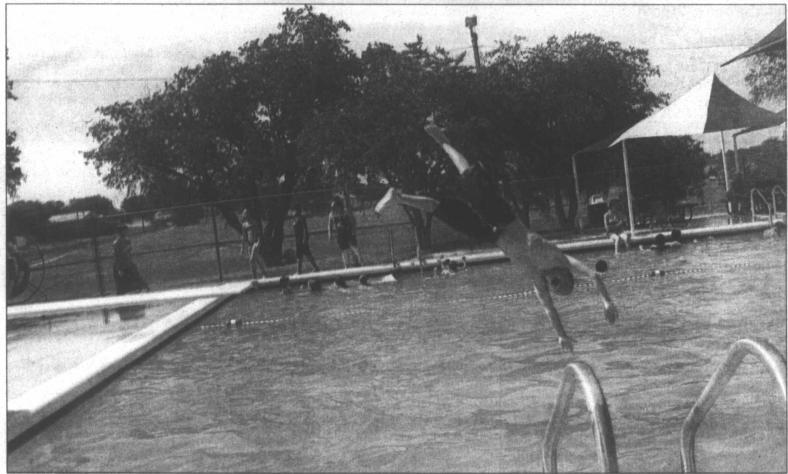
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SPLASH INTO SUMMER



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John Allen, 13, dives headfirst into the water at M.K. Brown Swimming Pool, one of the many places around the community kids can go for summer fun.

## Plenty of local options for Pampa kids

ANDREW GLOVER
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School is out and local children have plenty of time on their hands.

Not to worry – there are plenty of summertime activities for kids in Pampa.

Enrique Cabrales, superintendent of the city's Recreation Department, said the city slow pitch softball league and the kickball league will start June 14. The leagues play their games at the softball complex. Cabrales noted that the M.K.

Cabrales noted that the M.K. Brown Swimming Pool is a popular place for children to hang out at during the summer. "We get pretty close to capac-

ity," Cabrales said. "During the first month we are open we average around 200 and we have 300 capacity. It tapers off some after the first month but it stays strong throughout the

year."
The Pampa Red Cross offers swim lessons at the M.K. Swimming Pool. Executive assistant Vanessia Vick said their lifeguards teach the lessons and they usually have a

large turnout in the summer.

"We have one waiting list open," Vick said. "Another session filled up the first two lev-

A good reason for children to sign up for swimming lessons is to learn water safety.

"Parents want their kids to know how and what to do to survive in water," Vick explained.

"We have little one year olds who are jumping off the diving board. Lessons help kids to not be afraid of the water and enjoy it."

The Lovett Memorial Library offers a summer reading program. The program allows children to learn about different subjects and interests. Marsha Rollins said the biggest draw at the library is that it is inexpen-

sive for the parents/
"It's no cost," Rollins said.
"Especially now that things are tight. Having some place for the kids to go that's good for them and a positive environ-

ment and no cost to them is a big deal."

Create-a-Beat offers children two programs in the summer. Assistant Childcare Director Cherlyann Moore said the program offers an art program where children do crafts, learn music, drama, water-play, and creative writing. The program will take place June 7-18. The other program is July 11-30 and is exclusively drama. In this program children work on a musical and perform it publicly on July 30. Moore said it's

amazing what children do.

"Children learn lines, songs and dance moves," Moore said.

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# Tech study counts Prairie Chickens by helicopter

ARNIE AURELLANO editor@thepampanews.com

Remember that adage about not counting your chickens? That

doesn't apply to Jennifer Timmer.

Timmer, a graduate student at
Texas Tech, has spent the past
three months in Gray County cataloging the numbers and locations
of lesser prairie chickens by helicopter, Her rounds are part of a
two-year study being conducted
by Texas Tech with funding from
Texas Parks and Wildlife and the
Department of Energy, focusing
on lesser prairie chicken popula-

"Obviously, (the prairie chickens) are kind of a hot topic right now," Timmer said. "The more data we have on the birds, the better informed we'll be, so that's basically why I've been here for the last few months."

the last few months."

For the duration of her Pampa stay, Timmer (along with another two Texas Tech grad students) has spent her mornings in pursuit of the elusive little birds, scanning the ranchlands of Gray and neighboring counties for lesser prai-

rie chicken "leks," or communal breeding grounds. Because of the nature of the chickens, Timmer explained, the job is always an

early morning affair.

"You wake up very early, assuming the weather's good. No fog, no precip, no winds over 40 miles an hour. Our port of call, based on other surveys and based on the bird's biology, is sunrise to two and a half hours after sunrise. Too long after that and they'll start to move away from the leks and go

feed.
"We'll meet the helicopter pilot usually at Miami Airport or Wheeler Airport and take off from there. The flight path will be loaded into our GPS units, and then we just look for the birds.

"Basically, you just fly along the transect and you just keep your eye out. Usually the pilot has your front pretty covered, because he's also looking out for power lines. But you still have to scan around the side of you. You're just kind of looking all around the immediate vicinity around the helicopter for them.

"It's not the most exciting thing



The Lesser Prairie Chicken

in the world, necessarily," Timmer laughed, "but it is cool when you find them."

Timmer said that the chickens are most easily spotted during their distinctive breeding display.

"I always tell people to YouTube them," she said. "It's hard to describe, but their breeding display is really, really cool.

"Do you remember Luigi from Mario Bros.? With the really fast feet? That's what they do. They just move around with these really fast feet, and they have these air sacs that they pop, and they kind of cackle like monkeys when they fight with each other. It's really neat."

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Monday Tuesday Sunday High 99 High 97 High 91

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 68. East wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Low 69

Low 70

Sunday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Partly cloudy, with a high near 91. East wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Sunday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 a.m. Partly cloudy, with a low around 68. Southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Monday: Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 99. South wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

Monday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 69. South southwest wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

Tuesday: Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 97. South southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Tuesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 70.

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Texas officials

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Agency officials say they're preparing in case the spill does begin drifting west, but for now, "we're not overly concerned." Meanwhile, Texas is helping the states where crude is washing ashore. It has lent about 1,000 feet of boom to help block oil, as well as two trailers to treat

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# Mary Ruth Stall, 74

Stall, 74, died June 2, 2010 in Amarillo.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday, June 7, 2010, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, with Pastor Marlin Ham of Dumas, officiating.

Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Miss Stall was born September 6, 1935 in Wellington where she graduated from Wellington High School in 1955. After graduation, she moved to Columbia Medical Center as a radiology technician, receiving the Employee of the Month and Employee of the Year awards. Mary worked in the medical field for 46 years, retiring in the mid 1990's. She was a Baptist. In her spare time, she enjoyed making crafts, painting, cooking and reading. She also helped any children who needed her, and they would call her "Aunt Mary." She will

Survivors include her Dallas to study radiology. sister, Sonja Young and She moved to Pampa in husband Jesse D. of Dumas;

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was arrested by police on

charges of failure to regis-

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Guadalupe Torres, 45,

Mark Anthony Patterson,

36, was arrested by Texas

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Thursday, June 3

at 8 a.m. Friday.

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was reported at Hobart and

reported in the 1100 block

reported at Browning and

reported in the 400 block of

was reported in the 2200

reported in the 1500 block

block of North Hamilton.

PAMPA—Mary Ruth 1958 and went to work at two nephews, Terry Young and wife Cynthia of Brian, and Roger Young and wife Jessica of Ft. Smith, Ark.; three grandnieces, Sonja Young of Follett, Sabre Young of Amarillo, and Kristin Young of Ft. Smith, Ark.; three grandnephews, Remington Young of Afghanistan, Joshua Young and Cooper Young, both of Ft. Smith, Ark.; two aunts, Faye Mullinax of Amarillo and Eunice Mills. Mary was preceded in death by a brother, Tommy Leon Stall; and her parents, Tommy and

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#### PAMPA PD

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. Friday.

Officers said there were four accident on city streets and eight traffic-related calls.

Animal control officers reported five calls.

Pampa EMS reported two ambulance calls. The Pampa Fire Department reported one medical call. The Lefors Volunteer Fire Department reported one medical call in Lefors. Thursday, June 3

City officials shut off water in the 1500 block of North Dwight.

An alarm was reported in the 2300 block of North Navajo.

A narcotics violation was reported to police. A suspicious person was

reported in the 100 block of West Foster. Criminal mischief was

reported in the 500 block of North Frost. Officers reported a vio-

lation of city ordinances in the 700 block of South Reid. Welfare check was done

in the 1400 block of North Hamilton. A theft was reported at

Frederic and Hughes. Fraud was reported in

the 1800 block of North Dogwood. A warrant was served

in the 500 block of North Faulkner. A missing person was

reported in the 2800 block of North Rosewood. Officers were placed on a special assignment in the 1100 block of West

Coronado. An assault was reported in the 911 block of East Browning.

A suspicious person was reported in the 900 block of East Twiford.

Public intoxication was reported in the 1100 block of West Coronado.

#### Oswald's getaway cab to be auctioned in Texas Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1900 block

DALLAS (AP) — The Checker cab once known as Lee Harvey Oswald's getaway car is going up on the auction block.

Cab 36 will be sold Saturday along with the rest of the collection from the defunct Pate Museum of Transportation in Cresson, about 17 miles southwest of Fort Worth.

Checker Motors Corp. donated the cab to the museum in 1979 with a letter of authentication.

"It's a big piece of history," said Donnie Gould, a car pecialist for RM Auctions, which is handling the sale. 'It's tough to get an automobile that tells a story the way this car does.

The 1962 cab is estimated to conservatively fetch \$20,000 to \$30,000, he said. That's far more than the nickel tip Oswald paid the

cab driver for his 95-cent metered cab fare on Nov. 22,

Oswald hailed the cab after the bus he tried to escape in got stuck in traffic moments after President John F. Kennedy was assassinated.

Oswald is accused of having fired the fatal shot from the sixth floor window of the old Texas School Book Depository in Dallas as Kennedy's motorcade passed

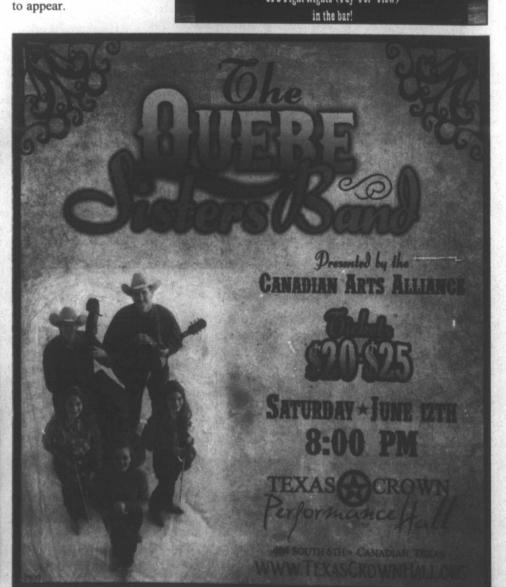
Cab driver William Wayne Whaley recalled that when Oswald approached his taxi, he at first thought he might be a wino because it looked like he had slept in his clothes, the Dallas Morning News reported in Friday

Whaley, who has since passed away, said Oswald wasn't chatty. The cabbie dropped him off a few blocks past the rooming house where it was later learned

The cab driver saw Oswald again — in a police lineup



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# Splash into Summer

"They design and build their sets and make their costumes. We did Noah's Ark last year and the kids started with a white t-shirt and used paint to create their animal

Moore said the big draw for children is the variety of things they get to do in the programs.

"They have three stations in a day," Moore said. "They have a scrapbooking class, then they go to choir. They have a music station where they can play different instruments. After lunch they have water slides, swimming pools and water guns. Kids are being active, not like a daycare where they sit in one class all day."

Other activities around town include Central Park, Super Playground, other parks, Harvester Lanes and the sports camps at the high school.

The Lady Harvester basketball camp is July 7 through July 11 and people can register until the morning of the first day. The Hustlin' Harvesters basketball camp is July 14-18. The Graystone Volleyball camp is June 14-15 at Pampa Junior High School. The Lady Harvester softball camp is June 21-June 25. Tennis camp is also June 21-June 25. Volleyball camp is July 22-July 23. Football camp is July 27 through July 30.

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- Create -a-Beat has offered an arts camp since 2004 and this is the second year to offer a drama camp.
- People can register at the Create-a-Beat offices for the programs between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.
- The cost of swim lessons at M.K. Brown Pool is \$35
- The Red Cross swim lessons have five levels based on ages

# Tech study counts Prairie Chickens by helicopter

The birds' characteristic noises are usually the easiest way to locate them, Timmer said. "Even from the air, I usually find them by listening for them. You can't really see them from up there a lot of the time. They're not that big, and if they're not flapping in the air fighting with each other or they're not right in front of you on the transect, they can be really hard to see.

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> "They call them booming grounds. I wouldn't exactly call it a boom, but it's kind of like a low echo when they pop their air sacs. Then, when they fight with each other, it's like monkeys cackling. They're noisy little things.

> Upon spotting a lek, Timmer said, a waypoint is marked noting its location and the number of birds within the lek. The sizes of each specific lek often vary, with Timmer and the other counters paying particular attention to small set sizes.

> "We've had leks as small as one or two males, just displaying and booming,' Timmer said. "Or maybe the birds just got flushed from a nearby lek, or maybe it's a nesting hen, or maybe just a singular bird hanging out eating or something. The largest one we've had was only about 17 or 18, which is not very big. They used to be up in the hundreds in the 1950s and 60s." "What we're trying to do, especially for the single birds, is mark where they are. Then we can talk to the landowners so that, maybe two weeks later, we can come back and see if there's a lek here near that single bird that we missed." The procedure seems simple enough: Fly over land, find birds, repeat every morning. And for the most part, Timmer said, it's not a difficult formula to follow. The catch, though, lies in the details.

"They're not easy animals to find," she explained. "They're small birds, so it's hard to find them from the air sometimes. Most of the traditional surveys are road based, so you drive along county roads and you listen. And you do find them, but then they're biased towards roads, and of course, not all birds are along country roads. What we're trying to do is get away from that road-based bias. We can cover everything from the air, so it's supposed to be a little bit more accurate than the road-based surveys. "They've done this quite a bit with the turkeys and quails. This is the first time it's been done with the chickens. I'm just now starting to go back through the data sheets and fill in all the gaps. Based on our detection probabilities (calculated odds that more birds are in the area given

how many birds are actu-

ally spotted), how many didn't we see? From the data that we have collected, we can estimate and say, 'Oh, there's roughly this density of chickens and this given area." Timmer and her fellow chicken counters have tried to fly their routes everyday, weather permitting. They have flown 97 blocks, each roughly 20 and a quarter square miles. The blocks are 18 transects, roughly four and a half miles long spaced 400 meters apart. Timmer said that keeping accurate record of where the chickens are is key because of the specific goals of the study. "The project is looking at human impacts on the prairie chickens," Timmer said, "because they're about to be endangered. I shouldn't say they're about to be listed, but they're a candidate species to be listed. We're trying to get more information to either prevent that listing or say 'Yes, they do need to be listed.' "We're trying to see how all these power lines and all the wind farms might impact their distribution." With Timmer taking her last helicopter flight at the end of May, her focus now shifts to comparing the chicken populations to the locations of manmade structures in the area. "Now, what I'm going to do is plot out where their locations are in relation to the power lines already on the landscape, active oil and gas pads, things like that. We want to see if that's really what's affecting their distribution. "When we're done, we can tell (the TPW and the Department of Energy) that, oh, we found that birds were never located less than 200 meters from a power line, or no closer then 400 meters, or whatever. That's the data they're interested in."

Now, Timmer will return to a lab to lay her data out in spreadsheets and feed it into computers. The information she collects here will be part of a larger set; she'll be going down to an area southwest of Lubbock to do the same helicopter surveys next year to add to her data. The results of the study won't be ready for over a year, maybe two. Still, while she will soon be leaving, Timmer said, her experience in Pampa and Gray County has been a positive one. "This is

cont. from page 1 a really nice community," Timmer said. "Everyone here is very friendly, and the people who we've worked with have been just great. "Nine out of 10 landowners have been very cooperative. The people that live on the land - the ranchers whose families have been out there for years — they're the ones who have very helpful. They'd say, 'Oh, I remember when there were hundreds of birds out here.' You can tell that they do care about these animals."

#### Texas NRCS offers additional assistance for Lesser Prairie-Chicken habitat

Lubbock - The USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Texas has announced \$2 million available through a national initiative to help reduce the threat to lesser prairie-chicken (LPC) habitat in historic rangeland sites

"This additional assistance, through the Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP), offers landowners the opportunity to enhance the LPC habitat in the High Plains and South Plains regions," said Manuel De Leon, NRCS wildlife biologist, Lubbock "The initiative supplements what we have already been doing to assist landowners in their efforts to increase the habitat." landowners in their efforts to improve the habitat."

NRCS will be accepting applications through August 1, 2010. "Landowners interested in the initiative for the LPC should inquire now for technica cial assistance to help establish and improve the habitat," said De Leon

The WHIP program is a voluntary conservation program for people who wan to develop and improve wildlife habitat on private lands. The program offers a Clint Rollins, NRCS rangeland management specialist, Amarillo, said,

"Landowners can develop a comprehensive wildlife management plan that can specifically address the LPC habitat." The initiative is part of a multi-state opportunity that also includes New Mexico,

Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma.

"Good LPC habitat equates to good rangeland that can improve or increase beef production if managed properly," said Rollins. "I encourage all producers in this region to contact the NRCS to find out how the program options can benefit their needs for wildlife enhancement and management."

For additional information about the lesser prairie-chicken initiative and how to

apply, please contact the local NRCS office in your county, or visit the Texas NRCS website at www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/whip.

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#### Texas Rangers seize Collin County clerk's records

DALLAS (AP) recently elected district clerk in Collin County is accused of using her employees to campaign on county time. Patricia Wysong Crigger,

who won the post in an April runoff, is to take office Jan. 1. She has declined to comment on the allegations. But earlier this week,

- The Texas Rangers executed a search warrant at the Collin County Courthouse where Crigger is the chief deputy district clerk. Rangers seized her campaign literature, computer hard drives, calendars and other materi-

Citing the search affidavit, The Dallas Morning News reports that Crigger

and five district clerk employees allegedly falsified time and attendance records for employees, giving unauthorized paid leave to those who worked on her campaign.

The investigation of possible criminal charges is ongoing.







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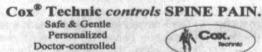


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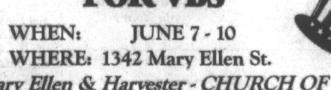


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Today is Saturday, June 5, the 156th day of 2010. There are 209 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 5, 1968, Sen. Robert F. Kennedy was assassinated in Los Angeles' Ambassador Hotel after claiming victory in California's Democratic presidential primary. Gunman Sirhan Bishara Sirhan was immediately arrested.

On this date:

In 1884, Civil War hero General William T. Sherman refused the Republican presidential nomination, saying, "I will not accept if nominated and will not serve if elected."

In 1910, author William Sydney Porter, who'd written short stories under the pen name "O. Henry," died in New York at age 47.

In 1916, the Arab Revolt against Turkish Ottoman rule began during World War I. In 1933, the United States went off the gold stan-

In 1940, during the World War II Battle of France,

Germany attacked French forces along the Somme In 1947, Secretary of State George C. Marshall

gave a speech at Harvard University in which he outlined an aid program for Europe that came to be known as The Marshall Plan. In 1950, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Henderson

v. United States, struck down racially segregated railroad dining cars.

In 1967, war erupted in the Mideast as Israel raided military aircraft parked on the ground in Egypt; Syria, Jordan and Iraq entered the conflict In 1976, 14 people were killed when the Teton

Dam in Idaho burst. In 2004, Ronald Wilson Reagan, the 40th presi-

dent of the United States, died in Los Angeles at age 93 after a long struggle with Alzheimer's disease.

Ten years ago: President Bill Clinton visited the former Soviet republic of Ukraine, the last stop in his weeklong European tour, where he dispensed \$80 million in American aid to help entomb the Chernobyl nuclear power plant, scene of the world's worst nuclear accident. Baltimore Ravens linebacker Ray Lewis pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor count of obstruction of justice under an agreement that dropped murder charges in the stabbing deaths of two men outside a Super Bowl party in Atlanta. (Lewis, who testified at the trial of two former codefendants, was sentenced to a year of probation; the defendants were acquitted of murder and assault.)

Five years ago: "Monty Python's Spamalot" won three Tony Awards, including best musical; the musical play "The Light in the Piazza" won six prizes, while "Doubt" was named best drama. Spanish teenager Rafael Nadal beat unseeded Mariano Puerta of Argentina 6-7 (6), 6-3, 6-1, 7-5 to win the French Open men's singles title.

One year ago: President Barack Obama, while visiting Germany, became the first U.S. president to tour the Buchenwald concentration camp, where he honored the 56,000 who died at the hands of the Nazis. Ex-CIA operative and Watergate burglar Bernard Barker died in suburban Miami at age 92.

Today's Birthdays: Actor-singer Bill Hayes is 85. Broadcast journalist Bill Moyers is 76. Author Margaret Drabble is 71. Country singer Don Reid (The Statler Brothers) is 65. Rock musician Fred Stone (Sly and the Family Stone) is 64. Rock singer Laurie Anderson is 63. Country singer Gail Davies is 62. Author Ken Follett is 61. Dr. Jill Biden, wife of Vice President Joe Biden, is 59. Rock musician Nicko McBrain (Iron Maiden) is 58. Jazz musician Kenny G is 54. Rock singer Richard Butler (Psychedelic Furs) is 54. Actor Jeff Garlin is 48. Actress Karen Sillas is 47. Actor Ron Livingston is 43. Singer Brian McKnight is 41. Rock musician Claus Norreen (Aqua) is 40. Actor Mark Wahlberg is 39. Actor Chad Allen is 36. Rock musician P-Nut (311) is 36. Actress Navi Rawat (RO'-waht) is 33. Actress Liza Weil is 33. Rock musician Pete Wentz (Fall Out Boy) is 31. Rock musician Seb Lefebvre (Simple Plan) is 29. Actress Amanda Crew is 24.

Thought for Today: "The only folks who give us pain are those we love the best." - Ella Wheeler Wilcox, American poet (1850-1919).



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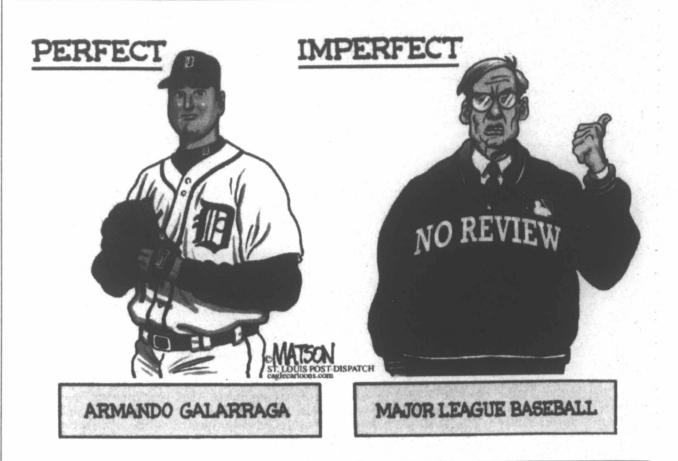
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# US-Mexico border isn't so dangerous

BY MARTHA MENDOZA **Associated Press** 

MEXICO CITY (AP) -It's one of the safest parts of America, and it's getting safer.

It's the U.S.-Mexico border, and even as politicians say more federal troops are needed to fight rising violence, government data obtained by The Associated Press show it actually isn't so dangerous after all.

The top four big cities in America with the lowest rates of violent crime are all in border states: San Diego, Phoenix, El Paso and Austin, according to a new FBI report. And an inhouse Customs and Border Protection report shows that Border Patrol agents face far less danger than street cops in most U.S. cities.

Customs Border Protection study, obtained with a Freedom of Information Act request, shows 3 percent of Border Patrol agents and officers were assaulted last year, mostly when assailants threw rocks at them. That compares with 11 percent of police officers and sheriff's deputies assaulted during the same period, usually with guns or knives.

In addition, violent attacks against agents declined in 2009 along most of the border for the first time in seven years. So far this year assaults are slightly up, but data is incomplete.

The border is safer now than it's ever been," said U.S. Customs and Border Protection spokesman Lloyd Easterling.

He said one factor is that with fewer jobs available amid the U.S. recession, illegal immigration has dropped. And responding to security concerns after 9-11, the Border Patrol has doubled the number of agents in the region since 2004.

Nonetheless, border lawmakers and governors say their region is under siege and needs more troops.

"Violence in the vicinity of the U.S.-Mexico border continues to increase at an alarming rate. We believe that this violence represents a serious threat to the national security of the United States as well as a serious threat to U.S. citizens that live along the 1,969-mile long border," a dozen bipartisan members of Congress from border states wrote President Obama.

In Arizona, a stringent new immigration law takes effect next month, requiring police to question suspects' immigration status if officers believe they're in the country illegally.

Arizona Gov. Jan Brewer said in a televised interview last weekend: "We are out here on the battlefield getting the impact of all this illegal immigration, and all the crime that comes with it.'

In response to the concerns from the border states, Obama pledged to send 1,200 National Guard troops to help and spend an extra \$500 million on border security.

His one-time rival for the presidency, Arizona Sen. John McCain, said he should send at least 6,000 troops, which are needed because he said Arizona leads the nation in marijuana seizures, suffered 368 kidnappings in 2008 and has the highest property crime rates in the U.S.

But FBI crime reports for 2009 says violent crime in Arizona declined. And violent crimes in southwest border counties are among the lowest in the nation per capita — they've dropped by more than 30 percent in the last two decades. Of America's 25 largest cities, San Diego — with one out of four residents an immigrant — has the lowest number of violent crimes per capita. Opponents of increased

border security are frustrated by descriptions of a wave of violence when the statistics show the region to be relatively safe.

"Politicians are hyping up this incredible fear across the country about the border, but these numbers show these are lies being perpetrated on the American public," said immigrant advocate Isabel Garcia at Tucson-based Derechos Humanos. "The warnings about violence are just an excuse to crack down on migrants who want to work and be with their families."

Even residents of the border region who want more security are surprised by the talk of violence.

"I have to say, a lot of this is way overblown," said Gary Brasher of Tuboc, Arizona, who is president of the Coalition for a Safe and Secure Border.

So why send troops to the region?

"That's really something to ask the White House, Easterling said. White House spokesman

Mike Hammer said "there are other rationales for why those border deployments are occurring" but declined to name any of them. "I would really put this to the Department of Homeland Security," he said.

Security Homeland spokesman Matthew Chandler said he couldn't answer the question. He later sent a written statement that said more help is needed "to expand long-

term the successes that have been realized to date." Governors along the border say improved crime rates don't counter their concerns about risk.

"The federal government currently does not know who is entering our country and when, which obviously creates tremendous security concerns," said Brewer's spokesman Paul Senseman. And in Texas, "we

respond to threats based on risk, not occurrence," said Gov. Rick Perry's spokeswoman Katherine Cesinger. Thus Perry has activated a secret state border protection emergency "With the safety of

Texans on the line, we can't afford to wait," he

the National Guard to patrol the border in his state six weeks ago, is concerned about "the potential for drug cartel violence spilling over the border," spokesman Gilbert Gallegos said.

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California Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger spokesman Francisco Castillo said that while "we've seen some success," troops are needed "to provide more security along our borders."

Concerns about danger come, in part, from Mexico, where raging cartel violence has taken 23,000 lives in three years, often within view of the U.S. border. There's frequent talk of the potential for that violence to spread across the border, although so far it hasn't happened to any significant degree. high-profile Several

and frightening incidents have added to the fears: New Mexico Gov. Bill Authorities suspect an Richardson, who ordered illegal immigrant working for drug smugglers killed Arizona rancher Robert BORDER cont. on page 5



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### Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I'm working on a school project with several other girls, but I have an issue with one of them. "Sara" wanted to write the paper for our project, which is a huge part of our grade. Once she started writing it, we all realized she wasn't very good at it. I felt I could do a better job, and asked if I could do it instead -- or help critique and edit it. Sara refuses.

I don't want to start a fight or anything, but this is a large part of my grade, and the project is being entered in a contest that I really want to win. Is there a way I can get her to let me help, or should I just let it go? — REALLY WANTS TO WIN IN OHIO

DEAR REALLY WANTS TO WIN: I'm sure your desire to win the contest is no less strong than that of your teammates. Who submits the paper should be a decision that the majority of you agree on. Discuss your concerns with them and take a

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I recently had dinner with two other couples. As soon as the meal was finished, the woman on my left turned her back to me and leaned forward so I could neither see nor converse with the person sitting to her left.

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She remained like that for the duration of the dinner party

Our friends say she wasn't angry or upset with me. She has done the same thing in other group gatherings, always with the same friend over whom she "hovers." She will whisper to this friend and exclude everyone else.

I honestly don't think she is aware of how rude she is being. Any idea how I might approach her without hurting her feelings? BLOCKED AT THE PARTY

BLOCKED: DEAR The next time it happens, speak up and say, "Excuse me, but I'm isolated over here! Would you mind if I change places with your friend, so I can participate in a conversation while you two talk?" And in the future, because this happens regularly, their preference for talking only to each other should be taken into consideration when the seating is arranged.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 27-year-old woman. Three weeks ago, I found out that my boyfriend of five months, "Louie," and I are going to have a baby. This was not planned, and not a happy revelation.

Louie and I are beginning to cope, and friends are really helping. My parents, however, are not.

They are pushing me to marry Louie before the baby comes. I explained that I don't want that stigma and that I would like to have a big wedding later, perhaps in 2012.

My parents disagree and want nothing to do with a big wedding down the road since I won't marry Louie now. This will be their first grandchild, and they are ruining the experience by stressing me out. By the way, because of financial hardship, I currently live at home with them. What should I do? - MAMA-TO-BE IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR MAMA-TO-BE: At 27 you are an adult, and presumably able to make important decisions for yourself. Do not allow yourself to be rushed into a loveless marriage that could lead to more children and a subsequent divorce. If you and Louie are still together in 2012, you can have the wedding of your dreams then. But please be aware that your parents are under no obligation to pay for it.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Write Dear Abby at www. DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.



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Krentz in March, and last year Border Patrol agent Robert Rosas, 30, was murdered while on patrol near San Diego.

"Agents now have to question if they will be ambushed," U.S. District Judge M. James Lorenz said as he sentenced a 17-yearold Mexican to 40 years for killing Rosas.

In fact, agents in the San Diego region are less likely to be attacked these days.

death "Agent Rosas" changed the way we do business. Agents are on high alert, we have to be ready. But if you just look at the numbers, assaults here are down 27 percent," said Border Patrol spokesman Jerry Conley, who worked with Rosas. He said that since Rosas' death, officers don't venture into potentially dangerous situations without backup. Solo patrols are rare, and they emphasize safety precautions.

There are exceptions to the trend: Assaults on agents in the Laredo, Texas, region increased from 44 in 2008 to 118 in 2009, and they increased in the neighboring Rio Grande Valley as well.

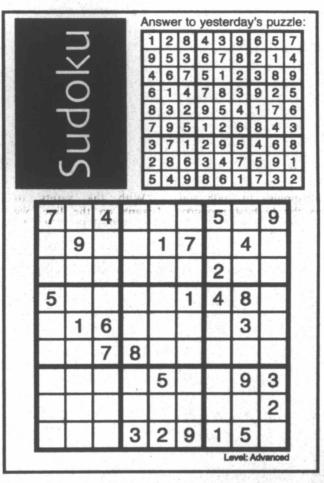
But the bigger picture is one of increased safety. In fiscal year 2009, there were 1,073 violent attacks mostly thrown rocks, bottles and sticks but also 48 incidents in which a gun was fired - against the 20,119 Border Patrol agents, down from 1,097 violent incidents against 17,819 agents in 2008.

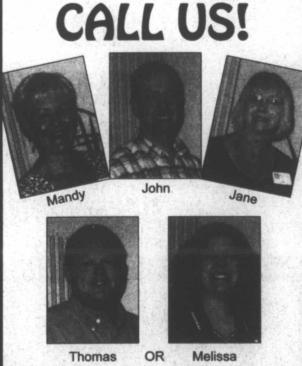
In addition to those agents, another 22,000 officers work at the nation's border crossings and airports, checking people as they enter and exit the country.

It's one of the safest jobs in law enforcement: Last year 17 of them were assaulted, a 74 percent decrease from 2008.

Edward Alden, a senior fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations, said it's time for lawmakers to reconsider what they'd like to see happening in the region.

"Border security has become the most overused, and least understood, concept in the struggle over what to do about our broken immigration system," he said. "While an election year may not be the best time, the United States finally needs an honest debate over what it means to secure the country's borders."





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Lindsey is a 2005 gradu-Christopher Ian McBeth of ate of Pampa High School Lake Jackson are pleased to and of Clarendon College, announce their engagement Amarillo College, and the and upcoming marriage on University of Pheonix. July 24, 2010 at the First She will attend Argosy University in the fall. She Lindsey is the daugh- is currently employed as an

Christopher is a 2000 graduate of Brazoswood and Marilyn McAnally of High School in Clute, TX Pampa. Christopher is the and is currently employed son of the late Ronnie and at Kroger in Angelton, TX.



Christopher McBeth & Lindsey Smith

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Mr. and Mrs. Brown

# Browns Celebrate 65 years of marriage

Baptist Church from 2 p.m. and grandchildren.

The couple were married on June 16, 1945 in Texas. They are also grand-Mobeetie, Texas. They parents to Susan Fletcher of have lived in Pampa for Colorado Springs. 63 years. Leon worked for

Leon and Augusta Brown City Service Gas for 34 of Pampa, Texas will be years until his retirement in celebrating their 65th wed- 1984. Augusta is a homeding anniversary on June maker. Both are members 13, 2010 at the Central of Central Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were until 4 p.m. The event will blessed with two daughters, be hosted by their children Ruth Fletcher of Colorado Springs, Colorado and Glenna Brown of Rockwall,

#### Foust earns law degree

Baylor University Law School conferred juris doctor degrees on 70 students during spring commencement exercises May 1 in Waco Hall on the Baylor campus.

Among them was Matthew J. Foust of Pampa Baylor Law School Dean Bradley J. B. Toben awarded the law degrees

to the graduates, assisted by Dr. Elizabeth Davis, Provost and Professor of Accounting. John Lee Hancock, writer and director of the Academy Awardnominated film The Blind Side and a Baylor Law alumnus, was the keynote speaker.

#### Robbins earns degree

Siloam Springst Ark. - John Brown University announces the graduation of Nicholas Ray Robbins of Pampa, Texas with a Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in Management.

John Brown University is a private Christian University, ranked second by "U.S.News & World Report" in the Southern Region. JBU enrolls more than 2,000 students from 42 states and 45 countries. JBU is a member of Arkansas' Independent Colleges and Universities and the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities.





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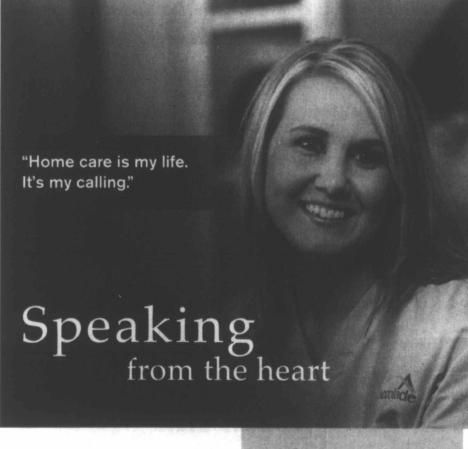
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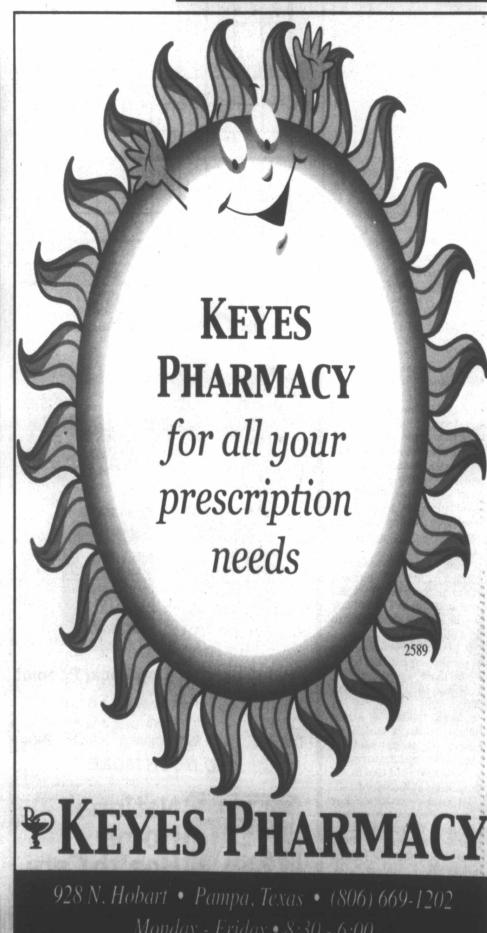
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# Marriage' class offered June 12 in Pampa

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on Saturday, June 12. Reverend Kenny Rigoulot will be teaching a class to help foster healthy marriages. The class is based on the "Great Start" program that is designed for people who are getting ready to be married or are recently married. However, the topics covered in the class should be beneficial to any couple that would like to work on strengthening their marriage

The class qualifies for the "Twogether in Texas" program, so those who are engaged to be married who receive their certificate of completion can show their

certificate to the county clerk and have the \$60 marriage license fee waived (local fees may apply).

The class is free, each participant is asked to bring \$8 to cover the cost for lunch, which will be provided.

The First Presbyterian Church is located on the corner of Gray and Montague at 525 N. Gray St. Participants should park in the parking lot and enter through the double

glass doors.

Please call the church at (806) 665-1031 to register no ater than noon on Thursday,

You can learn more about Reverend Rigoulot and the Presbyterian Church by visiting www.pampapcusa.org.

### Menus

#### Meals on Wheels

The menu for Pampa Meals on Wheels for the upcoming week includes:

Monday, June 7 Potato Salad **Baked Beans** Applesauce

Tuesday, June 8 Meatloaf Scalloped Potatoes Pineapple

Wednesday, June 9 Stew Cornbread

Pears Thursday, June 10 Baked Chicken

Corn Green Beans Cranberry Salad

Friday, June 11 Tuna Salad Pickled Beets Cottage Cheese Apricots

#### Wilson Elementary

The menu for Wilson Elementary for the upcoming week includes:

Monday, June 7 Chicken & Noodle or Steak Fingers Green Beans Sliced Carrots Pineapple Tidbits **Biscuit** Breakfast - Pancake & Sausage

Tuesday, June 8 Macaroni & Cheese or Corndog **English Peas** Tossed Salad Fresh Fruit Hot Roll Breakfast - Scrambled Egg & Toast

Wednesday, June 9 Chicken Salad Sandwich or Mini Twin Cheeseburgers Corn Spinach Mixed Fruit Breakfast - Biscuit & Gravy

Thursday, June 10 Meat & Cheese Nachos or Chicken Patty on a Bun Western Beans **Tossed Salad Applesauce** Spanish Rice Breakfast -Breakfast Pizza

Friday, June 11 Meatball Sandwich or Hamburger French Fries **Burger Salad** Peach Cup Breakfast - Cereal & Toast

#### Pampa Senior Citizens Center

The menu for Pampa Senior Citizens Center for the upcoming week includes:

Chicken Fried Steak or Chili Rellenos/ Cheese Sauce **Mashed Potatoes** Italian Green Beans Beets **Pintos** German Chocolate Cake or Banana Pudding Hot Roll or Cornbread

Monday, June 7

Swiss Steak or Tuna Noodle Casserole **Diced Potatoes** California Blend Spinach Northern Beans Cole Slaw **Tossed Salad** Jello Red Velvet Cake

or Pineapple Squares

Hot Roll or Cornbread

Wednesday, June 9 Roast Beef Brisket/ Brown Gravy or Cook's Choice **Mashed Potatoes Breaded Tomatoes** Peas Beans Cole Slaw **Tossed Salad** Jello Spice Cake or Cherry Cobbler Hot Roll or Cornbread

Thursday, June 10 Chicken Strips or BBQ Beef/ Onion Rings Potato Salad Corn Cobettes **Turnip Greens Baked Beans** Cole Slaw **Tossed Salad** Jello Pineapple Upside Down Cake or Coconut Creme Pie Hot Roll or Cornbread

Friday, June 11 Catfish & Hushpuppies or Spaghetti & Meatballs Steak Fries Broccoli Casserole Beans Cole Slaw **Tossed Salad** Jello Brownies or Tapioca Cups Garlic Breadsticks,

#### Class of '58 establishes new scholarship fund dents get started. During be given to good students out to the PHS Foundation, Tuesday, June 8

by Ralph Depee

The PHS Class of 1958 is at it again. After returning to Pampa in 2008 to celebrate their 50th anniversary, class members have continued to pursue suggestions to initiate and fund scholarships for new PHS graduates.

Class members say they know they are now "seniors" of a different kind, and they want to express their appreciation for what they have received by helping new PHS Harvesters to get education and training in a field of their choice.

Emphasis is being placed on the fact that PHS Harvesters from all years have been invited and challenged to contribute small or large donations to the newly established fund.

Small donations of \$25 or \$50 will help PHS stu-

the next few years Pampa students will need support to buy textbooks, pay the cost of an online course, or get the needed training.

The scholarships will be called Harvesters Helping Harvesters. Alumni officers from all graduating classes are currently being contacted.

Officers for the fund will consist of PHS graduates of classes who have celebrated their 50th reunion, with one board member being replaced each year as another successive class celebrates their 50th.

Current committee members include Bob Brown, Ralph Depee, Carol Rose Miller Frances, Joy Dawn Vanderburg Rice, Charlie Ritthaler, Don Roy, Loyd Waters, and Heidi Schneider Roupp, Chairperson.

Priority for recipients will

in need, and not necessarily to academic superiority, to help them develop their talents to become skilled, productive adults.

The Foundation's goal is \$100,000 to be invested conservatively with annual scholarship awards to be dispensed.

The class of 1958 has already collected \$5,000 and challenges other classes to do likewise, with emphasis placed on importance of small tax deductible donations.

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Pampa schools Greg Brown, vice-president of Happy State Bank of Pampa, has agreed to receive the donations and keep the records of donations which are tax deductible.

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Harvesters Harvesters fund.

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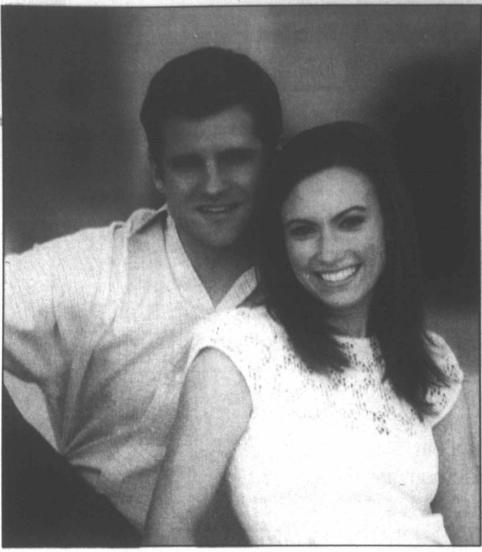
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A total of 4,074 stu-

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2010 spring honor rolls at Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, including

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Sara Joan Strobel of and Jack Siebold of Buffalo, PricewaterhouseCoopers in Overland Park, Kansas New York, and Margaret Fort Worth. and Andrew Clayton and Charles Strobel of Curtis of Pampa will be Overland Park. Sara grad- Millie and John McKinley married August 28, 2010 uated from Blue Valley of Pampa, and Phyllis at University Christian Northwest High School in Curtis of Amarillo. Andrew Church in Fort Worth, 2005. She graduated from graduated from Pampa Texas. Sara is the daughter Texas Christian University High School in 2004. He of Kathy and Mike Strobel with a Bachelors in graduated from Texas of Overland Park and Business Administration in Christian University with Andrew is the son of Gayle Accounting and Finance in a Bachelors in Business 2009, and with her Masters Administration in Finance Sara is the granddaugh- in Accounting in 2010. in 2008. Andrew currently ter of Joan Behlmaier of Sara is employed as an works in real estate devel-

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named to the President's Honor Roll. Full-time undergraduate students who completed 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 4.00 were placed on the President's Honor Roll.

Among them were Pampa residents Diane Kayla Mendoza and Hailey Jordan

Students who completed 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.50 or higher with no grade below a "C" were placed on the Dean's Honor Roll.

Among them was Pampa resident Whitney Nicole Morris.

Grades earned through correspondence classes may not be included in meeting the minimum enrollment or grade point average required for an honor roll.

#### Two Pampans earn Angelo State degrees

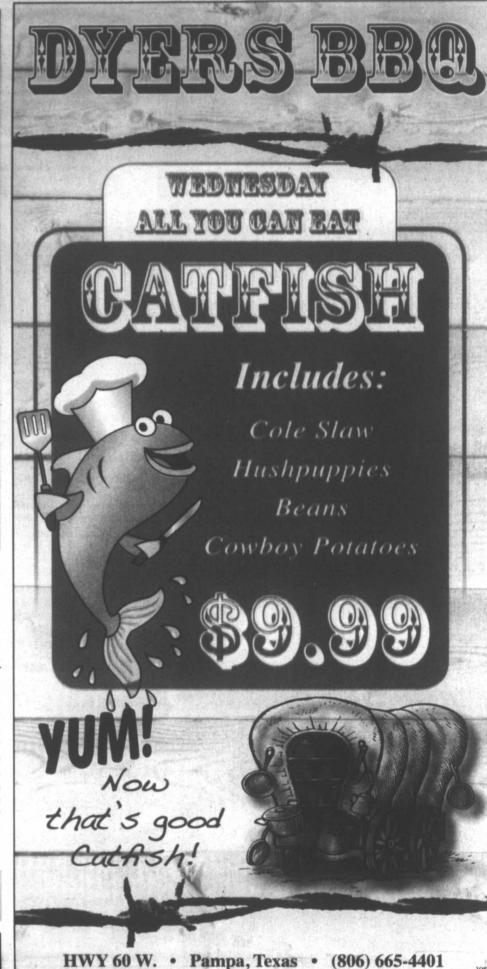
Angelo State University conferred degrees upon 527 students during 2010 Spring commencement exercises May 15 in San Angelo, Texas. Among them were two stu-

idents from the Pampa area Benjamin D. Frogge earned a Master of Science degree and

Jennifer A. Mackie earned as Bachelor of Fine Arts degree, graduating cum laude.







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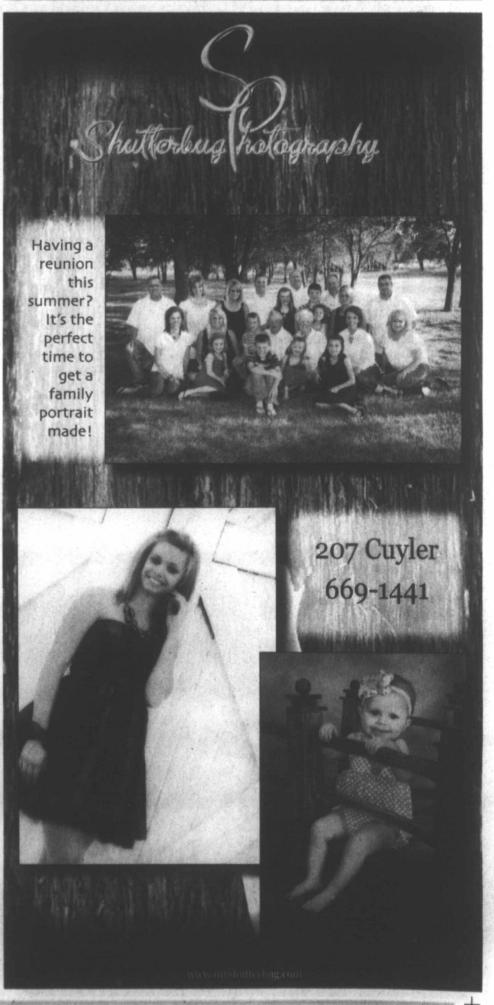
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# Sports

# Czubinski and Pairsh sign to play football at OPSU

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Lefors High School seniors Trever Czubinski and Wakely Pairsh signed letter of intents to play football at Oklahoma Panhandle State University next fall.

Last season, Czubinski ran for 1,063 yards on 104 carries, caught 27 passes for 569 yards, returned four kicks for 88 yards, and completed 12 of 15 passes for 232 yards and had 38 total touchdowns. Czubinski said he was didn't think he was going to be playing football after high school.

"They (OPSU) are going to give me an opportunity, so I'm going to take it," Czubinski said. "I'm glad that they are going to let me be a part of their team."

Pairsh ran for 392 yards on 65 carries, caught 20 passes for 425 yards and scored 15 total touchdowns last season. He said play-

ing 11-man football will be an adjustment for him.

"A lot more guys on the field," Pairsh said with a laugh. "It will be a whole new world. I'm excited and it's going to be a whole lot of fun.'

Czubinski said he is looking forward to playing 11-man football and concentrating on one position.

"I'm looking forward to focusing on one or two positions instead of five or six," Czubinski said. "It will be exciting just being in the group of the position and working with one coach that works that position.'

Both Pairsh Czubinski are looking forward to continuing their playing careers together and think it will make their transition into college eas-

"I've played with him (Czubinski) since I've started playing football," Pairsh said. "So I know

how he plays and he knows how I play. It will be good to have someone there with me that I know and I can work with."

"I'm rooming with some guy that I know," Czubinski said. "If we are both on offense and defense we both will have a better understanding of how to communicate."

Czubinski and Pairsh are the third Lefors athletes to sign letter of intents this year. Senior quarterback Keenan Lott signed with Northwest Oklahoma State last February. Head boys athletic coach Joey Czubinski said it makes him feel good to have his starting backfield playing in college.

"I coached them seven years and it makes you feel good as a coach to see your players play on," Coach Czubinski said. "All three (Lott, Czubinski and Pairsh) have worked really hard and all deserve it."



staff photo by Andrew Glover

Trever Czubinski and Wakely Pairsh sign letter of intents to play football at Oklahoma Panhandle State, as head coach Joey Czubinski and coach Ray Turpen look on.

## Robbins finishes soccer career at John Brown University

ANDREW GLOVER

aglover@thepampanews.com Former Harvester Nick Robbins played his final year in soccer at John

Brown University last fall. Robbins said the thing he enjoyed most about college was continuing the game he loved.

"It was an honor to play soccer in college while getting an education," Robbins said. "I got to be disciplined in my studies and sports."

Robbins earned a scholarship in a tryout when he was at Pampa and said it was nerve racking.

"I felt like a boy among

men," Robbins said. "It was nerve racking but I played good enough to get the scholarship.

Robbins said his favorite moment in college came in his sophomore year.

"I scored the game winning goal against Oklahoma Christian with about a minute left," Robbins said.

In four years at John Brown, Robbins played in 52 games, scored four goals, three assists, 11 points, 35 shots and one game winning goal. Robbins said one of his challenges in adjusting to college soccer was the the semifinals." pace of the game.

"College soccer is 10 played for two coaches:

times faster than high school soccer," Robbins said. "My freshman year I didn't know what to expect. But I got better with time."

John Brown played in the conference tournament in all three seasons that Robbins played which he described the experience as nerve racking.

'We had one of the hardest conferences," Robbins said. "One team was in the top five and all but one or two teams were in the top 25. We lost to the number two team overall twice in

In college,

Bob Gustavson and John Miglarese. Robbins said he really enjoyed playing for Miglarese.

"He knew the game," Robbins said of Miglarese. "He taught people about the game. He is very passionate and knows his stuff."

Miglarese said Robbins was one of four team captains last year and was a great leader for his team.

"He was a tireless worker," Miglarese said. "He had tremendous energy and was passionate. He took it personally when we lost. He was a great player and I was glad to coach him."

played for the Harvesters from 2002-2006. Pampa made the playoffs in his sophomore and junior years. For majority of his high school career, Byron May was the coach and Robbins said he loved him.

"He was one of my favorite coaches," Robbins said. "It was a big beginning for us (team) because May didn't have all that much experince coaching soccer but we had fun."

May said Robbins was tenacious and didn't back down from a challenge.

"Even though he loved scoring goals, he wanted to play the position that In high school, Robbins helped the team win, and Roberts University.

Nick Robbins stats at John Brown

was never too self-important to do the dirty work," May said. "He was a leader in word and deed. He was an extremely aggressive player."

Robbins is the son of Pampa mayor Lonny Robbins and enjoys being the son of a politician.

"My dad is outgoing," Nick Robbins said. "When we go out somewhere you get introduced to different people. I wouldn't trade it for anything."

After his graduation from John Brown with a bachelor's in business management, Nick Robbins will pursue his masters at Oral

# Hidden Hills seniors golf results

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2007	15	2	1	5
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2009	19	1	1	3
Total	52	4	3	11

# Pampa Country Club results

Night Thursday Scramble June 3, 2010

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### Lady Harvester Softball Camp

When: June 21-23 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Who: Third through ninth grade

**Cost: \$50** 

Where: Lady Harvester softball field

Forms can be picked up at the Pampa High School athletic office or they may register the morning of camp.

Have an athlete in college? Do you have an athlete that is playing college sports? The Pampa News would like to hear about them. E-mail Andrew Glover with contact information and pictures of your athlete. aglover@thepampanews.com

#### 2010 Hustlin' Harvester Basketball Camp

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Camp Information: The 2010 Hustlin' Harvester Basketball Camp is open to first through ninth grade boys as of the 2010-2011 school year. The camp will take place from Monday June 14-Friday June 18. First through fifth grade will attend from 9 a.m. 12 p.m. Sixth through ninth grade will attend from 1 p.m.-4 p.m. The camp will be held in McNeely Fieldhouse at Pampa High School. Registration is available by mail or may be dropped off at the Pampa High School athletic office. The five-day camp fee is \$60 and includes camp t-shirt, basketball, *Skills and Drills* book (a book each camper will receive with the skills to help them become better students in the classroom and drills to help them become the best basketball player they can be and one on one instruction. Make checks payable to:

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# Triple-digit heat comes early to parts of Texas

BETSY BLANEY Associated Press

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP)
— Blistering temperatures are forecast for parts of Texas in coming days, arriving a bit earlier than usual.

Lubbock in West Texas could see near-record temperatures Saturday and Sunday.

In 1990, the mercury hit 106 and 107, respectively, for those two days. The normal high temperature through this weekend is 88.

The Dallas-Fort Worth area also will have temperatures about 10 degrees above normal, said John Lake, a National Weather Service meteorologist in Fort Worth. The forecast for Saturday is 100 degrees and 99 on Sunday. Unlike West Texas, though, high humidity—near 80 percent Sunday—will make the heat feel more uncomfortable.

"Early July is about when it start getting this warm" here, Lake said. "Instead it's early June."

El Paso in far West Texas also will sizzle. Temperatures there are forecast to be 103 or above Saturday through Tuesday.

Houston and San Antonio will remain cooler than triple digits through early next week.

A wrinkle in the weather pattern could spare Lubbock from sweltering temperatures through Thursday, though, A front may move far enough south out of the country's Central Plains to cool temperatures off to about 98 on Sunday, said Todd Lindley, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Lubbock.

If that happens there could be thunderstorms in the area late Sunday. Otherwise there is no rain forecast for the next 10 days.

The heat shouldn't worry cotton farmers who've just finished planting about 3.5 million acres on the South Plains, the world's largest contiguous growing patch in the world.

"It really should not be detrimental to any cotton that is planted and up," said Steve Verett, spokesman for the Plains Cotton Growers, which serves a 41-county region. "It's not the most ideal we'd like but we don't expect damage."



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Kids and parents gather at B & G Electric to create custom-decorated bags for the Relay for Life walk, June 25th. Around the table from left to right are Caylee Hill, Blair Baldridge, Jacey Montgomery, Cassie Hines, Denise Meraz, Megan Sims, Nikki Routh, Sierra Sutherland, Kade Parks, Bridgett Parks, Kambrie Neff, Kody Hendrickson, Jacie Hines (holding Spike), Sharndon Hill and Hayden Hill. Standing in the back from left to right are Elaine Wyatt, Amy Sutherland, Katherine Hinton, Kathy Hines and Billie Richardson (holding Bailey - B&G's mascot).

# US oil rig count decreases by 29

HOUSTON (AP) — The number of rigs actively exploring for oil and natural gas in the U.S. decreased by 29 this week to 1.506.

Houston-based Baker Hughes Inc. said Friday that 947 rigs were exploring for natural gas and 545 for oil. Fourteen were listed as miscellaneous. A year ago this week, the rig count stood at 887.

Of the major oil- and gasproducing states, North Dakota gained eight rigs, West Virginia gained three and California gained one. Louisiana lost 22 rigs, Texas lost 10, Wyoming lost four, Oklahoma lost three and Alaska and Colorado each lost two. Arkansas, New Mexico and Pennsylvania were unchanged.

The rig count tally peaked at 4,530 in 1981, during the height of the oil boom. The industry posted a record low of 488 in 1999.

# Redistricting work gets under way

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Texas legislators are going to travel around the state to talk redistricting.

The House redistricting committee and judiciary and civil jurisprudence committee will hold joint meetings on the subject that will occupy much of the 2011 legislative session. The first hearing outside of Austin is June 21 in

San Antonio.

House Speaker Joe Straus' office said Friday the two committees will work together on the issue. Each decade, lawmakers draw new boundary lines for state legislative and congressional districts based on new census data.

A legislative memo says other hearings are planned for McAllen, Laredo and Corpus Christi in July; El Paso and Lubbock in August; Dallas, Richardson and Fort Worth in September; Beaumont and Marshall in October, and Houston and Austin in November. The committees met this week in

# Texas average rig count as of May 14 was 639

AUSTIN — The Texas average rig count as of May 14 was 639, representing about 44 percent of all active land rigs in the United States.

In the last 12 months, total Texas reported production was 345 million barrels of oil and 7.4 trillion cubic feet of natural gas. Texas natural gas production represents approximately 29 percent of total U.S. natural gas demand.

The Commission's estimated final production for March 2010 is 30,289,102 barrels of crude oil and 582,365,393 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas well

The Commission derives final production numbers by multiplying the preliminary March 2010 production totals of 28,764,579 barrels of crude oil and 518,949,735 Mcf of gas well gas by a production adjustment factor of 1.0530 for crude oil and 1.1222 for gas well gas. (These production totals do not

AUSTIN — The Texas include casinghead gas or verage rig count as of condensate.)

Texas natural gas storage reported to the Commission for April 2010 was 359,156,678 Mcf compared to 343,769,899 Mcf in April 2009. The May 2010 gas storage estimate is 365,270,868 Mcf.

The Texas Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division set initial June 2010 natural gas production allowables for prorated fields in the state to meet market demand of 14,560,118 Mcf (thousand cubic feet). In setting the initial June 2010 allowables, the Commission used historical production figures from previous months, producers' demand forecasts for the coming month, and adjusted the figures based on well capability.

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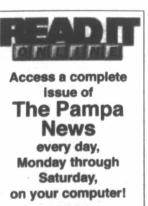
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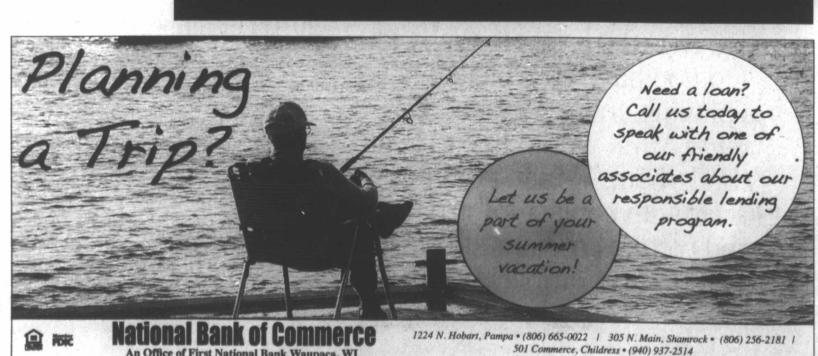


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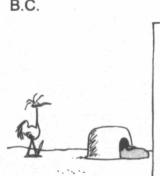


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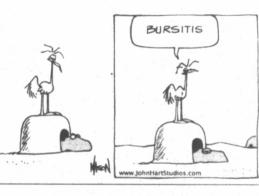




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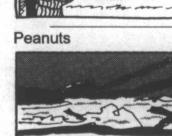




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7. 2010: This year, you experience an unusual amount of drive and focus. As a result, you could fulfill some critical goals or long-term desires that you might have thought were impossible. Don't fuss with roommates or family. The possibility of a move or remodeling your home becomes a distinct reality. If you're single, you might be surprised by how active your social life becomes. If you are attached, work with your significant other to make a dream a reality. ARIES always remains your friend, though they sometimes can be brutality honest.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★ Your energy changes substantially. Suddenly, you change from a dynamic thinker to someone who is a stickler on the details. Others simply don't know what to make of this change in attitude. Just go with the flow. Tonight: Do you need to exercise more?

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) \*\*\* Though you could feel out of sorts, before you know it, you'll be a lot better. Share more of yourself on an individual level. A child or new friend could become extremely assertive. This attitude won't last forever. Tonight: Use

your imagination

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) \*\*\*\* Zero in on what you need and want. You could be overwhelmed by recent events. Rethink a situation more openly. Friends have a lot to share. At the moment, don't count on anyone but yourself. Tonight: Just don't be alone. CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Your ability to express the depth of your feelings makes a big difference. Some people might not be comfortable hearing some of what you choose to share. You will need to take the lead on a project. Tonight: A must appearance. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

\*\*\* Reach out to someone at a distance. You can and will make quite a difference. Your ability to flex and understand could prove to be invaluable. Use care with spending, no matter how solid your budget is. Tonight: Check in with a friend at a distance. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

\*\*\* Mars, the planet of energy (and sex), moves into your sign. Focused, you could change a lot in the next few months. Please note that you also could be a bit quarrelsome. Don't hesitate to say what you feel. Tonight: A quiet con-

versation. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

\*\*\* Others know they are right; don't make the mistake of challenging them too much. You are so far beyond what they are thinking, and see the ramifications. Sometimes, do understand that people need to figure out what works for themselves. Tonight: Follow the crowd.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) \*\*\* Your efforts pay off in a very strange way. You know where you are going and why. Many don't understand your behavior, and push beyond reason to get feedback. Refuse to be too "Scorpionic" with those people. Tonight:

Slow down, please SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) \*\*\* A boss or authority figure becomes touchy. Unfortunately, you are

seeing the beginning of a pattern that could impact you for several months. How you engage this person, as well as if you even do, could be far more important than you realize. Tonight: Use your imagination.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) \*\*\*\* You are being pushed to get past certain profound judgments you make. If you can understand how your thinking might not have been valid. you'll let go of sometimes prejudicial feelings. Tonight: Home is your castle.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) \*\*\* You most definitely are a communicator. It appears as if you will let nearly everyone know what you are thinking, no matter what the topic might be. Be careful with some people. You could trigger several months of disagreements. Choose your words with care. Tonight: Catch up on a friend's weekend.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) \*\* Though you might have no intention of triggering difficulties with a partner, you do just that. Issues surround spending and your budget. Go overboard, and you will be hearing about this behavior for a long time. Do you want that? Tonight: Gather your bills first.

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.3/1/2 - 1104 SF/CCAD

3/2/2 - 1400 SF/CCAD

.4/1/2 - 1333 SF/CCAD

.3/1.5/2 - 2338 SF/CCAD

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Sunday, June 6,

This year, you could grow and evolve. Many new people could come into your life and change your life choices. A friendship could develop into more. Be careful with partnerships and finances. Often, mixing them could create problems. If you are attached, the two of you could realize a key goal that you have had as a couple. ARIES remains a friend and could be fortunate for you.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

\*\*\* Take your time getting going this morning. What you think you will do with a situation could change. Give yourself the flexibility you need to make your desires happen. Lighten up about a personal matter. You suddenly feel less intense, yet lucky! Tonight: Play it easy. This Week: You are on cruise control through mid-Tuesday. Everything after that just cannot be as good.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) \*\* Sometimes the less said the better. You might feel confused. An argument that starts between you and a loved one could go on much longer than you might think. Use care. Tonight: Take some

much-needed personal time. This Week: You perk up midweek. Share some of your recent thoughts. GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

\*\*\*\* Your ability to turn difficult situations into winning ones emerges. Carefully consider a change on the home front. Spring-cleaning might be one thing; remodeling or moving is another. Tonight: Wherever the party is, you are. This Week: Take a hint from Aries, but cocoon mid-Tuesday through Thursday

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

\*\*\* Don't shy away from a difficult situation. You might want to relax with an older friend or a parent. This person's attitude suddenly seems more positive and beneficial to you. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

This Week: You are a star, but know that this position also carries responsibilities. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

\*\*\* Finally, your level of feistiness drops. You seem to be able to see the big picture. If you can take off for a day trip or go to the movies to escape the here and now, do. You could meet someone quite different from out of the blue. Tonight: Tap into your imagination.

This Week: Use your innate breadth of vision. You will see more creativity flow. **VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

\*\*\* You might start coming off as quite assertive and, to some, aggressive. How you deal with a changing situation within a partnership is your call. If you hang out for a while and take no action, you might like what evolves. Relax with a partner or loved one. Tonight:

Togetherness is the theme. This Week: Others have strong opinions. You already know them, yet you get to listen to them - again.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) \*\*\* You might want to try something different or open up to new possibilities. Others present many options and opportunities. Be careful holding in frustration and anger. Talk about your feelings. Tonight: Say "yes" to an invitation. This Week: Others dominate; let them.

Go off and do your thing. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

\*\* Get into a fun project. Someone could be rather upset or testy. Know what will happen if you keep pushing in the present direction. A child or loved one might want to participate more in your daily life. Tonight: Share a project.

This Week: Work demands your attention. You flow into networking midweek. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) \*\*\*\* Sometimes you cannot hold back your playfulness. You need to relax slightly more with a child or potential

loved one. If you are attached, the two of

you could start acting like new lovers.

You don't need to be extravagant in order to have a good time. Tonight: No overindulging!

This Week: Tap into your ingenuity in both your personal and professional

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) \*\* Be direct with someone you really care about. At times, he or she could be a burden of a sort. You will see a change and a lightening up. Your smile goes a long way in making a difference. Laughter helps everyone relax — you,

too. Tonight: Make a favorite meal. This Week: Stabilize a problem using your immense creativity.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) \*\*\*\* You have more positive openings than you might be aware of. As you look around and realize your possibilities, you could be overwhelmed. In the next few weeks, you could meet quite an exciting and dynamic new person. Remain open. Stop and remember a friend who frequently is lonely. Tonight: Hang out.

This Week: You have a lot to say, but is anyone listening?

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) \*\* Be sensitive to a tendency to overspend and perhaps go a bit overboard. Your way might not be the only way. Listen to someone who has your best interests in mind. You will notice how a unique talent could really make a lot of money for you. Tonight: Your treat. This Week: Watch your budget, even if you consider an item a business expendi-

**BORN TODAY** Comedian, actress Sandra Bernhard (1955), singer, songwriter Gary U.S. Bonds (1939), tennis player Bjorn Borg (1956)

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# Sports

### Rotary Club claims Optimist League Championship Engle traded places on a

CHRIS ENGLE

Special to The Pampa News

Rotary wrapped up the 11-12 year old league championship on Tuesday night with a 10-5 victory over Cabot. The win gave Rotary a 10-1 overall record and 6-1 record in league play. Rotary struck the first blow of the game on a Cade Engle single, Engle stole second and third on successive pitches then scampered home on a sacrifice fly be Carson Eubank. Cabot came back to take a 2-1 lead with walks to Brett West and Bryson Burrell who both scored on pass balls to end the first inning.

The lead switched again in the top of the second as

Julian Silva drew a walk then Aaron McKinney-Danner hit a booming two run homer to give Rotary the 3-2 edge. Cabot came out in the bottom of the second with Chance Butler working a walk then scoring after a couple of Rotary errors to knot the score at 3-3 after two complete.

Rotary's bats came alive in the top of the third scoring five runs on four hits to take a 8-3 lead. Arron Holliman lead off the third with a walk, He then stole second and advanced to third on a sacrifice bunt by Kade Woods. Holliman then trotted home on a Brandon Sieck double. Sieck scored a couple of pitches later as he and

double. Engle stole third and Cabot issued a free pass to Eubanks. Eubanks stole second then Rance Tipps hit a double to score both Engle and Eubanks. Tipps reached third on a pass ball then trotted home on a Julian Silva double. Rotary left Silva stranded but plated five runs in what had been a very close game. Cabot threatened in the bottom of the third loading the bases and walking in one run but that was all they could muster as their bats went cold.

Neither Rotary or Cabot could do much in the fourth with the score knotted at 8-4. Rotary added a couple of insurance runs in the

KICKBALL RUNNER UPS

fifth when Sieck doubled then traded places with Engle on an RBI double. Engle stole third on the next pitch then scored on a Eubanks sacrifice to give Rotary a 10-4 lead with the time limit expired. Cabot got its only hit of the day when West poked a line drive to right field with one out in the bottom of the fifth. West stole second and went to third on a pass ball before scoring on a Rotary error that led to the defensive play of the game. Eubanks tried to throw out West at the plate but Engle cut the ball off and threw to Tipps who was alertly covering second base to catch Roden trying to take one to many bases on the

submitted photo by Cindy

In Thursday's story about

two days per week. Jim

Brashears helped at the clinic not Jim Furgason.

error. Rotary ended any Cabot threat with a strike out to end the fifth inning as time expired.

Engle picked up his seventh win and third save on the season against only one loss while pitching the first, second, fourth and fifth innings. He gave up four unearned runs, walked three and struck out eight on the night. Sieck relieved Engle in the third and part of the fourth. Sieck gave up one

unearned run, he walked seven and struck out four. Nathan Furgason took the loss after pitching the first three innings. Furgason gave up eight earned runs, on eight hits. He walked two and struck out two. Butler relieved Furgason in the fourth inning giving up two earned runs on three hits, he walked three and struck out two. The Pampa Optimist Club is a United Way Organization.

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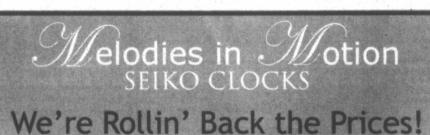
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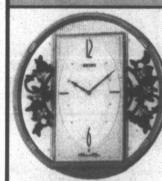
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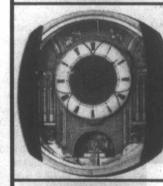




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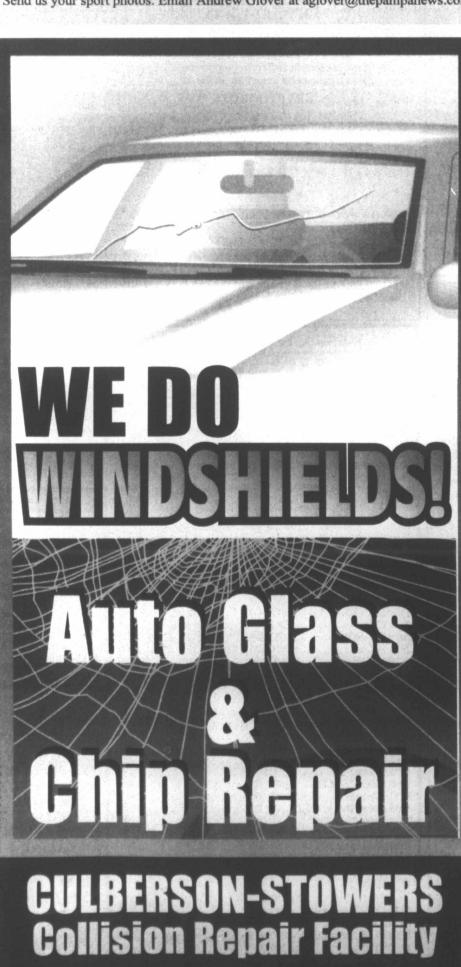
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