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## KING OF THE BRICKS



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**Daemon Butts** lights up the rear tires of his 1957 Chevrolet at Pampa Police Officer Toby Bias watches during Saturday's Burnin' the Bricks celebration.

### Butts takes top honors at 2010 Burnin' the Bricks

#### BURNIN' THE BRICKS OFFICIAL RESULTS

##### Overall

**'King of the Bricks':** Daemon Butts, 1957 Chevrolet  
**Runner-up:** Billy Barker, 1984 Chevrolet

##### Car Show (135 entries)

**Best of Show:** Daemon Butts, 1957 Chevrolet  
**High Plains Cruisers Choice:** Tim Alt, 1968 Oldsmobile 442-Hurst Oldsmobile

**Best of Show Burnout:** Daemon Butts, 1957 Chevrolet

**Antique Car:** (1) Bob Schiffman, (2) Brandon Niccum

**Rat Rod:** (1) Michael Dickinson, (2) John Thompson, (3) Terry Scobee

**Pre-'49 Street Rod:** (1) Roy Devoll, (2) Jess Reed, (3) Larry Stevens

**'55-'57 Chevy:** (1) Daemon Butts, (2) Frank Thompson, (3) Jimmie Clark

**'49-'60 Custom Rod:** Don Van Houten



staff photo by David Bowser

**Daemon Butts**, 2010's "King of the Bricks," smiles in his bright yellow '57 Chevrolet.

Burnin' the Bricks **RESULTS** cont. on page 3

## ACS Survivors Dinner Monday at First United

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The 2010 American Cancer Society Gray County Survivors & Caregivers Dinner will be 6:30 p.m. Monday at First United Methodist Church.

According to Christy Robinson, chairman of the local ACS branch, it's an occasion that means a lot to those close to the Cancer Society.

"It's to honor the people that have gone through everything," said Robinson. "It's just to show them that we really do know what they've gone through and to show our appreciation and support."

The dinner's keynote speaker will be Susan Rollins, a three-time cancer survivor from Fritch. Other cancer survivors will also be present to



share stories about their personal struggles and victories.

There will be a meal provided by Altrusa of Pampa, and entertainment provided by Scott Rankin and Joyce Fields.

This year's theme, Robinson said, is "A World With Less Cancer, A Year With More Birthdays."

The dinner will also serve as a kickoff of sorts for this year's Relay for Life, which will be Friday, **RELAY** cont. on page 2

## County addresses tax concerns

**DAVID BOWSER**  
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The Gray County Commission today delineated the voters' intention concerning a tax ceiling.

The commission adopted a directive that clarified a tax ceiling passed by voters last November. The directive said essentially that the amount that individual taxpayers paid in 2009 would be the base amount they will pay in 2010.

The Gray County Appraisal District had apparently interpreted the tax freeze as being applied based on 2010 tax valuations for the 2011 tax year, county officials said during their meeting today.

The county commission met this morning to discuss the tax issue along with an agreement with Lefors, CPR classes, the county's record management fund, a bid in connection with streets in the Walnut Creek and Keller Estate additions, the sale of tax delinquent properties, air conditioning problems at the sheriff's office and remodeling at the county annex on Frederic.

The commission approved an interlocal agreement today with the City of Lefors in which Gray County Precinct One would provide the City of Lefors with caliche in return for water from one of the Lefors city wells that the city no

longer uses.

Precinct One Commissioner Joe Wheely told the commission that his crews use the water for road work in their precinct. He said the agreement he had reached with the City of Lefors is that Lefors will haul the caliche from the precinct one caliche pit for use on city streets. Wheely explained that both the county and the City of Lefors should benefit from the agreement.

Precinct Two Commissioner Gary Willoughby wants to set up CPR first aid classes for county employees in cooperation with Pampa EMS.

Pampa EMS Director Joe Anstey told the commission today that eight hour classes are being planned toward the end of July. He said the classes could be held in the different county precinct barns or at the courthouse.

Hoover Volunteer Fire Department Chief Joe Milligan said his organization's facility's on Price Road would be available for the CPR classes.

While the initial cost of the classes would be \$20 per person, Anstey said he was looking into a grant to fund the project so there would be no expense to the county.

The commissioners also approved Willoughby's request to go out for **COUNTY** cont. on page 8

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# For the record

## PAMPA FORECAST

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
High 91 Low 68	High 95 Low 69	High 93 Low 68

**Tonight:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Some of the storms could be severe. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 65. Southeast wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Wednesday:** Partly cloudy, with a high near 91. South wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

**Wednesday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 a.m. Partly cloudy, with a low around 68. Windy, with a south wind between 20 and 25 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph.

**Thursday:** Sunny, with a high near 95. Windy, with a south southwest wind between 15 and 25 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph.

**Thursday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 69. South wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**Friday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 93. South southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Friday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 68. South wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

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## GC Extension Office to sponsor quilting class

A "Ball of Fun Mystery Quilt" class will be sponsored by the Gray County Extension Education Council, beginning June 22 and ending July 13, according to Joan Gray-Soria, Texas AgriLife Extension Service family and consumer sciences agent in Gray County.

Participants will learn the basics of machine piecing while creating a quilt top of their own in class, she said. The "Mystery Quilt" concept is that participants will not know what the quilt pattern will look like until they receive the final step on the last day of class.

The registration deadline for the class is June 18. Seating is limited. There is a charge for the class and participants must also provide supplies.

For more information, call Gray-Soria at the AgriLife Extension office in Gray County at 806-669-8033 or stop by 12125 E. Frederic Avenue in Pampa to pick up a supply list.

## Texas asks court to intervene against EPA

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas asked a federal court on Monday to intervene in its fight with the Environmental Protection Agency over how the state regulates emissions from oil refineries and other petrochemical plants.

Texas Attorney General Greg Abbott asked the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans to review the EPA's rejection in March of a 1995 state law that allows refineries to be modified without being subject to additional regulation, provided the changes don't increase a facility's overall emissions.

The issue is part of an ongoing disagreement Texas and the EPA have over how pollution is regulated in the state, said Terry Clawson, a spokesman for the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. In recent weeks, debate has focused on the state's use of so-called flexible permits, which sets a general limit on how much pollutants an entire facility can release.

In a news release, Abbott's office criticized the EPA for taking more than a decade before deciding to reject the law and said it filed the legal challenge "in an effort to defend the state's legal rights and challenge improper overreach by the federal government."

An EPA spokesman did not immediately return a telephone call seeking comment Monday.

When the EPA rejected the law in March, the agency said the rule allows companies that have Texas-issued air permits to avoid certain federal clean-air requirements, including public review, when they modify their plants.

"EPA has determined that this regulation does not meet several federal Clean Air Act requirements," the agency said in a March news release.

The disagreement has become politicized in recent weeks as Gov. Rick Perry called a threat by the EPA's regional director to remove Texas' regulatory authority by midsummer if the state fails to comply with the federal Clean Air Act a challenge to states' rights.

The federal Clean Air Act requires state-issued permits to set limits on each of the dozens of individual production units inside a plant. The EPA says Texas' permitting system masks pollution, allows industry to emit too many pollutants and makes it impossible to regulate emissions and protect public health.

## Obituaries

### Edna Francis Brown Lawley, 76

Funeral services for Mrs. Edna Francis Brown Lawley, age 76, of Manchester, Tenn., will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 17, 2010 at Coffee County Funeral Chapel with Terrell Bunting, Evangelist, officiating services. Burial to follow in Rose Hill Memorial Gardens. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday, June

16 from 5 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Mrs. Lawley passed away Monday, June 14 at her home.

Edna Francis Brown Lawley was born March 5, 1934 in Corpus Christi, to the late Jessie and Edna Cummins. She was a member of Manchester Church of Christ and was a homemaker. She enjoyed gardening, shopping and communicating with friends

via the internet. In addition to her parents, she is also preceded in death by her first husband, J.W. Brown; sisters, Lucille Wilson and Jessie Whitecotton.

Her survivors include her husband, Harold B. Lawley; daughters, Sandra Parish-Lawley, Shali Brown; son, Jarrett Brown; step-son, Johnny Brown; grandchildren, Joshua Lawley, Jarrett D. Brown,

Christian Brown, Noah Brown, Sierra Brown; great-grandson, Matthew Parish; numerous nieces and nephews and beloved sweetie pie.

Coffee County Funeral Chapel, Manchester, Tenn., is in charge of the arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at [www.coffeountyfuneralchapel.com](http://www.coffeountyfuneralchapel.com).

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

### PAMPA PD

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents over the weekend.

Officers reported 45 traffic-related stops and two accidents.

Animal control officers reported 21 animal-related calls.

Pampa EMS reported 12 ambulance calls. Pampa police reported one medical call.

**Friday, June 11** Criminal mischief was reported in the 2300 block of North Duncan.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1200 block of North Hobart.

Fire fighters made a good will call at Browning and Wells.

A threat was reported in the 2800 block of Charles.

A threat was reported in the 1400 block of East Browning.

A theft was reported in the 1300 block of North Hobart.

Found property was reported to police.

An alarm was reported in the 1000 block of West Wilks.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1600 block of East U.S. Highway 60.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1100 block of South Neely.

An assault was reported in the 1200 block of South Sumner.

A suspicious vehicle was reported at Starkweather and Louisiana.

Water was shut off in the 600 block of Lowry.

An assault was reported in the 1900 block of North Chestnut.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 900 block of South Farley.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 300 block of Jean.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of West Albert.

A suspicious person was reported in the 300 block of South Starkweather.

A suspicious person was reported at Perryton Parkway and 27th.

**Saturday, June 12** A suspicious person was reported in the 200 block of West Francis.

A theft was reported in the 800 block of East Craven.

A suspicious person

was reported at 23rd and Hobart.

A prowler was reported in the 500 block of North Zimmers.

A suspicious person was reported in the 600 block of North Hobart.

Officers assisted another agency in the 1700 block of East Harvester.

Officers delivered a message in the 300 block of South Miami.

Officers had escort duty in the 1300 block of North Mary Ellen.

Officers were assigned special duty in the 1600 block of East U.S. Highway 60.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of South Neel.

A suspicious person was reported in the 400 block of Graham.

Officers performed a welfare check in the 800 block of South Hobart.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 300 block of South Canadian.

Officers assisted a motorist at Harvester and Doucette.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1000 block of South Christy.

Phone harassment was reported in the 1200 block of North Wells.

A 911 hangup call was reported in the 1000 block of South Sumner.

An assault was reported in the 100 block of West 30th.

A 911 hangup call was reported in the 300 block of North Faulkner.

An alarm was reported in the 800 block of West Francis.

A theft was reported to police.

A fire alarm was reported in the 1800 block of North Mary Ellen.

Public intoxication was reported in the 800 block of West Kingsmill.

A suspicious person was reported in the 2800 block of North Charles.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1100 block of West Coronado Drive.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 400 block of North Ballard.

Officers assisted another agency in the 100 block of West Atchison.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1200 block of South Faulkner.

Officers checked a

building in the 100 block of East Craven.

Officers checked a building in the 100 block of West Foster.

A motor vehicle was reported burglarized in the 600 block of North Lefors.

Officers checked a building in the 600 block of West Foster.

**Sunday, June 13** Disorderly conduct was reported in the 500 block of North Zimmers.

Criminal mischief was reported at Cuyler and Atchison.

A suspicious person was reported in the 300 block of North Gillespie.

A suspicious person was reported in the 400 block of West Kentucky.

Officers made a welfare check in the 400 block of North Red Deer Street.

A suspicious person was reported at Buckler and Gray.

A suspicious person was reported in the 700 block of West Browning.

An alarm was reported in the 2100 block of North Lea.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 2100 block of North Nelson.

A burglary was reported in the 1700 block of North Hobart.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 300 block of South Anne.

Officers performed a welfare check in the 800 block of East Frederic.

Officers assisted another agency at Gwendolyn and Nelson.

A suspicious person was reported in the 1200 block of North Hobart.

A theft was reported in the 1100 block of East Darby.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 300 block of East Brown.

A theft was reported in the 1300 block of North Hobart.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1200 block of North Wells.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 100 block of North Naida.

A gas drive off was reported in the 300 block of North Hobart.

**Monday, June 14** A suspicious person was reported in the 800 block of South Barnes.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1000 block of Terry.

### SHERIFF

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests over the weekend.

**Friday, June 11** Brenda Louise Dorman, 40, of Lefors, was arrested by the Lefors City Marshal on charges of driving while license invalid.

Charlie Franklin Mejia, 24, was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of driving while license invalid and a bond surrendered out of Potter County on theft charges.

Rainy Leigh Hopson, 28, was arrested by police on bond surrender on driving while intoxicated charges.

**Saturday, June 12** Angela Jo Carpenter, 42, was arrested by Texas Department of Public Safety troopers on charges of disorderly conduct — language.

Ignacia Jennifer Rojas, 25, was arrested by deputies on bond surrender on charges of driving while intoxicated with a child passenger, failure to identify, violation of probation on driving while intoxicated charges — second offense and issuance of bad check charges out of Lubbock County.

**Sunday, June 13** Bear Julius Raymos, 22, was arrested by police on a bond surrender on charges of possession of marijuana.

Jimmy Dale Atwood, 30, was arrested by police on charges of possession of dangerous drugs.

David Vincent Gomez, 30, was arrested by police on two capias pro fine warrants.

Alfonso Alejandro Lopez, 17, was arrested by police on seven capias pro fine warrants.

Connie Lynn Smith, 27, was arrested by deputies on three capias pro fine warrants.

Martha Leah Towles, 48, was arrested by deputies for violation of probation and criminal trespass.

Nikki Shalyn Marcum, 21, of Cleburne, was arrested by the Lefors City Marshal on a capias pro fine warrant charging her with public intoxication.

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## Relay

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June 25, from 7 p.m. until Saturday, June 26, at 7 a.m. at Recreation Park. The Relay is a community-wide event with all the proceeds going back into Gray County to help cancer patients with funding for medicine, wigs, travel and other expenses and need items.

This year, the first lap of the Relay will be led by Shelly McCray, a Pampa resident who worked for 13 years for the Gray County Sheriff's Department and who is currently undergoing treatment for ovarian cancer. She will be joined on the first half-lap by many local cancer survivors, with their families meeting them halfway and walking the other half with them.

Robinson said that the Relay will feature games, food and more family entertainment. Another highlight of the walk will be the "luminary bags" which will light the pathway

all around the walk. Each bag will contain the name of someone who has died from cancer. The lighting of the bags will begin at sunset on Friday.

Robinson said that the community response for this year's Relay has been overwhelmingly positive.

"Oh, it's been wonderful," she said. "We have about 32 teams this year, and everybody sounds excited about it. We have a lot of businesses helping out, too."

Many of Pampa's business have contributed by purchasing banners that have been posted around town. Several area businesses and organizations have also donated water, tents, wheelchairs and other supplies to help make the event possible.

This year's largest sponsor, Robinson said, is the Pampa Regional Medical Center.

# AFTERNOONRUSH Pampa ISD hires four new teachers

## DPS now accepting texts

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Department of Public Safety is now accepting texts from tipsters. DPS on Tuesday announced the latest method for anonymously providing information on the Texas 10 Most Wanted fugitives: Text to 274637, or CRIMES. Tips submitted via e-mail, through the DPS website, will also be accepted. The DPS Crime Stoppers phone line, 1-800-252-TIPS, remains available for calls to provide information.

DPS Director Steven McCraw says the update on ways to provide tips is meant, in part, to appeal to a younger demographic.

## T. Boone: Leave BP alone for now

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Billionaire oilman T. Boone Pickens is urging investigators to leave BP alone for now while the oil company works to stop the spewing oil. "I don't know (if BP was negligent in the blowout), but I don't like the investigation going on when we're trying to fix the problem," Pickens told reporters Monday. "Because nobody's going to run off. We've got plenty of time to investigate it."

Government estimates put the total amount of crude spilled into the Gulf of Mexico at between 40.7 million and 114.5 million gallons. A containment cap has been placed over the damaged well, siphoning off some of the oil spewing out from 5,000 feet below the ocean's surface.

## Two Texas insurers investigated

AUSTIN (AP) — Two companies that top a list of worse-than-average complaint records in 2009 are being investigated by the Texas Department of Insurance. The Dallas Morning News reported Tuesday on its analysis of department figures.

Complaints against Loya Insurance and Old American County Mutual included delays in processing claims, unsatisfactory offers or settlements, denial of claims and liability issues.

Dallas-based Old American County Mutual had a complaint index more than three times worse than a typical company.

## Life term over toddler death

FORT WORTH (AP) — Life in prison has been ordered for a man convicted over the 2009 fatal beating of his girlfriend's toddler son. Prosecutors in Fort Worth did not seek the death penalty against 29-year-old Kimball Hailey II, who was convicted Monday afternoon of capital murder, then sentenced by a judge.

Investigators say 2-year-old Eba Chapple died in March 2009 after sustaining brain injuries while alone with Hailey.

The mother, LaQuanta Williams, testified she was upset that Hailey suggested to police that she was responsible for her son's death.

## 12 years for gunplay shooting

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A man blamed for hotel gunplay in San Antonio that left his best friend dead apologized for the shooting before he was sentenced to 12 years in prison.

A judge in San Antonio on Monday accepted the plea agreement for Justin Cardenas, who pleaded guilty to manslaughter.

The case involved the July 24, 2008, death of Justin Halsell, who was shot once in the head with his own gun. Cardenas told investigators that the pair had checked into the Emily Morgan Hotel, for a get-together with friends, when Halsell took the clip out of the gun and put it to his head. Cardenas says his friend taunted him to pull the trigger. Cardenas did, thinking it was a joke.

Attorneys for Cardenas, who faced a maximum 16 years in prison, sought probation.

## No more foster kids for center

HOUSTON (AP) — A state monitor will be assigned to a Houston-area residential treatment center after staffers in 2008 allegedly provoked some developmentally disabled girls into fighting.

The Houston Chronicle and The Texas Tribune, an online news site, reported Tuesday that Texas officials have banned the placement of foster care children at Daystar Residential Inc. in Manvel.

Patrick Crimmins with the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services says the "troubled facility" needs immediate improvement.

A review by the news publications found about 250 alleged serious abuse incidents at residential treatment centers in the past two years, in reports originally publicized June 6.

## Tasered man dies

HOUSTON (AP) — A fleeing man who died after a Harris County sheriff's deputy used a Taser on him during a traffic stop allegedly had slugged the officer.

The name of the man who died Monday night was not immediately released.

Sheriff's spokeswoman Christina Garza says the suspect fell to the ground and struck his head after the Taser was used on him. The man was transported to a hospital, where he later died.

Authorities say the deputy had pulled over a pickup for an alleged traffic violation when the man hit the deputy in the chest and tried to run away.

## Execution set for cop killer

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Condemned Texas prisoner David Lee Powell faces execution nearly 32 years after he arrived on death row for using an assault-style rifle to kill an Austin police officer during a traffic stop.

Powell in May 1978 was in a car driven by his girlfriend that was pulled over by Officer Ralph Ablanado because it had no rear license plate. Powell shot him 10 times with an AK-47.

The 59-year-old inmate would become the 13th Texas prisoner executed this year. His almost-32 years on death row would make him the longest-serving Texas inmate executed.

Attorneys were at the U.S. Supreme Court trying to stop the scheduled Tuesday evening punishment. They contend Powell's been a model prisoner over the years and jurors were wrong when they decided he would be a continuing threat and should be executed.

Pampa Independent School District approved the hiring of four new teachers at this morning's Board of Trustees meeting at the Carver Center Administration Office, confirmed PISD's Karen Linder.

The four new teachers are Jonna Alexander, Jennifer Greer, Zachary Greer and Caroline Telesford. All four will report to the high school for the upcoming school year.

Specialty areas and classes for the four new teachers were not immediately available.

## Results

'53-'79 Corvette: Shawn Rodriguez  
 '61-present Custom Restored: (1) Jon Wolf, (2) Jerry Peterson, (3) Keith Yarnold  
 Modern Muscle Car: (1) Steve Osborn, (2) Patti Carpenter, (3) Larry Baker  
 Pre-'50 Antique Truck: Kenneth Coy  
 Original Truck: Randy Swires  
 '50-'72 Classic Truck: (1) Todd Crawford, (2) Brandy Brodgin, (3) Ronnie Proby  
 Pre-'60 Original Restored: (1) Tom Turner, (2) Nancy Swaney, (3) Patti Smith  
 '61-'75 Original Restored: (1) Brady Smith, (2) Larry Harguss, (3) Jerry Franklin  
 '76-'99 Original Restored: (1) Randy McDowell, (2) Jim Redin, (3) Bailey Estes  
 '67-'73 Camaro: (1) Bob Finsterwald, (2) Mary Nell Finsterwald, (3) Brian Sutterfield  
 '73-'99 Modern Truck: (1) C.J. Johnston, (2) Kayla Minchew  
 Pre-'73 Chevy Muscle: (1) Johnnie Whinery, (2) Jonathon Stephens, (3) Rocky Thomas.  
 Custom Truck: (1) Ronnie Lee, (2) Jeremiah Montgomery, (3) Wade Jackson/Jalopy Shop  
 Pre-'73 Other GM Muscle: (1) Gary & Linda Wilburn, (2) Tim Alt, (3) Bailey Estes  
 All Years to 1999 Convertibles: (1) Matt Smith, (2) Bobby Hefner, (3) Cleo Meaker  
 Original Unrestored: (1) Jim Eakin, (2) Fred Martin, (3) Bob Schiffman  
 Pre-'73 Mopar Muscle: (1) Lonnie Shelton, (2) Lonnie Shelton, (3) Lonnie Shelton  
 Special Interest: (1) Donnie Robinson, (2) Mike Schultz, (3) Raymond Swaney  
 Pre-'73 Ford Muscle: (1) Curt Alexander, (2) O.L.

Tucker, (3) Tim McGuire  
 All Years Orphan: (1) Wynonna Seely, (2) Fred Rahe, (3) David Fain  
 Race Cars: (1) Clay Cunningham, (2) Dennis Holman, (3) Blake Villanueva  
 Any Car 2000 & up: (1) Kelly Scheffer, (2) Roger Reed, (3) Gabriel Griego  
 Any Truck 2000 & up: (1) Charlie Roe, (2) Kenny Sequera, (3) Horacio Lujan

**Drag Races (89 entries)**  
**Outlaw Class:** Clay Cunningham, '69 Camaro (winner); Irl Smith, '63 Corvair (runner-up)  
**Modern Muscle Class:** Billy Jones, '02 Pontiac (winner); Mike Vaughn, '04 Pontiac (runner-up)  
**Nostalgia Muscle Class:** Charlie Emmons, '55 Chevrolet (winner); Blain Jackson, '71 Camaro (runner-up)  
**High School Class:** Jaymison King, '02 Pontiac (winner); Seth Sarhuck, '02 Pontiac (runner-up)  
**Ladies' Class:** Leigh Carroll, '04 Pontiac (winner); Kathy Morrison, '02 Pontiac (runner-up)  
**Trucks Class:** Cliff Hudson, '86 Mazda (winner); Clinton McCord, '01 Ford (runner-up)  
**Import Class:** Vinh Dang, '97 Acura (winner); Luis Ortiz, '08 Cobalt (runner-up)  
**Street Machine Class:** Matt Smith, '63 Corvair (winner); Sid Mauldin, '05 Mercedes (runner-up)

**Burnout Contest (51 entries)**  
**Outlaw Class:** (1) Jerry Schaffer, (2) Daemon Butts  
**Stock Class:** (1) Michael Dickinson, (2) Sametha Van Houten  
**Superstock Class:** (1) Gary Brawley, (2) Gary Brawley



## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

**From my perspective, you should thank your sister for her kind offer and remind her that you had already told her you would be unavailable that weekend. That way, you're both off the hook.**

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# Viewpoints

## Today in History

Today is Tuesday, June 15, the 166th day of 2010. There are 199 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On June 15, 1215, England's King John put his seal to Magna Carta at Runnymede.

### On this date:

In 1775, the Second Continental Congress voted unanimously to appoint George Washington head of the Continental Army.

In 1836, Arkansas became the 25th state.

In 1844, Charles Goodyear received a patent for his process to vulcanize rubber.

In 1849, James Polk, the 11th president of the United States, died in Nashville, Tenn.

In 1864, Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton signed an order establishing a military burial ground, which became Arlington National Cemetery.

In 1904, more than 1,000 people died when fire erupted aboard the steamboat General Slocum in New York's East River.

In 1944, American forces began their successful invasion of Saipan (sy-PAN') during World War II. B-29 Superfortresses made their first raids on Japan.

In 1960, the Billy Wilder movie "The Apartment," starring Jack Lemmon and Shirley MacLaine, premiered in New York.

In 1978, King Hussein (hoo-SAYN') of Jordan married 26-year-old American Lisa Halaby, who became Queen Noor.

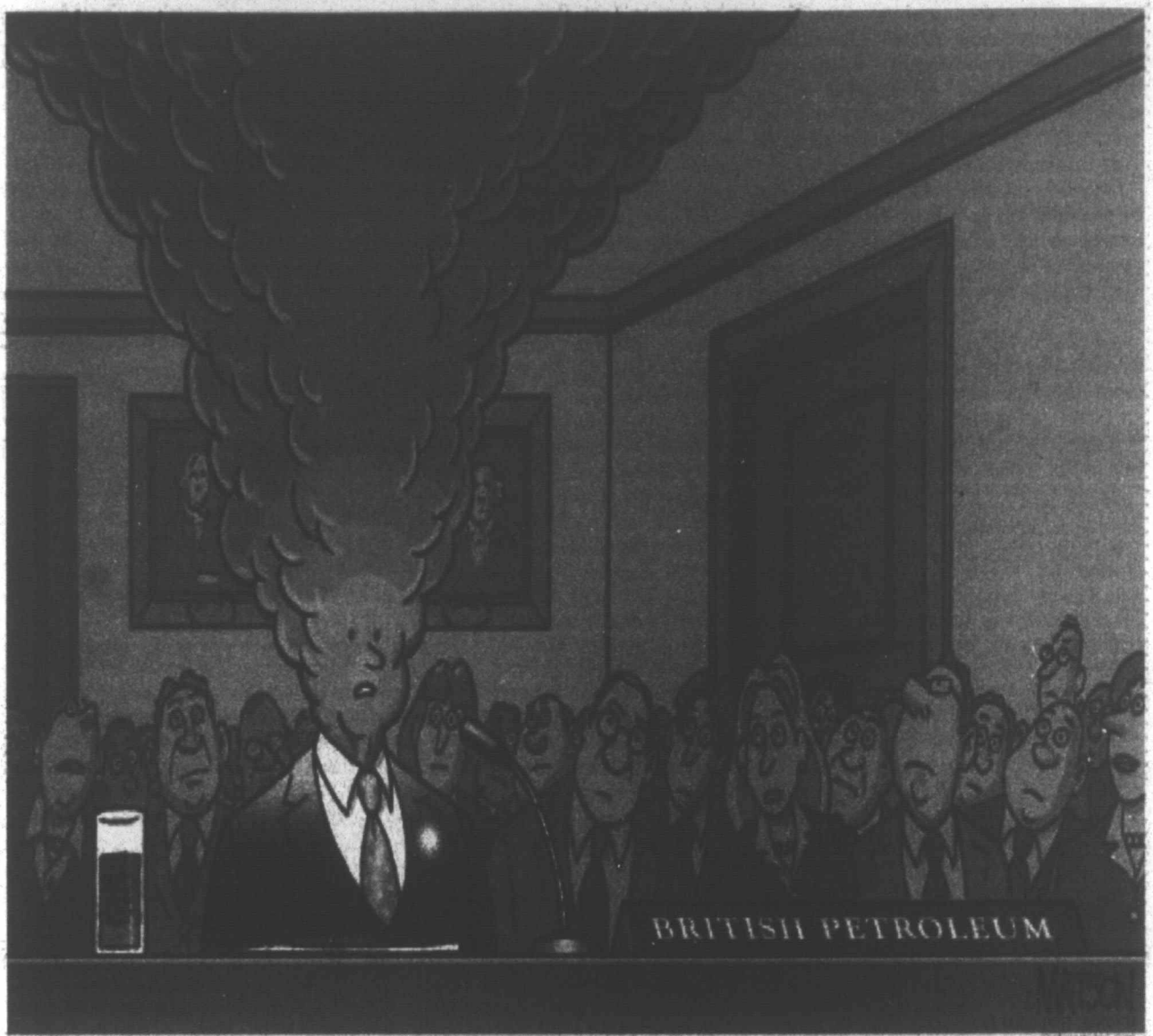
In 1994, Israel and the Vatican established full diplomatic relations.

**Ten years ago:** Al Gore named Commerce Secretary William Daley to take over his presidential campaign, replacing Tony Coelho (KWEHL'-oh), who'd abruptly resigned, citing health problems. Denis Savard, Joe Mullen and Walter L. Bush Jr. were selected to the Hockey Hall of Fame.

**Five years ago:** The autopsy released on Terri Schiavo backed the contention of her husband, Michael, that she was in a persistent vegetative state, finding she was severely and irreversibly brain-damaged and blind as well. Iraqi and U.S. forces freed Australian hostage Douglas Wood. Former Baylor basketball player Carlton Dotson was sentenced to 35 years in prison, a week after he unexpectedly pleaded guilty to murdering teammate Patrick Dennehy.

**One year ago:** Gen. Stanley McChrystal took charge of nearly 90,000 U.S. and NATO troops in Afghanistan. President Barack Obama, pushing health care reform before the annual meeting of the American Medical Association in Chicago, bluntly told the doctors he was against their highest legislative priority - limiting malpractice awards. The president returned to the White House, where he met with Italian Premier Silvio Berlusconi.

**Thought for Today:** "In trying to make something new, half the undertaking lies in discovering whether it can be done. Once it has been established that it can, duplication is inevitable." - Helen Gahagan Douglas, U.S. Representative (1900-1980).



"IT MAY BE DOWN TO HOW YOU DEFINE WHAT A PLUME IS HERE."  
- BP Chief Operating Officer Doug Suttles

## Is 2010 the Year of the Republican women?

2010 is shaping up to be another year of the woman. Female candidates swept to victory in many of Tuesday's primary races. Two-term Arkansas Democratic Sen. Blanche Lincoln fought off a wave of anti-incumbent sentiment. Billionaire Meg Whitman will be California's Republican gubernatorial candidate.

The so-called mama grizzlies backed by GOP star Sarah Palin really shook things up. Their success proves the former Alaska governor and vice presidential candidate still has a major influence on voters — and that can be a good thing or a bad thing depending on your thoughts about Palin. The "Palinista" candidates include California Senate Republican candidate Carly Fiorina, South Carolina gubernatorial candidate Nikki Haley, Nevada tea party and GOP member Sharron Angle and New Mexico gubernatorial candidate Susana Martinez, who could become the first Latina governor in the country.

It's hard to peruse the list of primary wins in Tuesday's elections and say 2010 is not in some way, shape or form a year of the woman. 1992 was the now infamous "Year of the Woman" in American politics when four Democratic women won election to the U.S. Senate, tripling women's representation in that august body.

With that as a baseline, it's easy to see how 2010 could end up being the Year of Republican Women in American politics, if Meg Whitman becomes California's first female governor and Carly Fiorina beats longtime incumbent



BONNIE ERBE

Sen. Barbara Boxer in November. In Arkansas, the media had completely written off Lincoln, who was being challenged within her party by a candidate from the left. Her opponent had union backing. Unions poured \$10 million into attacks ads against Lincoln trying to paint her with the "insider" patina in a year when insiders are on the outs. Liberal Democrats didn't like her vote against the final health care reform package (she called it too expensive,) or her reliance on oil company campaign contributions and unions felt betrayed by Lincoln's decision to oppose card check legislation that would make it easier for unions to organize workers.

Lincoln, on the other hand, sensing a strong challenge from the right in the general election, wisely positioned herself as a centrist and it paid off tremendously. She walloped her left-wing challenger. She more than out-raised the unions with the assistance of President Barack Obama and former President and Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton. This was a race where the anti-incumbency mood was way overstated.

Both Whitman and Fiorina won because corporate women have finally come of age and can now do what many men have done since time immemorial: buy their

way into office. Whitman spent \$80 million of her own money. Granted, California is an expensive state in which to run. It sports two top-10 media markets (Los Angeles and San Francisco) and several medium markets as well (San Diego, Sacramento.) But Whitman's fortune went a long way to get her word out even in a big state. And it didn't hurt either candidate, Whitman or Fiorina, that they were both well known before the race began.

Perhaps the most surprising victory of the night was Nikki Haley's first place finish in the South Carolina gubernatorial contest. The daughter of Indian immigrants was plagued by last-minute charges she had had two affairs. When the first a-bomb was dropped on her, on May 24, a www.publicpolicypolling.com poll showed her enjoying 39 percent support among Republican voters. On June 2 when a Republican lobbyist made a similar charge, an Insider Advantage poll showed her support had dropped to 31 percent. But another publicpolicypolling.com poll showed her winning with 43 percent the day before the primary. So even though she faces a runoff, the question whether the voting public forgives a woman for an affair more than it would a man, looms large. We've yet to find out whether she convinced South Carolina voters the charges were untrue.

Bonnie Erbe created and hosts To The Contrary on PBS, the first national news analysis series featuring all women panelists.

## Letters to the editor

**To the Editor:**  
Mankind never ceases to amaze me at how ignorant they choose to be. Rather than call an expert-a beekeeper-they choose to eliminate the honeybee. If the swarm, or hive, were "Africanized" they would chase you 1 1/2 miles! The honeybee-provider of food-if you will, pollinate your fruit trees, vegetables, etc.; has become more and more extinct, from "fear" of

man. It doesn't matter to man, nor the exterminators that there's a quarter million dollar fine. There is a state certified beekeeper in Shamrock (Mr. Jones) who travels all over the Panhandle collecting bees.

Man, kills the prairie dog (and rabbits with them) so the hawks have to move to find food, the side effect of that one is rattlesnakes in abundance and rats.

Of course, man shoots anything flying no matter what season, so that helps unbalance the scales. Man kills red ant beds, so you lose the horny toad.

Man just needs to stay out of it, but I'm afraid it's too late. Though federally protected, (a felony offense) the hawk, owl and honey bee won't survive.

Jequita Risley  
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**LEFT:** Pampa Harvesters baseball coach Kaleb Snelgroes hands off to Caleb Dorn, 9, during a game of flag football at Lovett Memorial Library. **TOP:** Natalie Renteria, 8, enjoys blowing bubbles during the library's summer reading program event on Monday.

**Sudoku**

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

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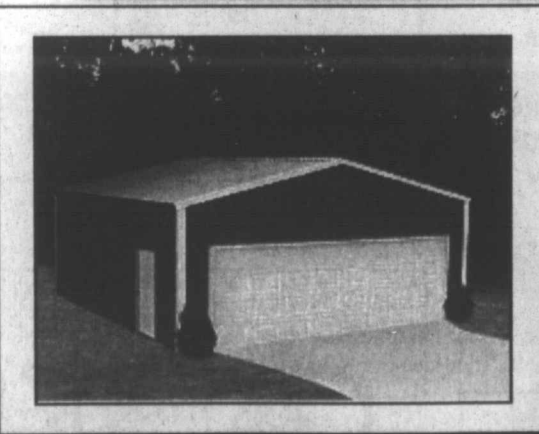
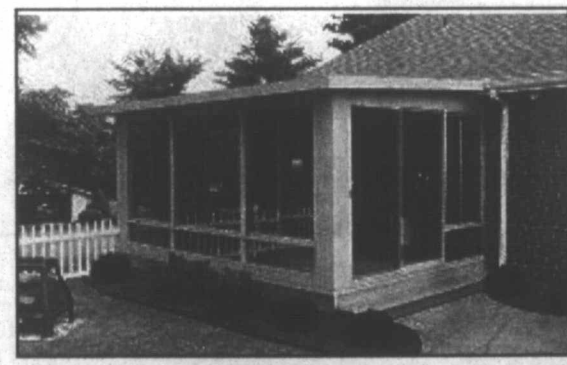
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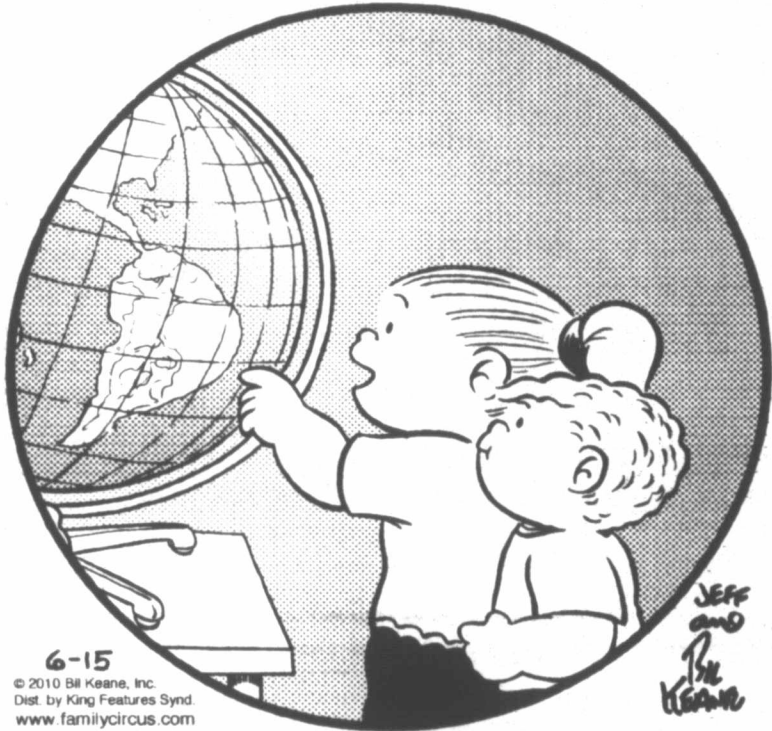
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"Did you turn off your cell phone?"

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



"I wanna go visit that country. It's my favorite color."

### Daily Crossword Puzzle

#### CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

#### ACROSS

- 1 Below, in a contract
- 7 Walk unevenly
- 11 Home-coming group
- 12 Region
- 13 "American Idol" judge
- 15 Miniature
- 16 Saloon order
- 18 Squad
- 21 Dune makeup
- 22 Box
- 24 Antique
- 25 Beanie or beret
- 26 Restful resort
- 27 Impulse carrier
- 29 Appear
- 30 Go across
- 31 Sudan neighbor
- 32 Congo's former name
- 34 "A Room With a View" actor
- 40 Sneaker problem
- 41 One way to shop
- 42 Courts
- 43 Like Russian dolls

#### DOWN

- 1 Owns
- 2 Inventor Whitney
- 3 Toddy base
- 4 Hammed it up
- 5 Personal
- 6 Pleasant Case
- 7 Case worker
- 8 Hot blood
- 9 Singer Tormé
- 10 Chum bundles
- 14 Like bar drafts
- 16 Hay
- 17 Finish
- 19 Puzzed
- 20 Scooter's kin

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#### Yesterday's answer

- 21 Abel, to Adam
- 22 Soda container
- 23 "Platoon" setting
- 25 Movie barbarian
- 28 Stubble removers
- 29 Beach-combing finds
- 31 Wading bird
- 33 Computer symbol
- 34 Boar's mate
- 35 Groom's answer
- 36 Cattle call?
- 37 Set fire to
- 38 Low digit
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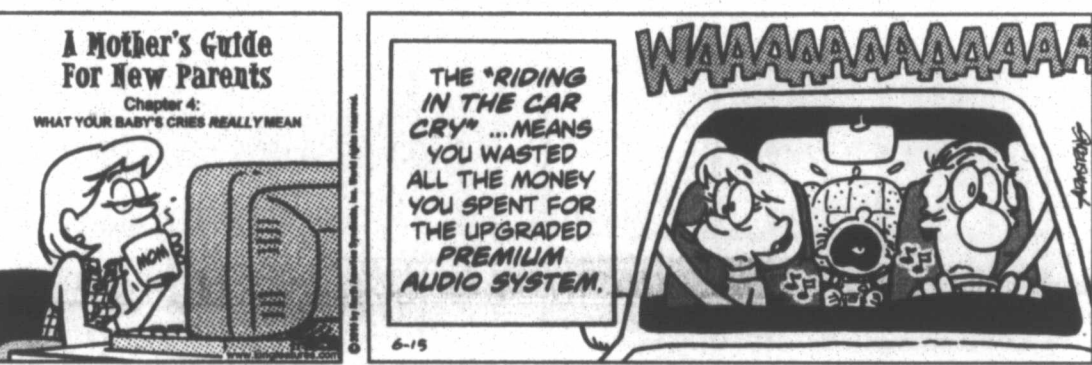
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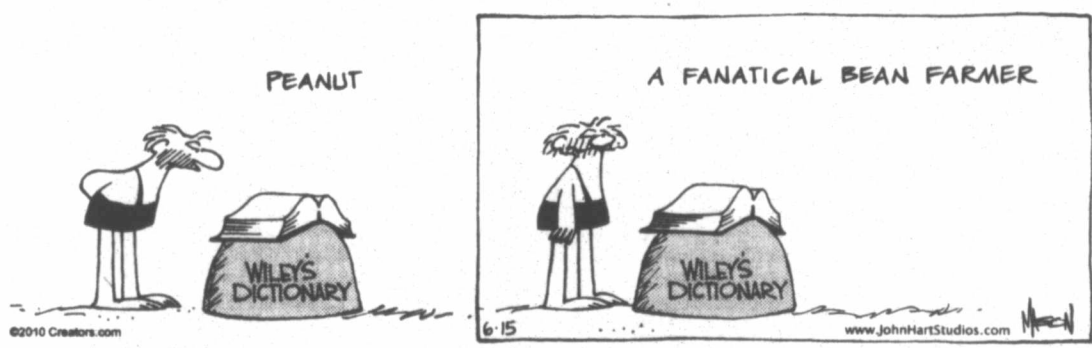
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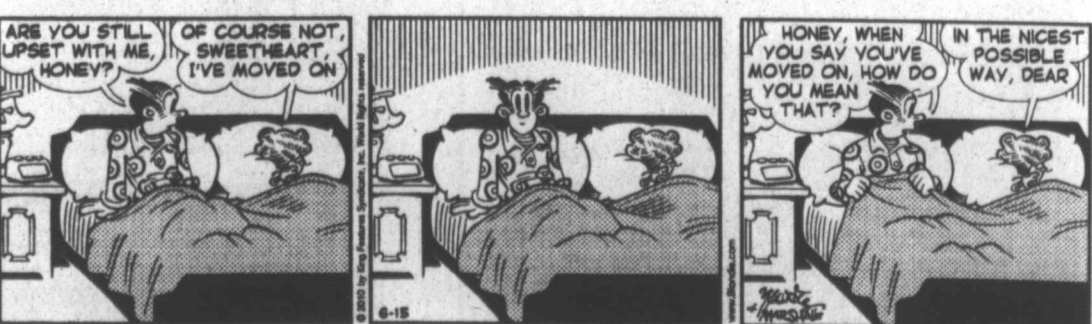
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# Sports

## Hunt inaugural winner of the Joe F. Wheeler scholarship

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Pampa High School graduate and former baseball player Braden Hunt is the inaugural winner of the Joe Frank Wheeler Scholarship.

Wheeler was a longtime announcer for the Amarillo Dillas that passed away June 15, 2009. Pampa Head Baseball Coach Kaleb Snelgrooes said the scholarship is for the best baseball or softball player in the Panhandle.

"It's for someone that's outstanding in the class-

room and on the baseball field and is a good citizen," Snelgrooes said. "This went to all the coaches in the Panhandle and we're fortunate to get Braden that scholarship it was a neat deal."

Hunt said it was an honor to get chosen.

"It will help my parents not pay as much for college next year," Hunt said. "It's an honor especially being the first year."

Snelgrooes agreed and said that Hunt was well deserving of the scholarship.

"There's not a more deserving kid than Braden," Snelgrooes said. "He got this, for him to be the inaugural winner that's always a special thing. It's nice to have local kids but when it's your local kid it makes it more special."

Before the Amarillo Dillas baseball game June 19, Hunt will be recognized for winning the scholarship.

Hunt will attend Frank Phillips College in Borger and will play baseball for them in the spring.



staff photo by Andrew Glover  
Braden Hunt (right) receives the Joe Frank Wheeler Scholarship from Head baseball coach Kaleb Snelgrooes in the Pampa High School Ready Room Monday.

## Boys basketball starts camp

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The Pampa Harvesters boys basketball team started their Hustlin' Harvesters basketball camp Monday at the high school basketball gyms.

Head coach Dustin Miller said they had over 60 children attend the first day of camp and that it went well.

"It's always an adjustment for all of us kind of feeling each other out," Miller said. "For the first day it went really well."

The camp had two sessions. The first session was from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. with incoming first through fifth graders. The second session was from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. with incoming sixth through ninth graders. Miller said they taught more fundamentals in the first session and more advance skills in the second session.

"We can get them (sixth through ninth grade) prepared to be in our program in the next year or so," Miller said.

Pampa's head basketball coach said working with the children now will allow them to transition into the high school program easier.

"We can put a lot of

things in place that when the season rolls around we are on the same page with terminology and some philosophy ideas," Miller

said. "It makes the transition into our program smoother."

The camp will run through Friday.



staff photo by Andrew Glover  
Kyle Wilbon, 8, practices his shot at the Hustlin' Harvesters baseball camp Monday.

## Hidden Hills results

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### Palmer flight

First - 55  
L. Phillips  
B. Berznik  
K. Conrad  
C. Phillips

### Second - 57

J. Blackmon  
T. Brown  
H. Knutson  
B. Kelley

### Thrd-60

M. Westbrook  
R. Baker  
J. Marlar  
B. Talley

### Stricter flight

First - 63  
K. Norris  
R. Turpin  
J. Howell

### Second- 64

G. Jenkins  
B. Mitchell  
M. Barth  
L. Garcia

### Third - 64

B. Steen  
S. Rose  
B. Smith  
M. Stone

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Mike Stone

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**Daily Horoscope**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Wednesday, June 16, 2010:  
This year, count on your communication skills. You will enjoy touching base with others more often as well. However, you might long to stretch your mind or grow in new ways. Some of you will travel, others might look at school, and yet, for many, a foreigner or someone quite different could knock on your door. If you are single, you might choose someone who is unusual or artistic. You could meet this person in an odd way. If you are attached, the two of you will become closer if you plan a trip together or take a seminar. LEO always appreciates you.

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


**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)  
\*\*\*\*\* You cannot clarify a situation enough, as confusion floats in the ethers. Maintain a sense of humor, and you might feel a lot better about a misunderstanding. This same attitude helps others. Your ingenuity saves the day more than once. Tonight: Leave work with a smile. Take a break.  
**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)  
\*\*\*\*\* You might feel stalemated by a situation and unable to get your point over. Keep your focus on home and family, and you will be able to deal with other issues later. At the same time, don't trust someone's offer that might come in from out of left field. Tonight: Make a favorite dinner.  
**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)  
\*\*\*\*\* Make that extra effort in a talk or when reaching out to another person. You might be overwhelmed by everything that you hear. Know that it is

hearsay until you hear those words from the horse's mouth. Assume someone might be distorting what was said. Tonight: Favorite spot, favorite people.  
**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* You could be overwhelmed by a financial situation. This matter might not be negative, but in some sense it's a little beyond your scope. Consider everything you are hearing and seeing, then in a few days, seek out an expert. You might get more information. Tonight: Accept another person's invitation.  
**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Act like the force that you are — unstoppable. An element of confusion could filter through your day, forcing you to take action. First try to confirm where others are coming from. Tonight: Be the happy Lion.  
**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Continue to maintain a low profile. Messages might seem unclear, especially with those who impact your day-to-day life. Just flow with the innate nature of communication and work, knowing that by tomorrow you can take a stronger hand. Tonight: Nap and then decide.  
**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Keep your primary goal in mind. This simple concept could be hard to act on, as there is so much distraction occurring around you. A child or new friend adds a veil of confusion as well! Tonight: Where people are.  
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)  
\*\*\*\*\* Whether you feel like it or not, your presence at a certain meeting or event is a must. You might want to play hooky. Trust that others will notice. You clearly cannot be in two places at once. Keep your mind in the same place. Others will sense that you are distracted.

Tonight: Choose for you.  
**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)  
\*\*\*\*\* Your intuition might be in conflict with logic. You might try juggling them. Perhaps the best solution would be discovering how both could be valid. News from a distance might not be the total story. Tonight: Whatever you do, be where there is good music.  
**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)  
\*\*\*\*\* An associate doesn't hesitate to tout his or her expertise. Although from this person's perspective he or she is right, you might not be so sure. Without starting a disagreement, listen and see the end results. Tonight: Say "yes" to an invitation.  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)  
\*\*\*\*\* Others might be beating a path to your door, but what is quite clear is that you are not hearing them. Certainly you could be so into your head or distracted that you don't get someone's message as clearly as you might like. Tonight: Just don't be alone.  
**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)  
\*\*\*\*\* Your instincts keep telling you the same message, while you are trying to focus on more pressing matters. Understand that although you are being practical in your choices, you also might want to follow your sixth sense. Tonight: Squeeze in some exercise.

**BORN TODAY**  
Author Erich Segal (1937), actor Stan Laurel (1890), rapper Tupac Shakur (1971) \*\*\*  
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