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The Plains Pride

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SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1988



MAJOR LEAGUE ALL-STARS, front row, ltr, are David Bitolas, Lance Cole, Ladd Winn, Lenny Morrow, Scotty Rains, Victor Bernal; back row, ltr, are Shannon Ward, Ken McAdams, Ace Williams, Jay Rushing, Tracy Bearden and Brad McMinn.



JUNIOR LEAGUE ALL-STARS, front row, ltr, are Jason Robertson, Casey Forbus, Chris Payne, Wayne Willett, Yancey House, Jacob Lester; back row, ltr, are Ralph Ramirez, Kirk Parrish, Steven Bitolas, Chase Clanahan, Joey DeFries and Johnny Don Davis.



Plains Boys Little Dribblers Win National Championship

Plains Little Dribblers Major Leaguers won the National Championship in the Continental Division Tournament played last week in Whiteface. Junior All-Stars were eliminated by Central Louisiana and Highland Park.

Coaches for the Junior All-Stars commended the boys and report the team could have won both games except for bad luck. Central Louisiana was ruled ineligible later in the tourney but games played prior to the one contested were allowed to stand.

Chase Clanahan scored 16 and Ralph Ramirez 14 in the hardfought 41-39 loss to Central Louisiana. Against Highland Park, the team lost 28-26. Chase scored 8, Chris Payne 6, Joey DeFries and Ralph, 5 each.

Major League players lost their opening game of the tournament to Meade, Ks. High scorers were Brad McMinn and Ladd Winn with 13 and 8 points, respectively.

Saturday competition found Plains beating Centerville 44-21, back of scoring by Lenny Morrow, 11; Ladd Winn, 9; Brad McMinn, 8 and Scotty Rains and Victor Bernal, 7 each.

That afternoon, the Plains squad met Meade in a re-match and avenged their first game, 50-41. Leading scorers were Scotty Rains and Ladd Winn, 12 each, Lenny Morrow, 9, and Victor Bernal, 7.

Saturday evening, the Plains Majors drew a bye because the Central Louisiana team was ruled ineligible. Sunday's play found Plains meeting Whiteface. Plains won the

meeting Whiteface. Plains won the clash, 49-44 back of Brad McMinn's 18 points with Lenny Morrow scor-

ing 13; Ladd Winn 11 and Victor Bernal 7.

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In their second game of the afternoon, Plains took the National Championship with a 56-49 win over Paducah. Ladd Winn scored 17, Lenny Morrow 15 and Victor Bernal, Scotty Rains and Brad McMinn 6 each.

Summer Baseball Drafts To Start

Schedule for drafting Little League, Minor League and Tee-Ball League players is being announced by Larry Cole. Boys and girls six to 12 years who are interested in playing ball should attend the drafting sessions.

Little League for boys and girls ages 10 through 12 should meet at the Little League field in Plains at 9 a.m. May 7. Those who did not turn in baseball pants and socks from last year are asked to bring them to the meeting or get them to Cole as soon as possible.

Boys and girls ages six and seven wishing to play Tee-Ball should be at the Little League field at 9 a.m. May 14.

Minor League try-outs were held for boys and girls eight through nine years old April 26. Any interested in participating who were not at that try-out meeting may pick up applications from Cole. Those who played last year and did not turn in their baseball pants, are asked to do

Anyone interested in assisting with the summer program or sponsoring a team may call Cole at 456-7421 or at work, 592-6479, or Mrs. Cole at work, 456-7480.

TO LEAD CHEERS -- Newly elected Plains High School cheerleaders for 1988-89 are, left to right, front row, Juhree Stowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stowe, and JoLena Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ty Earl Powell. Back row, ltr, Ashlee Winn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Winn, Michelle Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lowe, and Jennifer Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Booth.

'Sweepstakes' Division

Cowboy Band Wins Fifth

Plains High School's Cowboy Band clinched "Sweepstakes" for the fifth consecutive year with "one" division performances in concert and sightreading in the UIL Band Concert competition April 19 in Lubbock. The band's one division win last fall in marching entitled them to claim sweepstakes honors.

The achievement also entitled the band to compete in UIL State

Woodwind Ensemble competition May 14 in Austin. Bands may enter that contest if they have received a one in concert. The band will compete against bands in divisions A, AA and AAA.

The Cowboy Band will present their annual Spring Concert Thursday, May 12 and will be honored immediately following with a reception in the band hall. An invitation is extended to the public.

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ADOPT A HIGHWAY CLEAN-UP PROGRAM -- Members of Tsa Mo Ga Study Club helping clean two miles of US Highway 82 beginning at the City Limits sign west of Plains include Mary Jo StRomain, Eloise StRomain, Sadie Schneider, Hazel Lowrey, Ann McGinty, Virginia Sanders, Peggy Squyres and "helpers" Sit Jones, Helen Worsham, Rita Snodgrass, Toni Jones, Latrell McDonnell and Sherry McGinty.

Gibson Plumbing Service To Conduct Energy Survey

Scott Gibson, sales manager for Gibson Plumbing Service America will be in Plains on Tuesday, May 3, 1988 to aid area residents requesting a free energy survey of their home or office.

When asked why he was coming to Plains, Gibson replied, "Just because people choose to live in a smaller town does not mean they should not have access to fine quality plumbing, heating and air conditioning products and services.

"With summer coming, many people are thinking about changing their evaporative cooler to a refrigerated system. Others think it is time to change their present

IWAY CLEAN-UP CREW

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Lions Club helped in picking up

trash on east US 380.

system for a new, more energy efficient model. Either way, I can run an energy survey on your home and recommend the best heating and air conditioning system available," he continued.

Those persons interested in having Gibson conduct an energy survey of their home or office, with a complete estimate on a heating and cooling system, should call 7-GIBSON (744-2766) for an appointment.

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"We also offer many other fine products that might be of interest. From air cleaners to instant hot water dispensers, we carry any plumbing, heating or air conditioning supplies that you might need," concluded Gibson.

Gibson Plumbing Service America located at 5279 34th Street in Lubbock is opened from 7 a.m. til 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

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LACI NAYLOR

Granddaughter Wins Contest

Laci Naylor, 15-year-old granddaughter of James and Jerry Warren and niece of Joe and Joyce Pierce, has been recognized by Gorst Seed Company as the winner in their "Up With Agriculture" essay contest. Her entry was chosen best of 8,000 entries submitted in Texas.

A sophomore at Coronado High School and member of that school's Future Farmer Chapter, Miss Naylor will be honored at the chapter's annual spring banquet in May. She will receive a \$250 cash Filmtime

"Cinderella" and "Robin Hood" were films of the day for Wednesday's Filmtime at Yoakum County Library. Don Nedobeck's "Nedobeck Number Alphabet" was the featured book.

Youngsters recited the Pledge of Allegiance and played "London Bridge", "Ring Around The Roses", "Five Little Monkeys" and "Little Teapot".

Filmtime youngsters whose birthdays were recognized were Nancy Koncaba and Kelsey Blundell.

A picnic in the park is planned for Filmtime May 25. That will be the final Filmtime until Sept. 7 when school begins again.

Other youngsters attending Wednesday were Crystal Ivins, Brant Huerta, Tiffany Canon, Kimberly and Sarah Martinez, Lesli Rowe, Ragen McGinty, Chase Howell, Elizabeth Clanahan, Kyle Kight, Tarren and Keenan Hancock, Justin and Jordan Chambliss, Larisha Whittaker, Tanya Vasquez, Briana Garza, Jessica Knight, Chad Maines, Daniel and Micah Clay, Sean Holster, Nickolas, Christin and Alexandra Burrows and Jason James.

Bridal Courtesy Honors Johnnie Sue Alexander Johnnie Sue Alexander, bride-

elect of Barry Jones, was complimented Sunday afternoon with a pre-nuptial courtesy in the home of Mrs. Macky McWhirter.

Special guests were mothers of the betrothed couple, Sue Alexander and Kathy Jones of Lubbock, and the honoree's maternal grandmother, Minnie Sirman of Forestburg. Other special guests were Shirley Alexander of Lubbock and Nan Reeves of Abilene, aunt and cousin of the bride-elect.

White calla lilies in a crystal vase adorned the party table which was laid with a white cutwork cloth. Crystal appointments were used for fresh fruit with dip, cookies, nuts

and punch. Hostesses presented the honoree with a corsage of mauve and coun-

try blue silk flowers, a mauve comforter and bed ruffle and brass candlestick with candle.

Shower Honors Lester Infant

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Little B.J. Lester and his mom Jan were feted Sunday afternoon with a lullaby shower in the home of Stephania Blount.

Honor guests were Mmes. Lee Hanna and Collette Hanna and Brandy Lester.

Refreshments of fruit, dip, pound cake, coffee and tea were served from a lace covered party table adorned with a stork centerpiece.

Hostesses presented the honorees with a nursery monitor.



HONORED AT LULLABY SHOWER was mother, Jan Lester and new infant son, B.J.



BIRTHDAY HONOREE -- Juanita Altman was joined in celebration of shtieth birthday by her six children pictured here. See accompanying



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award and plaque. Mother Of Six Children **Celebrates 80th Birthday**

Juanita Altman was honored Sunday afternoon with a reception in observance of her eightieth birthday. Held in Lubbock Senior Citizens Center, the event was attended by her six children, 11 grandand 18 children greatgrandchildren.

Mrs. Altman, the former Juanita

Gaston of Rotan, was born April 14, 1908.

Her children are Kenneth (Smoky) Altman of Plains, Dorothy Gray of Wolfforth, Bobby Altman of Abilene, June Ellison of Levelland, Jolene Tubbs of Lubbock and Betty Lundgreen of Lubbock.





Plains Independent School District

Guest Editorial...JIMMY CONNER, Junior High Principal

Spring is an especially busy time for Junior High students. In addition to track, tennis, golf, band and TEAMS test, there are the U.I.L. academic contests.

Many of our students have worked before school, at breaks and after school perfecting their knowledge and skills in various fields, in order to qualify for the district U.I.L. academic contest. Though much of this is taught in the classroom, teachers who are preparing students for U.I.L. events know that they also need to ready students to apply their knowledge and skills. U.I.L. academic activities can provide the avenue for application and give the students a reason for developing their abilities.

During the week of April 25th, forty-three Junior High students take part in the district U.I.L. Contest which is to be held at Loop Schools. We are extremely proud of all our students who have participated in these events.

On the Junior High TEAMS test we had excellent results and congratulate both the student body and the faculty on a job well done.



PLACING IN REGIONAL AND QUALIFYING FOR STATE, are left to right, Shane McMinn, placing first in Calculator, first in Number Sense and winner of the Physics division of Science; Micah Stowe, second place in

Channel 3 KPLN

MONDAY, May 2 at 2 p.m. The President's Council on Physical Fitness & Sports

TUESDAY, May 3 at 2:30 p.m. Project 2000

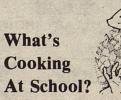
WEDNESDAY, May 4 at 2:30 p.m. Yoakum County Stockshow

THURSDAY, May 5 at 2:30 p.m. The President's Council on Physical Fitness & Sports

FRIDAY, May 6 at 2 p.m. Yoakum County Stockshow

School Events

TUESDAY: Kindergarten Registration; TEAMS, 11th Grade Makeup; Junior High Cheerleader Try-



BREAKFAST MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal,

grape juice and milk. TUESDAY: Donut, apple juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Toast, sausage, orange juice and milk.

THURSDAY: Pancake, syrup, butter, tomato juice and milk.

FRIDAY: Corn Pops, pineapple juice and milk. LUNCH

MONDAY - Tuna sandwich, French fries w/ketchup, combination salad, cherry cobbler and milk.

TUESDAY - Ravioli w/cheese

Six PHS Students Set For State Competition

Six students from Plains High School qualified for competition May 6-7 in the State UIL Literary Contests in Austin. Total points earned by PHS students in the Regional Meet held April 22 in Levelland was 124, giving Plains the runner-up title. Ropesville's score was 127 points.

Qualifying for State were Nieves Garcia, second place in typing; Kris Andrews, second in prose interpretation; Shane McMinn, first in physics and first in number sense; and Lance Morrow, second in number sense.

Earning state competition in calculator was the PHS trio of

McMinn, Micah Stowe and Chad Guetersloh for their first, second and third place wins in the regional contest.

Coaches for the state qualifiers are Brenda Canada, typing; Regina Meeks, prose interpretation; Macky McWhirter, physics; Richie Cullins, number sense; and Larry Devitt, calculator.

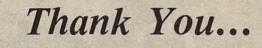
PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION MAY 3-5



Calculator; Chad Guetersloh, third in Calculator; Lance Morrow, second in Number Sense; Nieves Garcia, second in Typing; and Kris Andrews, second in Prose Interpretation.

Don't Forget

To Vote!! Saturday, May 7th!!



for your support of me as I seek a position on the Plains Independent School Board, Place III. To be a part of this fine board will indeed be an honor for me, and I sincerely ask for your confidence in me by marking an X by David Guetersloh, on the ballot, May 7th. I will pledge my very best in service to you,

Outs; Little Dribblers, Girls, Jr. High gym

WEDNESDAY: Senior Breakfast at First Baptist Church at 7:15 a.m.; TEAMS, second time; Kindergarten Registration continues

THURSDAY: Kindergarten Registration continues FRIDAY: State Industrial Arts at Waco

SATURDAY: Junior High Band Festival at Petersburg; State Industrial Arts continues; State UIL Literary continues sticks, blackeyed peas, okra, hot rolls, peanut butter, honey and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onions, corn chips w/bean dip, coconut cookies, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Pizza, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, crackers, peanuts and milk.

FRIDAY - Fried chicken w/gravy, macaroni and cheese, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, Jell-O and milk. Plains Independent Schools, and our fine county.

Most Sincerely, David Guetersloh

PAID FOR BY DAVID GUETERSLOH

MAJOR LEAGUE



SURESHOTS are left to right, Jodi Gayle, Shandy Willett, Amber Bryan, Misty Willett, Selena Humphrey and Pamela Baker. Coaches are Paula Willett and Lola Bearden.



YELLOWJACKETS are left to right, Heather Bowlin, Dani Clark, Jennifer Day, Becky StRomain, Jennifer Earnest, Mary Ann Gonzales and Stacey Jones. Coaches are Gary Jones and Pat Bowlin.



BLUESTREAKS - Front row, ltr, are Bridget Bernal and Denise Ward; middle row, ltr, Dacia Humphrey, Heather McDonnell and Rose Garcia. Back row, Coach Freda Humphrey.



RASCALS - are left to right, Maria Moreno, Kristy McClure, Valerie Blair, Kristi Guetersloh, Robin Squyres, Tessa StRomain and bookkeeper, Kim McClure. Coaches are Kay McClure and Janie Crawford.





WRANGLERS are left to right, Shy Rudisill, Rachel Garcia, Amanda Koncaba, Kyley Bearden, Stephania Allsup and Roni Ponce.

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BRATS are left to right, Amy Crutcher, Tammy Lowrey, Sandy Sainz, Rhonda Cowart, Bellen Coronado and Lanelle Murph. Coaches are Ronnie Cowart and Dennis Crutcher.

MINOR LEAGUE

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PAGE 6, MAY 1, 1988, THE PLAINS PRIDE Girls Little Dribblers To End Season Play May 3

Plains Girls Little Dribblers will play their last game of the season and be honored in an awards ceremony that follows Tuesday, May 3. Everyone is invited to turn out in support of the young ladies. **APRIL 5**

Rascals stop Bluestreaks, 34-28 in overtime. Rascals scoring: Valerie Blair, 20; Robin Squyres, 10. Bluestreaks: Heather McDonnell, 12; Bridget Bernal, 10.

Sureshots defeat Yellowjackets, 31-22. Sureshots scorers, Amber Bryan, 12; Yellowjackets, Heather Bowlin high scorer.

APRIL 7

Wranglers whip Bluestreaks, 30-23. Wranglers, Rachel Garcia, 19; Bluestreaks, Bridget Bernal high scorer.

Brats victorious over Sureshots. Brats scorers, Rhonda Cowart, 18, Amy Crutcher, 14; Sureshots, Amber Bryan, 10.

APRIL 12

Wranglers whip Rascals, 37-33. Wranglers, Rachel Garcia, 20; Rascals, Valerie Blair, 22.

Brats defeat Yellowjackets 37-23. Brats scoring by Rhonda Cowart, 17, Amy Crutcher, 14; Yellowjackets, Heather Bowlin 10, Jennifer Day 6.

APRIL 14

Rascals win 23-16 over Bluestreaks. Rascals scoring by Valerie Blair, 18; Tessa StRomain, 3 and Maria Moreno, 2; Bluestreaks, Bridget Bernal, 7, Heather McDonnell, 5 and Becky Coronado, 4.

Yellowjackets sting Sureshots 31-13. Leading scorers were Yellowjackets Heather Bowlin, 17, Jennifer Day, 12; Sureshots, Amber Bryan, 7.

APRIL 19

Wranglers stop Bluestreaks 37-32. Wranglers scoring by Rachel Garcia, 16, Shy Rudisill, 13, Kyley Bearden, 8; Bluestreaks, Bridget Bernal, 14, Heather McDonnell, 12. Brats defeat Sureshots, 42-29. Brats scoring were Amy Crutcher, 31, Rhonda Cowart, 10; Sureshots, Misty Willett, 15, and Stacey Jones, 8.

APRIL 21

Rascals hand undefeated Wranglers a 31-30 loss. Rascals scoring were Valerie Blair, 16, Robin Squyres, 7 and Maria Moreno and Tessa StRomain, 4 each; Wranglers, Shy Rudisill, 12, Rachel Garcia, 10 and Kyley Bearden, 8.

Brats stomp Yellowjackets 37-25. Scoring by Brats Amy Crutcher, 12, Sandy Sainz, 11 and Rhonda Cowart, 10; Yellowjackets, Heather Bowlin, 23.

APRIL 26

Rascals defeat Bluestreaks, 41-27. Scoring for the Rascals, Valerie Blair, 27, Robin Squyres, 8 and Tessa StRomain, 6; Bluestreaks, Bridget Bernal, 14, Rose Garcia, 8. Yellowjackets sting Sureshots 32-28. Yellowjackets scoring led by Heather Bowlin, 20; Sureshots by Shandy Willett, 10, Misty Willett, 7 and Amber Bryan, 6.

Yoakum County Treasurer Attends State Conference

Toni Jones, Yoakum County Treasurer, joined some 200 other elected officials for the 16th Annual County Treasurers' Seminar at Texas A&M University, April 18-21. The program is designed to educate county treasurers on a wide range of responsibilities to include investments, cash management, record keeping, reporting and disbursements of county funds. Participation in this seminar enables county treasurers to achieve and maintain certification as required by state law.

The seminar commenced with a legislative hearing on April 18. Members of the House Committee on County Affairs heard testimony

Band Calendar Orders Accepted

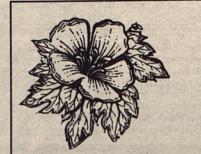
Orders are being taken for the 1988-89 band calendar. Deadline for ordering a calendar with listings of one's family birthdays is May 16.

Price for one calendar complete with listing of the birthdays of all family members living at home is \$4, if payment is made when order is placed. Calendars will sell for \$5 each if not paid for before delivery.

Orders should include cash or checks made payable to Plains Band Boosters. Your order may be turned in to any Band Booster member, the school secretaries or given to Toni Jones.

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