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## Election interest light as filing deadline nears

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL Journal Staff Writer
With the filing deadline just days away, only one of the five area election
Whates.
While six people have filed for the three at-large positions on the Lazbuddie School Board, elections for school board in Muleshoe and Maple have yet to see any opposition. The story is the same in the Muleshoe mayoral and hospital district races, where the incumbents are the only candidates who have filed or shown an intention to file.
Candidates have until March 19 to file for candidacy in the the area elections, all of which are scheduled for May 3

In Lazbuddie, incumbent school board members Thomas Martin and Gail Morris have drawn opposition from Garvin Thorn, Donnie Coker, Vernon Turner and Charleson Steinbock. If the field remains the same through filing day, at least one of the challengers will be elected because Randy Tho-

## Bruns invited

to participate
ininternational
organ event
By Samuel Villarrea
Journal Staff Writer
Muleshoe native Jeremy Bruns is one of four Americans and the only Texan among 12 competitors selected to participate in the first Dallas International Organ Competition on April 7-15
The win-
ner of the
competition will appear as a soloist with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra later this year. Bruns Bruns will be joined by competitors from Scotland, Canada Japan and Germany.
The 1991 graduate of Muleshoe High School says he prefers playing the organ because of its versatility
"The organ allows you to play a wide range of music, from soft to loud and everything in between," Bruns said in a phone interview Wednesday.
Bruns first began playing the organ in eight grade, after several years studying piano. After graduating from MHS, Bruns went on to earn a bachelors degree in organ performance at the Texas Tech School of Music in Lubbock. In 1996, Bruns received his

## ELECTION UPDATE



March 19 is the deadline for the May 3 general election.
mas, who has served on the LISD school board for six years, has announced he will not run for re-election
Martin has held an at-larg position for the past 3 years while Morris is a six-year vet eran of the LISD board.
Applications to be placed on the ballot must be received in the LISD administration of fices by the March 19 deadline The election will be held in the Lazbuddie School auditorium Muleshoe Mayor Robert Montgomery, who has served in the position since 1992, is

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From the heart
Watson Junior High's Laura Wood performs "Against All Odds" Thursday during the Muleshoe High School Student Council's third annual talent show. Fitty percent of the proceeds will be donated to St. Jude's Childrens Hospital

## West Texas Rural Telephone to elect Parmer County directors

## erative members will elect a Deaf S

 County director and two directors from Parmer County during their 43rd annual meeting March 18, at the Hereford Bull Barn.The annual meeting will begin with registration and serving of a buffet-style barbecue supper at 6 p.m.
The business session, set to begin at p.m., will include a report on the financia status of the cooperative by WTRT Manager Thomas Hyer
Charles Myers, the incumbent director for the Hub exchange, is unopposed.
Incumbent Floyd Schueler will run against John Mars for the Parmer exchange seat.

Incumbent Dick Fellers and Lawrence Brorman are candidates for the Dawn
exchange position on the board
Parmer, has represented the Hubexchange on the WTRT board since 1973. He has held board offices including president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer. During his board tenure, Myers has served on and chaired the Program Planning Committee of the National Telephone Cooperative Association, and has also served on the Economic Development Myers hance Committees of the NTCA. board of directors of the Parmer County Foard of direct

Schueler has served the Parmer ex change as director since 1985 and has held WTRT board offices including sec-retary-treasurer. A Parmer County native,
has also served as a member and officer of
Teen Leadership receives statewide recognition By SAMUEL VILLARREAL Journal Staff Writer
Muleshoe High School's Teen Leadership organization is receiving statewide attention for their newsletter and class projects.

The MHS Teen Leadership Class was recognized in the latest newsletter of the Texas Leadership Education Foundation for their work on their own local newsletter, which highlights the activities and accomplishments of Teen Leadership members.
The newsletter's "Spotlight on Success" featured MHS Teen Leadership organization along with organizations from much larger Houston and Dallas schools.

Teen Leadership Instructor Carolyn Johnson believes the state newsletter learned about her class through Flip Flipper, the man who organized the Teen Leadership organization in Texas. Flipper, who receives the local newsletter, also works with the Texas LeadershipEducation Foundation.

In addition to gaining attention for their newsletter, the MHS Teen Leadership classes was recognized for their work with state legislators in coordinating a tour of Austin.

Students have been earning points during the school year through extra work and projects. The students with the

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## Their own medicine

Muleshoe High School Teen Leadership reporters (from left) Stephan Sutton, Lisa Garcia and Amanda Valdez read an article in the Texas Leadership Foundation's quarterly newsletter, which featured an article on MHS's own leadership newsletter.

Diaz wins Muleshoe spelling bee by Samuel villarreal Journal Staff Writer
DeShazo Elementary fifthgrader Elida Diaz correculy spelled "porcupine" 10 win the Muleshoe spelling bee Thursday aftemoon. The spell-
ing bee , which ingbee, wich
took place in


Muleshoe In- Diaz
dependent School District, included sixteen students from DeShazo Elementary and Watson Junior High School. The competition ended only
after a long final round between Diaz and WJHS eighth-grader Michael Collins.

At the start of the final round, consisting of occupations, Coliins misspelled "obstetri-
cian", only to be redeemed when Diaz misspelled "sculp-

The two spellers then blazed through medical terms like "cancer", "mumps" and "frac ture," until Collins once again stumbled, this time missing coronary. He was once again "seizure. o mammals, but after two rounds, Collins incorrectly on to spell "porcupine," letting out a dramatic sigh of relief when told she was correct. Diaz will represent Mule shoe at the regional spelling bee March 29 at Cavazos Jun ior High School in Lubbock. Other students participating in the bee included Ashley Williams, Juanita Mendoza Paje Depalma, Elidla Diaz, Je emy Norman, Sarah Dominguez, Latasina Glover, Ashley Beggs, Judy Marquez Kelsey Beggs, Trawis Tunnell Louie Pacheco, Zach Barrett Adrienne Ashford and Tarrell Tunnell.

Cancer screening price change announced MISD spring break March 24-28
Information previously released by the Don and Syori Harrington Cancer Center concerning the cost of the Marc) 10 cancer screening clinic in Muleshoe was incorrec of the screening will be $\$ 75$
Participants will receive a lost-cost screening that in
cludes a mammogram and instruction on self-examination FSA training course in Morton March 15 by a registered nurse.
Funding is available through the Texas Department Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. Al exams are done by appointment only. Call 159-467 $800-377-4673$ ext. 176 for more information.
Alzheimers group meeting March 13
The Alzheimers Care Group will meet at 7 p.r.
13 at the United Methodist Church in Muleshoe.
For more information, call Mary Nell Bleeker
MISD considering Spanish night course
The Muleshoe Independent School District is consider
a beginning conversational Spanish class, to start Marc
18. Cost would be $\$ 100$.
from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at DeShazo Elementary (room
and be taught by Connie Alanis.
Persons interested in taking the class should MISD administration building curriculum office 3325. A minimum enrollment of 10 people is require the class to be offered.
Soup and Sandwich luncheon March 13
This month's Soup and Sandwich Luncheon pe will be held March 13 from noon to 1 p.m. at the fello hall of the 16th and D Church of Christ in Muleshoe meal will feature chili.
This month's program will be a Easter video prese tion portraying the Last Supper.
Kids First ministry meeting Tuesdays The First Baptist Church of Muleshoe will hold an af school children's ministry each Tuesday afternoon, excep for spring break, from 3:30-4:45. The group n First Baptist Church Activity Center, 219 E. Avenue B. The meetings are led by responsible adults and and feature activities and recreation for the kids For mo

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## School Menus

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Bruns

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$\qquad$ formance and literature from the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y
Bruns said he prefers the baroque style of music, which was developed during the Re naissance and written specifically for royalty. Bruns said he enjoys the challenge of playing such regal music

## Correction

Brice Redwine of Lazbud die, had the reserve breed champion at the Houston Livestock Show \& Rodeo
In a March 6 story, the Journal listed Brice Foster of Lazbuddie as having the reserve Main Anjou champion serve Ma
.The Journal regrets the er or and any inconvenience the mistake may have cause


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legislation

WASHINGTON - U.S. Rep. Larry Combest (R-Lubbock) is working to reinstate needed flexibility for farmers of the Texas High Plains to plant a follow-on crop of blackeyed peas, if their main commodity crop fails.
As vice chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, Combest on Tuesday introducedthe legislation, H.R. 913 . He noted that it has been a long-standing practice for farmers to plant a vegetable crop when their cotton crop fails because of drought, pest infestations, or other adverse weather conditions.
Under previous commodity program regulations, farmer could plant a fallback fruit or vegetable crop without losing their deficiency payments. However USDA will no
grant an exception provide for failed acres under the 199 Farm Bill, despite its similar ity to other "grandfathered practices.
Among cosponsors of the Combest legislation are U.S Representatives Charles Stenholm (D-Texas), Mac Thornberry (R-Texas), and Frank Lucas (R-Oklahoma). A number of producer ping found that ghost crop ping black are thems can e fectively phey lirst primary crop," said Combes "This very narrow technical fix keeps the ground produc tive with a useful crop that presents very little, if any, unfair competition to the nation's produce industry.

## Telephone

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Methodist Church, where he serves on the administrative board, the board of trustees and the finance committee.

A catered barbecue dinne will be servec by K-Bob Steak House of Hereford, and drawings for doorprizes val ued at over $\$ 1,000$ will be held The grand doorprize will be beef gift certificate for $\$ 200$.

Have a nice day!


Presidential aid
Sharon Grant, president of the Muleshoe Association to Serve the Hungry (MASH) refills a cup of ice tea during a
undraising luncheon Thursday at the First Baptist Church.

## Election

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currently the only person to for nine years, have both filed have filed for a place on the for re-election.
May 3 ballot.
Two positions on the Mule Area Hospital and Muleshoe As well as the board positions will be held Mayoral election, by Tim "Buck" Campbell, and shoe High School cafeteria Position 4, currently held by : Three at-large position will Bob Finney. Both Finney and be up for election on the Three Campbell hour Finney and plications to be placed on the ballot for the election. No other applications have been re quested so far, according to MAHD administrative secre ary Sharon Plott.
Campbell and Finney have each served on the hospita board since its creation in 1989 Seats 1 and 4 on the Mule shoe Independent Schoo District Board of Trustees will be up for election.

Arnold Price, who has held Position 1 on the MISD board for six years, and Curtis Shel burne, who has held Position
 three years.
rinn. Applications fort file dacy are available at the Three Way Business office, and must e filed by March 19 .

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## Mules rebound with 5-1 win at Frenship

WOLFFORTH-Layne Kemp pitched a six-hitter and Rodney Alanis drove in fourruns, leading Muleshoe - $5-1$ win over Lubbock Cooper Thursday in the first ond of the Frenship Jur ior Varsity Tournament. Muleshoe (2-2) played Olton Friday in the championship quarterfinals. Olton beat Ralls 8-6 in the first round.
Sophomore Josh Pyle was expected to start for Muleshoe against Olton. Kemp (1-2) struck out eight and walked two while going the distance
Muleshoe coach Brad Hill was happy with the way his team rebounded from a 32-2 shellacking at the hands of Seminole Monday "It was important that we came out and played well to put that game behind us, Hill said.

Muleshoe jumped out to 3-0 lead in the bottom of
the first. Jarrod Redwine plus a walk loaded the bases for Alanis, who chased home the first two runs with a sharp single to right.

## BASEBALL

 Frenship JV Tourney at Wolfforth Thursday1st round
Idalou 13, Shallowater 4 Abernathy 9, Dimmilt 2 Frenship JV 10, Lamesa Olton 8, Ralls 6
Muleshoe 5, Cooper
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Championship quarterlinals
Idalou vs laalou vs Abernathy
Olton vs Muleshoe Championship semifinals Idalou/Abernathy winner Frenship JV Muleshoc-OIt Levelland JV Consolation quarterfinals Dimmitt vs Lamesa JV
Cooper vs Snyder IV

Redwine scored on Matt McClanahan's ground out to make it 3-0.
Cooper scored a run in the fifth on three hits to make it 3 -

Alanis singled in Kemp i the bottom of the fifth to make it 4-1. Kemp singled, stole second, and scored on Alanis' third hit of the game.
The Mules scored their final

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Littlefield beat Muleshoe 19-17 in a freshman baseball game Tuesdayat the city baseball field.
Leading 16-15, Littlefield scored three runs in the top of the sixth. Muleshoe pushed across a pair of runs in the bottom of the sixth to make it 19-17, but the game was called due to time constraints.
Catcher Clint Black had a pair of doubles for Muleshoe (0-1), which finished with nine hits. Left fielder Lucio Soto added a pair of singles. Littlefield collected 10 hits off of two Muleshoe pitchers. Littlefield jumped out to a 9-0 lead after an inning and a half.

Muleshoe fought back with seven runs in the second inning and pulled within 12-11 with four runs in the third
By Muleshoe could never catch Littlefield, which scored at least two runs in every inning. Kyle Hahn started and pitched the first three innings for Muleshoe. Cameron Nix pitched the final three innings and was charged with the loss.

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## Warren earns all-district honors

Lazbuddie junior makes second team
Roxann Warren stood tal all year for the Lazbuddie Lady Longhorns.
Despite playing against players three to four inches taller most games, the 5-7 juniorpost still managed to average 16 points and 5.8 rebounds a game.

Warren was rewarded for her hard work by being named to the District 3-1A second team.

## Hodge wins Friona Invite in playoff

FRIONA - Muleshoe freshman Ryan Hodge birdied the first playoff hole to win the Friona Invitational boys golf tournament Thursday at Friona Country Club.
layed To girls tournamen ished eighth 10th.

Vega won the girls team title with a 407 . Tulia was two shots Hodge and Tyler Chadwick back at 409. Muleshoe shot a of Farwell were tied at 4-over 452 and Lazbuddie a 512. par 76 at the end of 18 holes.

Muleshoe did not field team in the tournament.
Freshman Kolbe Magby also competed for Muleshoe shooting a 118 .

Morton captured the team title with a 329 . Friona was second at 333 and Farwell third at 337 .
emotion and just works hard at everything she does," Lazbuddie coach Carey Sudduth said "She was our most dependable scorer and became the leader of our team.
District runner-up Nazareth placed two players on the first team, juniors K'Lynn Gerber and Amy Pohlmeier. Farwell's Candace Travis, Vega's Cami Rea and Happy's Leah Lair rounded out the first team. District champion Happy also placed two players on the second team.
Lazbuddie's Kia Morris earned honorable mention. Morris averaged eight points

BASKETBALL
All-District 1-3A GIRLS
FIRST TEAM
Leah Lair, sr................... Happy Candace Travis, j Cami Rea, soph.
Amyv Pohlmeier, Amyv Pohlmeier, jr.............Vegazareth K'Lynn Gerber, jr. .......Nazareth SECOND TEAM Jamie Vick, soph., Happy; Karen Moudy, jr.; Happy; Veronica Mace, jr., Farwell; Roxann Warren, Jr. Lazbuddi Misty Ball, sr. Nazareth. Kia Morris, Lazbuddie, soph.
game and was the Lady Longhorns best defender and rebounder, Sudduth said.

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| All-District 1-3A |
| GIRLS |
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| Candace Travis, jr. ........Farwell |
| Cami Rea, soph. ..............Vega |
| Amyv Pohlmeier, jr..... Nazareth |
| K'Lynn Gerber, jr. .......Nazareth |
| SECOND TEAM |
| Jamie Vick, soph., Happy; |
| Karen Moudy, jr.; Happy; |
| Veronica Mace, jr., Farwell; Roxann Warren, Jr. Lazbuddie; |
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Odssey of the Mind teams ready for competition

## By SAMUEL VILLARREAL

Journal Staff Writer
The Mary DeShazo Odyssey of the Mind (OM) teams competed Saturday at the regional competition in Amarillo.
Three teams competed against schools from the Panhandle area in three separate events. For the first event, "Double Trouble", students designed and construct two balsa wood structures. The structures, which must weigh at or less a combined 35 grams, are tested to see how much weight they can support. In practice tests, the
DeShazo structure was supporting more than 200 DeShazo
pounds.
Students in the "Double Trouble" event were Jamie Carpenter, Mitchi Hawkins, Brittany Williams, Cami Jo Vandiver, Kyle Yell, Brady Broyles and Amber Cowart.
In the second event, "Heroic Proportions," students must create a skit in which a character uses proportion in a positive manner.
The DeShazo students wrote a skit in which a detective takes a growth potion so he can stop a large bank robber.
The potion backfires and the detective shrinks to such small proportions that his own backyard becomes a jungle. He meets a ladybug and helps her paint herself red so she can blend into a tomato paint herself red so
garden to eat safely
garden to eat safely.
The ladybug returns the favor by asking some bumblebees to help her new friend. The bees sting the thief as he tries to sneak into the bank, foiling his robbery.
Students in the "Heroic Proportions" event include Brady Black, Hillary Tipps, Sarah Pace, Erin Gallman, Marlee Black, Bryan King and Tyrel Gear.
Gear.
In the third event, "OMerdroids," students designed and built robots that could perform specific functions, such as blinking, walking and raising its hand.
Students in the "OMerdroids" event were Brant Wedel, Erin Newton, Robbie Jan Barrett, Jonathan

Mules
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 Alanis drew and littefield 19, MULESHOE17 Alanis drew a bases loaded Littlefield 45322319105 walk. $\quad$ Muleshoe $\begin{array}{lllll}074 & 132 & 17 & 99\end{array}$
Alanis went 3 for 3 and Jephcott,Johnson (3), Markes (4) Kemp was 3 for 4 as the Mules $\begin{aligned} & \text { and de la Santos. Hahn, Nix (4) and } \\ & \text { Black.WP-Markes. LP - Nix.2B }\end{aligned}$ pounded out 10 hits. The Mules host Portales, N.M. Monday at 5 p.m. and de la Santos. Hahn, Nix (4) and
Black. WP-Markes. LP - Nix. 2B

- Black (M) 2, Kirby (L), Joyce (L).
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Sweet as butterscotch DeShazo fourth grader Sa rah Dominguez nervously twiddles her fingers as she spells "butterscotch" during the Muleshoe Spelling Bee, held Thursday in the administration building of the Mule shoe Independent Schoo District.

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Blend
Hillary Tipps (left) helps a ladybug, played by Marlie Black, paint her black spots red so she can hide in a tomato garden. The skit was competition.

Marlow, Trevor Turnbow, Kayla teach students any skills they may Spradling and Jessica Hall. need, but the students must then use OM coach Jan King said the stu- the skills on their own. The students dents do all the work on their own. write skits and construct projects enParents and teachers are allowed to tirely on their own.

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Saturday, March 1, 1997
624 head of cattle, 113 hogs and 183 sheep and goats were sold. All stocker and feeder cattle sold steady. Pairs and bred cows
stronger with good demand while packer cows sold $\$ 2-\$ 3$ higher stronger with good demand while packer cows sold $\$ 2-\$ 3$ higher.

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The Muleshoe Cattle Market is brought to you each week by Muleshoe Livestock Auction,
of Muleshoe on U.S. 84. Muleshoe Livestock conducts soles every Saturday, beginning with hogs, sheep gin

Teens
Continued from page 1 highest number of points ill be selected to go to Austin May.
House Speaker Pete Laney will personally guide the students through the state capital, governors mansion, and the LBJ Library. The students will Subscribe Today!
also sit in a session Texas
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## 5Area donates computer to South Plains College

Five Area Telephone Coगperative, Inc. and West Plains telecommunications, Inc., recently donated their IBM AS/ 400 model F35 Computer to South Plains College in Levelland
On hand for the presentation of the computer equipment from SPC were Debbie Lamprecht, assistant professor of their computer science department; Jerry Gilmer of SPC and Scott Rotramel of SPC. According to Gary McDaniel, president of South Plains College, the equipment will be a tremendous asset to their ongoing programs in teaching computer science at the col-
lege.
Making the presentation to

## N URSING HOME NEWS

Lib King, Modean Graves August Edmiston, Naomi
Black, GladysPierce andLillie Black, GladysPierce andLillie
Wuerflein were all honored Wuerflein were all honored day, Feb. 27. Glenda Jenning entertained with fun and song. Party hostess were volunteer plus, the activity dept. Donna Locker and Glenda Jennings asting Impressions provided

## OBITUARIES

Viva Curry Lindsay Funeral services for Viv
Curry Lindsey, 74, of Mule shoe were held March 5 at 16th \& Ave. D Church of Christ, Muleshoe with Curtis Shelburne, minister officiating Buriatfollowed inthe Mule shoe Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home, Muleshoe.
Mrs. Lindsey died March at her residence. She was born Feb. 22, 1923 in Hollis, Okla She married Truman Lindsey July 11, 1943 in San Bernardino, Calif. He died Sept. 1976.

Mrs. Lindsey had lived in Muleshoe since 1953, moving from Perry, Okla. She was a member of the 16 th and Ave. Church of C ist,

Hubert Kidd, manager and ex ecutive vice president of Five Area Telephone Cooperative Inc. and West Plains Telecom munications, Inc.; Kay Harris, data Processing supervisor for Five Area/West Plains; and Sharla Saylor, data processing Clerk for Five Area/ West Plains.
The IBM AS/400 Model F35 Computer was recently updated to the new IBM AS/ 400 Model 500. Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and West Plains Telecommunications, Inc. is proud to help South Plains College in a way that's beneficial to both the cooperative and the students who
will benefit the most from this donation.


In tune
Members of the Muleshoe High School choir performed Thursday during a MASH fundraising luncheon at the First Baptist Church

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ADMISSIONS
The Muleshoe Area Medical Center has reported the following admissions: Feb. 28 - Terry Williams, Altha Turner, Ruie Dutton March 1-Terry Williams, Altha Turner, Ruie Dutton March2-Terry Williams, Lino Salas, Altha Turner, Ruie Dutton
March 3 - Lino Salas, Altha Turner, $\begin{array}{r}\text { Nettie } \\ \text { Quesenberry, } \\ \text { Richard }\end{array}$ Cunningham, Ruie Dutton March 4 - Lino Salas, Nettie Quesenberry, R.B Cunningham, Ruie Dutton March5-SabrinaGuerra, Lino Salas, Pearline Roberts, Nettie Quesenberry, R.B. Cunningham
March 6-Sabrina Guerra, Lino Salas, Pearline Roberts, Nettie Quesenberry, R.B. Cunningham, Laura Reese

## By Joy Stancell

the flowers.
Thursday morning Nancy Lemons brought ceramics for the residents to paint Thursday morning. Residents participat ing were Naomi Black Kathrine Rogers, Aline Locke, Florene Harvey, Boatie Tiller, Hazel Riddle, Nettie Pearlie Helmer, Lora Dale Pearlie Helmer, Lora Dale,

She was co-owner of Lindsey Jewelry, Muleshoe from 1954 to 1988. She was a member of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Muleshoe Jennyslippers. She had been working part time for the Ambassador Greeting Cards. She
was preceded in death by two sisters, Gracie Taylor and Tressie Curry.
Survivors include one daughter, Charlene Shafer of Curry of Hollis; two grandchildren, Traci Helms an Culley Shafer.
The family suggests memo fis to 16 th \& Ave. D Church af Christ, Muleshoe, TX 79347 tion, 3403 73rd St. Suite 1 Lubbock, Texas 79423.

## HPSILON DELTA NEWS

Johanna Wrinkle, president of Epsilon Delta, presided over the larch meeting held in Sudan in the elementary school library with approximately 25 members presen
This meeting marked the 39th anniversary of the founding of Epsilon Delta Chapter in Bailey and Lamb Counties.
The highlight of the evening was the recognition of four of the Charter Members of the organization. They were honored by resentations of Charter Certificates and red roses. A birthday cake, complete with candles, added to the festive celebration.

The active charter members in Epsilon Delta are Elizabeth Watson of Muleshoe, Elsie Wilson and Maxine Nichols of Sudan, and Mary B. Obenhous of Abilene. Two of the charter members, Elizabeth Watson and Elsie Wilson, were present to receive their honors. They shared some interesting remembrances of the first meeting held 39 years ago.
The last meeting of this year will be held in May in Muleshoe at which time several new members will be initiated in the Chapter:


Lillie Wuerflein. Pastor David McIntire visited Thursday morning and directed the devotional/reflection time.
Carolyn Johnson's leadership class, Adopt a Grandparent Program, visited Thursday afternoon and played Bingo with the grandparents. This was a time of laughter and sharing and getting acquainted.

## In recognition of National

 Florist week Betty Wuerflein, our local florist and owner of Decorators Floral and Gift, demonstrated flower arranging to the residents and visitors Friday afternoon.The Muleshoe Church of Christ have communion Servieeseach'Sundaymorning for e residents
The Calvary Baptist Church came for Church services Sun-
day afternoon.
Up coming events in March are, St. Patrick's Day Party, hosted by the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers, Monday March 17th at 10 a.m.; Easter

## Are We Really In the Grip of Grace? <br> lly In the Grip

I spent a little time on Friday reading the first few pages of Max
Lucado's new book In the Grip of Lucado's new book In the Grip of you've missed a treat! I don't know anyone who presents the Good News in a more biblical, compelling, readable, and enjoyable way. Anything he writes is good. I thought I might have a small
claim to fame since my brother Gene
jerk? When I snap at anything that moves; when my thoughts are gut-ter-level; when my tongue is sharp
enough to slice a rock. How does he feel about me then?
"That's the question. Can I drift $t 00$ far? Wait too long? Slip too much? Did I out-sin the love of God? "The answer is found in one of life's sweetest words-grace.
"'Ponder the "'Ponder the achievement of God,' Max offers. 'God doesn't
condone our sin, nor does he comcondone our sin, nor does he com-
promise his standard. He doesn't promise his standard. He doesn't
ignore our rebellion, nor does he ignore our rebellion, nor does he
relax his demands. Rather than disrelax his demands. Rather than dis-
miss our sin, he assumes our sin miss our sin, he assumes our sin
and, incredibly, incredibly sentences himself. God is still holy. Sin is still $\sin$. And we are redeemed. Max invites us "to walk the mountain peaks of God's mercy. In the Grip of Grace will remind you that the God who first made you strong enough to sustain you." I believe it! I hope you do, too,
because it is the truth of the Gospel because it is the truth of the Gospel
and it is deeply and beautifully true and it is deeply and beautifully true. I don't give many overt commer-
cials in this column, but I think I will this week. Sunday afternoon at $1: 30$ in the fellowship hall of the 16th \& D Church, we're going to start reading Max's book together and using it as a springboard to some very informal Bible study, discussion, and sharing. Anybody interested in that kind of study is welc me to come and read with us. No strings, no
obligations, no deposit, and you obligations, no deposit, and you
don't have to return. We'll have the coffee on.
Curtis Shelloume is minister of the 16 th $\& D$
Church of Chist in Mulesto.
Party, Friday March 28th at 3 Thursday, March 277 at at 3 p.m.; Toast to Texas Friday
March 7th $10-11$ mell March 7th 10-11 a.m., 3 p.m. Claudine Embry, Lanell
Stancell, Mary Jo Burge, Pat Watson, Beverly Wagnon, Skeet Bradshaw, Jolene Espinosa, Leesa Gable came to shampoo and set the ladies hair and give manicures. Carolyn Johnson brought Center Tuesday to clean up the patio. Ronnie Shafer also came to share his expertise with the

Happy March Birthday to Florence Harvey 3/3; A. Hernandez 3/6; Patricia Orozco 3/45; Nettie Quesenberry 3/7; . Wisian 3/15; Irene Splawn

The Truth Seekers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church gave a donation to the Healthcare Center: Also the ocal A.A.R.P.
ednesday morning Buster ork on this one, but, alas, he tells me it was someone else says that Max is asking in this book a very important question as he (Lucado) writes a series of essays dealing with truths from Paul's amazing Letter to the Romans. Since it's a question all believers and many others ask, I bet you've asked it, too. "Can anything separate us from the love Christ has for us?
"This is what we want to know. Does God really love us forever?
Not just on Easter Sunday when our shoes are shined and our hair is fixed. Deep within we want to know how God feels about me when I'm a

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Coffee/Donut time. Following grandchildren and great-grandthe coffee, conversation and a children this week. bitof humor. Busterand Nancy At this writing R.B. Kidd lead the group in a sing- Cunningham and Nettie spiration devotional time Cunningham and Nettie hospital. Please keep them in hospital. Pease keep them in
your prayers for the speedy
Students in Carolyn visited their visited their adopted grandparents Wednesday They Rosie Toscano received a decorated their "gisit from a grandson and his door for St. Pats day,
T.R. White was visited by Wednesday

## Notice of Sale

The Bailey Cenral Appraisa District will offer for sale by means of compecitive Be an ofice builaing a a 104 East Avenue C, Muleshoo, Bailey County, Texas
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## Free Yourself from Home Phones <br> m

TheLazbuddieHigh School Scarlet Letter emphasizes her students of the month for February are:
Josh Morris, 15, is the son of Melvin and Vicki Morris His birthday is March 4. Mexican food and root beer are his idea of great cuisine. Forres Gump ranks as best picture. Home Improvement wins his approval forTV entertainment. Roping and sports exemplify what he enjoys the most. Maroon expresses him. The Hobbit specifies his area of literary choice.
Jamie Bohler, 17, is te daugther of Jim and Terri Bohler. Her birthday is April 20. She enjoys Dr. Pepper and Pizza. "Margaritaville"typifies top tune. Tommy Boy makes its mark as best picture Seinfeld entertains her. Band expresses her creative talents. Swimming and gymnastics represent fun for her. Dark green is a color preference. The

Scarlet Letter emphasizes he
literary specialty. Becoming
surgical nurse is a goal upo
graduation.
The Lazbuddie Junior Hig
The Lazbuddie Junior High students of
Andy Martin, 12, is the son Linda and Tommy Martin. He was born Sept. 26. His choice meal is sirloin steak at the Steak and Ale with a Surge to wash it down. "We Are The Champions" ranks as hit song Mission: Impossible exempli fies best picture. Home Im provement characterizes his dea of family fun. Math is an area of academic achievement. Car collecting is his special pastime activity. Green con nects him. He likes Queen as his best music group. Scream ers typifies his genre of litera ture. Playing basketball is op priority to him in the fu-

Candice Randolph is the


Students of the month for February
Pictured are: (top-left) Candice Randolph, Andy Martin (bottom-left) Jamie Bohler, Josh Morris.
daughter of Lyneldon and Pat Randolph. She was born Sept. 1. Pizza and a cherry lime epitomize the best in eating. "R.I.O.T" ranks as top song. "A Cry In the Wild" ranks as best flick. Touched by an Angel expresses her kind of TV show.ComputerLiteracy show
is her area of academic exper tise. Basketball is an area she enjoys as pastime fun. Purple is her color. Point of Grace explains her musical group. Sixteen is her favorite book Her goals are to attend the college of her choice, find a job, and have a family.

## LAZBUDDIE 4TH SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

The following Lazbuddie El-
The following Lazbuddie Elweeks honor roll:
"A" Honor Roll
2nd Grade - Castle Crawford, Clint Grahn, Brandy Hudson, Jennifer Pesch, Amberlee Steinbock, Montana Steinbock
3rd Grade - Nathan Pesch, Madison Smith
4th Grade - Chris DeLeon, Tanner Gartin, Mandy Haney, Susie
Juarez, Brett Mimms, GarretIScisson 5th Grade - Shonnah Black, NicoleLewandowski, RobertMartin, Bethenie Sanchez
"A-B" Honor Roll
2nd Grade - Bradley Branscum, Jason Davis, Erica Derma, Bryce Haney, Kyra Kimbrough, Stephanie Williams

3rd Grade-Kirby Kimbrough, Roper Smith, Richard Welker 4th Grade - Ana Hernandez, Cory Puckett, Adrian Ruiz, Melanie Winders
5th Gr
5th Grade - Violet Aguilar, Suzanne Aragon, Cobey Branscum, Kelli Harris, Kera Lewandowski, Raul Mata, Michelle Scout, Sterling Via, Kolby Wilkerson, Kevin Wil liams
The following students were named the to the Lazbuddie High School six weeks honor roll:
Principal's "A" Honor Roll
6th Grade - Andy Martin,
Tobin Redwine
7th Grade
7th Grade - Savannah Black - Kati Mimms, Gallman

## THREE WAY SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The following students made the fourth six wee:
Way School:

All "A" Average
1st Grade - Tiffany Davis, Marco Marines, Cenee Hood, Cassie Kirby
3rd Grade - Caleb Heinrich, Trevor Hood, Cody Kirby, Lauren Layton

4th Grade - Rigo Rodriguez 5th Grade - Buddy Holmes Kaylie James
6th Grade - Sammy Castillo, Ashley Layton, Monica Walker, Julie Salamanca
11th Grade - Russell Pollard, Josh Tooley
12th Grade-April Cook, Diana Salamanca
"A" Average
Colton Heinrich
Luis Vironche
3rd Grade - Nathan James Cristal Landeros, Jose Vironche 4th Grade - Norma Baeza, Cory Conteras, Sarah Furgeson, Chris Kindle, Jennifer Kirby
5th Grade - Katye Cook, Veronica Martha 7th Grade - Joel Armendariz, Leanne Draus, Anthony Furgeson, Jimmy James, Christy Mills, Robert Rodriguez

8th Grade - Ernesto Navarro Eric Sowder
Poilh Grade - Kasey Davis, Scot Poilard, Rosa Soliz, Sid Weekes 10th Grade - Jonathan Kindle Sammy Soliz

12th Grade - Kyle Kindle, Lupe Landeros, Melanie McCaul, Chris Soliz

9th Grade - Amy Angeley, Desirae Brakebill, Scotie Brown Jason Jesko, Veronica Mata, Leah

10th Grade - Seth Black, Jill Hodges, Josh Morris, Kia Morris Cade Morris, Shena Seaton 11th Grade - Deon Gallman, Cameron Turner, Dustin Weir Jamie Bohler, Shana Foster Mandy Jamie Bohler, Shana Foster, Mandy Principal's "AB" Honor Roll 6th Grade - Lucas Deleon, th Grade - Lucas Deleon,
Andrew Martinez, Brady Mimms 7th Grade - Kelsey Jones, Jeffrey Guillen, Kayla Kimbrough, Candice Randolph, Jay Seaton, Jodie Coker

8th Grade - Fabian Guzman, Mayra Hernandez, Stephanie Sharp, Cole St. Clair
9th Grade
9th Grade - Randy Bohler, Kristen Carson, Michael Carson, Staci Foster, Garret Magby, Zulema Marquez, Bobby Martha, Jeffery Seaton
10th Grade - Holly Engelking Javier Lopez, Rachel Rodriquez,
Adam St. Clair Adam St. Clair
11th Grade
Foster, Robert Nail, Brice Redwine Juan Salazar, Chris Smith, Jason Thomas, Roxann Warren
12th Grade - Tina Boh Heath Brown, Janis Hernandez Jennifer Hill, Rebecca Mata, Justin St. Clair


Students of the month of March
Pictured are: (back-left) Richard Welker, Adrian Ruiz, Raul Mata, (front) Amberlee Steinbock, Regina Mata, Richie Aguilar, Callie Sterling.

## AZBUDDIE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Aguilar, son of Julio and Teresa
for March have been named at Lazbuddie Elementary School These students have displayed outstanding qualities of charcter, citizenship, and leader ship. They have proven to be an asset to their class and to heir school. Each student was presented a ribbon and commended for their efforts. They are the following:
Pre-kindergarten - Callie Sterling, daughter of Bill and Susie Sterling $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Susie Sterling } & \text { son of Eraul and Valentina } \\ \text { Kindergarten }- \text { Richie } & \text { Mata }\end{array}$
For thickening soups and saus, you can use constarch instead

For thickening soups and sauces, you can use cornstarch instead
of flour. One tablespoon of cornstarch equals two tablespoons of
flour.
1st grade - Regina Mata, daughter of Eraul and Valentina Mata 2nd grade - Amberlee Steinbock, daughter of Dennis and Tanya Steinbock

3rd grade - Richard Welker, son of Ralph and Nancy Welker
4th Grade - Adrian Ruiz, on of Albert and Juana Garcia 5th Grade - Raul Mata, -

## WHHS 4TH SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

The Muleshoe Watson Junior
High announce the following students to the honor roll:
6th Grade - Gradee Adrian, Wyndolyn Allison, Crystal Bailey, Bailey Barrier, Larry Broyles, Juan Cortes, Jordan Dale, Krystal Deaquino, Valarie Ellis, Carla Estrada, LiliaFlores,Jenny Hall, Jodi Hawkins, Laura Lewis, Mindy Locker, Felicia Mumau, Susan Ortega, Ryan Powell, Eva Pylant, Cydni Vandiver, Deic Villa, Jo, Wedel Erica Whin Villa, Jami

7th Grade - Ricardo Aburto, Megan Barrett, Amanda Bell, Laura Bonds, Austin Buhrman, Jessica Carpenter, Elizabeth Castorena, Monica
Chavez, Mima Contreras, Nicole Felan, Carmen Flores, Kayla Glover, James Hancock, Jessica Hard, Loric Herington Olimpica Hernandez Herington, Olimpica Hernandez,
Rendi Hodge, Candace Hutto Michael Johnson, Brandi Jones, Kayla Kelley, Mathew Lopez, Matthew Luna, Kristen Magby, Ashley May, Suzanne Messenger, Brandon Mount, Jennifer Rempe, Lincoln Riley, Stephan Shelburne, Janna Skaggs, Brenda Villezcas, Laura Wood, Zacarias Yanis
8th Grade - Lindsey Altman,
Adrienne Ashford, Letti Barrera,

Zachary Barrett, Brandon Broyles, Kinsee Estep, Melissa Flores, Diana Gable, Jessica Hernandez, Tommie Hermandez, Jeffrey King, Stephani Kirk, Jerrell Otwell, Westin Price,
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