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Water rules eased

City of Post to stay at Stage 3

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

SPUR – Rainfall over the past four months has been just enough to get the area back into some better footing in regards to water issues.

According to officials at the White River Municipal Water District, water restrictions are being curbed a bit for the foreseeable future.

“The District is pleased to inform our customers that our Surface Water and Ground Water plants are both on-line and are serving our communities with drinking water,” said WRMWD General Man-

ager Tom Fulton. “We have all been blessed with the recent rain events and certainly now understand how precious our water resources are.”

According to Fulton beginning on Aug. 10 the district will go from Stage 4 to Stage 2. This change is in force for the next six weeks, until Sept. 30.

This means that residents of Rawls, Spur and Crosbyton can resume watering activities for lawns, gardens and alike from their household faucets. Some of these communities for at least the last two years.

According to the Stage 2 drought contingency plan, customers with addresses ending in an even number (0, 2, 4, 6, or 8) may water on even numbered days of the month, but only be-

tween the hours of 5 to 8 a.m.

Customers with addresses ending in an odd number (1, 3, 5, 7 or 9) may water on odd numbered days of the month between the same times in the morning.

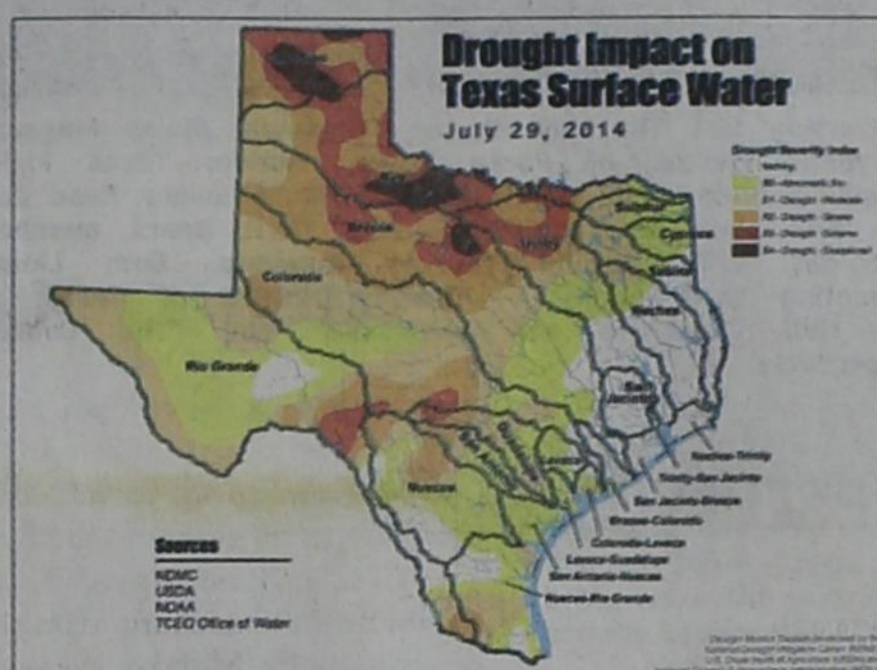
The City of Post, however, is going to stay right where they are at Stage 3 restrictions.

“We will remain in stage 3. We have invested into a long-term water solution,” said City Manager Deana Watson. “We want to focus more on the long-term.”

The city has a couple of well projects in the works and that may present a more permanent fix to the issue.

“We want to encourage recycling water for trees, yards and plants,” she said.

“We are seeing a light at



the end of the tunnel for this third source.”

“At that point our goal, we hope, we can come completely out of restrictions by this time next year, we may not need to be in a stage.”

According to National Weather Service information, areas of the panhandle have received upwards of 11.5 inches from April through July. Some of those rains have managed to make

it into watershed of White River Lake.

Many residents around Post have resorted to trucking in water for yards and gardens, while other have simply run the risk of a municipal ticket and watered their yards anyway.

The District Drought Contingency Plan can be viewed at our website www.whiterivermunicipalwaterdistrict.com.

Credit card theft reported

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

POST – A crime of opportunity is simply that. Someone takes advantage of a situation and the act occurs.

Credit card theft is never pretty and it does happen, even in Post.

This particular event took place without anyone suspecting a thing until almost a month later.

Weldon Smith discovered a theft from his bank account in June, but the actual theft stated way back in mid-April. A local banking institution alerted Smith of some questionable charges to his account.

According to the Garza County Sheriff's records, over \$1,800 was stolen from an account and over a period of six weeks.

The charges range from simple purchases for gas and food, to paying for cell phone services and utility services.

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Cale Fogerson, header and Sky Moore, heeler rode as a team in this past weekend's Garza County Team Roping event. See who the winners were on the inside of today's Post Dispatch.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Weems takes oath for office

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

POST – Last week marked the changing of the guard at the Garza County Attorney's office as Ted Weems takes over the reins after County Judge Lee Norman swore him in.

Weems said the immediate challenge for him is meeting the expectations of the community.

“Living up to the expectation for the commissioner's court and the people of Garza County,” he said. “and keeping the bar at the same level set by Mr. Poole.”

Preston Poole retired last week after 30-plus years of public service.

“I believe this is the perfect job, based on my background,” Weems said in an interview this past week.

“This is a dream come true for us to live in Garza County,” he said. “We have been wanting to live out here for the past 38 years.”

Most recently, Weems served as assistant criminal district attorney for Galveston County. Prior

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PMS hosts Antelope Alley

Post Middle School will be hosting “Antelope Alley” for all Post middle school students on August 11th in the school cafeteria. This is the second year for this event. This event will allow us to gather all required paperwork before the first week of school. This event will begin at 5:30 following a similar format as last year.

Students can come by the middle school campus the week of the August 4-7 and pick up a packet that contains all the paperwork for the beginning of school. Inside the packet will be a check-sheet for each station during the Antelope Alley event.

When you pick up your packet it will contain all the paperwork you will need for the current year. This will save a lot of time if you can have these forms filled out and correct before bringing these forms to “Antelope Alley”. This will allow students to breeze right through this event and receive the student schedule and a prize for completing all the forms.

“Antelope Alley” for middle school will begin at 5:30 for 8th grade, then 5:45 for 7th grade and 6 p.m. for the 6th grade.

With the changes taking place within the building for the '14-'15 school year we will not have mandatory lockers assigned, but rather we will have lockers by request. If you would like a locker, come by the middle school any time the week of the 11th through the 14th and check out your schedule and get your locker assignment. The only students that will be in the portable are mainly 8th grade, with some exceptions with a few seventh grade classes.

We look forward to a great year with many changes and excitement happening all year long. Every student in the middle school will be history making classes as they move through the changes that will take place this school year.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact your middle school office (495-2874) for more information.

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School Supplies

Children's Mission Ministry at First Baptist Church are putting together school supplies to assist families in our community. Supplies can be dropped off at the church or Porter Hardware. They are accepting monetary donations as well for this cause.

Season Tickets

Post Bold Gold Antelope Football Season tickets are now on sale. Please contact the Post High School at 806-495-2770

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If you spot an error of fact, contact Editor Kent Mahoney at thepostcitydispatch@gmail.com.

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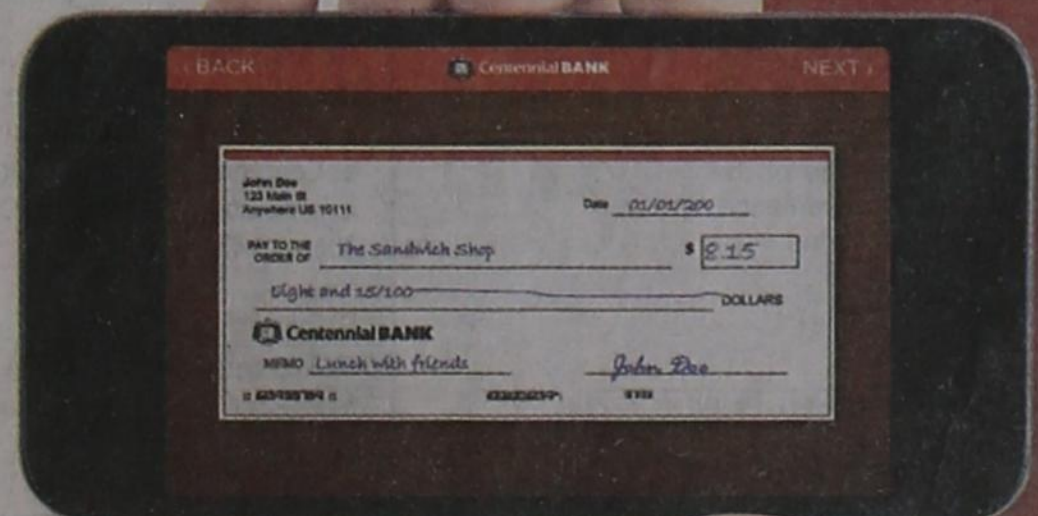
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Conversing last Thursday at the Panhandle Plains Museum in Canyon are author Marybeth Weston of Ponte Vedra, Florida; Texas Plains Trail Region (TPTR) board member Kathy Beach and bookstore owner Rosa Latimer, both of Post, and Jim Brokenbek of Amarillo, also a TPTR Board member. The occasion was a three-day TPTR annual Tourism Roundup. Both Latimer and Weston were promoting their books -- "Harvey Houses of Texas: Historic Hospitality from the Gulf Coast to the Panhandle" and "The Comanche with Blue Eyes," respectively.

Photo by Hanaba Munn Welch

Yesteryears

10 yrs ago

A new push to save the Algerita Hotel building on East Main Street was outlined to the Post City Council at its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, August 3. Respected historical preservationist and Post native Don Collier provided detailed information about the historic building, explaining that "it's not going to fall down right away," but that the building's supporting walls are deteriorating rapidly. Collier, a professor at Texas Tech University, laid out a multi-stage plan for saving the building: (1) contract with a structural engineer for specific plans to secure the structure, (2) get adequate funding and contract for temporary repairs, (3) prepare a detailed plan for restoration, (4) determine best use and (5) develop adequate funding for the project.

20 yrs ago

The Commissioners Court met in regular session Mon., August 8. The main concern of the commissioners was the 94-95 budget, though other items were decided at the session. O.B. Kelly with the Soil Conservation Service was present to inform the court a location for a Dry Hydrant was located. Riley Miller of Justiceburg offered Garza County the benefit of his irrigation wells at Justiceburg as a location for the Dry Hydrant. "This will enable our fire trucks to go to the location and hook up to the hydrant and refill the trucks cutting down on the need of water tankers," said Judge Giles Dalby.

30 yrs ago

The Texas Water Commission granted to Lubbock the permit to build the Jus-

iceburg dam in a unanimous decision Monday evening in Austin. The decision followed the recommendation of Texas Water Commission Hearing Examiner Jim Bourke's to approve the permit. Attorneys for opponents to the dam site presented arguments that Rourke had not been on the case long enough, but the hearing examiner demonstrated to the satisfaction of the commissioners that the case had been thoroughly researched and reviewed.

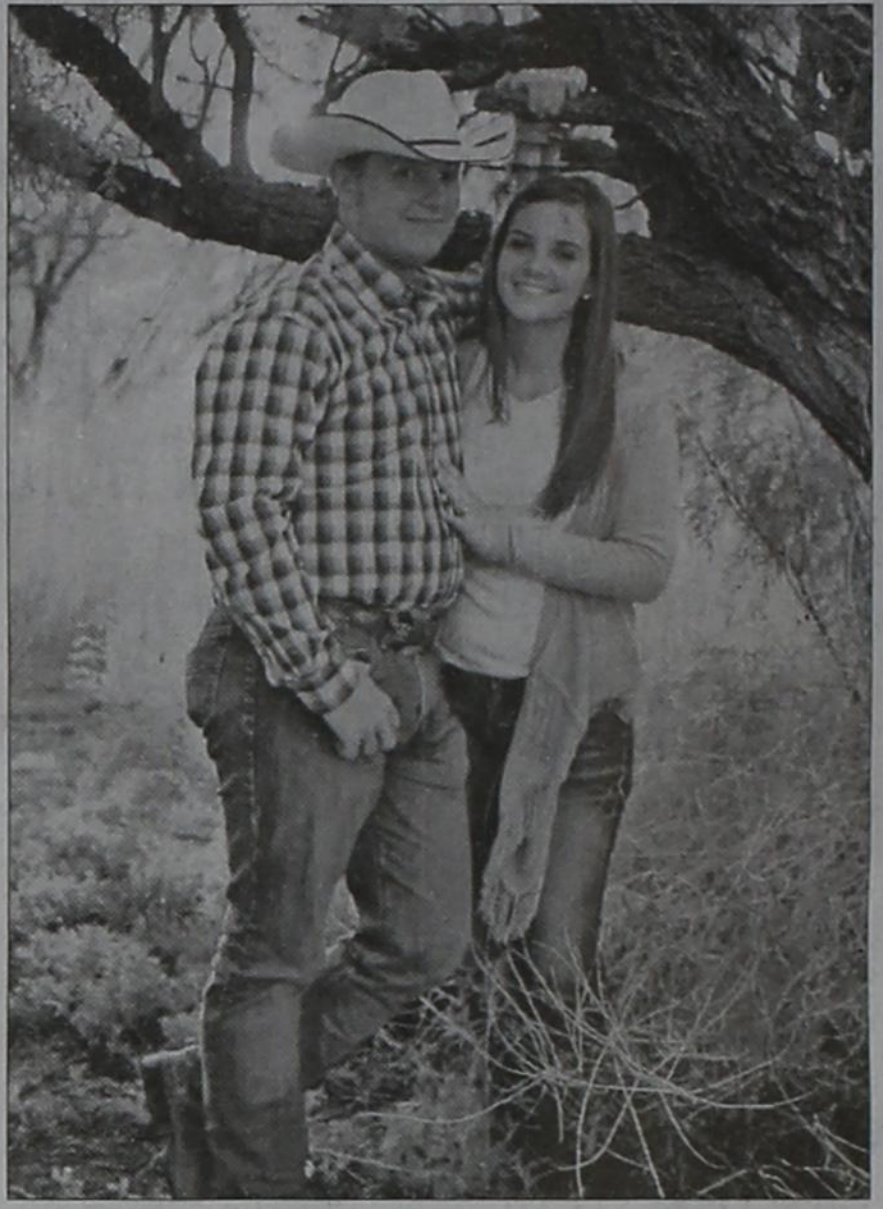
40 yrs ago

Ninety-six ambulance calls have been made by the city-county emergency ambulance service, operated by the Post police department, since Feb. 1. Police Chief Jim Trulove reported to the city council Monday night. He said while collections on ambulance billings were running only 27 per cent to date, the service in July received its Medicare authorization and collections should show a rapid increase. In answer to a question from a councilman he said he thought Medicare would now pay for many of the unpaid earlier runs.

50 yrs ago

The "water crisis" is back! Mayor Harold Lucas called today for all Post residents to use water "as sparingly as possible on trees and shrubs only." Water in the reservoir dropped to only the two-foot level Friday night and Tuesday afternoon. If the cool spell hadn't arrived Tuesday evening, the city would already be out of water. The mayor isn't asking that all outdoor watering be cut but is asking that every possible gallon now be saved. Consumption totaled over a million gallons daily Monday through Friday of last week to bring on the new crisis.

Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Benjie Smith of Crosbyton, Tx are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Taylor Smith to Ryan Belongia, son of Tracie Freeman and Chris Belongia, all which are residents Post, Tx. Brides grandparents are W.C. Garver of Big Springs and Vida Smith of Crosbyton, Tx. Grooms Grandparents are Jerry and Judy Bush and Geneva Belongia all of Post, Tx. A September wedding is planned.

Trailblazers Menu

August 11th-15th 2014

- Monday:** Salisbury Steak, Diced Potatoes, English Peas, Pineapple Rings, Wheat Roll
- Tuesday:** Beef Tips/Rice, Meadow Veggies, Corn, Apple Fluff, Cornbread
- Wednesday:** Fried Chicken, Creamy Potato, Green Beans, Mandarin Cake, Roll
- Thursday:** Spaghetti, Italian Veggies, Pudding, Garlic Bread
- Friday:** Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Pea Salad, Fruit Salad, Roll

Trailblazers Birthdays

Trailblazer August Birthdays:

- Aug. 1 Judy McAlister
- Aug. 2 Jamie Bowen
- Aug. 23 Peggy Smith
- Aug. 24 Carolyn Sawyers
- Aug. 26 Lee Norman
- Aug. 28 Danny Richardson & Herman Tanner

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Texas Honor Flight
The Texas South Plains Honor Flight is taking applications through Aug. 8. The registration form can be downloaded from the website at

texasouthplainsonorflight.org. The flight this year will be in October. For more information, please call 806-990-3128 or 806-620-0262 and ask for J.W. Jolly.

Community Survey
A community survey is now online at www.csgsurvey.com/texas, which is sponsored by the Lubbock Endowment Foundation. This survey is designed to gauge the implementing of funds being passed to communities like Post. Your participation is greatly urged. If you do not have access to a computer, you may find one at the Post Library or Trailblazers.

Back To School Splash
The Community Recovery Center is hosting its annual Back To School Splash on Thursday, August 14, from 6 - 8:30PM, at the Post Public Pool. Admission is by wristband only and free wristbands may be picked up at the Community Recovery, 405 S. Ave. C, Post, Monday thru Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Please come join in our last pool party of the year.

Benevolence fund
Dusty and Renee Clary have a Benevolence Fund set up at Centennial Bank. For more information contact Marie Odom 806-495-4757.

Burger feed
Trailblazers will be having a fundraiser for the Center on Saturday Aug. 9, from 11 a.m. till 1p.m. Hamburgers with all the trimmings. Dessert and drink included. Music and Fun! \$6 a plate at 205 East Main St.

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Notice of Application for Commercial Disposal Well Permit

Cal Oil Company (8700 Commerce Park Dr. Suite 105, Houston, Texas 77036) is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a commercial permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the San Andres, Coleman Junction and Clearfork formations, Carol Sue Reed lease Well No. 6503. The proposed Carol Sue Reed Well No. 6503 well is located 11.6 miles north of Post, Texas in the Pollan (Ellenburger) Field in Garza County. The waste water will be injected into San Andres, Coleman Junction and Clearfork strata in the subsurface depth interval from approximately 2,000 to 3,550 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

Cryptogram

A cryptogram is a puzzle where a sentence is encoded by substituting the actual letters of the sentence with different letters. The challenge of the puzzle is to 'decode' the sentence to reveal the original English sentence. We have provided a few of the decoded letters to help get you started.

Hint: Quote by Patrick Swayze

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© Feature Exchange



Cade Smith shows his roping set up during the Steer Stopping event at the Garza County Team Roping event. Smith took first place in the event.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Fogersons hit the trifecta in roping

POST - It was a Fogerson Family affair Saturday as three of the family members took roping honors at the annual Garza County Team Roping event, benefitting the Jimmie Redman Memorial Scholarship fund.

Close to 30 riders showed for the event, held last weekend at the Post Stampede Rodeo grounds, as a precursor to this weekend's Stampede Rodeo.

Kade Smith and Kyle Fogerson were the winning team after hundreds of runs were made and cowboys were

still pounding the dirt late into the evening.

Paul Peterson took a double dip in the winnings taking second place with Trent McDonald and third with Sky Moore.

Moore also was a double winner as he took fourth place with Matthew Sales.

Jerry Fogerson represented the other side of the family with a fifth place finish teaming with Chad Williams.

Not to be left out, Kade Fogerson

got into the action winning Novice Header honors.

Smith started the event with a win in the Steer Stopping event, followed by Kyle Fogerson and Kim Wilks.

A pair of handmade bit by Redman is being raffled off and all proceeds go to the scholarship fund. The drawing will be held Saturday night at the Post Stampede Rodeo. Tickets are available through Weldon or Misty Smith.

Cross Country



Post cross country runners Josiel Delgadillo, front, and Keegan Stanley take their morning run of three miles around the city park in training for the upcoming cross-country season.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

AgriLife Extension slates Water Expo Aug. 16 in Wolfforth

WOLFFORTH - The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will conduct Water Expo 2014 from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Aug. 16 in collaboration with the City of Wolfforth.

The event will take place at the Lubbock Indoor Courts, 7806 County Road 7050, in Wolfforth, just Southwest of Lubbock on State Highway 82.

The program is open to the public and will feature a number of clinics on various water conservation aspects in and around the home, said Vikram Baliga, AgriLife Extension horticulturist in Lubbock County.

"Individual admission will be two cans of food for the South Plains Food Bank, one of our sponsors," Baliga said.

Other sponsors include the City of Wolfforth, the High Plains Water District, the Louise Hopkins Underwood Center for the Arts, the American Bank of Commerce, Home Depot, Tornado Gallery, Science Spectrum, and many more. Additionally, a number of local businesses will be taking part in the expo. The trade show portion of the expo will feature vendors and exhibitors from many water-related industries.

Clinic topics will include wise turf choices, water-wise plants, trees for West Texas, irrigation efficiency, native plant choices, xeriscaping, rainwater harvesting, gray-water application and kids' hands-on projects. Participants will also have time to visit the on-site commercial booths.

"We're really looking forward to this event," Baliga said. "We want to bring more regional attention not only to the issues surrounding the drought and aquifer level concerns but also to the easy practices homeowners can adopt, which will help the average family make a big difference in their household water consumption."

"Though we are conducting this in Lubbock County, we urge anyone and everyone to attend, as much of the information is applicable across Texas. Water conservation is a statewide concern, and we should all be working together to persevere and conserve our water resources, and this expo is a good place to start learning how."

For more information, contact Baliga at 806-775-1680.

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Nancy's Notions

Canning pickled foods

As gardens mature, the preservation processes begin. The many varieties of pickled foods are classified by ingredients and method of preparation, according to the National Center for Home Food Preservation, University of Georgia.

Regular dill pickles and sauerkraut are fermented and cured for about 3 weeks. Refrigerator dills are fermented for about 1 week. During curing, colors and flavors change as

acidity increases. Fresh-pack or quick-process pickles are not fermented; some are brined several hours or overnight, then drained and covered with vinegar and seasonings. Fruit pickles usually are prepared by heating fruit in seasoned syrup acidified with either lemon juice or vinegar. Relishes are made from chopped fruits and vegetables that are cooked with seasonings and vinegar.

Be sure to remove and discard a 1/16-inch slice from the blossom end of fresh cucumbers. Blossoms may contain an enzyme which causes excessive softening of pickles.

The level of acidity in a pickled product is as important to its safety as it is to taste and texture.

Do not alter vinegar, food, or water proportions in a recipe or use vinegar with unknown acidity.

Use only recipes with tested proportions of ingredients.

There must be a minimum, uniform level of acid throughout the mixed product to prevent the growth of botulinum bacteria.

Select fresh, firm fruits or vegetables free of

spoilage. Measure or weigh amounts carefully, because the proportion of fresh food to other ingredients will affect flavor and, in many instances, safety.

Use canning or pickling salt. Non-caking material added to other salts may make the brine cloudy. Since flake salt varies in density, it is not recommended for making pickled and fermented foods. White granulated and brown sugars are most often used. Corn syrup and honey, unless called for in reliable recipes, may produce undesirable flavors. White distilled and cider vinegars of 5 percent acidity (50 grain) are recommended. White vinegar is usually preferred when light color is desirable, as is the case with fruits and cauliflower.

In the making of fresh-pack pickles, cucumbers are acidified quickly with vinegar. Use only tested recipes formulated to produce the proper acidity. While these pickles may be prepared safely with reduced or no salt, their quality may be noticeably lower. Both texture and flavor may be slightly different than expected.

However, the salt used in making fermented sauerkraut and brined pickles not only provides characteristic flavor but also is vital to safety and texture. In fermented foods, salt favors the growth of desirable bacteria while inhibiting the growth of others. Do not attempt to make sauerkraut or fermented pickles by cutting back on the salt required.

Pickle products are subject to spoilage from microorganisms, particularly yeasts and molds, as well as enzymes that may affect flavor, color, and texture. Processing the pickles in a boiling-water canner will prevent both of these problems. Standard canning jars and self-sealing lids are recommended. Processing times and procedures will vary according to food acidity and the size of food pieces.

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Spies are among us

Cyber spies are zeroing in. They know I wear shoes. They attack me with shoe ads. They know my age. They attack me with wrinkle cream.

Marketers' ads of all sorts appear on sites I visit and my Facebook page. They think they know what I like and need and will buy. It bothers me most when they get it right.

Have I written about this phenomenon before? I think so. Indulge me. I'll try to say something different this time, not that I remember what I said before. They should target me with memory-loss ads. Maybe they do.

One thing they don't let me forget is that I'm fat. Or does everybody get those "get rid of belly fat" blurbs?

Lately several announcements have proclaimed "Shocking French Video" and "If you don't know French, you've got to see this before it's gone! You'll be really shocked after you watch it. Watch video now."

I'm intrigued but adamant. Since I know French, I refuse to click on the link to see the shocking video. Would someone who doesn't know French watch the thing and tell me what it's all about?

Meanwhile, I'm not telling Facebook where I live. They keep asking and suggesting answers, like they think I need help to decide where I live. I know. I'm just not telling them. Typically Facebook suggests places where some of my friends live.

Regarding FB friends, I've got a new

one - a stranger named Hanaba who lives in Indonesia. (It's her last name, but it was the best I could do in my global quest to find someone with my name.) With any luck Facebook will think I've moved there. Hmmm. Better see where it is.

GEOGRAPHY CHECK.

Surprise. Indonesia was once the Dutch East Indies. It's a bunch of islands - Sumatra, Java and Borneo among them. Shades of the Wild Man of Borneo! My father once had a nightmare and ended up sleepwalking into the bathroom, turning on the light, seeing his face in the mirror and thinking he was the Wild Man of Borneo. Ever since, my mind's eye image of the legendary creature is my father with his hair askew.

WILD MAN OF BORNEO CHECK

Well, believe it or not, there were two of them -40-inch-tall brothers named Waino and Plutanor, except their real names were Hiram and Barney. Showmen, notably P. T. Barnum, promoted them as wild men from Borneo. They may have been wild, but they were from elsewhere - supposedly England, New York, Ohio or Connecticut or maybe all those places. Could be they habitually fibbed about their origin, weaving a web of deceit, never a problem for Barnum. Facebook would have tried to pin them down.

What ads would have popped onto their Facebook page if they'd had one?

Elevator shoes, for sure, and maybe ads for razors. Both had beards. And maybe the link for the "shocking French video."

I'll bet those guys would have clicked on it.

I'm not. Somebody please click on it.



NANCY MCDONALD



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Texas Sales Tax Holiday is this weekend

AUSTIN — Texas Comptroller Susan Combs reminds shoppers they can save money on certain items priced under \$100 during the state's annual sales tax holiday. This year, the sales tax holiday is scheduled for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 8-10.

The law exempts most clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks priced under \$100 from sales tax, which could save shoppers about \$8 on every \$100 they spend during the weekend.

Families gearing up for the new school year will not pay any sales tax for many

back-to-school items ranging from pens to blue jeans," Combs said. "When the back-to-school list is long and the money is short, it can be difficult for Texas families. We hope this tax break will help ease that burden."

Lists of apparel and school supplies that may be purchased tax free can be found on the Comptroller's website at www.Texas-TaxHoliday.org.

This year, shoppers will save an estimated \$82.7 million in state and local sales taxes during the Sales Tax Holiday. The tax holiday weekend has been an annual event since 1999.

Out and About in Close City

BY Nancy Morris

Well it has been a busy week out here. All the farmers are spraying their fields and plowing their turn rows. I enjoyed the cool weather last week and now it has warmed back up. The joys of living in West Texas.

Jim and Nedra Ellis took a trip to Colorado this past week. Jim, Nedra, and their grandson TJ went to Colorado Springs for three days. Then they traveled up to Ama, Colorado to visit with their daughter Mandy and her family. I know

they had a good time.

Congratulations go out to Kade Smith and Kyle Fogerson on winning the team roping event at the Jimmie Redman Memorial Roping this past Saturday. Kade and Kyle will be roping in the Post Rodeo this Saturday night. Good Luck Guys!! Kade also won the steer stopping event at the Memorial Roping. Good job Kade!!

Two-a-days have started this week for the football players and the volleyball players. I can't believe it is that time of the year already!! Before you know it school will be starting!!

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Volleyball



Post High School Volleyball coach Jessica Petersen instructs players during the first day of practice at Antelope Arena Monday. The Lady Lopes are getting ready for their 2014 campaign.

Photo by Kent Mahoney



Post High School volleyball players, Kallie Comeaux, Yvette Armendariz and Maggie Shelton perform a serve receive drill during the first of practices for the Lady Lopes.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Football



Post High School football coach Beau Riker instructs players on a technique as the first week of pre-season practice began this week. Post opens with a home scrimmage on Aug. 15th at home with Brownfield.



Post High School football coach Jerry Pyles conducts a tackling drill with the football players at this week's opening training sessions.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Special tickets available for Tech-Arkansas game

By Mary Jane Buerkle
Special to the Post Dispatch

Those in the cotton industry who want to see the Texas Tech Red Raiders take on the Arkansas Razorbacks in the Celebrate Cotton game on Saturday, September 13, have a special opportunity for early access to purchase tickets to that game. Between now and August 15, you can be sure you have your game tickets by doing one of the following:

- * Visit <http://texastech.com/promocode> and enter COTTON
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Individual tickets are \$85 each, and game time currently is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Season tickets already have sold out, and it is expected that tickets for this game will sell out as well, so be sure and order yours between now and Aug. 15, before the block is released to the public!

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on a national stage. Cotton will be everywhere before and throughout the game, from displays around the stadium to promotion, special graphics and fun cotton facts during the game.

Special game-day T-shirts will be distributed (first-come, first-serve!) and cotton bales will line each entrance to the stadium, each with signage talking about what the cotton in that bale can make or how it impacts our economy.

For more information, please call PCG at (806) 792-4904.

Puzzle of the Week

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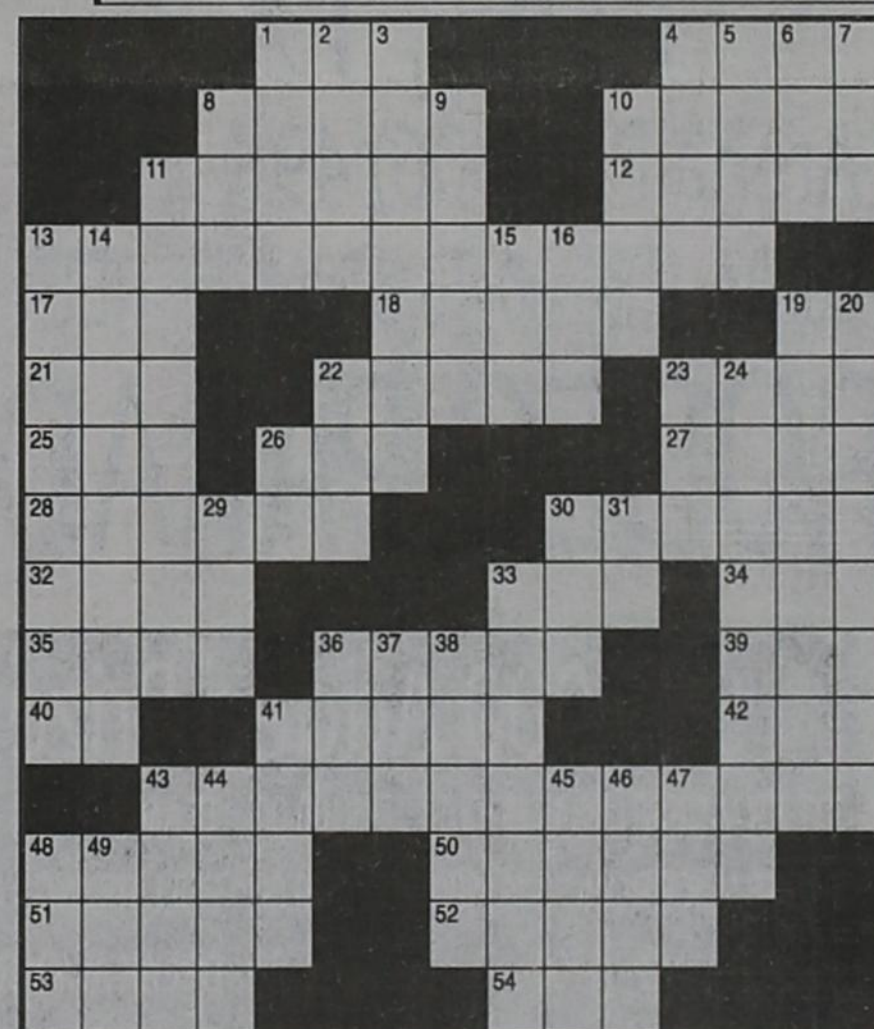
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- Overcooked toast
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- Central Florida city
- Soothsayer
- Wrath
- Stomach creases
- Of I
- Tooth caregiver
- Retire from military service
- Glance over
- Gadget: ___mo
- Terminal
- Sharp spasm of pain
- Something that baffles understanding
- "Gunsmoke" actress Blake
- Source of the Blue Nile
- Possessed
- Holiday egg drink
- So
- A hard translucent fossil resin
- Prizefighter Muhammad
- Atomic #66 symbol
- Once more
- Rubbish container
- Irrelevant
- "1836 siege" in Texas
- Hacks
- European nation
- Regarding
- F___: bone concavity
- European money

- material
- Health resort
- Dried leaves of the hemp plant
- Auntie in "The Wizard of Oz"
- Crunches federal numbers
- Swiss river
- 7th state (abbr.)
- Hyoscyamus
- Length of time something has existed
- Member of the family Hom-

- inidae
- Combined flora & fauna of a region
- River in England
- Popular avocado
- Macad___: nut
- Company officer (abbr.)
- No. Japan aborigines
- Process of soaking flax
- Volcano in Kyushu, Japan
- Played at 33.3 rpm

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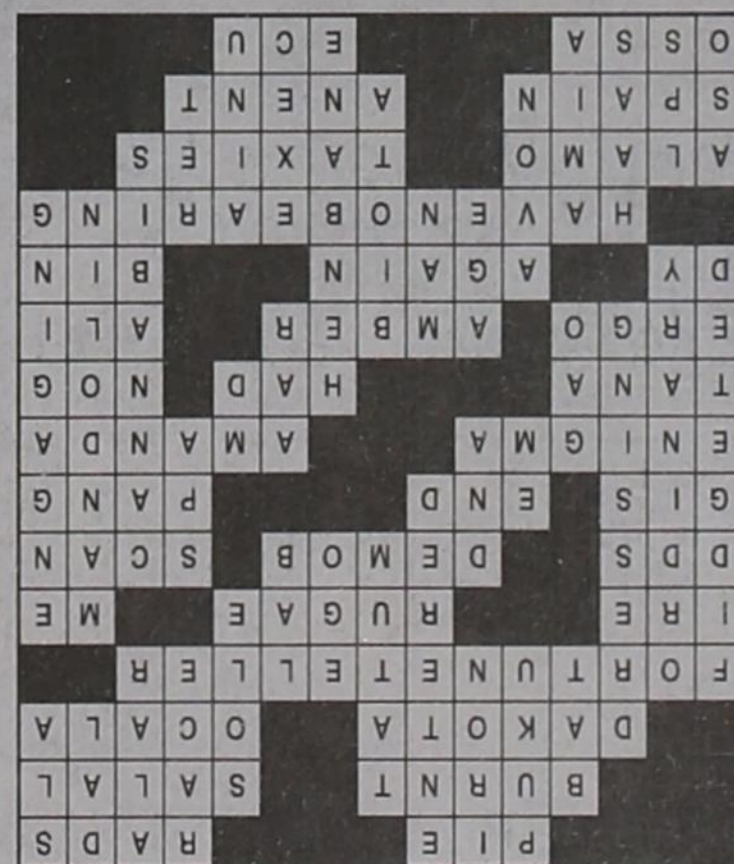
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CLUES DOWN

- Antelope genus Adenota
- Symbol Fe
- Went into
- People of the same genetic stock
- ___m: warning device
- Decalitre
- Patti Hearst's captors
- Nocturnal flying mammal
- "Paper Moon" actress O'Neal
- Dover fish dish
- Green goddess or blue cheese
- Moved restlessly
- Commonplace
- Self-importance
- Workplace for scientific research
- Pear shaped lute-like instrument
- Tending to draw favorable attention
- Double helix genetic

PUZZLE SOLUTION



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First Place



Kyle Fogerson, left and Cade Smith took first place at the Jimmie Redman Memorial Team Roping competition held last weekend.

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Current standings for 2014 Season

Bareback	Points
1. Colton Wiley	\$4,789.65
2. Matt Turner	\$2,371.50*
3. Zach Dicken	\$2,252.40
4. Clayton Lawson	\$794.50

Calf Roping	Points
1. Clay Bonner	\$6,932.66
2. Michael Perry	\$4,707.25*
3. Jerrad Hofstetter	\$3,629.54
4. Shank Edwards	\$3,299.65
5. Ty Harris	\$3,288.88*
6. Shawn Felton	\$3,011.01
7. Jim Breck Bean	\$2,733.32
8. Jake Booze	\$2,666.34
9. Garrett Baker	\$2,440.58
10. J.Gernentz	\$2,405.17

Saddle Bronc	Points
1. Cody Anthony	\$3,512.70
2. Colten Jackson	\$2,357.97*
3. Justin Bell	\$2,326.94
4. Tim Hammond	\$2,125.50*
5. Jace Lane	\$2,081.64*
6. Cody Joe Bonds	\$1,629.74
7. Peter White	\$1,532.84
8. Kolton Burnett	\$714.20
9. Blane Stacy	\$327.50 *
10. Shade Etbauer	\$260.37

Barrels	Points
1. Jackie Ganter	\$6,414.79*
2. Jan Burns	\$5,310.96
3. Holly Fenoglio	\$3,040.72*
4. Shy-Anne Jarrett	\$2,424.82
5. Tillar Murray	\$1,917.25*
6. K. Rae McNeill	\$1,850.47
7. J. Freeman Voss	\$1,638.52
8. K. Richardson	\$1,562.37
9. Demeri Cobb	\$1,551.88
10. Cindy Smith	\$1,327.29

Break Away Roping	Points
1. Lari Dee Guy	\$10,640.53
2. Kelsie Chace	\$10,452.30
3. Hope Thompson	\$9,123.62
4. TiAda Gray	\$4,724.84
5. Cassidy Boggs	\$4,606.55
6. Jessica Koppitz	\$3,021.04
7. K. Rae McNeill	\$2,086.02
8. Nicole Espenson	\$1,541.00
9. Maggie Lamle	\$1,089.16
10. Jenna Lee Hays	\$1,073.70

Steer Wrestling	Points
1. Tory Johnson	\$3,239.01
2. Q. B. Cobb	\$1,656.63
3. Denard Hunt	\$1,483.74*
4. T J Bohender	\$1,010.35
5. C. Pettigrew	\$1,010.10

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7. Jacob Gernentz	\$485.40	9. Kyle Horton	\$2,240.55
8. Kody Mahaffey	\$457.92	10. Tyson Thompson	\$2,228.28*
9. Cody Moore	\$339.50		
10. Clyde Coulter	\$225.00		
Team Roping-Headers			
1. Mike Bacon	\$4,045.82	1. Brody Yeary	\$4,138.28
2. Josh Morris	\$4,010.96	2. Melvin Fehr	\$2,660.50*
3. Tray Paul	\$3,672.76	3. Wrangler Dunda	\$1,136.08
4. T. Batenhorst	\$3,627.62	4. Marty Custer	\$1,125.08
5. Jake Brown	\$3,533.61	5. Kyle Carson	\$715.10
6. Chase Chambers	\$3,405.91	6. Shawn Hogg	\$645.64
7. A J Horton	\$3,371.55	7. Brady Roberts	\$563.85
8. Shank Edwards	\$2,450.20	8. Lane Hyder	\$544.00
9. Kyle Letzelter	\$2,300.59*	9. J T Pettitt	\$508.38
10. Jake Pancost	\$1,611.32	10. Pancho Weibe	\$465.92
Team Roping-Heelers			
1. Joseph Harrison	\$5,701.34	1. Shank Edwards	\$5,881.18
2. John Paul Lucero	\$4,586.09	2. Kynzie Rae McNeill	\$3,936.49*
3. Josh Patton	\$3,912.68	3. Jim Breck Bean	\$3,746.25
4. Brent Ivy	\$3,627.62	4. Riley Smith	\$1,702.55
5. Wesley Thorp	\$3,154.30	5. Chance Taylor	\$1,381.20
6. Steve Purcella	\$2,661.87	6. Rusty Slavin	\$1,156.20
7. K C Curtis	\$2,384.54		

All Around Standings

1. Shank Edwards	\$5,881.18
2. Kynzie Rae McNeill	\$3,936.49*
3. Jim Breck Bean	\$3,746.25
4. Riley Smith	\$1,702.55
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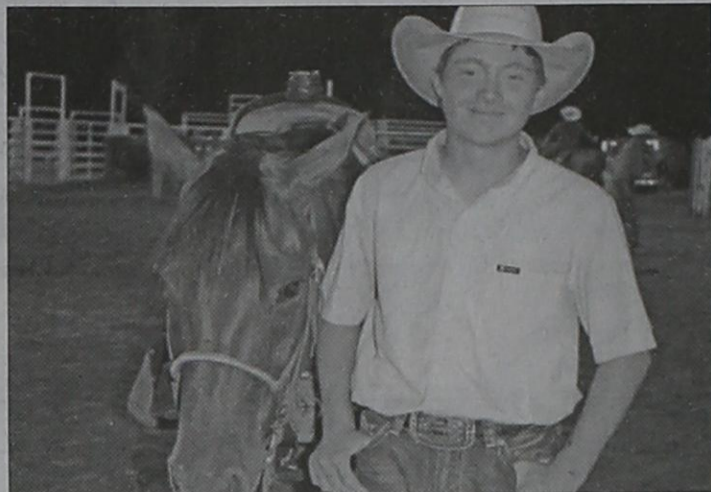
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Cale Fogerson won the novice buckle at the Garza County Roping event held last weekend.

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Cade Smith, he won first place in the Steer Stopping at the Garza County Team Roping event held last weekend.

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ROUND 'EM UP!

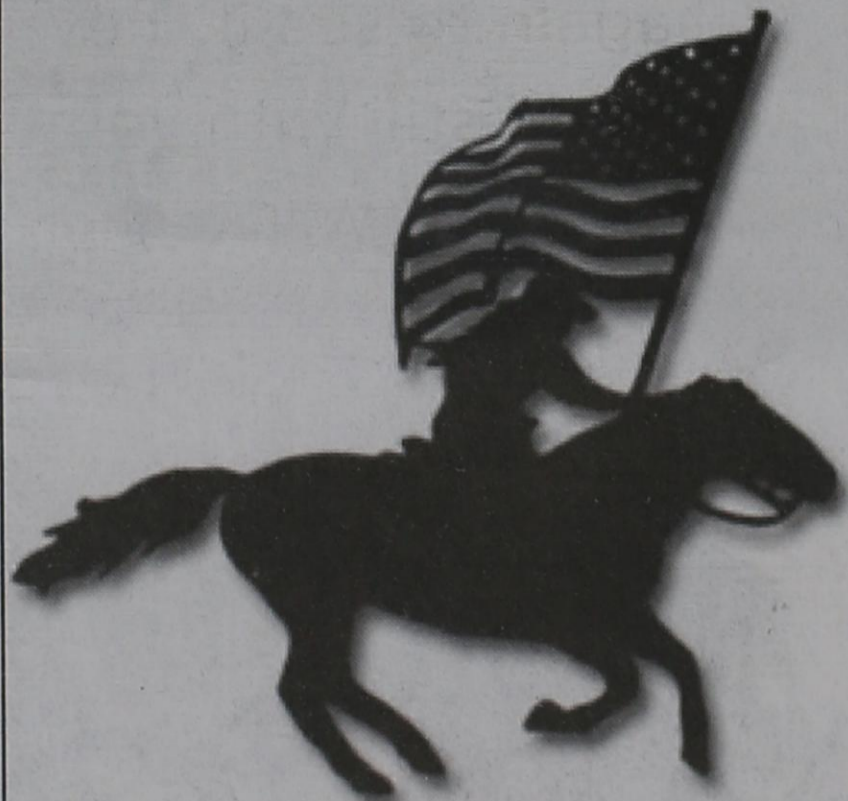
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3. Cody Joe Bonds 1,003.00	6. Bode Baize 1,171.00	9. Ben Torres 190.00	
4. Chris Johnson 329.00	7. John English 827.00		
5. Lane Wimberly 287.00	8. Cody Mirabal 550.00	Men's All Around	
6. Leon Fountain 191.00	9. Cooper Wimberly 399.00	1. Russell Sullivan 5,847.00	
Steer Wrestling	10. Christian Sanchez 381.00	2. JoDan Mirabal 1,966.01	
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3. Ben Schroeder 614.00	2. Brian Sullivan 3,009.47	5. Seth Hall 922.00	
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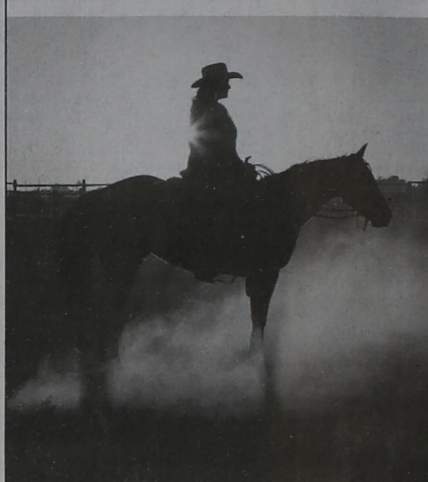
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- 3 Boxes Kleenex
 - 1 set of watercolors
 - 1 16 count box of crayola crayons
 - 1 wide ruled spiral notebook
 - 4 Glue sticks
 - 1 Child size blunt scissors
 - 1 Bottle hand sanitizer
 - 1 Box of Baby wipes
 - 1 Backpack
 - 1 Clorox Wipes
 - 1 Bottle Elmer's Glue
 - 1 box of gallon-sized baggies
 - 1 pair of head phones
 - 1 Composition notebook

- KINDERGARTEN**
- 24 # 2 pencils
 - 6 24 count Crayola crayons
 - 1 Sharp 5" Fiskar Safety Scissors
 - 1 Plastic pencil box
 - 2 10 count thick markers
 - 2 pink Bevel eraser
 - 6 200 count Kleenex
 - 12 small glue sticks
 - 2 Prang watercolor act. set
 - 1 pkg. construction paper 12x18
 - 1 pkg. dry erase markers
 - 4 Clorox sanitizing wipes
 - 4 Elmer's glue (9 oz.) Bottle
 - 1 box quart Ziploc baggies
 - 1 Pencil bag with holes
 - 1 1" Binder White with clear view pockets
 - 2 spiral notebooks (blue, yellow)
 - 2 folders w/brads (green- not plastic)
 - 2 plastic folders (red, purple)
 - 1 pair of head phones
 - 1 Composition notebook

- FIRST GRADE**
- 24 #2 Pencils
 - 2 boxes 24 count Crayola crayons
 - 6 red grading pencils w/erasers
 - 6 plastic pocket folders
 - 1 pair of scissors
 - 1 pkg. pencil topper erasers
 - 1 supply box
 - 1 spiral notebook
 - 6 boxes Kleenex
 - 6 dry erase markers
 - 6 glue sticks
 - 2 container disinfecting wipes (i.e.: Clorox)
 - 2 stretchy book covers (large)
 - 1 ruler
 - 1 pair of ear buds
 - 1 Composition notebook
 - 1 bottle liquid glue
 - 1 8 or 12 count box of markers
 - 1 pair goggles (safety- for science)
 - 1 apron (science projects)

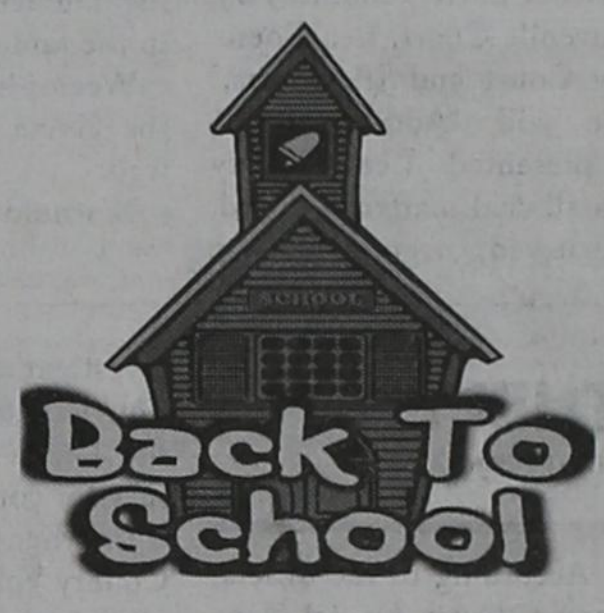
- SECOND GRADE**
- 1 12 ct. Crayola Map coloring pencils
 - 24 #2 pencils
 - 2 24 count Crayola crayons
 - 2 Clorox Wipes
 - 1 plastic school box
 - 3 100 ct. Kleenex
 - 4 Assorted folders plastic w/ pockets & brads
 - 1 120 page spiral notebooks
 - 4 glue sticks
 - 2 red pencils
 - 2 stretchy book covers
 - 1 Sharp 5" Fiskar scissors
 - 1 plain white t-shirt
 - 1 package wide rule paper
 - 1 one inch binder
 - 1 pair of ear buds or headphones
 - 1 pair of ear buds or headphones
 - 2 pink Bevel erasers
 - 1 dry erase marker
 - 1 Composition notebook

- THIRD GRADE**
- 36 # 2 Pencils (not mechanical)
 - 1 pencil top erasers (package)
 - 1 red grading pens (package)
 - 1 pencil pouch with zipper
 - 2 pkg. wide rule paper
 - 3 spiral notebooks
 - 5 plastic folders with brads
 - 6 glue sticks
 - 1 Clorox wipes
 - 1 scissors
 - 1 24 count crayons
 - 6 boxes of tissues
 - 1 package of dry erase markers
 - 1 package index cards (3x5)
 - 1 pair of ear buds
 - 1 Composition notebook

- FOURTH GRADE**
- 6 pkg. dry erase markers
 - 2 large pink eraser
 - 1 quart size storage bags
 - 1 gallon size storage bags
 - 24 #2 pencils
 - 2 24 count Crayola crayons
 - 1 box Crayola markers
 - 2 200 ct. wide rule notebook paper
 - 2 red pens
 - 1 package glue sticks
 - 4 boxes of Kleenex
 - 3 pocket folders w/brads
 - 1 24 ct. Crayola map colored pencils
 - 4 70 pg. spiral notebook wide rule
 - 1 pkg or box of Clorox wipes
 - 2 pkg. pencil top erasers
 - 2 package index cards (3x5)
 - 1 bottle liquid glue
 - 2 pair of ear buds
 - 1 pkg. erasable pens
 - 2 1" binder
 - 1 pair goggles (safety- for science)
 - 1 apron (science projects)
 - 1 garden style gloves
 - 1 Composition notebook

- FIFTH GRADE**
- 2 3 subject spirals
 - 3 Boxes of Kleenex
 - 1 wide ruled notebook paper
 - 24 # 2 pencils
 - 1 bottle liquid glue
 - 2 pkg glue sticks
 - 1 pocket folder with brads
 - 1 24 ct. Crayola map coloring pencils
 - 1 pkg. index cards (3x5)
 - 1 1 1/2" binder
 - 1 pkg. Expo dry erase markers
 - 1 pkg. 5 tab dividers
 - 1 Container of Clorox Wipes
 - 1 Trapper Keeper
 - 1 box gallon storage bags
 - 1 highlighter
 - 1 pair of scissors (large)
 - 1 Composition notebook

- Elementary Life Skills**
- 1 boxes of Kleenex
 - 2 glue sticks
 - 2 wipes refills
 - 1 box mapping colors
 - 1 3 Ring Binder
 - 1 pair of ear buds
- P.E.**
- Tennis Shoes



2014-2015 Escuela Primaria
 Post Lista de útiles

- PRE-KINDER**
- 3 cajas de Kleenex
 - 1 conjunto de acuarelas
 - 1 caja de 16 creyones Crayola
 - 1 cuaderno de espiral regla ancho
 - 4 palillos de pegamento
 - 1 tijeras despuntadas tamaño infantil
 - 1 botella de desinfectante para las manos
 - 1 caja de toallitas húmedas
 - 1 mochila, pero no es obligado
 - 1 caja de toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 1 botella de pegamento Elmer's
 - 1 caja de bolsas de plástico ziploc- galón
 - 1 par de auriculares (no ear buds)
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición

- KINDER**
- 24 #2 lápices
 - 6 cajas de 24 creyones Crayola
 - 1 tijeras 5" puntadas Fiskar
 - 1 caja de lápices de plástico
 - 2 caja de 10 marcadores gruesos
 - 2 borrador rosa Bevel
 - 6 caja de Kleenex 200ct.
 - 12 palillos de pegamento
 - 2 conjuntos de acuarelas Prang
 - 2 paqs. de papel construcción 12x18
 - 1 paq. de marcadores de borra seco Expo
 - 4 toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 4 Botella de pegamento Elmer's (9oz.)
 - 2 caja de bolsas de plástico ziploc- cuarto
 - 1 bolsa de lápices con agujeros
 - 1 1" cuaderno blanco con bolsillos claras
 - 2 cuadernos espirales (azul, amarillo)
 - 2 carpetas w/clavitos (verde, no plásticas)
 - 2 carpetas plásticas (rojo, púrpura)
 - 1 par de auriculares (no ear buds)
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición

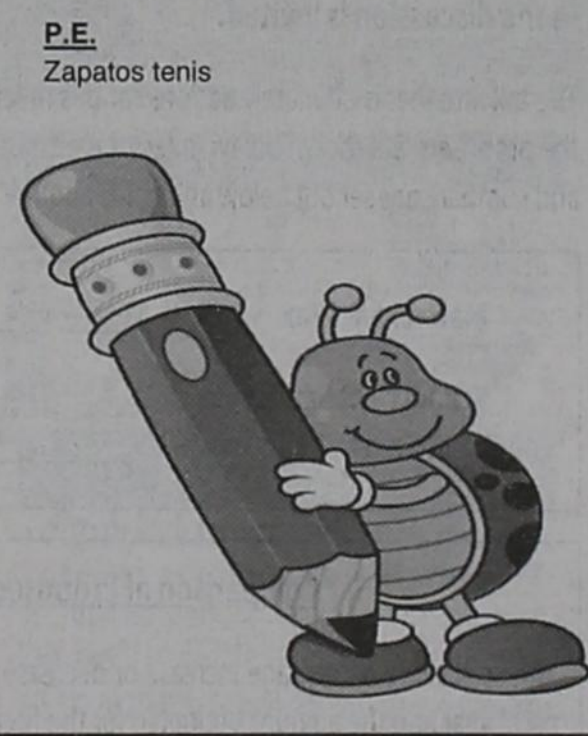
- PRIMER GRADO**
- 24 # 2 lápices
 - 2 caja de 24 creyones Crayola
 - 6 lápices rojas de clasificación con gomas de borrar
 - 6 carpetas de plástico con bolsillos
 - 1 tijeras
 - 1 paq. de gomas de la tapa del lápiz
 - 1 caja de lápices de plástico
 - 1 cuaderno de espiral regla ancho
 - 6 cajas de Kleenex
 - 6 marcadores de borra seco
 - 6 palillos de pegamento
 - 2 cajas de toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 2 cubiertas de libro elástica (grande)
 - 1 regla
 - 1 audafono para los oídos (ear buds)
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición
 - 1 botella de pegamento líquido
 - 1 caja de marcadores (8 or 12 ct)
 - 1 par de gafas (seguridad para la ciencia)
 - 1 delantal (proyectos de ciencias)

- SEGUNDO GRADO**
- 1 lápices de mapa, 12 ct. Crayola
 - 24 #2 lápices
 - 2 caja de 24 creyones Crayola
 - 2 cajas de toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 1 caja de lápices de plástico
 - 3 caja de Kleenex 100ct.
 - 4 carpetas de plástico con bolsillos y broches
 - 1 cuaderno de espiral regla ancho 120 p.
 - 4 palillos de pegamento
 - 2 lápices rojas de clasificación con gomas de borrar
 - 2 cubiertas de libro elástica
 - 1 tijeras 5" puntadas Fiskar
 - 1 camiseta blanca
 - 1 paq. de papel regla ancho
 - 1 1" cuaderno blanco con bolsillos claras
 - 1 audafono para los oídos (ear buds) / par de auriculares
 - 2 borrador rosa Bevel
 - 1 marcadores de borra seco
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición

- TERCER GRADO**
- 36 # 2 lápices (no mecánica)
 - 1 paq. de gomas de la tapa del lápiz
 - 1 paq. plumas rojas de clasificación
 - 1 bolsa de lápices
 - 2 paq. de papel regla ancho 200 ct.
 - 3 cuadernos espirales
 - 5 carpetas plásticas con clavitos
 - 6 palillos de pegamento
 - 1 cajas de toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 1 tijeras
 - 1 caja de 24 creyones Crayola
 - 6 cajas de Kleenex
 - 1 paq. de marcadores borra seco Expo
 - 1 paq. de tarjetas de índice (3x5)
 - 1 audafono para los oídos (ear buds)
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición

- CUARTO GRADO**
- 6 marcadores borra seco
 - 2 borrador rosa Bevel
 - 1 caja de bolsas de plástico ziploc- cuarto
 - 1 caja de bolsas de plástico ziploc- galón
 - 24 #2 lápices
 - 2 caja de 24 creyones Crayola
 - 1 caja de marcadores Crayola
 - 2 paq. de papel regla ancho 200 ct.
 - 2 plumas rojas
 - 1 paq. palos de pegamento
 - 4 cajas de Kleenex
 - 3 carpetas con bolsillos con clavitos
 - 1 lápices de mapa, 24 ct. Crayola
 - 4 cuaderno de espiral regla ancho 70 p.
 - 1 paquete o caja de toallitas (Clorox)
 - 2 gomas superiores paquete lápiz
 - 2 paq. de tarjetas de índice (3x5)
 - 1 botella de pegamento líquido
 - 2 audafono para los oídos (ear buds)
 - 1 plumas borrrables del paquete
 - 2 1" cuaderno
 - 1 par de gafas (seguridad para la ciencia)
 - 1 delantal (proyectos de ciencias)
 - 1 guantes estilo de jardín
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición

- QUINTO GRADO**
- 2 cuaderno de espiral regla ancho 3 sujeto
 - 3 cajas de Kleenex
 - 1 paq. de papel regla ancho
 - 24 # 2 lápices
 - 1 botella de pegamento líquido
 - 2 paquete palillos de pegamento
 - 1 carpetas con bolsas y broches
 - 1 lápices de mapa, 24 ct. Crayola
 - 1 paq. de tarjetas de índice (3x5)
 - 1 1 1/2" cuaderno
 - 1 paq. de marcadores borra seco
 - 1 divisores de ficha paquete 5
 - 1 cajas de toallitas desinfectantes Clorox
 - 1 Trapper Keeper / cuaderno
 - 1 caja de bolsas de plástico ziploc- galón
 - 1 resaltador
 - 1 tijeras (grande)
 - 1 cuaderno de Composición
- PRIMARIA HABILIDADES PARA LA VIDA**
- 1 caja de Kleenex
 - 2 palillos de pegamento
 - 2 caja de toallitas húmedas
 - 6 lápices de mapa, 12 ct. Crayola
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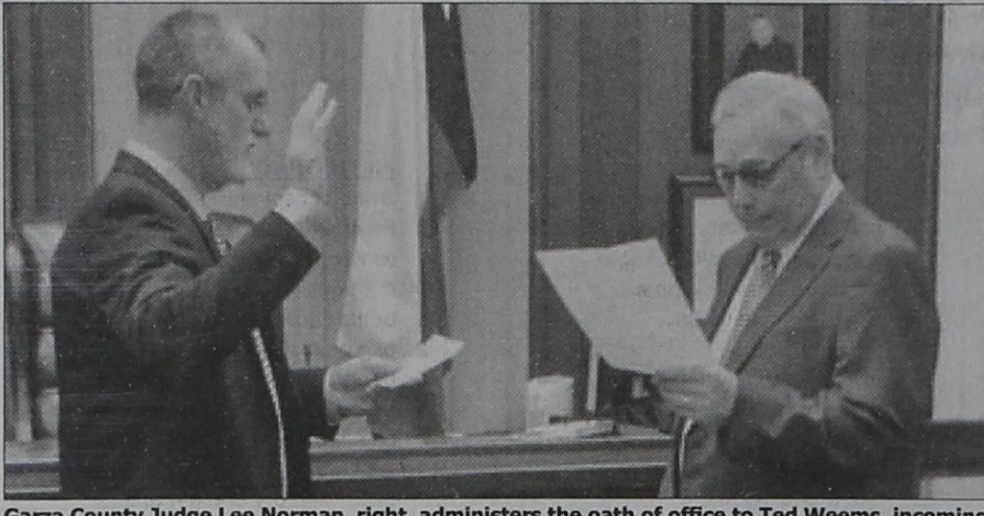
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Garza County Judge Lee Norman, right, administers the oath of office to Ted Weems, incoming Garza County Attorney.

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WEEMS

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to that, he was the district and county attorney for Lee County.

Weems has prosecuted all types of criminal cases, as well as represented his county clients on the civil side as well.

"I handled over 1,000 cases annually in the District Courts, Grand Jury, Juvenile Court, Lee County Court and JP Courts," he said. "Additionally, I represented Lee County in all civil matters, drafted, reviewed, negotiated, etc,

contracts, leases, grants, construction projects and all orders of the Commissioner's Court of Lee County."

Weems did his undergraduate and graduate work at Baylor University, garnering his law degree from the same institution in 1978.

From 1978 to 1996, Weems did a variety of work in Giddings, from private practice to presiding municipal court judge in the same city.

Weems has family ties to the Garza County area as well.

"I would like the people

to know I am the nephew of Bud Howell, former game warden," he said. "He was instrumental in us falling in love with Garza County and responsible to facilitate the move here."

Howell was a game warden here from the 1960's to the early 1990's.

Weems plans on being a write-in candidate in the November general election and declare a party affiliation at a later date.

"I have felt these position are a-political," he said, indicating that are just some positions in county government that have little or no political bearing.

THEFT

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According to the official report, Justin Daniel Zapert was in the employ of Smith at the residence, located in the 3000 block of West 10th.

Zapert, who is being sought in connection to the case, was performing work and although the actual card was not stolen, the card number was duplicated without Smith's knowledge or consent.

The case is still under

investigation and information will be forwarded to the Garza County Grand Jury for consideration.

In other news, the Garza County Volunteer Fire Department was called out to the Best Western Hotel on West U.S. Highway 84 early Sunday morning.

A worker called into report the fire alarm was sounding and that it needed to be turned off. There was "some smoke" and customers had been evacuated.

A second call at 6:11 a.m. from a manager asking for assistance and that there was a fire in the laun-

dry room.

The fire was contained to the laundry room and put out with an extinguisher. There was no structural damage to the building.

Also last week, Sheriff's deputies, DPS officers and EMS responded to a pedestrian accident at 7th and Broadway.

A car stuck an unidentified male as he attempted to cross the highway. He suffered a cut to the forehead, but was conscious. He was later transported by EMS to UMC for observation.

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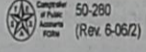
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Southland Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 7:30 P.M. August 18, 2014 in Southland ISD Administrative Building 190 Eighth Street Southland, Texas.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Maintenance Tax \$ 1.06840 /\$100 (Proposed rate for maintenance and operations)
 School Debt Service Tax
 Approved by Local Voters \$ 0 /\$100 (proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)

Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations 0 % increase or 4 % (decrease)
 Debt service 0 % increase or 0 % (decrease)
 Total expenditures 0 % increase or 4 % (decrease)

Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under Section 26.04, Tax Code)

	Preceding Tax Year	Current Tax Year
Total appraised value* of all property	\$ 83,012,793	\$ 82,105,761
Total appraised value* of new property**	\$ 61,281	\$ 303,984
Total taxable value*** of all property	\$ 81,480,659	\$ 80,648,147
Total taxable value*** of new property**	\$ 41,527	\$ 302,084

* "Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Section 1.04(8), Tax Code.
 ** "New property" is defined by Section 26.01(17), Tax Code.
 *** "Taxable value" is defined by Section 1.04(10), Tax Code.

Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness* \$ 0

* Outstanding principal.

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$ 1.17000	\$ 0.00000 *	\$ 1.17000	\$ 6,122	\$ 3,701
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$ 1.02837	\$ 0.00000 *	\$ 1.02837	\$ 5,360	\$ 4,404
Proposed Rate	\$ 1.06840	\$ 0.00000 *	\$ 1.06840	\$ 5,568	\$ 4,592

* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$ 24,172	\$ 37,614
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$ 11,275	\$ 17,520
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$ 1.17000	\$ 1.06840
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$ 131.92	\$ 187.18
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes		\$ 55.26

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.17005. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.17005.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$ 444,956
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$ 0

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Post Dispatch Weather Summary

Post's Seven Day Forecast

Friday Mostly Sunny 97 / 72	Saturday Mostly Sunny 95 / 71	Sunday Mostly Sunny 95 / 72	Monday Mostly Sunny 96 / 73	Tuesday Mostly Sunny 95 / 70	Wednesday Partly Cloudy 95 / 69	Thursday Partly Cloudy 93 / 71

Local UV Index

0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

Detailed Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 97°, humidity of 33%. South wind 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 105° set in 2003. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 72°. South wind 10 mph. The record low for tonight is 57° set in 1989. Saturday, skies will be mostly sunny with a high temperature of 95°, humidity of 36%. South southwest wind 10 mph. Skies will be partly cloudy Saturday night with an overnight low of 71°. South southeast wind 10 mph.

Weather Trivia

When did the first attempts at weather forecasting begin?

Answer: In 900 B.C., the Babylonians were recording wind direction.

Peak Fishing/Hunting Times This Week

Peak Times			Peak Times		
Day	AM	PM	Day	AM	PM
Fri	10:42-12:42	10:12-12:12	Tue	1:07-3:07	1:37-3:37
Sat	11:30-1:30	11:00-1:00	Wed	2:01-4:01	2:31-4:31
Sun	11:42-1:42	11:12-1:12	Thu	2:54-4:54	3:24-5:24
Mon	12:10-2:10	12:40-2:40			

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Weather History

Aug. 8, 1882 - A ship reported an August snowstorm on Lake Michigan. A thick cloud reportedly burst on the decks, covering them with snow and slush six inches deep. Snow showers were observed at shore points that day.

Aug. 9, 1878 - The second most deadly tornado in New England history struck Wallingford, Conn. killing 34 people, injuring 100 and destroying 30 homes. The tornado started as a waterspout over a dam on the Quinnipiac River. It was 400 to 600 feet wide.

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri	7:04 a.m.	8:38 p.m.	6:50 p.m.	4:40 a.m.
Sat	7:04 a.m.	8:37 p.m.	7:42 p.m.	5:48 a.m.
Sun	7:05 a.m.	8:36 p.m.	8:29 p.m.	6:58 a.m.
Mon	7:06 a.m.	8:34 p.m.	9:13 p.m.	8:08 a.m.
Tue	7:06 a.m.	8:33 p.m.	9:54 p.m.	9:18 a.m.
Wed	7:07 a.m.	8:32 p.m.	10:35 p.m.	10:26 a.m.
Thu	7:08 a.m.	8:31 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	11:31 a.m.

Last Week's Almanac & Growing Degree Days

Date	High	Low	Normals	Precip
7/29	80	63	92/68	0.18"
7/30	94	67	91/68	0.00"
7/31	83	64	91/68	0.00"
8/1	85	60	92/68	0.00"
8/2	89	61	92/68	0.00"
8/3	91	64	92/68	0.00"
8/4	91	60	92/68	0.00"

Farmer's Growing Degree Days

Date	Degree Days	Date	Degree Days
7/29	22	8/2	25
7/30	30	8/3	28
7/31	24	8/4	26
8/1	22		

Growing degree days are calculated by taking the average temperature for the day and subtracting the base temperature (50 degrees) from the average to assess how many growing days are attained.

Kent's Korner

Boost it up

The first week of August can only mean one thing, high school sports has started. And with the start of sports is also the start of booster club activities. However, I was surprised that only about a dozen people showed up for the first meeting Monday night. I'm sure there are more out there, but just didn't get to the meeting.

And for the record, they are meeting every Monday night for the next few weeks. (hint, hint, wink-wink, nod-nod)

Just in case you are unaware of how booster club works, here is a brief scenario.

Ideally, parents start showing up for booster club when their children are in junior high, work for several years, donating their time and efforts until their child becomes a senior, at which point, they get to sit in the stands and enjoy the fruits of their labors.

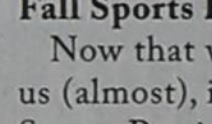
That's in a perfect world. As it stands here in Post, there are about a dozen or so parents, doing everything from working the concession stand, to selling T-shirts, to making ice cream. OH! And don't forget those nice athlete signs in the front yards. (I always liked those.)

And the "end-of-the-year" sports banquet, don't forget that huge dinner for all of the student-athletes. This takes a lot of effort and coordination to pull together.

And it bears mentioning that not just parents of students can join the booster club. Just about anyone can join who wants to support the athletes as they pursue their high school careers.

So, I want to challenge the residents of Post. I want to see 50 new members to the Post Booster Club before homecoming, which is Sept. 19. That gives you just less than two months. Get 'er done, Post.

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New Art Exhibit
The OS Museum has opened a new exhibit titled "Magnificent Works of Art Gathered Around the World" featuring the wood artistry of John Christopher White. Viewing hours are 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday at the museum located at 201 E. Main. The exhibit closes Sept.

27. For more information, call the office at 806-495-3570.

Flag Sales
The Post Lions Club is renting American Flags during the seven major Flag days in 2014 for \$30 for their PHS Senior Scholarship fund. The Lions will put in a flag holder and put the flags out during the year. Contact any Lion or President Jason Porter, Vice-President Chuck Ratliff or Secretary/Treasurer Byron Garrison.

Original pictures and family history and stories related to Graham Community are needed to prepare a community history book. Pictures will be scanned and sent back immediately to the return address provided. Please mail to: Jane Mason, 109 Ridge Road, Post, Tx. 79356 or email to janemason301@yahoo.com.

GED classes
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