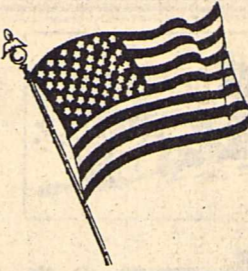


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## Clinton wins re-election Frerich, Williams elected as commissioners

President Bill Clinton was unable to carry Kinney County and Texas, but he was still able to score a decisive victory over Republican Bob Dole Tuesday to become the first Democrat to serve a full term and be re-elected since Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Clinton won 379 electoral votes, compared to Dole's 159. Clinton snared 49 percent of the popular vote, Dole finished with 41 percent and Independent Ross Perot had 8 percent.

In Kinney County, Dole brought in 650 votes, Clinton had 503 and Perot finished with 97.

In local races, County Commissioner Freddie Frerich was re-elected in Precinct 1 and Joe "Boy" Williams filled a vacancy in Precinct 3. Both are Democrats.

Frerich garnered 247 votes, or 89 percent of the vote.

"There was a lot of negative things that came out in this campaign," Frerich said, "but I'm glad the citizens didn't let that effect their vote."

"I will continue to do what is best for all the citizens of Kinney County. I encourage input from anyone who has a concern for better government."

Frerich was opposed by write-in candidate Tony Ray Kelley, who had 30 votes, or 11 percent.

"After living in Brackett for two years, I knew something had to change," Kelley said in a pre-

pared statement. "So, I ran for commissioner of Precinct 1.

"After weeks of talking with people and looking for support, on Nov. 5 you made your decision. While I'm not angry with that decision, I am disappointed that more people weren't as tired of the bad politics in Brackett as I am."

Williams brought in 154 votes, or 81 percent, to win the seat vacated by Cordelia Mendeke.

"I'm very happy," Williams said. "This is for the people. I want to thank all of the people because I'm going to be their voice. If they have a problem, they can come to me and we will work to get the problem solved."

Williams was opposed by write-in candidate Gregorio Juarez, who had 36 votes, or 19 percent.

Juarez could not be reached for comment as of press-time.

Three local incumbents were re-elected Tuesday in unopposed races. Tax Assessor-Collector Martha Pena Hooten brought in 879 votes, Constable Bill Lindeman got 855 votes and County Attorney Tully Shahan, running as a write-in, received 129 votes.

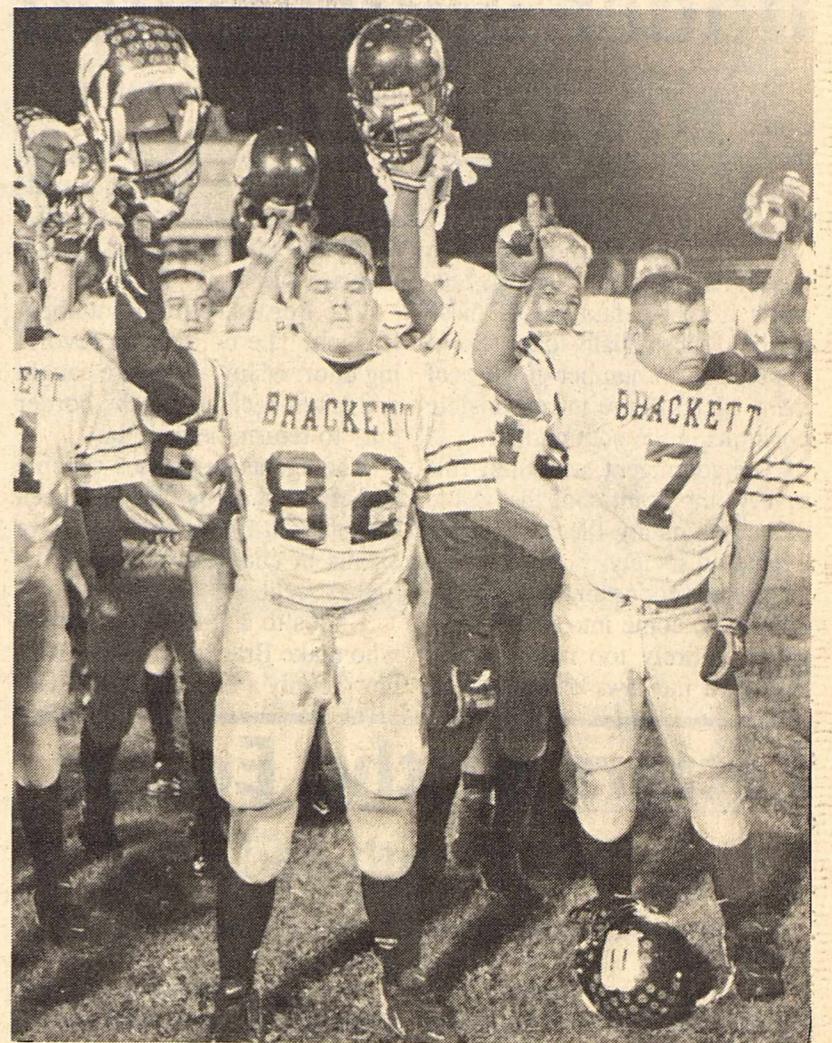
In the sheriff's race, L.K. "Buddy" Burgess received 918 votes and faced no opposition. He has served as interim sheriff since being appointed last December. Republican Incumbent Henry

### Kinney County Election Results

Key to abbreviations:	R Republican	I Independent	N Natural Law	
WI Write-in	D Democrat	L Libertarian	U U.S. Taxpayers	
<b>President</b>				
Bob Dole R	650	52%	Gregg Abbott R	627 89%
Bill Clinton D	503	40%	John B. Hawley L	74 11%
Ross Perot I	97	8%	<b>Criminal Appeals, Place 1</b>	
Harry Browne L	4	0%	Sue Holland R	576 56%
Howard Phillips U	1	0%	Bob Perkins D	448 44%
<b>U.S. Senator</b>			<b>Criminal Appeals, Place 2</b>	
Phil Gramm R	708	59%	Paul Womack R	584 57%
Victor Morales D	474	39%	Charles Holcomb D	440 43%
Michael Bird L	16	1%	<b>Criminal Appeals, Place 3</b>	
John Huff N	6	0%	Tom Price R	583 56%
<b>U.S. Rep. Dist. 23</b>			Frank Maloney D	451 44%
Henry Bonilla R	841	71%	<b>State Rep. Dist. 74</b>	
Charles Jones D	333	28%	Pete Gallego D	731 100%
Linda Caswell N	17	1%	<b>4th Court of Appeals, Chief Justice</b>	
<b>Railroad Commissioner</b>			Phil Hardberger D	665 100%
Carole Rylander R	662	60%	<b>63rd Dist. Court</b>	
Hector Uribe D	417	38%	George Thurmond D	724 100%
Rick Draheim L	15	1%	<b>63rd Dist. Attorney</b>	
Paul Pigue N	12	1%	Tom Lee D	724 100%
<b>Texas Supreme Ct., Chief Justice</b>			<b>County Attorney</b>	
Tom Phillips R	631	60%	Tully Shahan WI	129 100%
Andrew Kupper D	390	37%	<b>Sheriff</b>	
David Parker L	37	3%	L.K. Burgess D	918 100%
<b>Supreme Court, Place 1</b>			<b>Tax Assessor-Collector</b>	
John Cornyn R	578	55%	Martha Hooten D	879 100%
Patrice Barron D	435	42%	<b>County Commissioner Pct. 1</b>	
Thomas Stults L	32	3%	Freddie Frerich D	247 89%
<b>Supreme Court, Place 2</b>			Tony Ray Kelly WI	30 11%
James A. Baker R	617	58%	<b>County Commissioner Pct. 3</b>	
Gene Kelly D	423	39%	Joe V. Williams D	154 81%
Eileen Flume L	31	3%	Gregorio Juarez WI	36 19%
<b>Supreme Court, Place 3</b>			<b>Constable</b>	
			Bill Lindeman D	855 100%

Bonilla was re-elected as U.S. Congressman in District 23, topping Democrat Charles P. Jones. Republican Phil Gramm

handily won a second full term in the U.S. Senate, defeating Democrat Victor Morales, a schoolteacher from Mesquite.



Defensive tackle Wes Baker (82), fullback Jorge Rodirugez (7) and the Brackett Tigers hold their helmets high as the Brackett band plays the fight song after the Natalia game. The Tigers will host the Dilley Wolves in a 7:30 contest tomorrow with hopes of making it into the playoffs. Brackett News Photos by J.J. Guidry

## Tigers to make run at playoffs

Brackett hosts Dilley tomorrow at 7:30

By J.J. Guidry  
Sports Editor

The Brackett Tigers will be battling for their first playoff berth in four years tomorrow night when they host the Dilley Wolves at 7:30. Dilley is currently leading the District 30-2A race with a perfect 4-0 record. Brackett and Charlotte are 3-1 in conference play and the Comfort Bobcats are 2-2. All four teams have a shot to fill the post-season positions from the local district.

The Tigers can secure a playoff bid if they beat Dilley by more than eight, or if they beat Dilley by less than eight and Comfort beats Charlotte. If the Tigers beat the Wolves by eight and the Trojans top the Bobcats, then Brackett, Charlotte and Dilley will be tied for first place and a coin flip will determine which two teams advance.

"I think it's a real exciting playoff race," Brackett coach Roy Rokovich said. "When this district was put together, many felt it was going to be a tough district and it is. Like I believed then, I believe now that we can play with anybody in our district. It is tough."

"Our kids have risen to the occasion. Our kids are playing good football. We want this so bad. This is something that we've worked hard for. I'm just real proud of our kids and I'm glad we have the opportunity to be in playoff contention. Our kids deserve it."

The only way the Wolves can be kept out of the playoffs is if they lose by eight, Charlotte wins, and then they lose the coin flip.

"There's always a chance of that happening," Dilley coach Kelly Shull said. "It's been a good race. The district is very competitive. I think Brackett will be very competitive. It's going to be a real good ball game."

There are a lot of possibilities in the district race, but one thing is for sure - Brackett has to beat Dilley in order to make the playoffs.

"We have to win and that's very possible," Rokovich said. "Our district is really tight and it shows you that there are a lot of good football teams in our district. We're going into the game looking to beat Dilley and to beat them by eight because we don't know what's going to happen at Comfort."

"We're going to have to play a great game. It's going to take that kind of effort to win, and our kids are capable of that. It's certainly not going to be a cakewalk. It's going to be a tough football game. Dilley has a great program and Kelly Shull is a great coach."

The Wolves offense is led by senior quarterback Steven Rodriguez. "Rodriguez has been doing a good job for them," Rokovich said. "He's a good athlete. He has great speed and great strength. He's a senior and he's been playing for four years. He's a great leader."

Dilley's ground game is powered by fullback Fabian Santos, who rushed for 708 yards and 11 TDs in the first eight games of the season. "Santos is a power runner," Rokovich said. "They run the pitch, the lead and the dive with him. They also like to get him out of the backfield and throw the ball to him. He's huge and he has good speed."

### Road to the playoffs

What it will take for four of the District 30-2A teams to advance to the playoffs in high school football:

■ **Brackett Tigers:** The Tigers can secure a playoff bid if they defeat Dilley by more than eight points, or if they beat Dilley by less than eight and Charlotte loses to Comfort. If Brackett wins by eight and Charlotte beats Comfort, then Brackett, Charlotte and Dilley will be tied for first and the two playoff representatives will be determined by a coin flip.

■ **Charlotte Trojans:** The Trojans can secure a post-season berth with a win as long as Brackett doesn't beat Dilley by eight or more.

■ **Comfort Bobcats:** The Bobcats will qualify for the playoffs if they beat Charlotte by more than eight and Brackett loses to Dilley.

■ **Dilley Wolves:** The only way the Wolves will be left out of the post-season is if they lose to the Tigers by eight, which will call for a coin flip because of the positive points system.



Four-year-old Cheyenne Billings, left, and her sister Jessica, 5, both won first place prizes in costume contests at Jones Elementary on Halloween Day. Jessica also won first in the dance contest at the Fall Festival. Brackett News Photo by Jewel Robinson

## Program offers rewards for information on fish and game violations

By Henry Lutz  
Contributing Writer

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has a program called Operation Game Thief (OGT) which is very similar to the familiar Crime Stoppers program.

Callers can report fish and game violations anonymously and receive cash rewards for the information if it leads to the arrest and conviction of the individuals involved.

The Operation Game Thief Committee has recently raised the maximum reward for callers that report fish and wildlife law viola-

tions from \$300 to \$1,000.

During one meeting, the OGT Committee approved rewards totaling \$2,050 to six different callers.

The information provided by the six callers helped convict 10 violators for 18 criminal violations that included taking deer without landowner consent, hunting from a public road, killing deer in closed season, hunting with an illegal firearm on closed area, and illegal possession of an alligator in closed season, with fines totaling \$5,140.

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## Bader addresses Rotary

By Frances McMaster  
Contributing Writer

The Brackettville Rotary Club was treated to hearing Amy Bader talk about her prize-winning essay she wrote for a contest sponsored by Rio Grande Electric.

She won a two-week trip to Washington D.C. by writing on the subject of what her electric coop means to her.

Bader is a senior in Brackett High School and her parents are Jimmy and Kathy Bader. The Bader Ranch is located five miles west of town.

Bader's great grandfather, James Bader, ranched here with his wife and family.

Drawing from this rich background, Bader effectively compared her life with her great grandmother's.

Bader awakens each morning in the same house and in the same bedroom as her great grandmother did in 1915.

The house didn't have electricity, however, until 1948.

Bader begins her comparison with the electric alarm clock awak-



Amy Bader, right, is welcomed to the Brackettville Rotary Club meeting by W.B. "Dub" Miller, program chairman.

ening her.

She hits the snooze button for a five minute reprieve before hopping up to start her day.

An electric stove can heat her room, but her great grandmother didn't enjoy such comfort.

A more chilling comparison was Bader's nice, warm bathroom

compared to her great grandparents outhouse.

Bader's use of electricity moves to such advantages as using an electric curling iron to being able to retrieve research information for homework on her computer.

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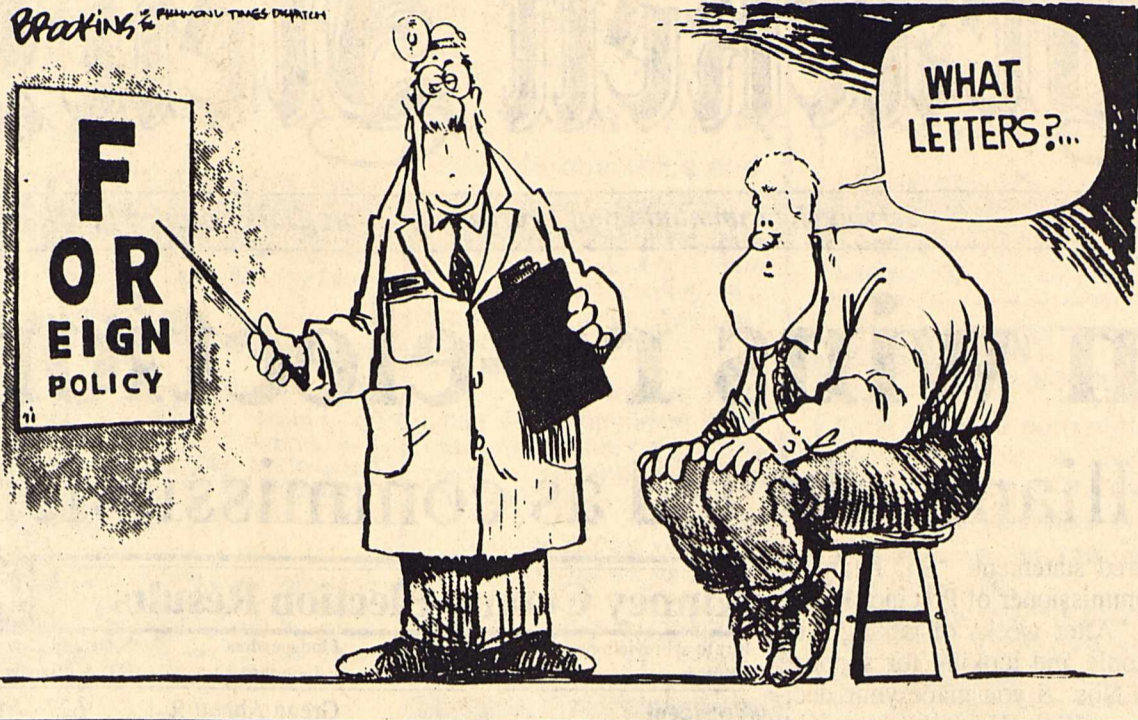
Between Us

By Joe Townsend



# Border Patrol goes under appreciated

Perhaps the most under appreciated facets of our community is the Border Patrol. From a contingent of two about 30 years ago, it has grown to better than two score. The financial contribution to the merchants is substantial. Students from the families of these men add substantially to the school population. A number of wives of these agents serve in responsible positions in the community. The contingent, as a unit, fills a very important spot in the life of the community. Illegal aliens are a bane on society. There is opportunity for foreign citizens to come into the U.S. legally. Entirely too many totally disregard the laws of our nation and are protected and abetted by politicians. Courts which, in total disregard of laws, force schools, hospitals and other agencies to use tax payers dollars to treat aliens as though they are citizens. The Border Patrol has a hopeless job. The border is a revolving door. Many aliens are caught and taken back across the border only to return the next day. The agents here are a capable and efficient corps. We have been fortunate in Brackettville to have agents in charge who are of the highest caliber. Kudos to a fine group of men who make Brackettville and Kinney County a better place to live.



## The people have spoken!

By Taylor Stephenson  
Contributing Writer

Election Day is that special time when we the people can voice our choice. By the time that you read this column, The People Will Have Spoken!

In the public schools at Brackettville, we have had some fun in the election process. This week, I want to talk about a special project in Jones Elementary by the GT Class with its teacher, Mary Fuentes.

The project was called Election 96. It was a unit of instruction that included becoming acquainted with the election process, the candidates for election, and going to elementary school classrooms to talk about the candidates for President and Vice President.

The project was closely akin to the model that we adults use to learn about candidates and political parties.

The elementary students received voter registration cards. On Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 5, the students went to the GT classroom where they found a voting booth and a ballot box. It was a high tech ballot that included pictures of the candidates.

A total of 282 students and staff voted after two votes were voided for voting for too many candidates. The results were: 149 votes for Clinton (52.8 percent) and 133 for Dole (47.2 percent).

From this vantage point, at about 6 p.m. on election day, if Jones Elementary is any sort of weather vane, it looks as if the election will be much closer than earlier polls predicted.

Our gifted and talented students learned that there is more than commercials that make up the process of electing the President.

They learned about the role of the president, about the Legislative Branch of our government and about the balance of power.

They learned about democracy and that there are emerging democratic societies like South Africa where voters stand in line four days just for the chance to vote.

Our kids in regular classes gained a candid awareness of the election process. The school link reinforces things that some of the kids had learned at home. They became part of a process where everyone chose to participate. Our kids learned about leadership. They looked at the qualities that a president should exemplify and they learned how candidates get folks to vote for them.

The GT kids put up posters for the candidates that were included in the debates. They did a debate on voting vs. not voting. The students learned what they could about the Presidential candidates, the Vice Presidential candidates and their wives. (Yes, they believe that a wife is an important part of this process). Election '96 was a great experience for our students.

### THANK YOU

To those who helped me with my campaign and those that voted for me, I can only say thank you for your effort and your hard work.  
T.R. Kelley

### Moncus' Musings



MIKE MONCUS  
Park Ranger, Interpreter  
Bastrop State Park

I fixed the tire on my bike. I thought of how Bruno taught me all about bikes when I was 7 or 8. It's different now. All about bikes is. Then the tubes were tough and getting the tires separated from the rims was hard. Patch kits always fascinated me tremendously. Most of the time now the tube comes apart at one of the many seams in the rubber while in the old days you were able to sometimes pull an old tire out and find little room for another patch. I remember cutting all different shapes of red rubber patches to fit various holes. Sometimes tubes would be like patch work quilts of red over black patterns. Glue seemed good then too. At least few patches were wasted. This time I had to buy a new tube because when I pulled the tube from beneath the tire and over the metal rim it came apart at a seam that ran all around the tube. Those didn't exist in the old days.

Like in the old days after fixing flats on patched up tires I hopped on my bike and then hopped back off again. More air was necessary to hold my inflated personality than in the old days. I pumped it up to about 36 pounds and was ready as any young boy. Off I sailed listening to the rhythm bikes always play. Sweet air whipped my face. Rain had washed the road clean and I glided through shallow puddles that showered my legs. I had just recovered a few days of resting my back from the strain of moving some of my household belongings from one building to another. The building I had emptied a crew moved off while I lay up in bed resting my back. I rode my repaired bike down to see how the missing building looked missing.

I peddled up to the building I had moved my stuff into and only momentarily noticed how missing the other building was when I noticed a snake climbing up a concrete block that supported the present building. I know snakes well. Most Park Rangers would.

This looked like a fresh washed Rat snake and I wanted to catch him for a close look. It was too simple I suppose because when I dismounted and got to him he was up under the building on a rafter and the lighting was not perfect. It made me think I was seeing his neck right behind his head which is a very good and safe place to grab a snake if you are going to grab one. I grabbed him in the middle of his 3 foot long body. He bite me in the middle of my 3 inch long index finger as any serpent is apt to do if given such a good opportunity. I learned another lesson as Rangers are apt to do but only if they learn they're not little boys any more.

## FOR PETE'S SAKE

With the election coming up soon, local politics is getting heavy. Especially certain races. A local Democrat overheard a Republican making disparaging remarks about Clinton at the morning coffee table of a local restaurant.

Boiling over, the Democrat walked up to the Republican's chair. "You can go to hell!" he snarled.

"Thanks!" the Republican exclaimed. "That's the first time I've ever been invited to Democratic headquarters!"

Those drive in windows at banks are not for me. If I need to do banking, I'll go inside and do it standing up. But a lot of women like them, on the mistaken impression they save time.

A Colonial Heights gal whose husband does most of the family's banking drove by her bank's drive in window a few days back to cash a check.

"I'll have to see your license in order to cash your check," the teller behind the glass told her.

Without a word, the young woman drove off, leaving the uncashed check at the window. A few minutes later, she pulled up to the window again and asked for her money. The startled teller repeated that she would have to see her license.

"Well for goodness sakes!" the woman exclaimed. "If you didn't look at it the first time I pulled away, I'm not going to show it to you again!"

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## Letters to the Editor

### Disappointed with bad politics

An open letter to the voters of Precinct 1:

Running for any elected office is not an easy thing to do. If you do it right, your family suffers and you're bound to make some enemies along the way.

After living in Brackett for two years, I knew something had to change. So, I made the sacrifice and ran for commissioner of Precinct 1.

After weeks of talking with people and looking for support, on Nov. 5 you made your decision.

While I am not angry with that decision, I am disappointed that more people weren't as tired of

the bad politics in Brackett as I am.

You've seen what the last four years have brought. Little to no effort to bring industry or jobs in general and because of mismanagement, the county runs out of money. Now we are facing another four years of the same.

All I can say is hold on, we're in for a very bumpy ride.

To Joe Boy Williams, I'm sorry you are going to have to fight this fight alone, I tried.

And to Freddie Frerich, it's about time you do the job that you were elected to do. Work for the precinct instead of against it.

T.R. Kelley

## Goodloe is going to be missed

This community needs to take time to honor Sterling "Smiley" Goodloe.

He has been a part of Brackett I.S.D. for nine years. He is remembered for the love he has for children, and his love for working with them.

Smiley was a bus driver for students who lived on F.M. 334. He was the janitor for Jones Elementary students. He helped the teachers with their bulletin boards, and he was a friend to the students there.

His love spread to everyone

everywhere in our little country.

In 1992, when the junior class at the high school gave dances after football games, he filled their need for a DJ.

In addition, he gave street dances for the kids of Brackett. He opened a snowcone stand and a little store.

He will be missed bunches in our community. He meant a great deal to us. In our hearts, we are still with him in Uvalde as he is still with us in Brackettville. He is truly a great man.

Mistie Herndon

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I would like to thank everyone who helped us win the election. Us being you the people of our precinct #3. Thank you all very much and God Bless You.  
Joe Boy Williams

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# Chamber welcomes two new restaurants



Jaime and Eleticia Ortiz have opened up Lety's Restaurant on Highway 90. Photo by J.J. Guidry

**Katheryn Letsinger**  
Contributing Writer

The Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the opening of two new restaurants in Brackettville, Shorty's Cafe and Lety's Restaurant. Both have joined the Chamber and we welcome their addition to this organization.

Shorty's Cafe is located on Highway 90, west of Brackettville, about three miles out. The completely remodeled interior is bright and busy with enthusiastic waitresses attending hungry patrons.

Connie Fritter is the owner and manager. She is pleased with the response from the community and passing travelers.

In addition to great lunch buffets seven days a week, Shorty's has huge chicken fried steaks, hand breaded seafood, already famous enchiladas, an unusual snack platter and a complete menu to satisfy anyone's appetite.

They open bright and early at 6 a.m. for breakfast and are open all day, seven days a week until 10 or 11 p.m., depending on the supper crowd. For more information, call 563-9148.

Lety's Restaurant is located on Highway 90 West, right before the intersection of F.M. Road 3348.

Eleticia Ortiz opened up quickly and was in full swing by Monday of this week.

Lety's offers daily lunch specials, ranging from excellent chili rellenos to chicken fried steaks.

Some of her specialities include fajitas, fresh tamales and



Greeting eaters to Shorty's Cafe are, seated, from left: Brenda Gass, Cookie Turner, Connie Fritter and Dee Perry. Standing: Juanita Morin, Steve Boutwell, Tommy Gass, Dedra Hale and Sissy Martin. Photo by J.J. Guidry

barbacoa. A full menu is available featuring more than your average Mexican cuisine.

Lety's is open from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., starting with breakfast tacos and other breakfast items, lunch and supper, seven days a week. For more information, call 563-9001.

Remember both of these new places and stop in and give them a try!! Brackettville and Fort Clark

are lucky to have so many choices when it comes to eating out.

Fall air has brought back our winter visitors and hunters to Kinney County. Welcome! This community appreciates the boost you give the economy here.

The Chamber will be sponsoring its Annual Big Whitetail Buck Contest again this year. The Jug Store on Highway 90 East is the official measurement station. You

can also get your buck registered at Freddie's Deer Processing Plant.

A rifle will be awarded to the top buck taken in Kinney County. Second and third prizes will be given as well.

Thank you to M&S Price Ranch and Steve Price, and the Jug Store for their support of this year's contest. For more information call 563-2466.

## Bader speaks at Rotary Club

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Her great grandmother had to cook with heat from a fire. Meals sometimes took all day to prepare.

No evening reward of TV for the accomplishments of the day awaited grandmother. Instead, a battery powered car radio delivered the news, but it only operated for 15 minutes.

There are always chores to be done on a ranch, but today they are much simpler. Electric powered pumps supply water where windmills were essential. Shearing is done by electric clippers and barns and sheds for the animals can be heated when needed.

Bader ended her essay by saying she was glad her great grandmother lived to be 95 years old because she was able to enjoy many of the changes electricity brought.

The trip to Washington D.C. that Amy won was a peak experience. She joined 100 other young people who were winners from their particular areas.

Two busloads, with 50 students on each, took and brought them back. They saw all monuments they could manage. They visited the Whitehouse and Bader met Henry Bonilla.

The youngsters also got to hear Bob Dole's farewell address. They saw "The Fantastics" at the Ford Theater and spent two days at the Smithsonian Institute.

All in all, they had a wonderful trip and Bader made many friends from different places.

Bader hopes to go to Texas A&M at College Station.

## Preceptor Theta Sigma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met on Monday

Preceptor Theta Sigma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Pat McKelvey Monday.

Many of our members will be models for the Fashion Show to be held at the Ladies Luncheon Wednesday at the Las Moras Inn. Jean's Dress Shop will furnish the apparel for the show.

Plans were finalized for the Thanksgiving Dinner to be held at Slater Hall on Nov. 21, at 6 p.m. for members and families.

An interesting program of Natural Remedies for keeping your memory sharp was presented by Nancy Frerich. A drawing was held for the door prize. The lucky winner was Ann Hibler.

Apple pie ala mode was served by Frerich to Hibler, Vicki Bell, Patsy Callnan, Luella Gilliland, Gaye Kurz, Jean Land, Alicia Raymer, Molly Schroeder and Mylo Unruh.

## Beta Epsilon Omicron meets

FORT CLARK SPRINGS - Beta Epsilon Omicron Sorority met Oct. 28, at the Adult Center.

President Dee Curry let the opening ritual and called for roll with 14 members answering. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved.

Curry announced that the 1997 Beta Sigma Phi Convention will be held in Houston in June 1997. Previous conventions were discussed and members were urged to attend if possible.

Betty Mathison, Ways and Means, discussed the bake sale coming up Nov. 30.

Service Chairman Lynn McNew reviewed plans for Halloween decorating and cupcakes at the Aging Center.

Thanksgiving Dinner for guests were suggested and plans will be finalized at our next meeting.

Vice President Hazel Ivey presented the scrap book to Marla Madrid, past president.

Curry led the closing ritual and Mizpah and introduced Lynn McNew, who presented a clever and fun program of Halloween carols.

Laughing and appreciative members all agreed we helped solve the "Problem of the Forgotten Halloween Pumpkin."

Madrid served a great graveyard pudding and snacks while members exchanged wonderful Halloween Secret Sister gifts.

Also attending were Ruby Cheaney, Francine Collins, Cathy Conrey, Opal Grose, Pam Malancon, Barbara Miller, Helen Peck, Flo Stafford, and Evelyn Whitely.

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## Kinney County Arts Council selects new officers

The Kinney County Arts Council met Friday to plan its activities for the year with President Rozetta Pingenot presiding. The council is working for an April concert, and selection and booking of the artist is in progress.

Other business included the planning of the Christmas Tour of Homes set for Sunday, Dec. 15, from 2 to 5 p.m. Ticket prices are \$5 for the tour and will be available in the near future. The tour was one of

the very successful events in 1995. This year, the Voices of Fort Clark will present the Messiah at Fort Clark Springs Town Hall.

New officers for 1997 were selected. The new officers include President Joy Ralston, Vice President Woodie Hornburg, Treasurer Pat McKelvey and Secretary Ida Holley.

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# La Mascus, Melancon win Gold Star

UVALDE - The coveted Gold Star, which is the highest recognition of 4-H achievement at the county level that a 4-H member can receive, was presented on Oct. 19, at the District 10 4-H Gold Star Luncheon held at the Uvalde Country Club.

A gathering of about 160 4-H members, parents, adult leaders, special guests and Texas Agricultural Extension Service personnel were on hand as 44 area 4-H members received awards presented by State Representative Tracy King of Uvalde.

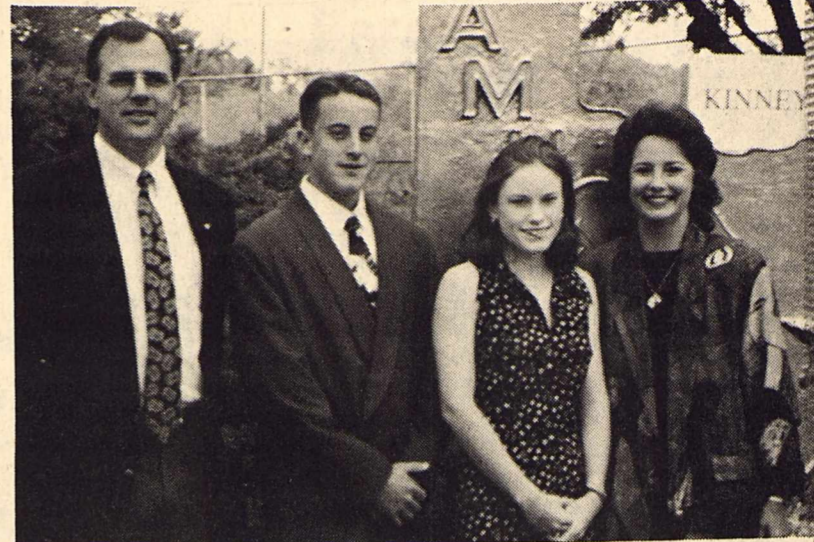
Among those honored were Lindy LaMascus and David Melancon, representing the Kin-

ney County 4-H Club.

La Mascus and Melancon were recognized on the basis of personal development, leadership, outstanding achievement in projects and activities and overall contributions to the county 4-H program.

The luncheon was sponsored by Central Power and Light Company with assistance from other power companies such as Rio Grande Electric Coop.

Also attending the luncheon were Lindy's parents, Steven and Candace La Mascus, David's parents, Pat and Pam Melancon, and Kinney County Extension Agent Alan McWilliams.



David Melancon and Lindy LaMascus, flanked by CP&L representatives, were presented the 4-H Gold Star award.

# McWilliams: Rain saves Texas deer

Earlier this year, wildlife experts feared the drought would have a profound effect on the deer population, but late summer rains washed away those worries. Now deer, young and old, will have enough to eat.

The only visible drought damage will be smaller antlers this year. As welcome as the rain is, though, it will make it harder to spot that trophy buck. If it remained dry, it would have been a hunter's paradise because deer would be out in the open looking for food. Rain greened up much of Texas so deer will find food more easily.

There's also a warning to folks who feed deer. The drought contributed to the aflatoxin problem in corn. Some of the toxic corn may get passed on as deer feed. If you find feed corn for less than \$10 dollars for a hundred pound bag, it could be contaminated with aflatoxin. A safe way to avoid contaminated corn is to plant oats or rye to attract deer.

**Few Female Hunters**  
You won't find many women hunters in Texas. A newly released study reveals women represent 10

**COUNTY AGENT NEWS**

By Alan L. McWilliams

percent or less of the registered hunters in this state. Of the women who do hunt, 99 percent are white and married. And unlike most male hunters who learned as children, female hunters didn't get into the sport until they were about 23 years old. Studies indicate that most women learned to hunt from their husbands rather than their fathers. Time together with a spouse or family was cited as a major factor in why women hunt. The study also suggests couples or even family workshops would be more effective than courses geared solely toward women. The researchers conclude that fathers need to think about including their daughters in hunting. They might find their daughter as well as their son has an interest.

**Check for Termites Now**  
The thought of termites chewing away at a home's structure is enough to send chills up a

that contract and warranties are service oriented for the future. Termite control is still more of an art than a science, and it's quite common for your house to need both an initial treatment and a re-treatment. Research at Texas A&M has indicated most of the pesticides that can control termites have an equal effect, but the thing to remember is that all are simply a temporary fix.

The chemicals eventually breakdown, so they're only effective for about 5 years. And just because you have a brick or rock home doesn't mean you're exempt from termites. Almost every structure has a wooden frame, and cabinets inside the house are a tasty treat for termites as well.

With deer hunting season right around the corner, here are a few tips for dealing with suspected rabid animals. Texas continues to be plagued with rabies problems.

been major threats to folks and animals in those regions. We are more or less caught in the middle and have both animals that are spreading the rabies strains.

Using a little common sense and caution should insure a safe hunting trip. Odd behavior is probably the biggest danger signal. Be aware of wild animals that don't show fear of humans. Any nocturnal animal seen during daylight hours should also be a suspect.

If confronted, you may have to shoot the animal, but do not touch it unless there has been some kind of human exposure. The Texas Department of Health receives a flood of specimens for testing. To lighten their load, don't send them the animal unless there has been a possible exposure. If bitten the health department has these tips that could save your life: Identify the animal. Immediately cleanse the wound with soap and water. Rinse and disinfect with alcohol. See a doctor immediately. The physician will decide your best course of action. Report the incident to the local health officer and animal control agency. If possible, have the biting animal tested for

homeowner's spine. But no matter how painful, now is probably the time to take notice around your home. Termites swarm in the fall, and being alert to their swarming season can help you determine whether or not there is termite activity in and around your home.

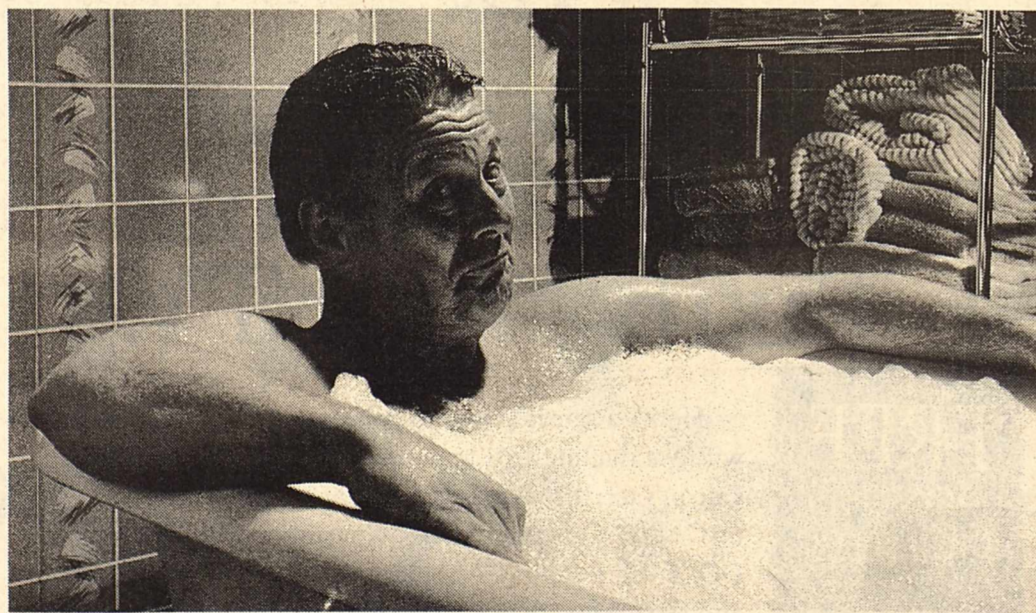
Termites are difficult to control, and hiring a professional pest control outfit can be crucial. When hiring a professional, make sure

With more than one million deer hunters expected in Texas this fall and winter, many will be heading for the hill country and our area of the Edwards Plateau and deer may not be the only wildlife encounter to be had. Kinney County is located in the middle of two noted areas that have experienced rabies problems in the past. Coyote rabies toward the south and Fox rabies north of this area have

rabies. If you are a bird hunter, you should have your dogs vaccinated annually by a licensed veterinarian.

And always approach your blinds with caution if they have been vacant. A host of critters such as wasps, bees, snakes, spiders, and bats view these structures as suitable nesting areas and are likely to have taken up residence.

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## OUTDOORS

### Rivera participates in riding program

Brackettville's Jesus Rivera recently enrolled in the American Quarter Horse Association Horseback Riding Program.

The program provides AQHA members recognition for time spent riding or driving American Quarter Horses.

A unique aspect of the program is its simplicity. Current AQHA members complete a program application and pay a one-time \$25 enrollment fee.

Each enrollee receives an official AQHA log sheet to record their hours driving or riding their American Quarter Horse.

Participants need not only their own horse, but all official hours must be accrued with a registered American Quarter Horse.

The first award, a program recognition patch, is given after only 50 hours have been logged and verified.

Patches and nine subsequent awards are presented at 100 to 5,000 hour levels and range from merchandise gift certificates from Drysdale's Western Store to a

Montana Silversmith trophy belt buckle at the highest level.

"The Horseback Riding Program is a unique opportunity to earn rewards outside of traditional competition," Carolyn Hudnell, AQHA Director of the Horseback Riding Program, said.

"In some cases, the program rewards people who already spend many hours riding American Quarter Horses. For others, the Horseback Riding Program is an incentive to get out and ride."

Horseback riding provides good exercise. According to the U.S. Department of the Interior, more than 27 million people participate in horseback riding nationally.

AQHA actively encourages horseback riding as a relaxing recreational activity that can be enjoyed alone or shared with family and friends.

**Editor's note:** For additional information, contact Jesus Rivera, T. W. Winters Ranch, Brackettville, Tx, 78832.

### OGT offers cash rewards

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Since its inception in 1981, Operation Game Thief has been an unquestionable success in Texas. More than 17,600 calls from concerned citizens have resulted in more than 6,000 criminal cases filed against fish and wildlife violators. About 98 percent of these cases have resulted in convictions for which courts assessed more than \$778,780 in fines.

As a result, OGT has approved more than \$100,000 in rewards for callers.

Many people may not realize that Operation Game Thief, although a program of TPWD, is a charitable organization that is totally dependent on private donations and fund-raisers to pay rewards. No tax money is used.

A fund-raiser was held recently in San Antonio as sportsmen and landowners from across the state made the first annual Operation Game Thief Fund-raiser a huge success by helping generate \$90,000 in contributions to the popular program.

OGT's toll free, 24 hour number is 1-800-792-GAME. **Editor's note:** Henry Lutz is the Kinney County Game Warden.

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## Briefs ...

### Nowlin gets first look at Tigerettes today

Brackett basketball coach Gregg Nowlin will get his first look at the Tigerettes in competitive action today as they travel to Hondo for a scrimmage with the Lady Owls and the Knippa Lady Rockcrushers.

"I'm excited to see what the girls can do," Nowlin said. "Practices have been going well. The girls are ready to get on the court and scrimmage. It should be exciting."

The Tigerettes were scheduled to open their season Tuesday against Comstock, but that game has been cancelled because Comstock is in the volleyball playoffs.

### JV Tigers win, 20-14

ROCKSPRINGS - The Brackett Tigers slipped passed the Rocksprings Angoras, 20-14, in junior varsity football action last Thursday.

Brent Smith scored on a 30-yard run and added a two-point conversion to pace the Tigers, who improved to 4-1-1 on the season.

Brackett quarterback Zach Davis teamed with Jacob Puda for a 62-yard scoring strike.

Brandon Moore scored the Tigers' other touchdown on a 2-yard run.

Brackett will close its season today as they host Rocksprings in a 5:30 contest.

### Cubs slip by Del Rio

DEL RIO - Shiller Hill passed for two touchdowns and rushed for another Thursday as the Brackett Cubs picked up a 19-12 victory over Del Rio in junior high football action last Thursday.

With the win, Brackett improves to 5-2 overall.

Hill's TD passes were directed to tight end Sam Hunt, the Cubs leading receiver this season.

Brackett closes its season today as they face La Pryor on the road at 5 p.m.

### Trees needed for field

Trees are needed for the high school baseball and softball complex, Kathy Bader said.

If anyone is wanting to make a donation or a memorial for someone, they can contact the Sunshine Garden Center, Bader said.



Brackett quarterback J. Wayne Ballew (26) lets go as he hits Brian Flores for the winning touchdown against Natalia Friday night. The Tigers shut out the Mustangs 7-0. Photo by J.J. Guidry

## Tigers-Mustangs game report

### Tigers 7, Mustangs 0

Brackett	0	0	0	7	-	7
Natalia	0	0	0	0	-	0

**Fourth Quarter**  
Brackett - Brian Flores 25 pass from J. Wayne Ballew (Jose Gonzalez kick), 6:24. Drive: 28 yards, 4 plays, 1:49. Key plays: Flores' TD came on 4th-and-7, Moses Hernandez blocked Natalia punt to give Tigers possession on the Mustangs' 28. Brackett 7, Natalia 0.

### TEAM STATISTICS

	BT	NM
FIRST DOWNS	12	18
Rushing	11	16
Passing	1	1
Penalty	0	1
THIRD DOWN EFF.	3-11	7-14
FOURTH DOWN EFF.	4-7	1-4
TOTAL NET YARDS	254	239
Total Plays	53	64
Avg Gain	4.8	3.7

NET YARDS RUSHING	Yards	Attempts
Rushes	52	57
Avg per rush	4.4	4.1
NET YARDS PASSING	25	8
Completed-Att.	1-1	1-7
Yards-Pass Play	25.0	1.1
Sacks-Yards lost	0-0	4-16
Had intercepted	0	2
PUNTS-Avg	1-42	1-0
TOTAL RETURN YARDS	42	52
Punt Returns	0	0
Kickoff returns	5	37
Interceptions	37	0
Fumbles	0	15
PENALTIES-Yards	4-35	1-10
FUMBLES-Lost	5-3	4-2
TIME OF POSSESSION	21:30	26:30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS	Player	Yards	Attempts									
RUSHING	Brackett - Moses Hernandez	19-88	Jorge Rodriguez	16-64	J. Wayne Ballew	10-37	Michael Aguirre	1-24	Demitreus Williams	4-9	Ramon De Leon	2-7
PASSING	Natalia - Nick Mendez	35-121	Eric Hernandez	12-77	Joe Martinez	5-23	Ernesto Perez	2-21	P.J. Sanchez	2-4	Justin Shaw	1-(15)
RECEIVING	Brackett - J. Wayne Ballew	1-1-0	25	Natalia - Nick Mendez	1-7-2	8						
PUNT RETURNS	Brackett - Brian Flores	1-25	Natalia - Manuel Saldana	1-8								
KICKOFF RETURNS	Brackett - None	Natalia - None										
INTERCEPTIONS	Brackett - Demitreus Williams	1-22	Luis Guajardo	1-15	Natalia - None							
MISSED FIELD GOALS	Brackett - None	Natalia - Ronnie Cruz	2-6									

# Tigers shut out Mustangs, 7-0

NATALIA - The Tigers only threw one pass Friday night but it was enough to win the football game as Brackett blanked the Natalia Mustangs, 7-0, in a District 30-2A contest.

With the victory, the Tigers improve to 5-4 on the season and to 3-1 in conference play. The Mustangs fall to 2-7 overall and to 0-4 in district action.

"It was an awesome feeling," Brackett coach Roy Rokovich said after the win. "Natalia has a good football team. We knew it was going to be a tough game, but our kids played extremely well."

"I think we gained a lot of character from this game. We found out that we could win a close one when the chips were down."

J. Wayne Ballew connected with Brian Flores for a 25-yard scoring strike on 4th-and-7 for the winning touchdown. Jose Gonzalez added the extra point with 6:24 remaining.

"That was an extremely big play," Rokovich said. "Natalia was

pretty much playing an 11-man front against us. We had to throw the ball and it ended up being a very big play for us."

The Tigers finished with 12 first downs and 254 offensive yards. Brackett had 229 rushing yards on 52 attempts for a 4.8 yards-per-carry average.

Moses Hernandez led the way with 88 yards on 19 carries and Jorge Rodriguez had 64 yards on 16 totes.

"I was real happy with the way our fullbacks performed," Rokovich said. "They ran the ball hard."

Natalia had 18 first downs and 239 offensive yards, but the Brackett's defense held them in check. The Mustangs had the ball inside of Brackett's 30-yard line five times but were unable to score.

"I thought our defense was outstanding," Rokovich said. "We held them outside out of the end zone. The kids really did a great job."

**Bridge Anyone**  
By NORMA GOULD

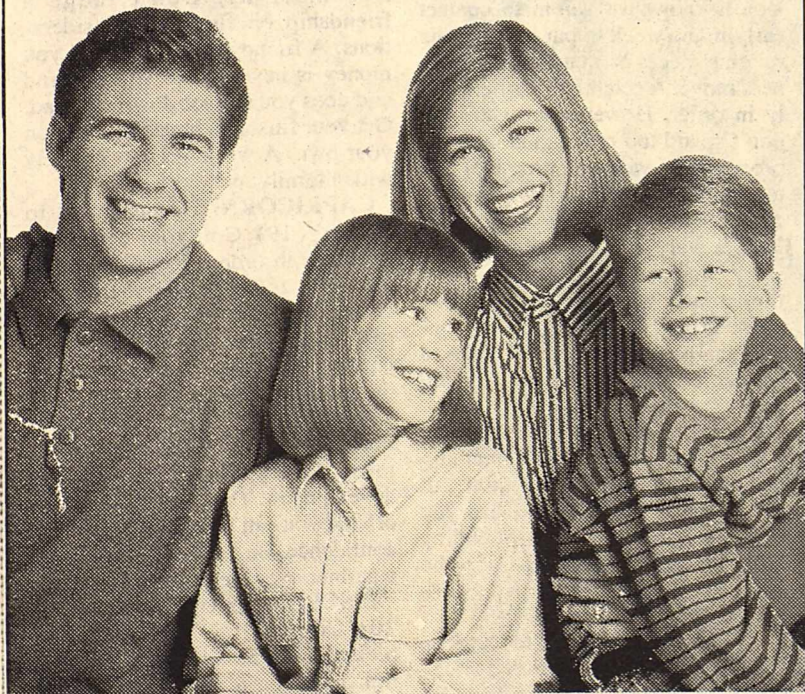
FORT CLARK SPRINGS - More Winter Texans have arrived at the Bridge Club welcomed back Dianne Daniels and Mylo Unruh. Four and one-half tables played the Howell Movement. Rozetta Pingnot and Norma Gould won first place. There was a tie for second place between Flo Stafford and Ben Pingnot, and Betty Inman and Ann Hibler.

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<b>Monday, November 11</b> English Muffins Cream Cheese or Apple Butter Fruit or Fruit Juice	<b>Monday, November 11</b> Mexican Beefaroni Choice of Vegetable Fruit & Corn Bread
<b>Tuesday, November 12</b> Bean and Cheese Burrito Picante Fruit or Fruit Juice	<b>Tuesday, November 12</b> Chicken Parmesan W/Spaghetti Choice of Veggie Fruit Cocktail & Roll
<b>Wednesday, November 13</b> Western Pita Pocket W/Scrambled Eggs Potatoes & Sausage Fruit or Fruit Juice	<b>Wednesday, November 13</b> Hamburger/Burger Salad Oven Fries Fruited Jello
<b>Thursday, November 14</b> Pancakes /Syrup Fruit of Fruit Juice	<b>Thursday, November 14</b> Tacos W/Cheese Cup Taco Salad, Spanish Rice Pinto Beans & Corn Bread

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Natasha's Stars

**ARIES (March 21 to April 19)**  
Some rivalry between family members may make its presence felt during the week. Domestic bickering could dampen prospects for contentment. Watch your words when dealing with children. Weekend socializing spells trouble if you over-indulge in food or drink.

**TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)**  
You're in a happy-go-lucky mood, but avoid carelessness when driving this week. Someone you meet in connection with a work project doesn't tell the truth. Be on your guard against con artists and get-rich-quick scams this weekend.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 20)**  
Problem-solving doesn't come easily for you this week, especially in connection with a work project. Don't get discouraged. Save serious intellectual work for another time and plan a romantic surprise this weekend instead.

**CANCER (June 21 to July 22)**  
You'll know just whom to contact early in the week to put together the missing pieces of an upcoming business move. A celebration is definitely in order. However, be sure you don't spend too much money in the process. The weekend promises cultural outings.

**LEO (July 23 to August 22)**  
You're very much on the go this week. Social life is rewarding and the creative side of life is also productive. Be innovative and unpredictable with a sense of humor to temper this. Listen to what a friend has to say this weekend.

**VIRGO (August 23 to September 22)**  
You could purchase something beautiful for the home while out shopping. A poetic mood has you creating sonnets or corresponding with those dear to you. Use the weekend to catch up on paperwork and bills.

**LIBRA (September 23 to October 22)**  
Don't jeopardize a work situation with unwise travel. It may be best to put off a trip until a more proper time. If you do this, a future promotion could be the happy result.

**SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21)**  
This is one of those weeks when a little shopping trip for something you like takes the blues away. Be nice to yourself and indulge. Extravagance, though, is unwise at this time. A work project takes precedence as the week wanes.

**SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21)**  
Don't judge a friendship on financial considerations. A friend who won't lend you money is nevertheless still a friend and does you a favor down the road. Get your financial house in order on your own. A weekend spat is likely with a family member.

**CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19)**  
Get your financial priorities in order. Spend on things you need and avoid those frivolous extras. Watch your credit cards and pay your bills on time to avoid credit history problems. Worry lessens as the week comes to a close.

**AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18)**  
You've been rather mum lately about a business development. This week, things pay off and you can take others into your confidence. Be open and honest with a partner over the weekend.

**PISCES (February 19 to March 20)**  
Combining business with pleasure could lead to a surprise romance. You're able to sell yourself and your product well. Accent ingenuity and be open to new challenges.

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Vision Teaser

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Lamp is moved. 2. Picture is reversed. 3. Blanket is missing. 4. Book rack is added. 5. Bowl is larger. 6. Glasses are missing.

Happy Birthday

Nov. 7	Mae Foreman	Nov. 9	Salvador Hernandez
Nov. 7	Shelley Naylor	Nov. 10	Sara Terrazas
Nov. 7	Ernestine Luna	Nov. 10	Troy Williams
Nov. 7	Linda Hidalgo	Nov. 10	James Bullock
Nov. 7	Veronica Gonzalez	Nov. 10	Carlos Tomez
Nov. 7	Bernie Cervantes Jr.	Nov. 10	Debbie Ward
Nov. 8	Severo Galvan	Nov. 11	Dimple Henry
Nov. 8	Eddie Paiz	Nov. 12	Adam Kelley
Nov. 8	Buck Thompson	Nov. 12	Stephanie Wallace
Nov. 8	Stacey Ashabranner	Nov. 12	Carl Schwandner
Nov. 9	Anita Keilberg	Nov. 13	Olivia Rivera



**First Baptist Church**  
Rev. Gil Ash, Pastor  
"The Pastor's Pen"

"Be very careful, then, how you live, not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity." (Ephesians 5:15, 16 NIV).

A young son sought after his father to give him a weekly allowance and the father was agreeable to it with one condition. It was that the boy would give an account of all he had spent at the end of the month. At the end of the first month as the two were going over the records, the father was quite elated as to how well the records were in order. He had indicated the amount of money given to the ministries of the church as well as money spent on clothes, books, recreation and savings. The last item was labeled "T.L.O.K." The sum amounted to about half of the total amount of the allowance.

"What in the world is

T.L.O.K.?" he asked. "Well," said the son, "It's this way. Sometimes I did not jot down the sums I spent. When I sat down to try to make out my account, I could not for the life of me remember where I had spent all my money. I could not make my account balance so I had to place several dollars under, T.L.O.K."

"But what does it mean?" asked his father. The son replied "T.L.O.K. means, The Lord Only Knows."

To be sure, a lot of money goes unaccounted for in our lives but something more valuable than that is "time". How do we account for our time. How much of our time would have to go under the heading, T.L.O.K.? If we would follow the advice of the Scripture we would make the most of every opportunity and therefore prove ourselves to be wise.



**Frontier Baptist Church**  
Rev. Joe Townsend, Pastor

If Christ lives He lives in the hearts of men. The Scripture says "If any man has not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His". In the original language this does not mean just a character trait but the actual presence of the Holy Spirit in that life.

Christ comes into a heart strictly by invitation. He stands ready to enter any heart, "He that cometh unto me, I will never cast out."

The acceptance of the invitation has provisions. He cannot come where sin controls. He demands repentance not penance. No actions, rites, rituals can substitute for repentance. This means the recognition that one is a sinner and willfully turns away from sin to the Savior. He must come with a surrendered life to follow Jesus.

Acceptance of Jesus means an ever present Christ living within.

This brings an ever present desire to do good. It means an ever present desire to not do wrong. It means an ever present desire to do things of spiritual nature.

The indwelling Christ gives eternal assurance. His abiding is eternal. Nothing can disrupt this presence. His presence means his help is eternally present. His indwelling presence means his eternal ability to bless. All of this is lost to the person who is not trusting in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Jesus himself said, "He that is not with me is against me." When anyone repents of his sin and invites Jesus into his heart, he not only enters but seals that heart for eternity in the reality of being a child of God.

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The works of the LORD are great, sought out of all them who have pleasure therein.

His work is honorable and glorious, and his righteousness endureth forever.

He hath made his wonderful works to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and full of compassion.

He hath given food unto those who fear him; he will ever be mindful of his covenant.

He hath shown his people the power of his works, that he may

give them the heritage of the nations.

The works of his hands are verity and justice; all his commandments are sure.

They stand fast for ever and ever, and are done in truth and uprightness. He sent redemption unto his people; he hath commanded his covenant forever; holy and reverend is his name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. A good understanding have all they that do his Commandments; his praise endureth forever. Psalms 111. Praise the Lord. Come feast with us in the Lord the table is set. Church phone # 210-563-2582.

**DO UNTO OTHERS AS YOU WOULD HAVE OTHERS DO UNTO YOU!**

**Yearly flu shots urged for elderly**

The Texas Department of Health (TDH) has warned that anyone who may be at high risk of influenza and has complications should be immunized before the flu season begins. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) each year predicts which strains of influenza pose the greatest public health danger.

The vaccine CDC has recommended for the 1996-1997 season is meant to combat the A/Wuhan, B/Beijing and A/Texas (first isolated in Houston in 1991) strains of the disease. Flu vaccines change yearly to combat predicted mutations in the virus, and the effectiveness of each year's shots declines with time. Therefore, annual immunizations with the appropriate vaccines are necessary for people most at risk.

People most at risk of severe or fatal complications of the disease include those 65 or older, anyone with chronic respiratory or heart problems and children on aspirin therapy.

Most threatening between December through April, influenza kills about 20,000 in the U.S. each year. The elderly are the group hardest hit by influenza and its complications.

Fewer than 30 percent of elderly Americans and others in high-risk groups heed our warnings to have yearly influenza vaccinations. We know that one reason some older people fail to be vaccinated is because of an unfounded fear that the vaccine can actually cause influenza. The truth is that a vaccinated person may still contact some strains of influenza, but not from the vaccine. If they do become ill, the vaccine usually helps lessen the severity of the case.

Other categories of people who are most likely to develop influenza complications are: \*Adults and children with chronic heart or lung disorders, including children with asthma; \*People under medical care for chronic metabolic diseases, kidney or blood problems or weakened immune systems; and \*Children (18 and younger) who already are receiving long-term aspirin therapy, which can place them at risk of developing Reye syndrome after influenza.

**Unsung Hero**  
By Joe Townsend

A good many years ago a man's profession led him to Brackettville. He is a good husband and a fine father. He is capable in his profession. He contributes much to the community.

He has served as President of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce. He is active in Rotary and has served as president. He is gracious and friendly. His contribution to the community is great indeed. Surely Don Ralston is an Unsung Hero.

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This Name To Set Me Free - His Name Is Jesus Christ  
Stand in Faith, Rest in Hope, Walk in Love.

**First United Methodist Church**



Rev. Sheree Harris, Pastor

To my family and me Halloween is a day for dressing up, treating and being treated, and having fun. It is a day of innocence. Last week, on Halloween, we lost some of that innocence.

We had been looking forward to the festive day all month. The house was decorated with spiders, ghost and goblins. We had waited until the big day, however, to make our jack-o-lantern. That day, I cleared the kitchen table, and we set to work. Bill removed the seeds from the pumpkin, and I carved the smiling face. All the while, Lincoln sat at the table watching and asking questions. ("Do you like to eat pumpkin seeds, Mama? Why are some of his teeth missing?" If you know the answer to that one I'd be interested in hearing it.) When I removed one triangle of pumpkin to make an eye, Lincoln seized it and pretended to carve his own jack-o-lantern. When we finished we were all quite pleased with our creations. We were now ready to greet the spooks.

We set our jack-o-lantern on top of a small wall in our front yard, turned out our lights, and left to go trick or treating early so that we would be home in time to give some treats too. We returned a short while later. Our jack-o-lantern was not on the wall. Bill found it on the ground, right side up, with the top smashed in, a fair distance from the wall.

He came over to the boys and me and told us someone had smashed our jack-o-lantern. We couldn't believe it. The boys wanted to see it. Lincoln was close to tears and said over and over,

"They smashed our pumpkin. They shouldn't have done that." William was angry. He kept asking Bill and me, "Why would they do that? It wasn't theirs, what made them do that?" He was desperately trying to make sense out of this sad situation.

I found myself floundering, trying to console a 4-year-old and trying to explain to an 8-year-old a random act of violence. I tried to explain it in terms of misplaced anger, that perhaps someone had hurt the person who had ruined our jack-o-lantern so they hurt us. The thought crossed my mind that some mothers have to explain to their children why a friend or relative was killed in a drive-by shooting. Then I found myself preaching. I told my young sons that there are a few people, a very few, who do mean things to hurt us, and so we have to be careful. I hastened to reassure them that the vast majority of the people in the world are good and will help us and make life better.

I may be naive, but I believe that I believe that fundamentally we are good. To be sure, we have all fallen short of living up to that image, but I still believe that God instills in us a basic goodness.

Just as All Saints' Day follows Halloween, good will triumph over evil. There are no truly random acts of violence, just as there are no random acts of kindness. I pray that all children everywhere will witness and receive more acts of kindness than of violence so that, as they grow up and lose some of their innocence, they won't also lose hope. Let's be intentional about kindness.

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**FCS Memberships and Rentals Available**

2 bed/ fully furnished mobile home. Extra-Large screened porch, carport, covered patio, rock BBQ pit. \$26,000.00

3 bed townhouse with small den, completely new roof and outside, inside renovations. Convenient parking. \$36,000.00

Two 40x80 RV lots with hookups on the corner lot. Includes small RV plus adjacent 1 bed. building. Landscaped with fruit trees. \$9,500.00

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**REQUEST FOR BIDS**

**THE MIDDLE RIO GRANDE DEVELOPMENT Council** Area Agency on Aging in developing a comprehensive and coordinated service delivery system in connection with the Options For Independent Living Program with the Middle Rio Grande Region under a grant from the Texas Department on Aging is inviting local service providers to join the Direct Service Pool under the Options for Independent Living Program. Bids are being accepted for the following services: personal assistance, residential repair, vision care services, and respite care. Bids forms may be obtained by calling Sophia Sifuentes of MRGDC -Area Agency on Aging at (210) 876-3533. Sealed bids marked DPS-OPTIONS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING should be ad-

**KINNEY COUNTY LAND CO** P.O. Box 1035 Brackettville, TX 78832 210-563-2446 or 210-563-2447

520 acres in between Brackett and Del Rio, ready to build on. Has 2 water wells with submergible pumps, and power. Surrounded by large ranches. Rolling hills, oak trees. \$425/Acre.

Mobile Home with newly tiled bathrooms, Jacuzzis, large porch, storage area, large square footage. Nicely done. \$27,700.

2 Story, very cute, townhouse with large kitchen, modern bath. Reminds me of a french veranda. Open and airy. \$49,000

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Nice 2 bed, 2 bath mobile home with room addition, large covered porch, + carport. Situated on 2 1/2 lots, large fenced back yard. 20's. Start your business on 4 commercial lots with hwy 90 frontage, across from Fort Clark. Owner financing, will consider splitting.

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**REQUEST FOR BIDS** dressed to Ramon Johnston, Deputy Director for Administration, MRGDC, P.O. Box 1199, Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834 by no later than 5:00 p.m., November 22, 1996. Bids may not be submitted through the use of facsimile machines. The Middle Rio Grande Development Council is an equal opportunity employer and auxiliary aids and services may be made available upon request to individuals with disabilities. The MRGDC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL** THE MIDDLE RIO GRANDE DEVELOPMENT Council Area Agency on Aging is requesting proposals for the provision of case management services in connection with the Options for Independent Living Project within the Middle Rio Grande Region under a grant from the Texas Department on Aging. The purpose of the project is to help elderly persons remain at home despite limited self care capacities, through a provision of short term support services for the purposes of: (1) restoring functional capacities after illness or hospitalization; and (2) educating and preparing elderly persons and their care givers to provide self care. Proposal packets can be obtained by contacting Sophia Sifuentes at the MRGDC Area Agency on Aging at (210) 876-3533. Completed proposals marked OPTIONS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING should be addressed to Ramon Johnston, Deputy Director for Administration, MRGDC, P.O. Box 1199, Carrizo Springs, Texas 78834 by no later than 5:00 p.m. November 22, 1996. Proposals may not be submitted through the use of facsimile machines. The Middle Rio Grande Development Council is an equal opportunity employer and auxiliary aids and services may be made available upon request to individuals with disabilities. The MRGDC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. For further information, interested parties can contact Berta Rocha Macat, Director of Aging Services. MRGDC at 210-876-3533.

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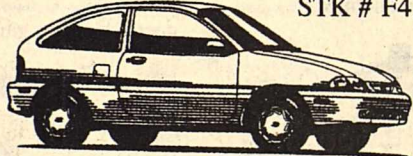
**SELL YOUR UNWANTED ITEMS CALL 563-2852**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS** Kinney County is accepting proposals for Group Health, Dental, Life and AD&D Insurance. Bid Specifications and Forms will be available on November 7, 1996, at 9:00 AM, from Janis Floyd, County Treasurer. Kinney County, located at 201 South Ann Street, Brackettville, Texas. Sealed proposals for Group Insurance will be received no later than November 22, 1996, at 10:00 AM. Kinney County reserves the right to reject any or all bids/proposals or any portion thereof and to accept the bid/proposal most advantageous to the County.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**FORT CLARK MUNICIPAL District** is now accepting applications for Water/Waste Water Operator. Applicants must be a high school graduate or equivalent. Must have or be able to get a class "D" water and waste water certificate within six months and be able to get and maintain a class "C" Water and Waste water certificate within two years. The District operator will be required to troubleshoot, repair and maintain the water distribution system, the waste water collection system and all equipment associated with these systems and all other equipment, facilities and grounds owned and operated by the District. Twenty-four hour on call duty is required. Applications will be accepted through November 15, 1996, at 5:00 P.M. Fort Clark Municipal Utility District is an equal opportunity employer.

**NO PAYMENTS TILL FEBRUARY**

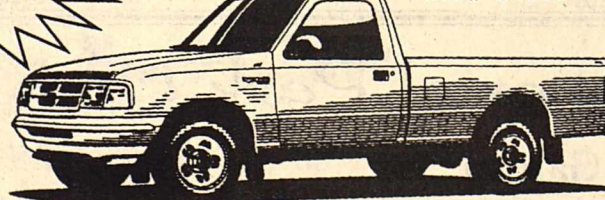
**ONLY \$599 down\***  
**96 ASPIRE** STK # F4164  
  
 Equipment: 1.3 L 4 Cyl Engine, 5 spd. Over Drive Transmission, Air Conditioning, Am Fm Stereo/Clock  
**\$199.45** 60 month financing  

MSRP	\$10,865.
Rebate	- 500.
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Sale Price	\$9,697 plus TTL

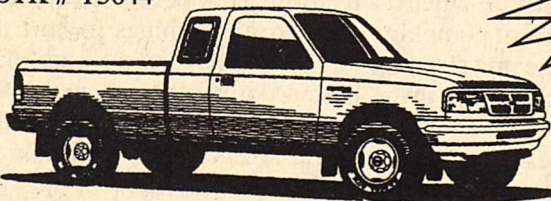
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**\$227.12** 60 month financing  
**96 Escort** STK #F4041  
  
 Equipment: Cloth & Vinyl Seats, 1.9 L 4 Cyl. Engine, Comfort group, Powersteering, Air, Clear Coat Paint. Automatic Transmission  

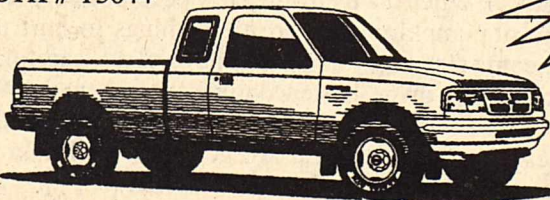
MSRP	\$ 12,215.
Rebate	- 500.
G&B	
Discount	-756.
Sale Price	\$10,959 plus TTL

**\$227.99** 60 month financing  
**96 Ranger** Stk # T4019  
  
 Equipment: XLT, Am Fm Cass, Air, Power Steering, Chrome RR Step Bumper, Sliding Rear Window, Floor Console, 2.3L Engine, 5 Spd. Over Drive Transmission, Cast Aluminum Wheels, Super Engine Cooling, Cloth 60/40 Split Bench Seat.  

MSRP	\$13,240.
Rebate	1,000.
G&B	
Discount	1,241.
Sale Price	\$10,999 plus TTL

**ONLY \$999 down\***  
**96 Ranger S/CAB** STK # T3644  
  
 Equipment: XLT, Am Fm Cass, Chrome RR Bumper, Power Steering, Sliding RR Window, Rear Jump Seats, Air, Floor Console, 2.3 L Engine, 5 SPD Over Drive Transmission, Cast Aluminum Wheels, Super Engine Cooling, 60/40 Cloth Seat.  

MSRP	\$15,146.
Rebate	-1,000.
G&B	
Discount	-1,387.
Sale Price	\$13,759 plus TTL

**ONLY \$999 down\***  
**96 Ranger S/CAB** STK # T3644  
  
 Equipment: XLT, Am Fm Cass, Chrome RR Bumper, Power Steering, Sliding RR Window, Rear Jump Seats, Air, Floor Console, 2.3 L Engine, 5 SPD Over Drive Transmission, Cast Aluminum Wheels, Super Engine Cooling, 60/40 Cloth Seat.  

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