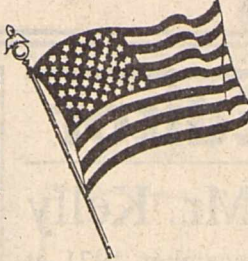


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Briefs ...

4-H Banquet Held

The annual Kinney County 4-H Achievement Banquet was held on Thursday, August 12, 1999 in the Civic Center. A pot luck dinner was served to members and their families and guests. Following the dinner, the new officers and club managers were installed by County Judge Herb Senne. They are Duquesa Hunt - President, Zach Davis - Vice President, Susannah Davis - Secretary, Laura Lee Ballew - Treasurer, Lee Davis - Reporter, Michelle Melancon and Beth Ballew - Council Delegates, Mrs. Nadalee Allen, Club Manager, and Mrs. Lisa Conoly, Assistant Club Manager. Outgoing Club Manager Donna Schuster was recognized for her contributions to the club. The guest speaker was Cheryl Mapston, District Extension Director from Uvalde, who spoke about 4-H and how it affected her life. Awards were given to members for projects in the Kinney County Livestock Show, Foods & Nutrition, Shooting Sports, Photography, and Clothing. Adult leaders were recognized for years of service. The "Friends of 4-H Award" was presented to special guest Tony and Nancy Frerich; "4-Her of the Year Award" was given to senior member Lindsey Brotherton and junior member Bailee Allen.

Pee Wee Football Drill Team

Get the Spirit. Join the Tigers Pee Wee Football Drill Team. Girls K-6th grade interested in being in pep/drill team for the Pee Wee Football league, please call Valerie Romero at 563-2284 or Becky Resendez at 563-2258 for more information. Registration deadline is Aug. 23rd. Girls in 5th and 6th grade we especially need you!

Border Patrol perform rescue

DEL RIO, TEXAS - U.S. Border Patrol agents rescued two men from drowning in a creek in rural Zavala County, Wednesday night. The body of a third man, who had been travelling with the pair, was later recovered from the creek.

Agents were responding to a report of suspected illegal aliens on a ranch near Crystal City just before 10 p.m. Wednesday when they heard cries for help and sounds of splashing water. Upon investigation, agents found three subjects in a creek struggling to stay above the water. Agents jumped in the water and pulled two of the subjects to safety. They then returned to the water to locate the third man. They were joined by members of the Zavala County Fire Rescue team and Sheriff's Office. The body of the third subject was later recovered. He was pronounced dead by a local justice of the peace.

One of the two men rescued was taken by EMS to a local hospital for treatment and was later returned to Mexico. The other man fled the scene while agents were attempting to rescue the third subject.

Super S Foods awards scholarship

Super S Foods, has awarded over \$45,000 in academic scholarships this year to high school graduates. Congratulations to Lindsey Brotherton of Brackett High School, a recipient of the Super S Foods \$1,000 scholarship. Mr. John Dieterle, President of Super S Foods said, "The scholarships awards is just one of the many ways we help support the communities we serve."



Pictured above are Brackett ISD Custodial Workers, (L to R) Eresmi Aguirre, Ruben Buantello, Tommy Castillo, and Laura Gomez. They were installing the trophy case this past Friday in the new high school building.

County has 9.9 percent budget increase

Tanya Kay McClure
Staff Writer

The Kinney County Commissioners court's proposed budget for the upcoming fiscal year is up 9.9 percent.

The proposed budget totals \$1,863,601, which is up from the current budget of \$1,696,176.

The County Attorney's budget had a 64.4% budget increase over last years budget. It went from \$46,077 to \$75,764.

In part a portion of this is a \$16,950 pay raise given to all lawyers in the state of Texas. This is considered an Attorney Salary Supplement and it is paid by the state of Texas.

The amount is added to his salary of \$27,151, which brings his total yearly earnings \$44,101.

The library's budget went up 45.7 percent over last year. Their current budget was set at \$32,720 and is increasing to \$47,684.

The librarians salary had a 33.6 percent increase. Last year the salary was set at \$13,520 and in the proposed budget increased to \$18,076.

Included in this year's library budget is a line item for \$6,240 funding a Librarian Assistant.

The EMS budget went up by 20.6 percent over last year. Last year's budget was set at

\$136,920 and the proposed budget increased to \$165,218.

The overall salary increase for EMS personnel made a 12.3 percent increase over last years budget of \$32,092.

The Sheriff's Department budget took a 11.8 percent jump over last years budget. Increasing from \$480,186 to \$536,823.

Most of the increases were on personal pay raises.

\$20,900 was set aside for the Deputy Patrol that may be hired to patrol Fort Clark Springs. This amount was put into the proposed budget pending the outcome of such action.

The Drug Task Force Budget was increased to \$46,079. This is a 53.1 percent increase over last years budget of \$30,090.

The County and District Clerks office budget went up 39.5 percent. Last years budget was set at \$78,122 and increased to \$108,997.

The equipment line item from last year to this year went up \$25,138.

Last year the equipment costs were running \$1,240 and in the proposed budget is running \$26,378.

The County and District Clerks office is purchasing an all new computer system that will cost somewhere in the \$20,000 range.

Border Patrol Agent Paul Berg speaks at Rotary

Frances McMaster
Contributing Writer

The Chief Border Patrol Agent Paul Berg spoke to the Brackettville Rotary Club at their luncheon meeting on August 12. Berg has just returned from Washington D. C. where he has been testifying before Congress to the need for restructuring of the Bureau of Immigration Service to accommodate the rapid growth of the Border Patrol and make it possible to operate efficiently.

This Sector of the Border Patrol stretches along the Texas border and extends to Llano and Abilene. Berg oversees 10 stations and 600 agents with Sector Headquarters located in Del Rio.

When Berg entered the Border Patrol, it was small and received little attention from Congress. Concern over borders, drug smuggling, and illegal entries has brought drastic changes. Congress has allotted funds for training agents and

providing accompanying material needs. The Sector Headquarters will be moving from an 8,000 square foot building into a building of 96,000 square feet which is under construction. A new station will be constructed at Eagle Pass, and the 150 agents there will be increased to 400 or 500 persons.

Berg said his job is to make sure tax dollars are spent efficiently. The present structure of the Border Patrol under the Bureau of Immigration Service does not lend itself to this concern.

Berg is the elected President of the Chief Border Patrol Agent's Association. He is prohibited from lobbying, however, his duty is to function as a voice or mechanism through which the employee's needs and desires are made known to Congress. In this role, he has been working with Senator Spencer Abraham who introduced a bill in the Senate the previous week to restructure the Immigration Service.

School week starts off with glitches

Tanya Kay McClure
Staff Writer

School started August 16th and several glitches in the new building slowed down the pace of things at Brackett ISD.

According to Don Sims, High School Principal, the air conditioning in the new High School building did not work for most of the morning. There was also problems with the plumbing and the bells. But by the day's end the problems had been solved and things have since gone smoothly.

A reception was held before the School Board meeting for the new teachers. This gave the teachers the opportunity to meet the School Board members and other citizens from the community. Eight new teacher have been hired for this school year. Christina Sifuentes is the new Kindergarten teacher, Louisa Stone - 5th grade, Walter Brock - Coach/History teacher for Middle School, Jenifer Harris - Home Economics teacher for the High School, Amanda Edgar

- 3rd grand, Paula Renken is the new Elementary Principal, Rosemary Rubino - 1st grade, and Greg Voyles - Special Education teacher for the High School.

Many of these teachers have either grown up here in Brackett or have some roots here. According to Stoney Burks, Middle School Principal, you will be surprised how many of Brackett ISD's teachers, staff, and School Board members were graduates of Brackett High School.

At this Monday's School Board Meeting quite a few parents were in attendance to express their concern over the size of the 6th grade class. One class houses twenty-nine students the other thirty.

"The biggest reason we moved and relocated was the school system. We made a decision mainly because we wanted to be in a small community. We wanted to be involved in the community. We're concerned about the size of the classes, that's what we were trying to get

away from in Del Rio," said Kerby Crane, who's daughter is in 6th grade this year.

There is a need according to Taylor Stephenson, Superintendent, for a third teacher for sixth grade. The Board will now pursue hiring a new teacher in the very near future.

The Board approved eight new out-of-district students for enrollment for the 1999-2000 school year. This makes a total of sixteen students that are out-of-district attending Brackett Independent School District to date.

The Board approved the proposed budget for the fiscal year 2000 submitted by the Kinney County Appraisal District.

The bid on the removal of the Superintendents house was awarded to Arvel Baker for \$555.50. He will remove the house and all materials from the property. The Board added an amendment to the bid that Mr. Baker get workman compensation if he hires employees to help him.



The month of September has been proclaimed "Graduate-Be all you can be month," by the City of Brackettville. A representative from the United States Army, Staff Sergeant Villarreal was on hand for the signing of the proclamation at the City Hall Annex this past week. Pictured above (L to R) are City Council person's Tom Gomez, Martha McDonald, Tencha Pena, Mayor Carmen Berlanga, Staff Sergeant Villarreal and Ralph Gonzalez.

VA launches initiative to reduce delays

Washington, D. C. - The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) announced today that it will tackle what many consider to be the bane of the health-care industry -- waiting times and delays. VA has contracted with the Boston-based Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) to guide the effort.

"Reducing delays is critical. It can improve medical outcomes and positively affect pa-

tient satisfaction, costs and quality of life," said Secretary of Veterans Affairs Togo D. West Jr. "Our goal is to reduce delays and waits systemwide by 50 percent or more within the next six to eight months."

Teams from approximately 130 VA medical centers and outpatient clinics will work together from July 1999 until March 2000 to learn and implement proven techniques. The teams

will focus on patient flow, access and efficiency at outpatient clinics.

"More timely service and less complex systems can be achieved by redesigning our systems of care," said Acting Under Secretary for Health Dr. Thomas L. Garthwaite. "Our ultimate goal in this initiative is to enhance quality of care and improve patient satisfaction."

INSIDE

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Kinney County Sheriff's Report

Tuesday, August 10
1:14 p.m. An employee from the REA Office called and stated that there was an Emu at the REA building in case someone was looking for one.

1:44 p.m. A woman with the Housing Authority called and reported a possible break-in at one of the apartments. Chief Deputy Fritter responded and stated that the person did not break in and that it was business related.

11:30 a.m. Robert Lee Williams, age 32, from Corpus Christi was arrested for Public Intoxication by DPS Trooper Wylie. Released for time served.

11:30 a.m. Betty Ann Williams from Corpus Christi was arrested for Public Intoxication by DPS Trooper Wylie and later released for time served.

Wednesday, August 11
Juan Nafario Hernandez of Brackettville, was arrested by Deputy Bobby Guidry for Disorderly Conduct. He was later released on bond.

Thursday, August 12
10:00 a.m. A follow up on an incident that occurred on 8-8-99 concerning a broken window at the Civic Center. Received information relating to a local individual hitting golf balls from the parking lot of Ora's Bar toward the Civic Center. The man did admit that he had hit a couple of golf balls from Ora's. He agreed to pay for replacing the window. So no charges were filed at this time.

Friday, August 13
10:59 a.m. While making a routine traffic stop on Hwy 90 Nolberto DeHoyos of Del Rio was stopped for speeding. Upon checking it was noted that the individual had outstanding DPS Warrants from Del Rio. Chief of Police Ron Ring was the responding officer and took him into custody and transported him to the Kinney County Sheriff's Department he was later turned over to DPS.

7:02 p.m. A local man called to report an intoxicated man at the Civic Center. Deputy Bobby Guidry escorted the individual home and told him not to come out tonight.

Xavier Baron Toms, age 19, from Brackettville, was arrested by DPS Trooper Ashley for a warrant out of Brown County for Theft by Service. He was later released on bond.

Julio Cesar Ortiz, age 29, of San Antonio, was arrested by Trooper Wylie for driving with a suspended license. He was released on bond.

Saturday, August 14
1:09 a.m. Anna Diaz, of Fort Clark Security, reported an individual who was driving fast on Fort Clark. She asked if Deputy Guidry would speak with him. Guidry spoke to the individual explained that security could sign a complaint for reckless driving. The man neither denied or admitted driving fast but agreed to leave Fort Clark.

1:17 a.m. A local man reported that he was in Mario's Pub Parking lot after closing time and someone across the street in a Grey car yelled some obscenities at him. The man did not recognize the car or occupant.

12:23 p.m. A local man reported a fire on Standart Lane by Hadley Wardlaw's Ranch. The Fire Department was dispatched.

2:42 p.m. Chief of Police Ron Ring responded to a call about an elderly woman, 90 years old, who needed assistance. The woman had not had anything to eat or drink in two days. She was trying to telephone her neighbor for assistance and dialed another woman's number by mistake. That woman also came to provide assistance. The woman did not wish to leave her home. However, she does require assistance and the matter will be turned over to Social Services.

7:01 p.m. Del Rio Police Department called to inform the Sheriff's office of a stolen vehicle from Del Rio.

7:10 p.m. A local man reported that someone had jim-

mied the back door of his trailer. The man stated that two Sherwood Auto Amplifiers worth \$40.00 total were taken from under the kitchen sink, but did not take a far more expensive car stereo. He thinks that whoever did it was in the trailer and ran out the back door when he started to enter through the front door. The case is still under investigation.

7:35 p.m. A local man stated that someone was stealing his real estate signs on Ft. Clark. He stated that the signs cost at least \$100.00 apiece. He asked if the Deputies would keep and eye out for the stolen signs.

2:20 a.m. Val Verde Sheriff's Office called to report that a Black Maxima with several subjects inside the car might have kidnapped a girl and may be heading toward Brackettville. The vehicle could not be located.

Sunday, August 15
7:36 a.m. A motorist stopped DPS Trooper Tom Wylie and informed him of a green Taurus that was driving all over the

road. The Checkpoint was notified and they apprehended the individual who was drunk and had two illegal's with him.

Jesus Chaves Torres, age 34, of Dallas, Texas was arrested by Trooper Wylie for Driving while Intoxicated. He was later bonded out.

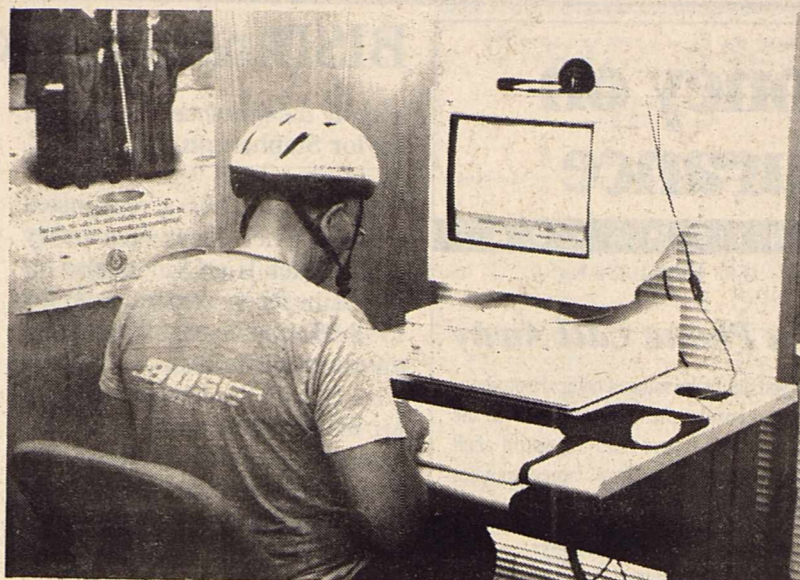
8:00 p.m. Frank Charles White, age 30, of Wharton, Texas, was arrested by DPS for two warrants and failure to appear. He is still being held.

Monday, August 16
5:16 a.m. A local woman called in to report an airplane with no lights above her house. She stated that it had been there for two hours. Fort Clark was notified to see if there was any plane scheduled to fly out and they said no. The woman reported that the airplane had flown toward Del Rio.

Alfredo Sifuentes, Jr., age 24, of Del Rio, was arrested by DPS Trooper Ashley for DPS Warrants. He served two days and was released.

Border Patrol Weekly Statistics

DEL RIO, TEXAS - The following is a report of the apprehensions by Border Patrol agents assigned to the Del Rio Sector for the period Aug. 9-15, 1999. The information is provided by station, and includes a sector total. Abilene - 29, Brackettville - 373, Carrizo Springs - 577, Comstock - 43, Del Rio - 398, Eagle Pass - 1, 217, Llano - 26, Rocksprings - 38, San Angelo - 68, and Uvalde - 154. Sector Total: 2,923.



Pictured above is Bill Morse using one of the new computers at the Kinney County Public Library.

The Kinney County Public Library has installed nine new computers and will install three more next week.

All twelve computers have internet access and are all networked together. The time limit on each computer is one hour. "I'm very excited about it. It has been my goal to give better service to the community," said Sarah Terrazas.

The Library hours are Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. with Sunday off.

Obituary

Ricardo Martinez

Ricardo (Richard) Martinez, age 39, passed away on August 14, 1999 at Wilford Hall Medical Center in San Antonio, TX. Martinez was born July 15, 1960 in Brackettville, TX. He is survived by his three daughters: Erica Christine, Carol Elizabeth, and Cynthia Nicole Martinez of Uvalde, TX. Parents Felipe and Saida Martinez of Brackettville, TX. Brothers and Sisters: Mary M. Martinez of Chicago, IL., Mary E. Garza of Corpus Christi, TX., Virginia Cooksey of Hawaii, Barbara Ternes of Corpus Christi, TX., Jesse Martinez of Brackettville, TX., Teresa Terrazas of Austin, TX., Phil Martinez of Castroville, TX., Gloria Young of San Antonio, TX., Esmeralda Young of Pleasanton, TX., Lydia Gonzalez of Uvalde, TX., Rudy Martinez of Corpus Christi, TX., also numerous nieces and nephews, brother-in-laws and sister-in-laws.

Visitation was Monday, August 16, 1999 from 1 P.M. until 9 P.M. at the Brackettville Funeral Home. Rosary was recited in the Chapel at 7 P.M. Mass was held Tuesday, August 17, 1999 at 10 A.M. at St Mary Magdalene Catholic Church. Burial followed at the Catholic Cemetery in Brackettville, TX. Arrangements under the direction of the Brackettville Funeral Home, 114 North St. Brackettville, TX.

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ACROSS: 1 Public weather vane?, 5 Rugged situation, 10 Classic order of architecture, 15 Many-layered mineral, 19 Genus of olives, 20 Kind of mild cigar, 21 Convex molding, 22 Irish isles, 23 Shea tenants, 24 Desert haven, 25 Palindromic title, 26 Noted politician, 27 Back doors, 34 Tropical vine, 35 David Copperfield's bride, 36 Beauty parlors, 39 Ispoo follower, 40 Traveler's note?, 44 Mate or room starter, 45 Enjoy the surf, 46 Gross, insensate, 47 person, 48 Completely engrossed, 49 Third canonical hour, 50 Lowest suit in bridge, 51 Small liqueur glass, 52 Pierre's friend, 53 Popular potherb in France, 54 Pretended attack in fencing, 55 Famous jockey, 56 Schedule notation for 55 Across, 58 Novelist Stephen Crane, 59 Deep, narrow valley, 60 Conard of movies, 61 Energetic Claude Monet, 62 Diction or faction starter, 63 Literary caricature, 66 Anagram of spore, 67 Musical conclusion?, 71 Benedictine abbey site, 72 Prohibition vessel?, 73 Ernest Borgnine portrayal, 74 Energy and vigor, 75 Figure-skater's milieu, 76 Asks very earnestly, 77 Bizarre curtain fabric, often in bridge, 79 One, in Paris, 80 Despoils, 81 Kind of swindle, 82 Provide refreshments, 83 Canopy supports, 85 Word before oven or treat, 86 Jackie Mason's forte, 87 Buzzi or Gordon, 88 Slender, graceful girl, 89 Coarse file, 90 City in "Kubla Khan", 93 Park, site of Edison's laboratory, 94 Delay indefinitely, 98 It's before crop or canal, 99 Role for Harper, 101 Boy or cub, 103 Designer Cassini, 104 Pay to play, 105 Sars, of old, 106 Mom's sister, in Sevres, 107 Dross of metal, 108 Affirmatives, 109 Jump in sudden fright, 110 Take the helm, 111 "Lights out" signal, 38 Stone, in ancient Rome, 39 Broad comedy, 40 Dried fruit, 41 "The — and the Ecstasy", 42 Last movement of a sonata, 43 Senior member of a group, 45 Large, supporting timbers, 46 Flash on and on, 49 Threatold, 50 Discontinue, 51 Word before truck or discussion, 53 Eared seal, 54 Search for concealed weapons, 55 Piquant, 57 Use the gray matter, 58 Out of sorts, 59 Social division, 61 Cries like a donkey, 62 Rounded point of land, 63 Brush clean, 64 Skirt style, 65 Brought into pitch, 66 Maps of town sites, 67 Protective eye shield, 68 Conserve of grapes, 69 Cut into cubes, 70 Variety of corundum, 72 Light, trifling talk, 73 Chew steadily, 76 Attitudes assumed for effect, 77 Frontier settlements, 78 City stanchion or speaker, 81 Wall St. optimist, 82 Price, 84 Talks idly, 85 Hereditary ruler, 86 Small table bottle, 88 Jewish home festival, 89 Letter carrier's course, 90 Roentgen discovery, 91 Tiptop moment, 92 Actress, 93 Corn bread, 95 Spicy meat stew, 96 One of the tides, 97 "Green — and Ham" (Dr. Seuss book), 100 White House initials, 102 Bird or fish starter, 37 Cottonwood tree, 38 Stone, in ancient Rome, 39 Broad comedy, 40 Dried fruit, 41 "The — and the Ecstasy", 42 Last movement of a sonata, 43 Senior member of a group, 45 Large, supporting timbers, 46 Flash on and on, 49 Threatold, 50 Discontinue, 51 Word before truck or discussion, 53 Eared seal, 54 Search for concealed weapons, 55 Piquant, 57 Use the gray matter, 58 Out of sorts, 59 Social division, 61 Cries like a donkey, 62 Rounded point of land, 63 Brush clean, 64 Skirt style, 65 Brought into pitch, 66 Maps of town sites, 67 Protective eye shield, 68 Conserve of grapes, 69 Cut into cubes, 70 Variety of corundum, 72 Light, trifling talk, 73 Chew steadily, 76 Attitudes assumed for effect, 77 Frontier settlements, 78 City stanchion or speaker, 81 Wall St. optimist, 82 Price, 84 Talks idly, 85 Hereditary ruler, 86 Small table bottle, 88 Jewish home festival, 89 Letter carrier's course, 90 Roentgen discovery, 91 Tiptop moment, 92 Actress, 93 Corn bread, 95 Spicy meat stew, 96 One of the tides, 97 "Green — and Ham" (Dr. Seuss book), 100 White House initials, 102 Bird or fish starter, 37 Cottonwood tree, 38 Stone, in ancient Rome, 39 Broad comedy, 40 Dried fruit, 41 "The — and the Ecstasy", 42 Last movement of a sonata, 43 Senior member of a group, 45 Large, supporting timbers, 46 Flash on and on, 49 Threatold, 50 Discontinue, 51 Word before truck or discussion, 53 Eared seal, 54 Search for concealed weapons, 55 Piquant, 57 Use the gray matter, 58 Out of sorts, 59 Social division, 61 Cries like a donkey, 62 Rounded point of land, 63 Brush clean, 64 Skirt style, 65 Brought into pitch, 66 Maps of town sites, 67 Protective eye shield, 68 Conserve of grapes, 69 Cut into cubes, 70 Variety of corundum, 72 Light, trifling talk, 73 Chew steadily, 76 Attitudes assumed for effect, 77 Frontier settlements, 78 City stanchion or speaker, 81 Wall St. optimist, 82 Price, 84 Talks idly, 85 Hereditary ruler, 86 Small table bottle, 88 Jewish home festival, 89 Letter carrier's course, 90 Roentgen discovery, 91 Tiptop moment, 92 Actress, 93 Corn bread, 95 Spicy meat stew, 96 One of the tides, 97 "Green — and Ham" (Dr. Seuss book), 100 White House initials, 102 Bird or fish starter.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
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Your Horoscope by Natasha

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Travel is favored, both short trips and those of a longer nature. Good news comes your way regarding a situation at a distance. A moody co-worker puts you off.
TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You shine as your work is recognized and your accomplishments are rewarded. However, a jealous person is looking to trip you up, so stay out of harm's way.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You continue on a phase of successfully melding business and pleasure. Take full advantage while it lasts. Someone at home doesn't understand what you're trying to say.
CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Privacy is your ally when it comes to romance. Creativity is accented and success follows as a result. Discourses this weekend revolve around money and joint finances.
LEO (July 23 to August 22) In some ways, you're very much in the spotlight. This makes you a bit uncomfortable, but try to enjoy it. It seems you can do no wrong in the eyes of others.
VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You need to make some important financial decisions. Be alert for new opportunities to make more money. Your income is increasingly important.
LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Travel and communications are highlighted. Added to that is your personal charm, which is contagious. As a result, you get much done that requires far-reaching decisions.
SCORPIO (October 23 November 21) You can accomplish much on the home front, provided you avoid being overly domineering. A co-worker comes to you with an unbelievable tale. Don't buy it.
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Those who are waiting for a delivery are in for a long wait. The ultimate accent, though, is on leisure events and romantic encounters. The weekend brings a special surprise.
CAPRICORN (December 22 January 19) A co-worker has someone in mind for you romantically. However, although this person means well, it's not a good idea to go through with this. Try not to rush through work assignments.
AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You're upset with what's going on at home, and this spills over into your work week. However, you need to put the situation in its proper perspective. Changes in plans are to be expected.
PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Sit down with your mate and talk about finances. Agreements reached are satisfactory to both. Leisure interests beckon, but avoid overspending this weekend.
YOU BORN THIS WEEK: appear to be in several places at once as you dash from task to task. You are a veritable dynamo of energy, and it's generally impossible for most people to keep up with you. If not careful, this constant state of activity could jeopardize your health.
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Find at least six differences in details between panels.
Differences: 1. Girl's bow is missing. 2. Tree limb has been removed. 3. Boy's shirt has stripes. 4. Sign is different. 5. Treehouse roof is different. 6. Tree steps are gone.

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