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## Community News

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CIVIC MEETINGS

Beginning in April, the KCGCD's regular meetings will be held every second Thursday of the month. The April meeting will be April 9, 2009 at the District Courtroom of the Kinney County Court House in Brackettville.

### BRACKETT ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

The Club will sale brisket plates Sunday, March 29 11am - 1pm in the school's front parking lot.

### HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Fort Clark Historical Society will meet this Saturday March 28th at 1:30 PM in the Palisado Building. The program titled, "Ft. Inge To El Paso by Wagon Train" will be presented by Russell Nowell. Everybody welcome

### LITTLE LEAGUE

Kinney County Little League will have Try-outs this Friday, March 27th and Monday, March 30th beginning at 5:00 at the little league field. Everyone Coach Pitch to age 12 must attend one try-out to be eligible for play. T-Ball will not have try-outs. Anyone not showing up for try-outs will have to wait until next season to play. Please bring a glove, water bottle w/your name, and wear proper attire. Your child may also register at try-outs. Any questions, please call Erick Domenech at 563-5072.

### VARIETY SHOW

The Old Quarry Society for Performing Arts will present their annual Variety Show on Saturday, March 28, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. at the Post Theater. This annual event features ALL types of talent - music, comedy, skits, etc. and is presented in conjunction with the Ft. Clark Members Annual Meeting at the request of the Board of Directors of Ft. Clark. If you are interested in participating, please call Donna Granchay at 830-734-1998 or 832-651-4345 for more information. Tickets are \$5.00 and may be obtained at the Adult Center or RV Park or by contacting Ms. Granchay. Come join us for a fun evening - usually with a few surprises!!

### RELAY FOR LIFE

Help fight Cancer at Relay For Life May 2-3, 2009 at the Brackett Tiger Stadium from 6pm - 6am. For more information call Elena C. Luna at 830-563-6123

### Weekend WEATHER

#### Friday

High: 84  
Low: 50

Mostly Sunny

#### Saturday

High: 86  
Low: 49

Mostly Sunny

#### Sunday

High: 86  
Low: 56

Sunny

## Sheriff Burgess buys new trucks; burn ban lifted

By Leigh Volcsko

County commissioners voted to authorize the county treasurer to issue a check in the amount of \$106,000.44 to Philpott Motor Company of Nederland, Texas for the purchase of three F-150 trucks for the Sheriff's department on March 16.

The trucks were paid for with grant money received from the Governor's Division of Emergency Management for Operation Stone Garden from the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

The trucks were delivered to Sheriff LK Buddy Burgess on March 25, complete with blue

and silver decals and low profile, overhead light bars.

The court also approved the receipt of \$4,240 from the State of Texas Library and Archives Commission. Librarian Sarah Terrazas plans to purchase a new automation system and a circulation desk. These items add to the library's recent overhaul that

include new carpeting, shelving and a cyber seating area.

The presentation of the 2008 financial report by outside auditor Wayne Beyer was postponed for a Special Meeting scheduled for Monday, March 30.

The burn ban put into place on December 15, 2008 was lifted.



Photo By Leigh Volcsko  
Kinney County Sheriff's deputies Ramon Gutierrez, Kenneth Freitag and Larry Robinson stand in front of two of the three new patrol vehicles paid for entirely by grants Sheriff LK Buddy Burgess applied for last year.

## Water board directors de-bunk rumors

By Leigh Volcsko

The meeting held at the courthouse on March 19 by the Kinney County Groundwater Conservation District (KCGCD) was similar to watching an episode of "Mythbusters" on television.

The board spent the first hour of the Regular meeting de-bunking rumors.

More than one person asked if the water board had the authority to stop individuals from pumping once they started. Each time the answer was, "Yes." Towards the end of the public comment session it was clear the board had run out of ways to explain that the KCGCD is a taxing agency, governed by the Texas Water Code Chapter 36 and has the authority to pursue both injunctive relief and impose civil penalties. See Chapter 36.102(b): (b) The board by rule may set reasonable civil penalties for breach of any rule of the district not to exceed \$10,000 per day per violation, and each day of a continuing violation constitutes a separate violation.

A gentleman stated he believed five of the seven board members were water marketers and wanted them to identify themselves. Director Tony Frerich answered the man by stating that before someone could sell water they would have to have a permit issued to them by the district and that only two of the board members had a permit. The man was referring to a statement made by former county attorney Tully Shahan at meeting held at Fort Clark Springs in which he stated to a room of more than 100 people that five of the current board members were water marketers. This statement was found to be untrue as the KCGCD reported March 25 the following: None of the directors have a transport permit that would allow them to export water, however some have historical or regular permits. Director Beth Ann Smith has a permit; Director Denette Coates has a permit; Director Lloyd Lee Davis requested a permit three years ago, but a hearing was not conducted and

that the person, identified as former water district general manager Darlene Shahan, had filed a complaint with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) about the audits not being filed when she is the one responsible for not completing the minutes from meetings during her tenure and changing the figures on a balance sheet from one year to the next, both actions that made the completion of said audits impossible. Lowery stated the problems had been addressed and are near resolution. The next water board meeting is scheduled for April 9.

Another person asked why the board had not completed state mandated audits. Director Lowery answered this by stating that the board attempted to, but was unable to submit information to the proper authorities because of poor accounting and record keeping from a previous administration. Lowery went on to mention that it was, "ironic",

that the person, identified as former water district general manager Darlene Shahan, had filed a complaint with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) about the audits not being filed when she is the one responsible for not completing the minutes from meetings during her tenure and changing the figures on a balance sheet from one year to the next, both actions that made the completion of said audits impossible. Lowery stated the problems had been addressed and are near resolution. The next water board meeting is scheduled for April 9.

## Golf tourney pulls in visitors

By Katie Brown  
Staff Reporter

The Twentieth Annual Las Moras Tournament went off without a hitch on March 20 and 21. Friday was the kickoff with practice rounds followed by two days of tournament play. The tournament pulled a lot of people in to Brackettville from as far away as Arizona, with most coming from points in Texas including Dallas, Houston, Austin, Bryan College Station, Midland, Pleasanton, Fort Stockton and San Antonio.

"Seventy-five percent of the 82 teams were returnees," said Wally Jones who chaired the event for the second year in a row. Although lady golfers were encouraged to play, only two signed up.

Mary Rivas of the Fort Clark Springs Association said that the, "golfers filled 35 of the 38 rooms available at the motel," and Hattie Berleth, a local realtor, said she rented to approximately 60 people directly related to the golf tournament.

Prizes were donated by many business and individuals. Some businesses donated to the tournament by the way of advertising or by sponsoring a hole. Others donated items or services to the lucky golfers who had a hole-in-one on a particular hole. Ram Country Dodge donated a Toyota Camry Hybrid car; Sassy Golf Kartz donated a golf cart; Mission Golf Cars of San Antonio donated a golf cart; the Fort Clark Springs Men's Golf Association put up \$5,000 for a hole-in-one on number 18. Other prizes included a cruise, watches and golf clubs. For both Saturday and Sunday play the FCS Men's association gave away a golf package to include two nights at the motel with two rounds of golf with cart for two people for both the "closest to the pin" and the "most accurate drive".

The weather was definitely a factor in tournament. Although the overcast skies were a benefit as far as making it easier to see the ball, the gusty winds and blowing dust challenged even the best of golfers to carefully gage their shots. Despite the winds however, everyone seemed geared up to have a good time and to take advantage of the opportunity to see old friends and catch up on the news.

Please see Page 5 for results and photos

## Sergeants celebrate 65 years together



Jean and Tommy Seargeant celebrated 65 years of marriage on March 23. The Seargeant's were married in Brackettville in 1944.

## Alamo Village hosted evening under the stars

By Katie Brown  
Staff Reporter

It was a perfect evening for an "Ole' West" night under the stars at Alamo Village March 21.

The backdrop of the Alamo for the entertainment and the setting sun could not have been more dramatic. The special guest for this year's trail ride was stuntman Ben Stafford Rogers who pleased the crowds with his demonstrations of skill with a bullwhip, a lasso and fancy gun work. Working along with Rogers was Jimmy Philips "The Marshal" who has been with Alamo Village for years and has appeared in several movies including the just released "The Man Who Came Back", which was filmed locally. Music was provided by

David Lee Murray whose country western songs set the mood for a night in the Old West. Former county attorney Tully Shahan sang his own version of a country favorite, to the delight of all.

Following a typical cowboy fare, enjoyed while sitting on bales of hay and listening to the wonderful music, was a melodrama performed by the Alamo Village Pinto Mountain Entertainers.

The actors played their parts to the hilt and had lots of fun drawing in the audience.

### Ben Stafford Rogers

Photo By Katie Brown

Special guest and featured entertainer Ben Stafford Rogers was a crowd pleaser at the Alamo Village Western Fandango.



## Whats Happening

### FLOWER SHOW AND CHILDREN'S GARDEN

A sure sign of spring at Fort Clark is the Mountain Laurel Garden Club's annual Flower Show and Children's Garden Competition. This year's show will be on Sunday, April 5th and the theme will be Captivating Containers. The show will be held at the Arbor Area behind the Member Services Building from 2 to 4 pm. In addition to the exhibits there will be plants, vases and pots for sale, a raffle for a striking container planted and ready to enjoy, and the Fort Clark Art Club Exhibit and Sale. Entry and refreshments are free. Music will be provided inside the Member Services Building. An exciting feature of the show is the second annual Children's Garden Competition. The theme for the Children's Gardening Contest is container gardening. The awards this year will be \$50 for first place, \$30 for second place, and \$20 for third place. All contestants will receive a certificate of participation. If you are twelve or under start now. Look about for a special or unusual container for your plants and make a garden that is unique and yours. The planted containers will be judged on creativity and design. Entries should be brought to the Arbor Area by 2 pm on April 5. The entries will be judged at 3:45 pm with prizes awarded immediately after.

### SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

We see this slogan a lot, on bumper stickers and in windows, yet how can we truly support our troops? The Army and the American Legion have a way that you can support the men and women who are serving our nation. It is called "A Community Covenant" it is a way for those of us who may not live outside a military installation. It is also a way for those living near an installation to support those who serve. It begins with you, talking to the leaders of our communities, asking them to come together to sign a Community Covenant document, then you as members of the community work together to help those who are in service. There are many programs within the Covenant to help these young men and women and their families. A group can get together and join the Adopt a Unit program. Once you have done that, you can let these young people know of your support by writing to them, by inviting them to come for a barbecue celebration of the unit itself. That is of course just a couple of things but I know that y'all can think of lots more ways to support these troops. After all there a quite a few from our own county who have volunteered to serve this nation and are today serving in harms way. If you are interested in this program, please check out the website: [www.communitycovenant.army.mil](http://www.communitycovenant.army.mil) it tells you all about the program and how to be a part of it. There is another way you can be involved too. It is called the Army Wounded Warriors. The website for that program is [www.aw2.army.mil/about/advocate.html](http://www.aw2.army.mil/about/advocate.html) that will tell you about local advocates who will help you to become a part of this program. It deals with those who have been seriously wounded in combat, this program will put the community in touch with a wounded veteran and will show you ways our community can help that veteran. The slogan, Support our Troops, can become reality if our community will come together and really "Support Our Troops" but it is up to you to do this. The American Legion supports this program, and as we form our post in Brackettville, we hope you will support it too.

# Opinion

## LETTER to the Editor

Creekside Restaurant - Where do I start...I so wanted to support this eating establishment on Fort Clark, but as the saying goes 'A first impression is a lasting impression.' For what we were served, the food was pricey and not prepared satisfactorily. My cheeseburger was undercooked and was not served the way it was ordered. My wife ordered a Ruben sandwich that, although there was plenty of corned beef, the meat was so dry it got stuck in her throat, the bread was greasy but not grilled, the cheese was only on one side of the sandwich and there was only about a teaspoon of sauerkraut on it - so it was pretty hard to find. All in all our \$21.00 dinner was a bust. Oh, I should have known after looking at the menu and seeing that water costs 50¢, but you can get free refills - oh, I forgot to mention; it was "TAP WATER." We should have walked out, but no, we stayed and ordered. My mistake; it won't happen again. If you choose to patron the Creekside Restaurant I hope your experience will be better than the one we experienced tonight. Needless to say, I will not be going back any time soon.

Bob Hendricks

## Publishers PLOG

I went to the water board meeting last week and it was me, the board and half of Fort Clark. The big crowd was a good thing because the fort people asked a lot of good questions and you could tell they were afraid that all the rumors flying around could actually be true. CHILL people CHILL. Instead of the water fight being the fort versus the world, why don't we ALL, as ONE COMMUNITY, fight for science and that way we will all be able to know if all points north, east, south and west have the science to back up what they are claiming they want to do - whether its saving water or selling it.

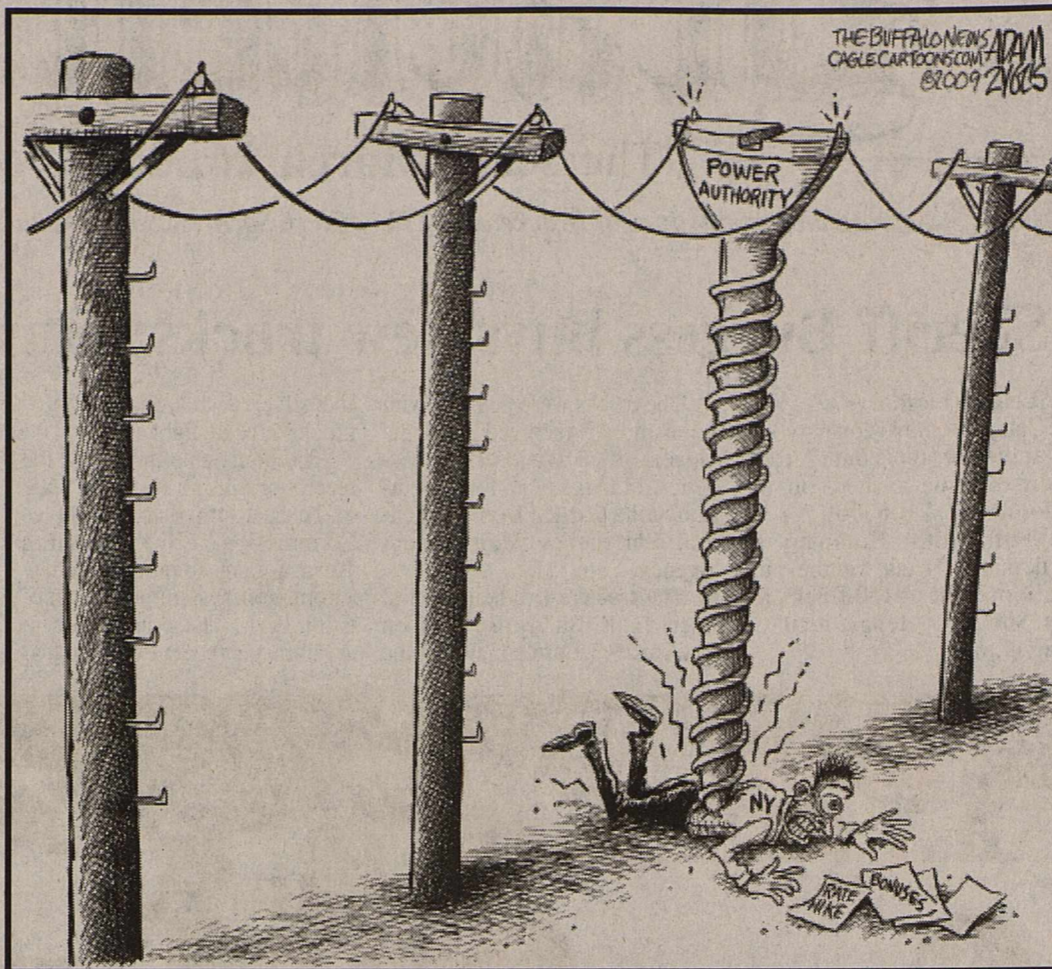
I saw something at the meeting that has really stuck in my head...some of the biggest mouthpieces and the stir-ers of all things crap were seen napping in the meeting! Now if water is such a big deal and you claim its the biggest fight since the revolutionary war, then you should be able to stay at the meeting and/or stay awake. It bothers me because it looked like some of the people just showed up long enough to shoot off their mouths, but didn't stay long enough to hear the answers and solutions that were offered by the board and their attorney. Are you fighting just to fight or do you really care about whether or not people have water? Or do you ulterior motives? It makes me ask more questions.

Another thing that stuck with me was the fact that these fear mongers have demonized the landowners. There is not one landowner in this county that has not been approached by a company that is wanting to sell water. Some have decided they would like to sell and some have said no thanks and the rest are just holding out for a higher price per acre foot. And if you're not sure who is who, just start asking direct questions and if they can't answer yes or no, then they are the ones holding out for more money! It doesn't take a hydrogeologist to figure that out. And if someone wants to sell water within the confines of the law, does that make them a bad person?

On this same day at court, a man and a woman were overheard talking in the lobby of the courthouse and one of them asked the other on how do they get rid of the board....No. 1: It's kinda' stupid to have a secret conversation in the courthouse (there's a thing called echo) and No. 2: What kind of board do you want? A board that racks up nearly \$750,000 in legal bills b/c just about everything they did was illegal and they had to constantly defend their actions in one court case or another (please note the annual budget during that time was around \$200,000)? Maybe a board that did not complete their paperwork and keep good accounting records? Make rules that benefited the GM or specific board members and favorite friends? Oh wait, we did have that kind of board and they got UN-elected by a state certified, majority vote of the people.

It's gotten so bad that people don't even know who to believe anymore. And I saw a flyer the other day that hi-jacked my saying about "Educating Yourself" That is like my signature line when people start asking about the water. Don't believe anyone here, just get a copy of Chapter 36. Speaking of 36, before you get up at a meeting and start spouting off about board members being water marketers and whether or not the board has the authority to cut off people that pump or may one day pump the "magic water" out of Kinney County, do your homework. It takes a lot of effort to read about the water and most of it is pretty heavy reading, but start with the mission statement or the rules or something like that - but READ UP.

Go to mybrackettnews.com and read Chapter 36 for yourself.  
Leigh V.



## If momma ain't happy!



The Fly Lady Marla Cilley

This morning as I lay in bed after I woke up, I found myself making a list of why our home feels beautiful. I asked myself this question. What are the things that make our home feel beautiful?

The first thing that came to mind was that I always know where my keys are! That may seem strange to some people but searching for your keys to leave is very stressful when you are in a hurry. I hate walking down to my car and having to come back to the house to get the keys. My keys now have a home and they are not hiding in the refrigerator or a drawer. The last time I lost my keys they were in my Ziplock bag drawer because I needed to take one with me. At least they are much easier to find because they are on a lanyard. I keep my keys on a hook with my sunglasses and my little purse. Everything has a place and everything in its place. My keys are not lost in the bottom of a huge purse and even when I use my large bag for travel, the lanyard helps me to put my hand on them without having to get out a flashlight.

The next feature that makes my heart sing is the fact that I can open my door to anyone at any time. Our home is not an embarrassment. There may be a few puppy toe prints on the floor and nose prints on the doors but with only a few minutes they are gone. Our home blesses us because I have used my routines to keep it company ready; the best part is that we are the company. We love being home and we also love entertaining on the FLY. It doesn't have to be perfect and I didn't have to spend days getting ready to have friends over. The stress is gone!

Another blessing that adds to the feeling of our beautiful home is the simple fact that my kitchen sink is shining. That shining sink gave me hope when I first decided to get organized. I never dreamed that it would free me from the guilt of a messy kitchen and a chaotic home. That shiny sink started my day with a smile. I was not behind! I no longer dreaded cooking because the dishes were put away and the counters were clear. It is the simple things that make you smile especially when you have lived with mystery water and dirty dishes your whole life.

As I look back at what has contributed to that beautiful feeling of clean in our home it has more to do with me not being all stressed out! When I can accomplish my routines and feel ahead then the stress and anxiety leave my body. I feel that I have more time in my day to do what God put me on the Earth to do! After all if Momma ain't happy then ain't nobody happy! Those words, "I don't have time" never cross my lips! Now I can enjoy our home and can bless others because I do have time! A few simple habits can make all the difference in the way our home feels.

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## Upgrade your portfolio in 2009



Emily Cooper

It's no secret that 2008 was rough on most investors. And 2009 didn't get off to a particularly good start, either. Yet there's still plenty of time left this year to upgrade your investment portfolio in a way that can help you stay on track toward your long-term goals.

But what exactly does it mean to "upgrade" your portfolio? Do you have to systematically go through your investments and eliminate all those that performed poorly last year? Or should you just sell of any investments that you think are risky? Neither one of these ideas are good solutions. In the first place, a severe bear market such as we've experienced tends to drag everything down, even quality investments. Furthermore, you can't get rid of all investments that carry some risk - because all investments carry some risk. So, instead of taking either of these two drastic approaches, consider the following moves:

• Review your portfolio objectives. Your investment objectives are based in large part on your risk tolerance and your

stage of life. If these factors have changed, you may need to re-balance your portfolio. In fact, it's a good idea to rebalance your holdings at least once a year, no matter what's going on in the markets or in your life.

• Increase our portfolio's quality. Right now, you can find many quality investments that are very attractively priced. In past market recoveries, these types of investments usually have recovered faster than lower-quality ones. And because the biggest gains usually occur early in market rallies, you don't want to wait too long to explore these opportunities.

• Don't overload on a single investment. In general, it's not a good idea to have a single stock take up more than five percent of your portfolio. In recent months, many investors have learned the hard way about the dangers of holding too much stock in a single company - even one that once appeared to be a "blue chip" firm. And the same principle applies to your employer's stock - if it's offered as an option in your 401(k), don't go overboard on it.

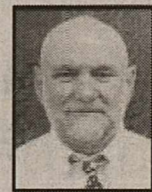
• Own a sufficient number of stocks. How many stocks should own to diversify the equity portion of your portfolio? There's no one right answer for everyone, but to really attain proper diversification, you may need to own at least 20 or 25 stocks, spread out among all the major industry sectors. Of course, diversification, by itself, cannot

guarantee a profit or protect against a loss, but it can give you more chances for success while helping reduce the effects of volatility on your portfolio.

• Invest in a range of fixed-income securities. Just as you need to own a reasonable amount of stocks, you should also own a number of fixed-income vehicles - perhaps 10 to 20, depending on your situation. You can diversify these holdings by purchasing different types of bonds - corporate, municipal and Treasury - and certificates of deposit. To further diversify, buy fixed-income vehicles with varying maturities.

You can't control the economy or the financial markets. But by following the proven techniques described above, you can help control your own financial destiny. Take action soon.

## Choose health



Dr. Kent Lowery, D.C., FIAMA

Did you ever wonder why "health" never makes the news? Is it because there is no money in it? For more than 100 years, chiropractic has been getting patients through life without drugs and surgery. Wellness care may not be very exciting on the six o'clock news, but it is a proven way to maintain your health and a natural, active lifestyle. Synthetic drugs interfere with the innate intelligence the body possesses. They distort the normal body physiology. They are normal promoted as "normal" things to ingest daily. I would advise everyone to become knowledgeable about the drugs you are taking and don't be drawn in by the drug companies' TV ads. Remember - their business is to sell drugs, and in some cases, without regard for your health, the most recent examples being Vioxx and Celebrex. If your organs and body parts are not under the innate control of the body or if a subluxation in the spine is present, then symptoms and disease will result. Chiropractic is a low-impact, safe, effective healthcare system that treats the cause of pain - not just the symptoms. Our focus is on the whole person and providing care that allows you the most active lifestyle possible without the side effects brought on by many drugs call Dr. Kent Lowery, D.C., FIAMA, for an appointment at 563-6249. Our Brackettville clinic is located at #1 Mesquite Alley. We now offer acupuncture and accept most major insurances.

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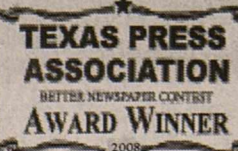
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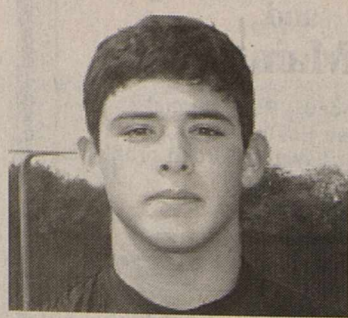
Lady Marla Cilley

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## Gutierrez, Aguirre place first in mixed doubles



Ramon Gutierrez



Marisol Aguirre

Submitted by Coach Bonnie Brotherton  
The Brackett Invitational Tennis Meet was held on March 12 and 13 with Brackett sweeping the girls division. Kelsey Bruce won in the girls singles division. Cheyenne Billings and Rachel Nash beat teammates Cheyenne Smith and Karley Harris for first and second hon-

ors. In mixed doubles, Ramon Gutierrez and Marisol Aguirre won first. In boys doubles Bodie Harris and Robert Torres won second place. In boys singles Jamie Sandoval won second place and Charles Conoly won third place honors. This week the varsity travels to Dilley.

## Girls track team takes 5<sup>th</sup> in La Pryor

Stats submitted by Coach Dusti Brotherton. The Brackett High varsity girls track team placed fifth at the La Pryor track meet on March 19. Kelsey Bruce placed first in the 3200 meter race with a time of 12:37.8. Natalie Aguirre placed third in the 100 meter with a time of 13.85. Bianca Terrazas placed sec-

ond in the 200 meter race with a time of 28.4, followed by Natalie Aguirre in sixth place with a time of 28.7. In the 1600 meter race, Kelsey Bruce placed second with a time of 5:54.5. Bianca Martinez placed fifth in the shot put with a throw of 30'0" and third place in the discus throw at 100'4". Natalie Aguirre placed third in the long jump competition at

16'0". The girls junior varsity team also placed fifth overall. Sarah Davis placed fourth in the 100 meter race with a time of 14.7, fourth in the 200 meter with a time of 31.0, third in the triple jump with a mark of 28'2" and first in the long jump with a mark of 12'1". Kelli Kennedy placed fifth in the 400 meter race with a time of 79.5.

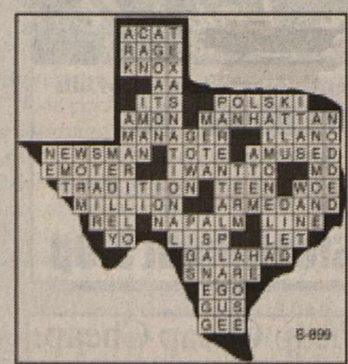
Ana Sandoval placed third in the shot put with a throw of 23'9", followed by Stella Guajardo in sixth place with a throw of 22'2.24".



## One Act Play

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The Brackett High One Act Play will present their public performance of "Cyrano de Bergerac" on Monday, March 30, at 7 p.m. at the Fort Clark Post Theatre. The public is invited to attend.



Happy 1<sup>st</sup> Birthday Troy! Love, Mom & Dad

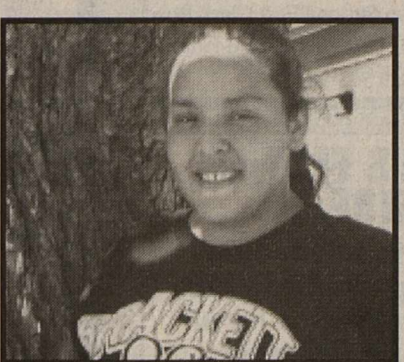
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Veronica Garza

Name: Veronica Garza  
Parents: David & Maria Garza  
Siblings: Valeria & Dolores  
What are your plans after graduation? I plan to go to college and study to be a Veterinarian Technician.  
What teacher influenced you the most? Mrs. Jaso influenced me to go to college.  
What are you most looking forward to after graduation? I'm looking forward to working with animals.  
What do you think you will miss the most after graduation? I will miss my friends and teachers.



Christina Gomez

Name: Christina Gomez  
Parents: Tom & Honeybee Gomez  
What are your plans after graduation? Attend Sul Ross State University in Alpine. I will pursue a degree in Early childhood Education.  
What Teacher influenced you the most? Mrs. Kay in Pre-K. Working with her and her students has influenced me to become a teacher myself.  
What are you most looking forward to after graduation? Going out and trying new things.  
What do you think you will miss the most after graduation? My friends! Playing softball!! My mom's home cooked meals, watching Maverick with my dad, and being in a place where everyone knows your name.



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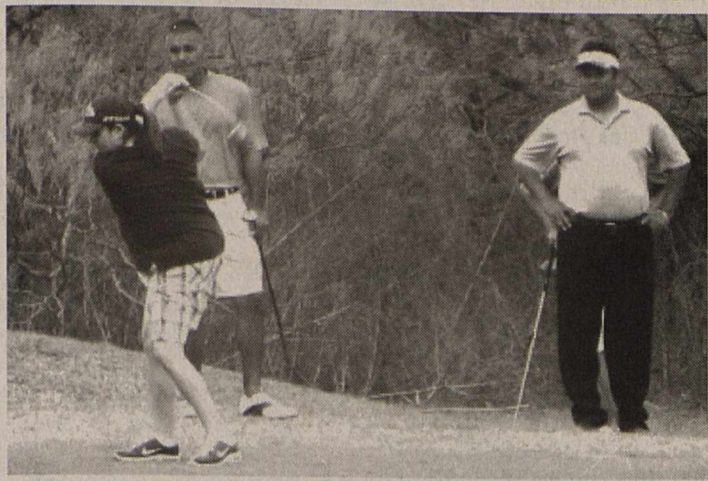
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## Las Moras Golf Tourney

Renee Edwards of Fort Stockton was one of only two females in the tournament



The Twentieth Annual Las Moras Tournament went off without a hitch on March 20 and 21.

The winners were as follows: In the Championship Flight: Walt Dyer and Ryan Acker tied with Patrick Bell and Brandon Ellis for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>. Gene Buckner and Lance Lailier took 3<sup>rd</sup>, with Gilbert Velez and Cory Adams coming in 4<sup>th</sup>.

1<sup>st</sup> Flight: David Chisom and Robert Gonzales, 1<sup>st</sup> place; Ryan Simme and Glenn Daily tied with James Renfro and Eddie Rodriguez for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>; four teams tied for 4<sup>th</sup>, Jason Ruple and Daniel Barrow, Matt Simpson and Guy Pirdy, Ryan Gray and Tim McCormick, Mitch Frerich and John Wylie.

2<sup>nd</sup> Flight: Bob Malesky and Mike Malesky, 1<sup>st</sup> place; Josh Lundquist and Ryan Lundquist, Art Tarrazas and Nathan Tarrazas, and Junior Sena and Roberto Naverrette all tied for 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place.

3<sup>rd</sup> Flight: Norman Longoria and Ray Pena, 1<sup>st</sup> place; Brian Stephens and Brian Glenn tied with Louis Parras and Anthony Lopez for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places; Gilbert Ortiz and Fred Zimmerman tied with Joe Ray Chavez and George Leyva for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> places.

4<sup>th</sup> Flight: Philip Pena and Danny Pena, 1<sup>st</sup> place; Danny Rios and Jamo Reyes, 2<sup>nd</sup> place; Fernando P. Romero, Jr. and Mario P. Romero, 3<sup>rd</sup> place; Billy Jack Torres and Mike Carrillo, 4<sup>th</sup> place.

5<sup>th</sup> Flight: Benito Gonzales and Issac Dominguez, 1<sup>st</sup> place; E.O. Urias and Ruben Chavarria, 2<sup>nd</sup> place; Ned Carta and Greg Carta, 3<sup>rd</sup> place; Cliff Lemons and Robert Hollander, 4<sup>th</sup> place.

The winners for "Closest to Pin" were Saturday, Mike Carrillo from Alpine, TX; Sunday, David Arredondo from Del Rio, TX.

The winners for "Most Accurate" were Saturday, Eddie Rodriguez from Uvalde, TX; Sunday, Brian Gilliland from Round Top, TX.

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## KC Historical Commission receives third consecutive Distinguished Service Award

AUSTIN — the County Historical Commission has again been recognized by the Texas Historical Commission with their Distinguished Service Award (DSA) for outstanding preservation work accomplished in 2008. The County Historical Commission was also a DSA recipient in 2006 and 2007. The achievements of the County Historical Commission which the THC considered for the award were:

Conduct of the annual "Review and Assessment" of RTHL properties for historic tax exemption consideration continues to be our most successful program. Now is in its fourth year, measurable improvement in preservation by many RTHL owners was observed.

RTHL designation for U.S. Army Signal Corps Building in the Fort Clark Historic District, and the Patrick Hotel in the City of Brackettville.

Designation of the Seminole Scout Cemetery as a Historic Texas Cemetery.

Release of another monograph, *LAST TATTOO OF THE BUFFALO SOLDIERS The 2<sup>nd</sup> Cavalry division at Fort Clark Texas*, in a series of educational pamphlets printed and distributed by the Commission which focus on Kinney County heritage sites, RTHL properties, and milestones in county history. Other brochures in the series to date feature the Kinney County Courthouse, the Seminole Scout Camp on Fort Clark, and the historic milestones for the county in 2007.

Design and installation of additional outdoor interpretive signage in Kinney County at the Fort Clark main flagpole, subject: *LAST TATTOO OF THE BUFFALO SOLDIERS The 2<sup>nd</sup> Cavalry division at Fort Clark Texas*.

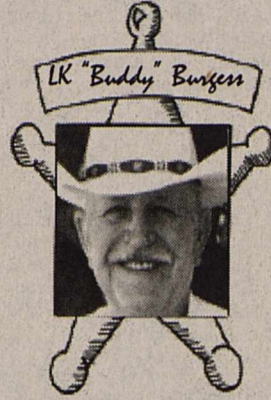
Completed restoration of two Recorded Texas Historic Landmark Markers and three Texas Historical Commission Roadside Markers located around Kinney County. The markers were restored to Texas Historical Commission standards. All the markers suffered from fading and neglect over the years. The restoration project returns these markers to like new condition and hopefully conveys to the traveling public and heritage tourists that Kinney County cares about our unrivaled history.

Acquisition of a screening DVD from the Newsfilm Library of the University of South Carolina which contains 18 minutes of newsreel footage filmed at Fort Clark in 1926, 1934, and 1943 by 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox for the studio's signature "Movietone News" series.

Orchestration of a reunion of the last of the buffalo soldiers who served at Fort Clark in 1942-1944 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Cavalry Division.

The Kinney County Historical Commission holds a public meeting the first Thursday of each month in the County Heritage Museum, the Filippone Building, on El Paso Street. New members are always welcome.

## Kinney County Sheriff's Report



Tuesday, March 10

1:49 am John V. Chapman 41 of San Antonio, was arrested for driving with invalid licenses, 2 outstanding fugitive arrest warrants for Tom Green and Val Verde Counties. John was released on March 15, 2009.

9:20 pm A woman reported someone was trying to break in to her residence. A deputy was notified of situation.

9:50 pm A woman called to see if a deputy could go to her residence and pick up her flash light. A deputy was informed.

Wednesday, March 11

3:27 pm A caller reported a minor accident at the check point. A deputy was advised of the situation.

3:45 pm A man called to report someone had gone through the fence at the Double Ranch and if anyone had done any reports of the incident. A deputy was dispatched.

Saturday, March 14

3:01 am A caller reported suspicious grass fire inside a fenced in area on RR 334 2 miles east of town. A deputy was dispatched.

1:49 pm A caller reported goats out on Hwy 90. Owners were notified.

11:00 pm A woman came to report an assault complaint on her boyfriend. Pictures were taken on the bruised area on her neck and turned over to the deputy.

11:18 pm A woman called to report her husband was intoxicated and wanted him out of her house. A deputy was informed.

11:23 pm Michael Valanzuela 38 of Brackettville was arrested for public Intoxication. Michael was released with \$200 paid fine.

Sunday, March 15

9:50 am A caller reported goats were out on Hwy 90. The owners were notified.

2:40 pm A woman reported she has driven into an apartment and hit the air condition unit. She states she has been knocking on the door of the apartment and no one answers. A deputy was dispatched to location.

4:02 pm FCS Security called stating officer needs assistance on FT. Clark Road. All available units were dispatched to location.

5:30 pm Security of FCS request a deputy to make an accident report. A deputy was notified.

7:30 pm A Border Patrol advises they have two subjects detained at the Cline Check Point for 97 pounds of marijuana. A deputy was dispatched.

6:26 pm A caller reported a minor accident at Burger & Shake parking lot. A deputy was advised.

6:38 pm Smolhs C. Derek 21 of Poth, Tx, was arrested for evading arrest and public intoxication.

8:00 pm Socorro G. Johnson 56 of San Antonio was arrested for less than 5 pounds and more than 4 ounces. Socorro was released on \$1500 bail bond.

Monday, March 16

12:10 am Eduardo Lee Medellin

17 of Del Rio was arrested for possession of marijuana less than 2 ounces.

3:59 pm A caller from Spofford reported a trash fire at 631 N. 1st. Fire Department were in route.

6:30 pm A woman called to report unknown person had stolen 40-45 chickens from her residence on Farm Road 693. She requested a deputy to file a report.

9:10 pm A man called to report he needed assistance at the high school. A deputy was dispatched.

Tuesday, March 17

12:37 am A caller reported an alarm going off at the high school and some kids were running away from the location. Deputies were dispatched.

7:50 pm A man called to inform us he was watching a friend's house. During his routine check on the residence he noticed someone had broken into his friend's gas tank and to the back door to his vehicle. A deputy was dispatched.

8:31 pm A woman called to report a possible assault. A deputy was dispatched.

8:48 pm A man called very upset at a warning his son had just gotten issued and wanting to make a complaint on a deputy or to the entire force of deputies. He was asked for his phone number so the sheriff could call him back.

Wednesday, March 18

12:00 am Rosendo Mata 34 of Brackettville was arrested for child support. Rosendo was released on a \$500 cash bond.

7:45 pm A caller reported someone shot a BB through her window. A deputy was advised.

10:17 pm A Airlife landing was called to land at the check point. Deputies were dispatched.

Thursday, March 19

12:00 am William D Perkins 74 of Brackettville was arrested for resisting arrest, unlawful carrying a weapon, and failure to maintain a single lane traffic. Willam was released on a two \$1200 personal recognizee bonds.

Friday, March 20

4:25 pm Francisco Gomez, 52, of Brackettville was arrested for reckless driving. Francisco was released on a \$800 bond.

10:55 pm A caller reported loud music in the area of Fort and Gove St. A deputy was advised.

Saturday, March 21

3:16 am A caller reported a dog barking incessantly and would like for a deputy to check out the location. A deputy was advised.

5:45 am FCS Security reported someone had stolen a golf cart from unit 14. A deputy was informed.

11:40 am A caller reported loose goats on Hwy 90 and 693. Notified owners.

2:54 pm A Border Patrol called to report having two US citizens in custody at the check point for possession of marijuana 9.6 ounces. A deputy was dispatched to location.

3:47 pm A caller reported an alarm going off at the housing projects. A deputy was advised.

3:50 pm A caller requested information on what to do with cattle in his property doing damages to livestock feeders that did not belong to him. A deputy and Game Warden were notified.

4:06 pm Bernave Terrazas 21 of Brackettville was arrested for possession of marijuana greater than 4 ounces and less than 5 pounds.

5:37 pm A caller reported a break in at the AJ Foyt Ranch on Hwy 90 and requested a deputy for report. A deputy was advised.

5:58 pm A woman called requesting a deputy to remove a rattlesnake from her yard. A deputy was advised.

6:19 pm Fort Clark Security called to report a reckless driver trying to run over pedestrians at the teen center. A deputy was advise.

8:56 pm FCS Security called to advise they had a reckless driver detained at the gate. A deputy was advised.

10:20 pm Security for FCS called to report two suspicious teenagers in the campground area. A deputy was advised.

11:47 pm An unknown caller re-

ported loud music being played around El Paso and Beaumont St. A deputy was advised.

Sunday, March 22

12:49 pm FCS Security called to report a red vehicle driving reckless on Scales Road. A deputy was notified of the situation.

2:05 pm Sentry Security called to report an alarm going off at Boership residence 2 miles north on 674. A deputy was dispatched.

10:39 pm Security called requesting a deputy for the FCS Gate. A deputy was informed.

## Red Hatters to meet



"Viola Veronica Crout" chapter is upholding the tradition of being the social pace setters of the American born "Red Hat Society".

What better way than an enjoyable luncheon at "FCS's Service Club" on Wednesday, April 8?

Sign-up is in progress at the "Adult Center" with a scheduled deadline on Monday, April 6th at 5pm.

Our official Chef Barbara Simmons, a culinary artist, will provide delicious gourmet fare; which, she is well known in two states, as well as locally.

Besides sharing fellowship with stylish ladies resplendent in their pink and red Easter bonnets, a pleasant surprise is in store for the attendees.

A distinguished "mystery" guest will be revealed. Also, appropriate music will add to an elegant dining experience; therefore, sign-up early at FCS's "Adult Center" and beat the April 6 dead line!

## OBITUARY

### Jack Edward Schram

February 14, 1935 - March 14, 2009



Jack Edward Schram died on March 14 at Val Verde Hospital in Del Rio, Texas. He was 74 years old. Jack was born on February 14, 1935 to Edward and Florence Schram in Norfolk, Nebraska. He is survived by his wife Norma Schram, two daughters from previous marriages, Tammy Lee Thurnburg and Susan L. Schram; two step-sons: Victor Anderson of Chehalis, Washington and Earl Anderson of Honolulu, Hawaii, numerous sisters and brothers-in-law in Washington State and California. Memorial services are to be held at First United Methodist Church in Brackettville, Texas on Friday, March 27 at 10am. Jack served 4 years in Naval Air. He worked for 30 years for Zep Manufacturing Company before retiring to Fort Clark in 1995. He was responsible for the book "90 miles on Highway 90". He enjoyed many hobbies such as traveling, fishing, pen and ink drawing, wood-carving, lapidary and photography. He was exceptionally skilled in all of them. Jack loved life and had a wonderful sense of humor. He was truly loved by family and friends who will miss him greatly.

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# Classified Market

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## BUY GOLD & SILVER

BUY SCRAP GOLD AND SILVER (broken jewelry, coins, etc.) Located in Brackettville, call 210-865-0506

## EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED: BARTENDER/Waitress, position available part time or full time. Day and night shifts will train. Apply in person, talk to Ray at Alibi Lounge Bar & Grill, 1270 E. Hwy 90, Brackettville 12pm-5pm, 830-563-9400. [cr]

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## FREE LEAF PICK UP

FREE LEAF PICK UP. Leaves must be in bags. Call 830-563-2291 [mm]

## GARAGE SALE

BRACKETTVILLE SENIORS APTS. invites you to help them sell their senior collectables and treasures. You'll never know what you will find at the Senior Apts. Day Sale! March 26 at 9am-2pm.

YARD SALE FCS Saturday 26 at 14 Retama Rd. on Scales & Retama TV, stereo, and lots of other things.

RELAY FOR LIFE GARAGE/ Yard Sale Brackett Civic Center E. Spring "One man's junk is another man's treasure". Clothing all sizes, toys, house hold goods, and books.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 59, Texas Property Code, Sunshine Self Storage which is located at 702 West Spring Street, Brackettville, Texas 78832 will hold a public auction of property being sold to satisfy a landlord's lien. Sale will be at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 4, 2009. Sale will take place at storage units behind Kinney County Wool & Mohair. Property will be sold to highest bidder for cash. Deposit for removal and cleanup may be temporarily required. Seller reserves the right to not accept any bid and to withdraw property from sale. Property in each space may be sold item-by-item, in batches, or by the space. Property being sold includes contents in spaces of following tenants, with brief description of contents in each space. Hilda Aguirre: children's clothes, household items, Barbara Waddell: gas heater, small table, wheelchair, misc. items, Richard Guajardo: King size wooden headboard, misc. items, Rosalinda V. Lomas: Dresser, clothes, misc. items. Contact Sunshine Self Storage, 830-563-2471 or come by 702 West Spring St. Brackettville, TX

## PUBLIC NOTICE

To: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS/ UNKNOWN TESTAMENTARY BENEFICIARIES AND ASSIGNS, IF ANY, OF CHARLES K. SCHROEDER and to all to whom it may concern, Defendant(s): "You have been sued. You may employ and attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you." The Petition of Fort Clark Springs Association, Inc., Plaintiff, was filed in the County Court of Kinney County, Texas on the 2nd day of February, 2009, against THE UNKNOWN HEIRS/ UNKNOWN TESTAMENTARY BENEFICIARIES AND ASSIGNS, IF ANY, OF CHARLES K. SCHROEDER, Defendants, numbered 3787 and entitled FORT CLARK SPRINGS ASSOCIATION, INC. vs. TREVA J. SCHROEDER AND CHARLES K. SCHROEDER, IF LIVING OR HIS UNKNOWN HEIRS/ UNKNOWN TESTAMENTARY BENEFICIARIES AND ASSIGNS, IF ANY, IF HE IS DECEASED. This civil suit requests to appraise Defendants of the pendency of this 154 of Fort Clark Springs, per map filed in Volume 1, Pages 1-2, Plat Records of Kinney County, Texas. This claim constitutes a claim for past due assessments, and common property taxes. Plaintiff requests, on final trial, judgment against Defendants and any other relief to which Plaintiff is justly entitled. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Brackettville, Kinney County, Texas on this 25th day of February, 2009. Attest: Dora Elia Sandoval, Clerk of the Court, Kinney County, Texas.

THE CITY OF BRACKETTVILLE will be having its annual Rabies Drive on April 4, 2009 from 9am to 12pm in the front of City Hall. First come first serve basis, no appointments or pre-registrations. If possible please bring last years shot record to make process easier.

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- 21 Ward: A Must See! Spacious stone home with 1,850 +/- sq.ft., study with built shelves. Corner fireplace, new kitchen appliances, large utility room, many upgrades. Priced Below Appraised Value!
- 156 Crockett: Lovely custom built 3BR, 2B rock home, 2,000 +/- sq.ft., fireplace & office. Great location with privacy fenced yard.
- 147 Redbud: Small apartment & RV cover + 2nd vacant lot, will separate.
- Unit 38: Two RV lots, one has slab & hookups.
- Unit 14: 1BR, 1B cottage next to open area \$16,500 owner wants offer!
- New Listing: Cute building, downtown location recent upgrades, great for office, antiques or boutique!
- 214 W. Fulton: 3BR home, 1,476 +/- sq.ft., interior/ exterior upgrades.
- 20 Acres: Near town, private road, fenced, large barn, well, elect, septic, cover for RV.

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## House For Sale By Owner

Unit 31 lot 8, FCS in Brackettville:  
2BR, 2B, Approx. 1450 sq.ft. New office addition. Brand new stainless steel kitchen appliances. Saltillo tile throughout most of the house. Carpet in both bedrooms, sits of 3 lots, 20x20 cart/storage shed in back lg. attic for lots of storage, sprinkler system and RV carport. Asking \$130,000, to see call 830-563-9776 or 830-719-0392

## House for Sale

4Br, 2B, 2 living areas w/ fireplace, fenced yard, screen porch, 2 carport, 267 Pompey St., Unit 31, Fort Clark  
830-563-5710 or 830-563-5779

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FORT CLARK New Listing: Historical Building near Fort main entrance: 1BR/2B, very large downstairs living area, Kitchen, dining area, laundry room. Some furniture included, also Fort membership. Art and antiques negotiable \$70,000

NEW LISTING: End Unit townhouse 2BR, Hollywood baths, stackable washer and dryer. Sellers are proud owners and it shows Furniture sold separately. \$55,000

UNIT 14- Price reduced on fully furnished RV now \$13,000

FOR RENT 2 BR/1B, carport, fence \$425 per month plus utilities.

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3/3 Brick Home on the golf course, over 2000 sf. study, fireplace, attached carport, beautiful tile floors throughout, Less than 3 years old and only \$199,000  
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FORT CLARK  
NEW LISTING: HISTORIC WAINWRIGHT HOUSE #29 COLONY ROW! Information and pictures on website REDUCED TO \$279,000  
NEW LISTING: 132 DE ZAVALA - ADORABLE A-FRAME 2BR/1B W/ 300 SQ.FT. LOFT AREA. 1100 +/- SQ.FT. @ \$38,000.00  
NEW LISTING: 23 OAK LANE - THIS LOVELY 200 +/- SQ.FT. CUSTOM BUILT HOME W/ BACKYARD CABANA IS MUST SEE! 3BR/2B ON A LARGE CORNER LOT W/ BEAUTIFUL NATURE OAK TREES IN BACK AREA.  
29 LAMOTTE 3/2/2 Stucco hm w/ tiled floors throughout, FP in large kitchen/breakfast area and screened porch over looking green area. 2031 sq. ft. w/ many upgrades. \$165,000. Fantastic home and location! REDUCED  
89 WARD RD: Awesome 4BR/3B Family Home with bonus and media Rms. Fenced yard, 3,000 approx. sq. ft. REDUCED \$180,000  
Corner of Anderson/Travis: cute 3BR/1.5B with carport and storage unit on 1 lot. \$42,500  
143 Walnut: Emaculate 3/2 Palm Harbor Hm. on 2 lots over looking green area. RV hookups. Must see! \$42,000.  
Fairway Circle: 2 golf course lots. Walking distance from Las Moras Creek. \$25,000.  
115 MESQUITE ST. Very nice home w/ 2BR/1B plus a bonus room/ office. Open floor plan, approx. 1,162 sq. ft. Covered RV parking and 2 storage areas. SOLD  
104 McClelland Located in the historical district, 2BR/2B townhouse. Great second home or rental. Approx. 1,260 sq. ft. REDUCED  
155 BLISS CIRCLE, Unit 15, 2BR/2BA, very clean, well maintained mobile home on two lots. \$35,000.  
80 BAYLOR ST. 3B/2B HOME IN HISTORICAL DISTRICT. 1836 SQ.FT. REDUCED TO \$60,000.  
UNIT 14, RV lot with metal cover with 1998 Wilderness 27' travel trailer. \$32,000. Brackettville  
221 ACRES: PRIME HUNTING AGY. 1400 SQ. FT. LOG CABIN W/ PANORAMIC VIEWS. CHA 25 MILES N. OF BRACKETTVILLE. FM 674

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ACROSS  
1 TXism: "jumpy as \_\_\_ in war"  
2 \_\_\_ on ice"  
5 '82 film of TX rancher Norris: "Silent \_\_\_"  
6 Benjamin is seat of this country  
7 White Oak h.s. class  
8 TX Dan Jenkins book: "Life \_\_\_ Ownself"  
9 Bremond's \_\_\_  
15 this Carter founded the Fort Worth Star-Telegram  
16 '35 film of TX Ginger Rogers: "Romance in \_\_\_"  
19 Jerry is General \_\_\_ of Cowboys  
21 the \_\_\_ Estacado"  
22 TX Dan Rather  
27 TXism for "carry"  
28 was entertained  
29 actor  
30 TX Sly Stone hit: \_\_\_ Take "You Higher"  
32 in Houston: \_\_\_ Anderson Cancer Center"  
33 one of A&M's is the "12th man"  
36 group for TX Roy Orbison: "\_\_\_ Kings"  
37 TXism: "got an overdose of \_\_\_ (sad)"  
38 one thousand  
39 film for TX-born Steve Railsback: "\_\_\_ Dangerous" ('86)  
41 noted CSA general Lee (init.)

42 incendiary gel used in war  
45 TX-based documentary "The Thin Blue \_\_\_"  
46 slangy greeting  
47 speech defect  
48 TXism: "never \_\_\_ 'em see you sweat"  
49 Elvis film: "Kid \_\_\_ drum"  
53 TXism: "he could strut sitting down" (big \_\_\_)

DOWN  
13 Rusk AM station  
14 "take \_\_\_ it comes"  
15 TX Strait's "\_\_\_ By Morning"  
16 "he never \_\_\_ stranger"  
17 buttercup plant  
18 TXism: "\_\_\_ off (fell asleep)"  
20 long fancy dress  
22 dir. to Amarillo from El Paso  
23 paramedic (abbr.)  
24 TXism: "\_\_\_ medicine" (tequilla)  
25 song: "\_\_\_ way to Heaven"  
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