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HEADSTART FIELD DAY CDI Brackett headstart/ early head start will be host-ing their annual field day at tiger stadium on Friday, May 8 at 9am until noon.

4H MEETING There will be a 4-H General Meeting on Sunday, May 3 at 6pm in the District Courtroom of the County Courthouse. We will elect officers, and club managers. Pizza, drinks and dessert will be served! Don't miss it!

CHURCH FESTIVAL St Mary Magdalene Catholic Church will be having an Annual Church Festival on Saturday, May 3 at 12-5pm bring your family.

ALAMO VILLAGE 50TH Alamo Village is celebrating it's 50th anniversary this year. John Farkis, author of the book "Alamo Village-How a Texas Cattleman Brought Hollywood to the Old West" is interested in speaking with anyone associated with John Wayne's movie "The Alamo" if you were a member of the cast, crew or production support, or had a relative who was, and wish to be interviewed for an up-coming book, please con-tact John at 810-225-3277 or J.K.Farkis @Earthlink.net

KICKAPOO BIRD WALK April 25, 2009 - Kickapoo Cavern State Park - Morning Bird Walks - Every Saturday. Staff will conduct a nature walk and program throughout the park in search of migrating birds and endangered species like the blackcapped vireo at 8:30-10:30am. Reservations are required for more information cali 830-563-2342

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Weekend WEATHER Friday High:92 Low:67 Partly Cloudy Saturday High:89 Low:68 Am Clouds/PM Sun Sunday High:86 Low:68 Partly Cloudy

Swine Flu rumors scare community Softball team ill, but not from piggy flu

By Leigh Volcsko tbnews@sbcglobal.net

girls on the softball team fell terribley ill this past week.

The spread of the airborne celled until after May 11. flu virus, now internationally lacal school officials.

BISD Superintendent Robert

April 29, 2009

switches, etc.

Brackettville or Kinney County.

frequently with soap and water.

sneezing or coughing.

play, however, all UIL sanctioned events have been can-

Westbrook encouraged parbeled Swine Flu because of the ents to take the proper precaujump it made from pigs to hu- tions to protect their children mans, is of major concern to lo- and to contact the school if they had any questions.

According to the Texas De-Westbrook said Wednesday the partment of State Health Sersoftball girls that were rumored vices website on Wednesday afto have the flu do not have it, ternoon, sixteen confirmed cases but several had in fact contracted of Swine Flu had been reported a stomach virus which quickly in Texas. The case count is as spread to other members of the follows: "DSHS has reported 16

Letter to Parents from BISD Administration

As I am sure you are aware, there have been cases of swine

influenza (swine flu) reported in the United States and Mexico,

as well as in other parts of the world. At this time there have

been confirmed cases of swine flu in Texas. However, at this

time there has not been any confirmed cases of swine flu in

I wish to assure you we are taking the possibility of swine

·Increase levels of sanitizing bathrooms, faucets, light

·Encouraging students, faculty and staff to wash their hands

Encouraging the covering of the mouth and nose when

·Contacting parents/guardians when a child is absent to find

out the reason for the absence. If there is any flu like symp-

toms present, the child needs to stay home until the flu like

symptoms have passed. In addition, if any family member that

is not enrolled in school suffers from flu like symptoms, the

children who are in school need to stay home until the sick

Kinney County, we will take appropriate steps as recommended

Health Services regarding the swine flu. If you have any ques-

tions concerning the swine flu or what the school is doing to

If any case of swine flu is confirmed in Brackettville or

Attached is a fact sheet from the Texas Department of State

family member's flu like symptoms have passed.

by the Texas Department of State Health Services.

monitor the situation, do not hesitate to contact me.

Dear Parents, Students, Faculty and Staff:

flu seriously. We have taken the following actions.

The varsity softball team was influenza this year in Texas, in- (1), Dallas (3), Guadalupe (5) Brackett Independent School named tri-district champs and cluding a child from Mexico and Starr (2) counties. County District reported zero cases of they are in the number one slot. City who died earlier this week information for the remaining the feared Swine Flu as several as they move on to regional in a Houston-area hospital. The four cases is pending."

confirmed human cases of swine other cases are from Cameron

FCA Golf Ball Drop Winner returns prize



ing nuns and they came.

and Master degrees at the Uni-

in Houston which he accepted

both English and Spanish. She

at Sul Ross.

The Brackett Fellowship of Christian Atheletes raised \$6,000 at their annual Golf Ball Drop on April 25 on the Lawn of Rio Grande Electric Coop. The balls were sold and then dropped from high in the air. The ball that dropped into a tiny hole in the ground was then declared the winner and given a cash prize of \$1,000. This year's winner, Kari Hinds of Charlotte, donated her prize back to the FCA where the proceeds send youth to camp

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Smith's charitable hearts lead to literacy

By Katie Brown Staff Reporter

The Seventh Annual St. Henry de Osso Family Literacy Gala was held in Uvalde at the March 28, 2009.

The Keynote Address was given by Gracie Romo and the schools around the world. honored guests were recognized STJ, the founder and director of the St. Henry De Osso Family Project. Honorees included were project from its beginning.

The Society of Saint Teresa Henry de Osso-Cervello in school there. Spain. It began with just eight women who were to be foremost Spain they taught in Spanish. in promoting the honor of Jesus through prayer, teaching and Lyons requested English speak-

sacrifice. The order grew very quickly from Spain to Portugal, Africa and to North and South America.

Robert K. Westbrook, Superintendent

Brackett Independent School District

have passed through the fourteen novitiates of the Institute and

vent in Uvalde that was established in 1910. The Teresians Drs. Don and Anita Smith of are an education group; they all to do with parish schools, Catholic schools according to of Jesus, the Teresian Sisters, Dr. Smith. They were brought was founded in 1876 by Father to Uvalde to teach in the parish

As the Sisters came from

Photo By Katie Brown

Don and Anita Smith cred Heart School, who at that

Dr. Smith first met Sister Hortensia in the late 1970's or she picked us I don't know ex-Then in the 1940's, Father early 1980's. That semester he cept that God kind of leads you was teaching a graduate course in a direction that ...well, she in individual intelligence testing. Under his supervision, with literacy." She wasn't sure some of his students had to administer a certain number of where to start, but she called on these tests in order to qualify to do them. A parent of a 4th grade ing her ideas and concerns. "I student at Sacred Heart School came to him requesting that where she was going with this they test her son whom she and what it was she wanted to thought him to be exceptionally do." They met several times at bright. He was bored in school the Smiths home, throwing out and they didn't know what to do ideas and eventually it became with him. Every parent thinks their child is bright, but she was with the families and she wanted adamant and so Dr. Smith had to have a literacy program. It his students test him. He was was just a matter of how to go

speak to the principal at the Sa-

Dr. Don Smith was raised in expressed that in his profes-Illinois, receiving his Bachelor sional opinion this student could be moved up a grade next school Today, according to their versity of Illinois and his Doc- year. Sister Hortensia was very SWTJC Ballroom in the web site, over 5,000 Teresians torate at ISU in 1969. He was adamant that it would not be in Matthews Center in Uvalde on have passed through the fourteen offered a job at a church college the best interest of the child as offered a job at a church college the best interest of the child as he would not fit in socially with they staff more than one hundred and he was there for six years 6th grade students. However, when the opportunity arose for over the summer Dr. Smith and Sister Hortensia Coloma, of a full time position with Sul Ross his students brought the young by Sister Hortensia Coloma, the Teresian Sisters, came to the in 1973 in Uvalde. Dr. Smith man up to speed both socially United States ca 1980 to the con- was the first full time professor and academically and in the Fall, in what is today the Rio Grande Sister Hortensia advanced him College, an entity under the umto 6th grade where he excelled. This was the first encounter bebrella of Sul Ross University. FCS who have supported the teach school or have something. His wife Anita has her Doctor-tween the Drs. Smith and Sister ate in Education with a major in Hortensia. Shortly after that Sister gave

time was Sister Hortensia. He

taught in the public school sys- up her position at the school as tem in Uvalde and also part time she felt that her calling was something besides teaching. Dr. Smith said, "She came to us, why had this vision that had to do just what she wanted to do or the Smiths frequently, expresswas trying to get it in my mind clear that she wanted to work found to be very highly intelli- about it and she wouldn't take gent. So Dr. Smith went to no for an answer.

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What's Happening

Swine Flu Tips

Health Services Region 8

A Guide For Parents and Caregivers: Swine Flu

What is Swine Flu? Swine flu is a form of the influenza virus that occurs in pigs, but can be spread from person to person.

What are the symptoms of swine flu? Fever over 100 degrees

Cough or sore throat

People may also feel tired, have loss of appetite, headache, runny or stuffy nose, or sore muscles. Some people may have nausea, vomiting and diar-

How does the swine flu spread?

People that have swine flu usually cough, sneeze and have a runny nose. This makes droplets with virus in them. Other people may get swine flu by breathing in these droplets, getting them in their nose or mouth, or touching contaminated sur-

How long can a sick person spread the swine flu to others?

Adults who are normally healthy are able to spread the flu from 1-3 days. Children and some adults may spread the illness longer because they do not fight off disease as well as normal healthy adults. It is also possible to spread the illness the day before a person starts having symptoms, before they know they are sick.

Someone in my household has symptoms of swine flu. What should I do?

All members of the household should limit their contact with others as much as possible. No one from your household should go to work, school, or large gatherings until 7 days after recovery.

Call your family doctor or local clinic, but do not go to the doctor's office unless absolutely necessary. If a visit is necessary, call ahead of time so measures can be taken to keep from infecting others during your

The person who is ill should cover his/her nose and mouth with a tissue when couching and sneezing. The tissue should be immediately thrown away in a trash can.

Cough into the crook of the elbow.

Treat the ill family member with Tylenol not aspirin.

The child or adult I care for does nor have symptoms of swine flu. How can I protect his/ her from the flu?

Avoid contact with people who are sick.

Try not to tough the nose, mouth and eyes.

Wash your hands with soap and water (sing "Happy Birthday" twice) once every hour.

If water is not available use alcohol-based hand cleaners.

Practice healthy habits: get enough sleep, manage your stress, drink enough fluids, eat nutritious food, and be physically active.

Opinion

Lower Back signs and symptoms



Dr. Kent Lowery, D.C., FIAMA

80% of Americans will suffer back pain at some point in their lives. Lower lumbar subluxation can affect the prostate gland, muscles of the low back, and the sciatic nerve. Your chiropractor can find the source of the problem and correct it so the body can heal naturally. He may also recommend a plan of care that includes

chiropractic adjustments, hot or cold compresses, exercises to strengthen and retrain muscles, and diet or lifestyle changes. Many times a pelvic imbalance is the source of the problem and can be corrected fairly quickly. Are you depending on pain relievers or muscle relaxersfor relief from low back pain? Are you postponing or avoiding altogether the activities you enjoy? Are you thinking surgery might be the only option left to consider? If so, consider safe, effective chiropractic care as an alternative.

If you are experiencing low back pain, please call **Dr. Kent Lowery**, **D.C.**, **FIAMA** for an appointment at 563-6249 in **Brackettville**.

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In an uncertain economy, it's natural for people to "tighten their belts" by cutting down on their spending. And yet by having too much cash on hand today, you could actually slow created in the early 1980s. your progress toward your finan-

cial goals of tomorrow. Before we get to the possible pitfalls of hoarding cash, let's consider your fellow Americans' recent savings habits:

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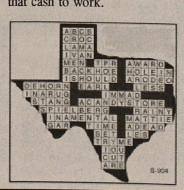
Ned Davis Research. (Keep in mind that the Wilshire 5000 index is unmanaged and not avail-

Of course, given the stock tirement. market decline, it's not surprising that so much money is go-

their money in what they con- you with returns that can keep sider safe vehicles. At the end up with inflation, which means of 2008, the ratio of money mar- that the more of these instruket fund assets and bank savings ments you own, and the longer deposits to stocks as measured you own them, the greater the by the Wilshire 5000 Index, one likelihood that you will lose purwas 95.4 percent, according to you're putting most of your assets into cash, you're incurring "opportunity cost" the chance beach. to invest that money into veable for direct investment.) This hicles that have the potential to ratio is the highest it's been since provide the growth you need to goals, such as a comfortable re-

the one hand, you have a tough ing into these accounts, because economy and a stock market that people are looking, above all has probably already saddled else, to preserve their principal. you with losses. On the other Consequently, as a nation, we hand, you need to consider inter of 2008, the personal savings are now sitting on a "mountain" vesting in stocks or other rate was 2.9 percent, the high- of cash. However, the trip up growth-oriented investments to to breathe. So what does that tell est level since the third quarter this mountain does not come help you reach your long-term you? Your stuff is killing you. free. While it's true that these goals. What's the solution? Bal- You are uneasy in your own vehicles may help preserve your ance. There's probably a place home. Another word for uneasy Where? People are putting principal, they may not provide in your portfolio for short-term is disease. Get it?? ance these holdings with investyour risk tolerance, time horizon and individual goals.

In these days, you may need a leap of faith to invest some of your cash. But history is on your side: Downturns have typically been followed by market rallies. Plus, we will eventually see the unleashing of all that pent-up cash seeking higher returns, and that force should have a positive impact on the financial markets. It may feel comforting to have a lot of cash on hand. But if you're going to be comfortable in the years ahead, you should consider putting some of that cash to work.



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Vacation get-away



The Fly Lady Marla Cilley

What is it about going on vacation that makes it worth all the preparation and hassle? Is it getting away from the phone? I don't think so; most of us have our personal cell phones. Is it getting to seeing new places?

Maybe but many of us usually want to go back to old familiar areas. Is it the food? It could be, or is the fact that cooking is not hard in an efficient clean kitchen. How about the people?

They are usually the same ones you have at home. So what is it about being in a different place with the same people? Could it be that the surroundings do not choke you!

Hotel rooms are sparse: Two beds, a desk, one bathroom, a night table, one small closet, a little dining table and maybe a little refrigerator. Hey I am leavof the broadest market indices chasing power. Furthermore, if ing the Television and video games out. Ignore them. Let's say you rent a condo at the

It has a small kitchen, two to three bedrooms, a living area, a balcony, a couple of bathmoney market accounts were help achieve your long-term rooms and empty closets. The same thing for a house at the lake or a cabin in the woods; So here's the situation: On they have all the conveniences of home without ALL YOUR CLUTTER!!!

Oh it's not clutter, it is your stuff, I can hear you yelling at me. Well your stuff makes you feel like you need to leave home

Your house has beco is helping to preserve your prin-storage unit for your stuff, not a home. This is why it feels so good to walk into a sparsely ments that can potentially re- decorated room. The space frees ward you with growth. The ex- you to breathe without you feelact mix of assets depends on ing closed in. How do we get this vacation feeling in our cluttered homes? By evicting Clutter and Just-in-Case forever!

These things have chased you away from your home. They have taken over your residence. They are squatters and it is time to take back your home and make it your sanctuary instead of a storage unit. Start by Crisis

Cleaning: we are attacking the surface clutter that is residing in our favorite hotspots. Spend 15 minutes in the Kitchen, then 15 in the living room and then 15 in the bathroom. Then you get to rest for 15 minutes.

Don't skip this step! It is the most important one. I promise those few minutes are going to make a difference if you will get up and do it, instead of whining that 15 minutes is not enough time. The clutter will be out of sight

and you will start to say to yourself that this doesn't look half bad; even if the floors are dirty. Clutter is what makes your home look awful. Oh you still don't believe me; then do an experi-

Clear off your coffee table. I mean move everything off into a box and just stand back and look at it. How do you feel? The clean and clear is contagious.

Now go put away, give away or throw away everything that is in that box. You deserve to have a home that gives you a beautiful clean feeling. You can get that vacation get-away by taking babysteps to eliminate your clutter. Set your timer and allow that beautiful clean to put a smile on your face!

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BHS students compete; advance to state

School traveled to Brenham to individually followed by Victor Bruce, Brandon Allen and compete at the UIL Region IV Cantu placing third. The team Cynthia Bland. They scored a was coached by Belinda 1A Academic Meet.

Current Events. The Mathemat- a total of 807 points to capture vidually. ics team consists of Laura first place team. Granger HS was Swinson, Victor Cantu, Emily second with 645 points. Swinson sists of Sahara Rodriguez, Bryan Flu transmission, all UIL sanc-Calk and Brandon Allen. The won first place individually folteam scored a total of 390 points lowed by Arlene Roth placing to win the contest. Flatonia HS fourth. The team is coached by of 166 points to get third. San placed second with a team total Misti Rose. of 368 points.

is coached by Jamie Ballew. The total of 183 points to get sec- Schroeder. The Mathematics Eleven students compete in Accounting team consists of ond place team. Lovelady won team, Accounting team, and Vic-Mathematics, Accounting, So- Laura Swinson, Arlene Roth and the event with 194 points. Vic- tor Cantu for Number Sense was cial Studies, Number Sense and Jeff Sitgreaves. The team scored tor Cantu won first place indi-scheduled to compete at the

The Social Studies team con-Calk, Jeff Sitgreaves and Jacob Schroeder. They scored a total poned until after May 11. The Number Sense team con- The team is coached by Kathy the postponement of UIL activities.

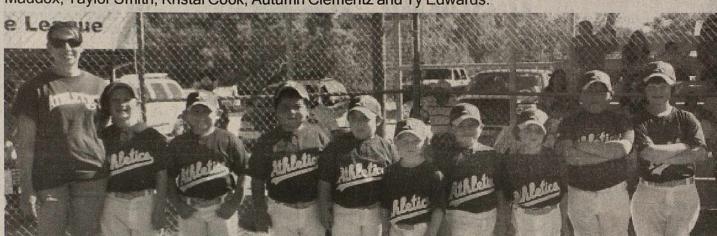
Students from Brackett High Laura Swinson placed first sists of Victor Cantu, Kelsey Bader. Competing in Current Events was Jacob Schroeder. He State UIL meet in Austin May 7-9, but due to the scare of Swine tioned events have been post-

> See http://www.uil. utexas.edu/ Isidro HS won with 220 points. academics/ for more details about

Kinney County Little League Part 2 of 4



Team Cardinals - Coach Pitch: (Not in Order as pictured) Coaches: David Palmer and Javier DeLeon. Team members: Sam Palmer, Javier DeLeon, Christian Luna, Michael Falcon, Zachary Koontz, Gracie Maddox, Taylor Smith, Kristal Cook, Autumn Clementz and Ty Edwards.



Team Athletics - Coach Pitch (Not in Order as pictured) Coaches: Patrick Sheedy and Samantha Sheedy. Team members: Baldomero Vasquez, Kristopher Creel, Stetson Schuster, Nat Terrazas, Matthew Sheedy, Levi Earwood, Natalee Terrazas, Martin Garcia, Brendan Tuskett, Juliette Baker and Jewel Swift.



Team Braves - Coach Pitch: (Not in Order as pictured) Coaches: Jesse Terrazas, Elda Terrazas and Frank Castillo. Team members: Logan Fisher, Thomas Herrera, Zuehl Conoly, Karina Terrazas, Diego Castillo, Trey Seargeant, Noah Flores, Brilliance Buitron, Sara Titchenell and Devin Villareal.

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BHS SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Class of 20



Arlene Roth

Name: Arlene Roth Mother Or Guardian: Sara Lane Father Or Guardian: John Lane Siblings: Dand Roth

What are your plans after graduation? I plan to attend Abilene Christian University in the fall and I hope to be a pediatric onconlogy social worker eventually. What teacher influenced you the most? I think all my teachers have influenced me and left a mark in my life. I've been blessed to encouter many amazing mentors threw out my school years.

What are you most looking forward to after graduation? I look forward to exploring life and the "Real World" and becoming myself and surrounding myself with my choice of people. The freedom of life and education.

What will you miss most after graduation? I think I will miss the laid back atmosphere of a small town and the ability to call upon my parents with any request. I'll miss the Friday night football game and all the fun trips we are taken, like state UIL meet with Mrs. Brandt.



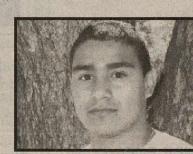
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Name: Sandy Leigh Tate Mother Or Guardian: Sandra Tate Father Or Guardian: Todd Lee Tate Siblings: Brenda Tate

What are your plans after graduation? I plan on going to College of the Ozarks in Missouri, and get a degree in culinary arts and also a degree in French and German.

What teacher influenced you the most? Miss Jaso because she was there when I needed help with my paper work and if I had a problem I was able to go to her and talk about it. I just want to tell her and the rest of my teachers thanks.

What are you most looking forward to after graduation? I am looking forward to going to college. What will you miss most after graduation? I will miss all of my friends!!



Jacob Schroeder

Name of Senior: Jacob Schroeder Mother: B. Schroeder Father: Todd Schroeder Siblings: Gabby Schroeder

What are your plans after graduation? I plane on attending the United States Coast Guard Academy or going to Iowa State or UT with an ROTC Scholarship. What teacher influenced you the most? The teacher that most influenced me was to Mr. Ramon.

What are you most looking forward to after graduation? Becoming independent and experiencing new

What do you think you will miss the most after graduation? Playing football with my former teammates. I wish them the best of luck in the upcoming football season.



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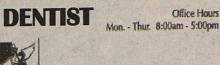
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Smiths support St. Henry de Osso literacy program

Dr. Smith had received a grant one year to do a research program with the Head Start children in Uvalde with the permission of the school system. The families were low income and many of the parents did not speak English. The whole thing revolved around getting the parents involved in the verbal development of the children and in their schoolwork. They found that the parents who did participate in their children's education were the key and that their children did better all the way through school. These were the people that Sister Hortensia wanted to reach. All of the focus of the public schools in their tutoring programs has been on the kids; it did not impact the home. Sister wanted to impact the parents. In 1993 Sister Hortensia began evangelization

ministry in Uvalde to assist parents with their children's academic needs; focus was on kinder through second grade at-risk students. Working with the Smiths' who were already involved in the Head Start Program, they found ways to identify children, with the cooperation of the schools, who needed help in the lower grades. Sister's idea, their idea, was to get those parents involved in the child's learning at home; that the home is a place where the children learn. So, they helped Sister to devise ways of training volunteer tutors in the culture and other aspects of the home environment; to be able to go into the home to help the children with homework and at the same time teach the parents what they were doing and model for them how to help their children with homework. A major side benefit to this is the increasing communication between children and parents. It worked. The whole philosophy of parental involvement and parental interaction with the child academically in the home was the foundation of what Sister was trying to do. "Later on we began to offer counseling and the counseling part of it now has become a significant part of St. Henry de

Osso.", said Dr. Smith who is licensed as a coun-

selor. Besides offering counseling to others, they

do parental training in groups teaching the par-

ents how to respond to their children i.e. emotion-

ally and instructing them in behavioral manage-

continued from page 1 ment. So often these parents themselves grew up in broken homes leaving them unprepared to handle behavioral situations. Mothers were often left to raise children alone because father was in prison, in jail or otherwise absent. This offered parents and caregivers a support system; a place to turn to for help with parenting skills.

Drs. Don and Anita Smith bought property at Fort Clark in 1990 even though they lived in Uvalde. They came over here weekends and started building their place to retire. Anita had retired in 1988 after 34 years in the public school system in Uvalde and Don retired ten years later. They moved over here to Fort Clark in 1998.

They decided to try the St. Henry de Osso program here, as much of it as they could with what they had to work with. "We didn't have the resources here that had developed in Uvalde by that time. Sister was a wonderful beggar," he said fondly, "she would talk to people, organizations and all, and they'd contribute what they could and get us into their budgets." Then she got some people around her who could look for grants from foundations and she began to get some grants.

So the Smiths went to work in Brackettville bringing the program here. Their main focus was on tutoring and parenting. They solicited volunteers from the churches, mostly the Catholic church as other pastors were often skeptical of what they were trying to accomplish. The schools here were very supportive; sending information home with the children and providing the names of the teachers who had children in their classes who needed help.

So, following the same pattern that was developed in Uvalde, they began to get referrals from the school. "Getting volunteers was always a struggle, yet somehow every year they always had the exact number of volunteers for the exact number of students who were referred. Only God can do that!" said Dr. Smith. The teachers were good about working with the tutors that were provided. Maxine Bonner, who was a second grade teacher at BISD at that time said that "the program greatly relieved the stress on the teachers to work with these needful children and it received a lot of sup-

The tutors would work with the same child from kindergarten through second grade, developing good personal relationships with the children. There were adult classes in the evenings to help families develop parenting skills. Everything went really well. They trained the tutors who then went out into the homes and worked with the children twice a week through the Fall. Testing was in the

In January of 2002, under the George W. Bush Administration, the No Child Left Behind law went into effect. This law is based on four "commonsense" pillars; accountability for results; an emphasis on doing what works based on scientific research; expanded parental options; and expanded local control and flexibility. The children are administered benchmark tests that help to determine which children are performing well and those who are not, regardless of background. These annual tests to measure children's progress provide teachers with independent information about each child's strengths and weaknesses. Those who need additional help receive supplemental educational services such as tutoring, after-school programs or remedial classes.

With the introduction of this law, the St. Henry de Osso Literacy Program fell by the wayside in Parents of the children who were referred to St. Henry de Osso felt that with mandatory tutoring being provided in school they didn't need the in-home help anymore. The program is still going strong in Uvalde however. Even though some of the children are not required to receive supplemental educational services, many parents are taking advantage of the additional help to build good language skills in the early grades for a betchance to excel in the upper grades.

There wasn't anything more the Smith's could do here and so the program in Brackett died. The system here relied solely on volunteers while the program in Uvalde has a paid staff as well as volunteers. The tutoring in the schools now focuses strictly on the child, leaving the parents out of the loop. Again, the parents were the key; helping them to assist with their children's academic needs.

The objective of the St. Henry de Osso Family Project is a faith based non profit organization dedicated to helping families in the community to reach their potential. Their focus is on literacy with tutoring in the home for students in kindergarten through second grade. The project services low to moderate income families with children who are experiencing problems with their schoolwork and who have been referred by the schools. In times of diminishing family values, as evidenced by the growing drug related activities, domestic violence, higher rates of pregnancy in our schools and vionce attributed to gangs, perhaps reinforcing family values and literacy at a young age would greatly enefit our communities. Last year, former Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe

Jr. donated, to the St. Henry De Osso Project, a building that was built by his father in 1939 located at 114 E. Nopal St. in Uvalde. He strongly believes in Sister Hortensia Coloma and the project she started in 1993. "I think that you are the closest person I have ever known who has a direct line up to where we'd all like a line," he was quoted saying. Gov. Briscoe also donated \$100,000 to the capital campaign for the project. The community has also been very supportive as all the labor and furniture has been donated. AT&T set up high-speed Internet service for the center and in addition, donated \$40,000 in the form of a check. What started out in the laundry room of the convent with a family literacy program has now grown to meet a much broader range of needs. Their services cover the southern part of Texas, the border areas of Eagle Pass, Del Rio, Brackettville, Batesville, Camp Wood and Uvalde. Today, Drs. Don and Anita Smith are retired.

They remain great supporters of the project, sponsoring such events as the St. Henry de Osso Family Literacy Gala that, even in these tough times of a weakening economy, raised \$26,000. Don still does some counseling on the side, but mostly they are just enjoying their retirement at Fort Clark with summer vacations in Colorado. Their dedication to working with and strengthening the family unit has been a blessing that will be linked to them for many years to come.

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Juan E. Résendez August 22, 1970 - April 24, 2009



Juan E. "Johnny" Resendez, age 38, joined the Lord April 24, 2009, in Spofford, Texas. He was born August 22, 1970, in Del Rio, Texas. He was preceded in death by his father, Silverio

Left to cherish his memory are his loving wife Marisela, daughters Ashley, Megan and Amber, grandson Nikolaus, mother Lydia Resendez, sisters Rebecca Resendez, Barbara Pineda, Chris Holmes and Yvonne Loden, brothers Silverio Resendez and Paul Resendez. He is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews and an extended family who were blessed with shar-

ing in his life. He was a graduate of the Class of 1989 from Bracketville High

Gentlemen with the honor of serving as pallbearers are Eric Castillo, Cody Mitchell, Gilbert Rodarte III, Christopher Palomo, Steven Cahero and Adam Resendez. Honorary pallbearers are Paul Resendez Jr., Adrian Resendez Visitation was held Tuesday, April 28, at Brackettville Sunset Funeral Home in Bracketville

Funeral services were scheduled for Wednesday, April 29, at 9am at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, 301 S. Ann St., Brackettville, TX. Services were presided over by Father Clay

Interment followed at Spofford Cemetery. Please visit our website at www.sunsetfuneralhomes.com and sign our online guest book.

Local funeral arrangements are entrusted to Sunset Memorial Oaks Funeral Home, Del Rio, Texas.

Kinney County Sheriff's Report



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Saturday, April 18

9:26 pm A woman called to re- intoxication. quest a deputy to go check on mother's husband threatened her. A deputy was dispatched. report a reckless driver near the next day on a \$7,500 bond.

Sunday, April 19

12:05 am A man called to re- assault/family violence. FCS-Brackenville was arrested for port loud music coming from Clementz was released the next East Spring Street & Sweeney. day on a \$7,500 bond. A deputy was advised.

cause her air conditioner was set dispatched to the location. too high. She requested a deputy 9:50am A woman reported a to come over and lower it so she white 2006 dully truck pulling could get some cool air. A a gooseneck trailer filled with deputy was advised.

1:20 am A man called to report was going to illegally dump its a reckless driver on Ann Street. A deputy was informed. 2:08 am Brandon Gillenland,

25, of Uvalde was arrested for advised. driving while intoxicated, 2nd offense, reckless driving. a least 100 head of cattle and

needed the cattle ranger's number. A deputy was notified.

Monday, April 20 her mother, because her Jessie Santos Garcia, 27, of Del the subject. 9:36 pm FCS security called to fense. Garcia was released the

pool. A deputy was informed. Steven Isaac Clementz, 36, of Brackettville was arrested for Leigh Brockwell Degan, 44, of

8:12 am A caller reported a one 12:17 am A woman reported she car accident on Hwy 90 at the roofing materials that she state

> contents west on Hwy 90. 9:05pm A woman reported a domestic situation. A deputy was was trying to break-in. A deputy

Tuesday, April 21

11:10 am A man reported he lost Rio was arrested for credit card at the Cline Checkpoint reabuse. Lomas was released the next day on a \$3,000 bond. 6:23pm A man called to report 6:33 pm David L. Vietti, 47, of a girl walking on the side of Del Rio was arrested for public Hwy 90, west. A DPS trooper responded to the call, but re-

> parking lot of PICO Convenience Store.

DWI-driving while innoxicated. Leonard Shuler, 52, of Hinton , West Virginia was arrested on a fugitive warrant. Shuler was

felt like she was chocking be- Pinto Creek Park. A deputy was released the same day on a \$5,000 bond. Saturday, April 25 John Christopher Elizondo, 25, of San Antonio was arrested for POM-possession of marijuana. 9:53pm A woman called to request a deputy at her residence because she thought someone

> was dispatched to the location. Sunday, April 26 Isaac Andrew Lomas, 18, of Del 2:30pm A Border Patrol agent ported a possible drunk driver. The agent stated the driver in question hit all the cones ap-

> proaching the stop area. 9:44pm A deputy reported the alarm at Dollar General was ported he was unable to locate sounding off. A manager was contacted.

Rio was arrested for DWI-driv- 9:40pm A woman reported a 10:10pm A caller reported teenaging while intoxicated, 2nd of- minor vehicle accident in the ers doing donuts in the parking lot of the Burger N Shake. A deputy was advised of the situation.

OBITUARY

Mary Bonneau Edgar

May 2, 1924 - April 10, 2009

Mary Bonneau Edgar, age 84, of Bandera, TX died Friday April 10, 2009 in Marble Falls Texas.

Mary was born May 2, 1924 in Wichita Falls, TX the daughter of Pete and Sally Mae Bonneau, Brother Sam Bonneau, and sister Katherine Bonneau Bersett. Mary was married to Carlos Leroy Edgar and had two living children Neville Leroy Edgar and Howard Matthew "Matt" Edgar and a daughter Mary Sue Edgar who died at birth. Mary lived in Beeville, TX most of her adult life.

She worked as a Civil Servant for the Dept of the Navy for many years at Chase Field until her retirement. After her retirement she volunteered at the Beeville Memorial Hospital as a Pink Lady. She also loved to travel frequently; one of her favorite destinations was Las Vegas. In 1994 Mary moved to Fort Clark Springs in Brackettville, TX to be closer to her sister Katherine and brother-in-law Roger Bersett. She was a member of several Bridge Clubs and loved attending the ladies' luncheons. In 2005 Mary moved to The Homewood Residence at Shavano Park, TX and eventually to Bandera where she was living with her Granddaughter Amber and her family at the time of her death.

She was preceded in death by her husband Carlos Leroy Edgar, her son Matt Edgar, her daughter Mary Sue Edgar, her parents Pete and Sally Bonneau, Brother Sam, Sister Katherine Bonneau-Bersett, and brother-in-law Roger Bersett. Mary is survived by her son Neville Edgar and his wife Wanda of Griffin, Ga. 5 Grandchildren William Edgar and wife Joy of San Antonio, Patrick Edgar and wife Amanda of Eagan, MN. Amber Edgar-Liscum and husband Jeremy of Bandera. Lee Edgar of Atlanta, Ga, and Scott Edgar and wife Toni of Griffin, Ga. and 10 Great Grandchildren Lindy, Shelby, Andi, Molly Cody, Kyle, Raygen, and Hayden. She is also survived by numerous beloved nieces and nephews and cherished friends that made her life com-

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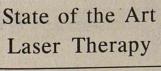
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