

# The Winters Enterprise

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## NEWS at a glance

**Pearls of Wisdom—**  
The man who wins may have been counted out several times.

**GO.....**  
**Blizzards Pounce on the Panthers!**

**Local girl to compete in PPK at Dallas Cowboys game Sunday**

Winters own Juana Harrison will represent WISD at the Team Championships of the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick competition at the Dallas Cowboys' game at Texas Stadium in Irving on Sunday. **page 4**

**Elementary coloring contest winners**

Winners of the Winters VFW and Winters Elementary School coloring contests are recognized. **page 6**

**CIA now accepting applications**

North Runnels Christmas In April, Inc. is now accepting applications for free home repair in April 2003. **page 7**

**Winters 4-H Club meets Monday**

The Winters 4-H Club will hold their monthly meeting on Monday, November 25 at the Catholic Church Fellowship Hall. Russell Pelzel of Rowena will give a presentation on the Buckskin Brigade. **page 6**

**Next week...**

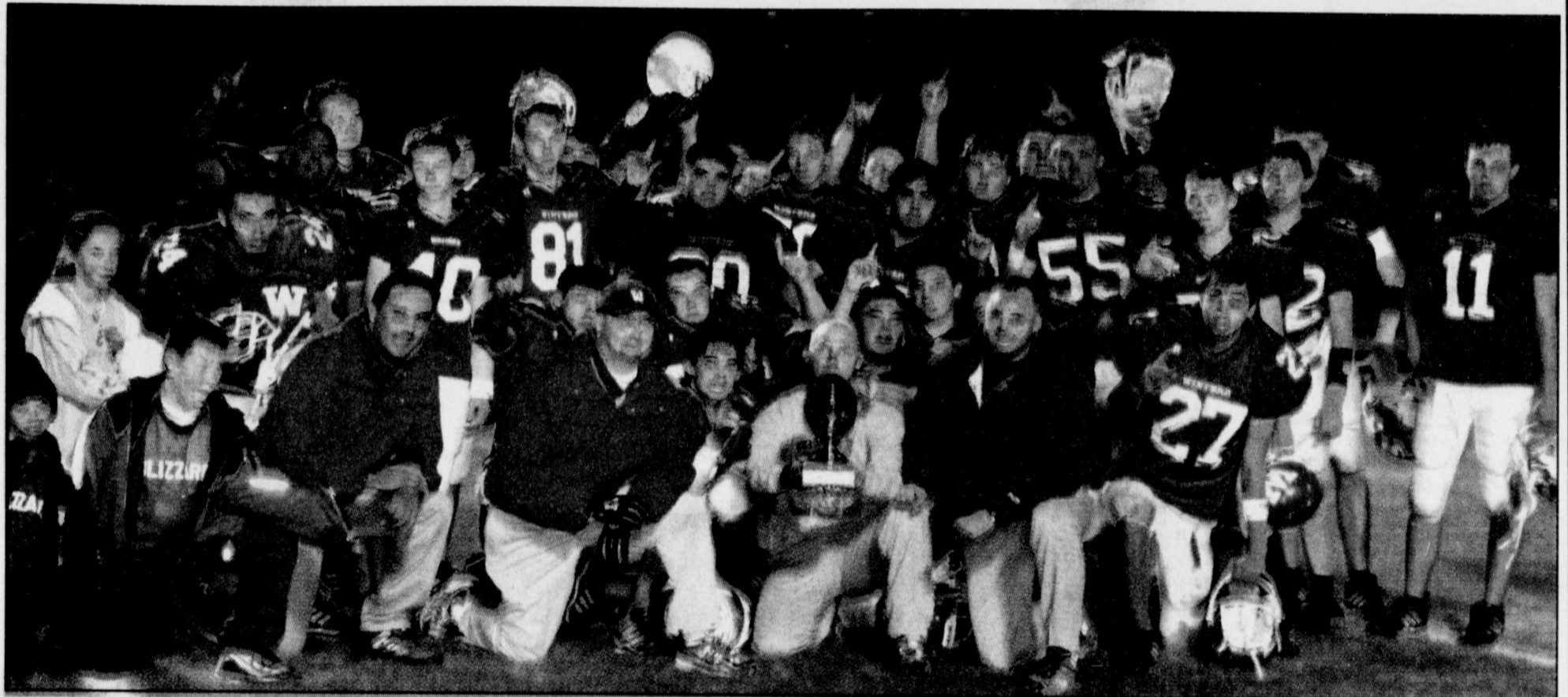


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## 2002 BI-DISTRICT CHAMPIONS!



CELEBRATION TIME was in order for the 2002 Winters Blizzards as they captured the 2-A Bi-District Championship last Friday night. The Blizzards beat the Crawford Pirates 26-20 in an exciting come-from-behind victory at Granbury. Winters will play Paradise at Burleson this Friday for the Area title.

## Blizzards beat Crawford for bi-district title

### Come-from-behind victory mighty sweet

by Charles Murphy, sports writer  
Special to *The Winters Enterprise*

The Winters offensive line of Jerry Hord, Steven Cuevas, Jared Airhart, Jacob Bridgeman and Guy Slimp paved the way as the Blizzards posted a come-from-behind bi-district 26-20 victory over the Crawford Pirates Friday night in Granbury.

The Blizzards posted nineteen first downs with almost 400 yards of offense while the

Wrecking Crew shut down a potent Pirate offense in the second half.

"The kids played great and never gave up," said a beaming Coach Chuck Lipsey. "This is one of the most exciting wins Winters has had in quite a while, and I want everybody to understand that it's (due to) the kids and all their hard work."

The Blizzards kicked off to get things underway. Crawford set up at their own 20 yard line

after the kickoff. It would take only three plays for the Pirates to cover the 80 yards to pay dirt. Facing third and one, the Pirates' Carlos Cervantes scampered 71 yards for the touchdown. The extra point was good and with only 1:15 off the clock, the Pirates led 7-0.

The Blizzard offense answered on their first possession by putting together a 17-play, 70-yard drive. The first set of

downs saw the Blizzards face a fourth and one at the 39, and the first big decision of the playoff contest.

Confidence prevailed as the Blizzards would "go for it" and Shane Colburn picked up two on the quarterback sneak. The drive continued as Colburn hit Eric Lopez for 10 and Brian Pritchard for 12 and 21, setting up the Blizzards with a first and goal at the Pirate 7.

The drive appeared to stall

as the Blizzards faced 4th and 6 from the 9. A 27-yard field goal attempt by Mark Moreno fell short but the Pirates were flagged for roughing the kicker, giving Winters a first and goal at the five. Erie Lopez covered the distance on first down for the Blizzard score. The extra point was blocked and with 4:18 left in the first quarter, Crawford's lead was

See **BLIZZARDS**, page 5



RANDY JACKSON, WHS 4th grader, stands beside his special artwork which was presented at the Veterans Day school program on Nov. 11. Jackson spent two weeks on the project requested by WISD Music Teacher Fran Kidwell. Christy Lindley helped Jackson paint the 6' x 8' eagle which will be on display in the Rock Hotel Veterans' Room.

## Count changes but results the same in recount

Recounting of the votes in the Commissioner Precinct 2 of Runnels County race was accomplished Friday afternoon at the courthouse.

The recount did not change the outcome of the election; however, the vote count did change. The recount determined incumbent Keith Collom received 341 votes to challenger

Freddie Grohman's 337 votes.

Each candidate and two representatives were present to observe the recount.

Grohman will have 30 days from the canvass of the votes by Commissioners Court to file a contest suit in District Court.

## Commissioners canvass Commissioner vote recount; discuss bridge replacement

In a 35-minute special meeting on Tuesday, Runnels County Commissioners canvassed the recount of votes in the November 5 General Election for the Commissioner, Precinct 2 race. Commissioners approved the reconciliation of the tally sheets with the vote totals of 341 for Keith Collom and 337 for Freddie Grohman. Commissioner Keith Collom abstained from the canvass and the vote on the approval.

Commissioners also adopted a resolution relating to

the replacement of the bridge over Elm Creek on County Road 156. Commissioner Collom told the Court the one-lane bridge was given a rating of 29.4 by TxDOT at their last inspection. Any bridge rated below 50 is unsatisfactory, he said. The resolution will allow the County to apply to the TxDOT Bridge Replacement Program. Collom said the program would allow the federal government to fund 80% of the cost, TxDOT to fund 10% of the cost and the County to fund

the other 10% of the cost. Collom said he had been told it would be at least three years before the state program would possibly begin work on the bridge. Also, he said, the state allows the County's 10% to be spent on other bridges in the County and be applied to the 10% funding of the cost of that bridge.

Other business on the agenda and action taken included:

- Approval of the tax roll for 2002.

See **COMMISSIONERS**, pg. 7

**Area 2A Playoffs**  
**Winters Blizzards vs. Paradise Panthers**  
Friday, November 22 at 7:30 PM  
in Elk Stadium at Burleson High School

## Teamwork + noise = victory

by Jean Boles, editor

Wow! What a game! What teamwork! What fun! These were some of the expressions I heard following the Blizzards' exciting come-from-behind 26-20 bi-district win over the Pirates of Crawford last Friday night in Granbury.

Although the Blizzards started out a little shaky, especially after the Pirates scored within the first couple of minutes, we never quit (I get to say "we" because I'm on the field and consider myself sorta part of the team).

Even after we trailed 20-6, we didn't fall apart. Our guys knew they had a job to do, so they simply went to work and took care of business. They really work together as a team, and that's such a great thing to see and hear.

Now I'd also like to let you readers in on something — noise. Lots of noise! All that stompin' on the metal bleachers and the whoopin' and hollerin' really mattered to our players and coaches Friday night. As I've said before, they can hear what you say — or don't say. So they certainly appreciated all the inspiring racket you made Friday night. Good job, fans; keep it up!

Let's make some really **BIG NOISE** Friday night as we cheer on the Blizzards for a victory over the Panthers of Paradise.

The pep rally will be at 11:45 at school with the send-off immediately following. School dismisses at 1:30.

All tickets to the game are \$6.00 at the gate with no pre-sale or student tickets. Parking is \$2 per vehicle and there will be NO handicapped parking inside. See page 4 for directions to Elk Stadium and other information.

## Monday evening in WHS Auditorium— Fourth grade to present Rudyard Kipling's "The Elephant's Child"

Winters Elementary fourth grade students will present their annual musical for the community on Monday, November 25, at 6:30 p.m. in the WHS Auditorium. From Rudyard Kipling's *Just So Stories* collection, the youngsters will present "The Elephant's Child."

Written in folk tale style about how the elephant got his trunk, the story is one children want to hear again and again, as they become fascinated with the word rhythms and oral imagery.

The musical adaptation preserves much of Kipling's text along with five delightful songs that are both fun to sing and fun to listen to!

The program is under the direction of Fran Kidwell and the fourth grade teachers. The fourth graders will perform the program for the elementary school on Tuesday morning, November 26 at 9 a.m.

As always, everyone is invited to attend and admission is free.

# Opinion

## Oil Bidness

by Reg Boles ©2002



Is there any truth to the assertions that a war with Iraq is "trading blood for oil"?

You have seen the peace rally signs on the news, haven't you? "Down with War: Oil Isn't Worth It!" and the ever-popular "Don't Trade Blood for Oil!" The implication is that the U.S. is motivated to war by virtue of a desire to secure more oil for ourselves.

Could this be true? One has to admit that there is room for suspicion. After all, Iraq is right in the middle of the richest oil province in the world. It is conceivable that the U.S. would not be concerned with Iraq if it were just another arid, barren country with no valuable resources.

But, if one examines the facts, the answer is not so simple.

First, if Iraq were not in possession of such a valuable resource (oil), it would likely not have the wherewithal to build weapons that could threaten a large portion of the planet. So, that fact cuts both ways.

In, and of, itself, oil cannot be singled out as the reason that Iraq draws such interest from the U.S. Not to mention that it is a few hundred miles away from Israel, of which the U.S. has been the historical protectorate.

Second, would the U.S. energy supply situation improve with a war with Iraq?

Certainly not during a war. U.S. refiners are already buying oil from Iraq through the "humanitarian oil-for-food program". A conflict will cutoff that supply until the end of hostilities.

And, after a war, would the U.S. be any better off in terms of supply from Iraq? Probably not—we already have the ability to buy much more from Saudi Arabia than we are currently buying, so why would Iraq's additional supply improve things? Plus, there is a long line of countries standing in line to sell us more oil (Russia, Norway, Algeria, Venezuela, Canada, to name a few).

Further, reducing the instability of supply in the Middle East (the outcome to a decisive defeat of Iraq) would likely drop oil prices. Since most big oil companies are U.S.-connected, that would have a negative impact on their income and employment. That doesn't seem to jibe with the idea that oil company cohorts are pushing for an invasion.

While I am not here to make a judgement about the political im-

plications of a war with Iraq, I don't see the evidence that points to such a conflict being waged for more oil.

It seems to me that such accusations are more aimed at reviving old suspicions of conspiracy and mistrust toward the oil and gas business and anybody that appears to side with them.

Perhaps examining who might benefit from such fear-mongering deserves some scrutiny instead.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF AREA DRILLING ACTIVITY COMPLETIONS

#### Concho County

B-J Oil Co. has completed the S&H Livestock #2 in the West Paint Rock Field (4 miles SE of Paint Rock) at an initial rate of 15 BOPD & 30 BWPD in the Goen (perfs 3174-78). Loc. is Sec. 136, Blk. 72, J.M. Edwards Sur.

#### Runnels County

Imperial Gas Resources has completed two wells in the Goldsboro Field (4 miles W of Goldsboro). The Aldridge Brothers #3 potentiated at 56 BOPD & 256 BWPD in the Gray (perfs 4121-41) and is loc. in the D. Moses Sur. No. 521, A-386. The Decker #3 potentiated at 31 BOPD & 154 BWPD in the Gardner (perfs 3974-4020) and is loc. in the W. McGrew Sur. No. 370.

#### STAKINGS

#### Runnels County

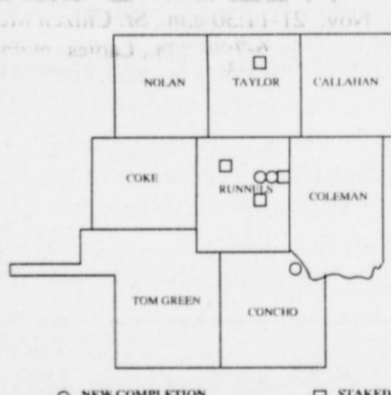
DBO Oil, Inc. has staked the T.C. Hall #2152 in the Beddo Field, 5 miles NE of Ballinger (Depth 3995). Loc. is 3278 FWL & 467 FNL of Sec. 152, Blk. 64, ETRR Sur. A-788.

Imperial Gas Resources has staked the Aldridge Brothers #5 in the Goldsboro Field, 8 miles NE of Crews (Depth 4750). Loc. is 500 FNL & 3036 FWL of D. Moses Sur. No. 521, A-386.

Novo Exploration Corp. has staked the Jacob #1 as a Wildcat, 5 miles W of Winters (Depth 3000). Loc. is 467 FSL & 2365 FWL of Sec. 73, Blk. 63, CTRR Sur. A-108.

#### Taylor County

Rayco Operating, Inc. has staked the Knaus Ranch #1 in the Taylor County Regular Field, 3 miles SW of View (Depth 3000). Loc. is 944 FWL & 2216 FSL of Sec. 2, Blk. 2, SPRR Sur. A-1737.



## In Appreciation

### Card of Thanks

I want to thank my family, friends, and all at Our House Retirement Home for the October 26th birthday party. I was 91 years old. Thank you for the cards, gifts, and money and thanks to Clara Bryan Brooks for the beautiful birthday cake.

Rosalee Broadstreet

### Card of Thanks

We are so grateful for all the food, flowers, cards, and prayers during the illness and death of my mother.

Your expressions of love and sympathy have eased the pain for our loss.

The family of Margaret Bloomer Gary & Cheryl Bryan & Family

### Card of Thanks

The Family of Glen Bryan thanks everyone for your prayers, visits, and phone calls during this time of loss.

We thank Linda Dry and Mike Meyer for their care and help at this time.

We thank the North Main St. Church of Christ for the use of their building for the service and noon meal. Thank you ladies for the service of the food and meal. We thank everyone for the food, flowers and your presence and words of comfort during the time.

The Family of Glen Bryan

### Card of Thanks

The wife and family of Jake Cortez wish to express our thanks and gratitude for the support, companionship, love and prayers you provided us during the loss of our loved one. Thank you for being our friends. Words cannot express enough what feeling you overwhelmed us with your caring. God Bless each and every one of you.

Rosa Cortez & Family

### Card of Thanks

To those who considered me in the election for Runnels County Commissioner, I would like to express my appreciation. It was a campaign I had to approach using my vacation time, days off, or during off duties hours from my job.

I worked hard and I enjoyed visiting with each of you even if you did not vote for me. People in Runnels County are very special. That little special thing really becomes apparent when you work to be elected to an office of trust.

It is unfortunate that not all the eligible voters in Precinct 2 were able to vote in the Precinct 2 election. There were approximately 17 residences (within Precinct 2) located along Frisco Street that were not allowed to vote for a part of the day.

I owe it to the folks who supported me and to myself to attempt to make it right. Presently there is only a four vote difference between the incumbent commissioner and myself. The folks on Frisco Street could have made all the difference in the outcome of the election.

Somehow there must be a way to allow all eligible voters to vote in their correct precinct. We, as individual voters, have the basic right to expect this.

Again, I wish to express my appreciation to each of you.

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—Texas Bix Bender

## Obituaries

### Alma Joyce Cox

WINTERS—Alma Joyce Cox, 67, died Thursday, November 14, 2002, at her residence.

She was born February 4, 1935, in Peacock, Texas, and was raised in Aspermont. She attended school at Peacock and came to Winters in 1982 from Hamlin.

Ms. Cox was a waitress and worked at the cotton compresses in Hamlin and Ballinger.

She was preceded in death by one great-grandson.

Survivors include her special friend and companion, Harlan W. Johnson of Winters; one son, Danny Lynn Golson of Aspermont; five daughters, Dian Ballard of Winters, Quannah Faye Johnson of Winters, Donna Gail Butler of Sweetwater, Tammy Cox of Houston, and Trina Ballard of Sweetwater; one brother, Earl Ray Copen of Abilene; twelve grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, November 17, in the Lakeview Cemetery in Winters with Reverend Barry Taylor officiating. Arrangements were directed by Winters Funeral Home.

### Earldean Payne Damron

BALLINGER—Earldean Damron, 82, died Wednesday, November 6, 2002, at a local care center.

She was born March 30, 1920 at Crews to Thomas Copeland Payne and Vera Hale Payne. She married Charles Fred Damron on February 24, 1935 in Ballinger.

She was preceded in death by her husband on April 22, 1989; a son, Wayland Darrell Damron; parents; sisters Eron Hudgens, Ella Mae Singleton, and Ethelene Craddock.

Survivors include her daughters, Barbara Knight and husband, Ray of Ballinger, Celesta Bahlman and husband, Nelan of Winters; and Peggy Pate and husband, Larry of Austin; sisters, Evelyn Klutts and Evahjo Bozeman, both of San Angelo; brothers, Eugene Payne of Vernon, Edgar Payne of Lubbock, and Elroy Payne of Gunbarrel City; grandchildren, Malisia Goets and husband, Mike of Ballinger, Jana Smith of Ballinger, Tonya Benfer, and husband, Keith of Abilene, Cheryl Kimble and husband, Allen of Graham, Larry Pate of Ft. Worth, Chris Pate and wife, Lori of Austin; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 10 a.m. on Friday, November 8, 2002 at Ninth Street Church of Christ in Ballinger under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Crews Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Ninth Street Church of Christ Library Fund.



### Margaret Nona (Joiner) Bloomer

LOHN—Margaret Nona (Joiner) Bloomer, 85, died Sunday, November 3, 2002, at her residence in Lohn.

She was born April 4, 1917 in Wallace Creek to Harmon Joiner and Dollie (Cunningham) Joiner. She married Wallace Howard Bloomer on July 7, 1937 in Fredonia.

She was a homemaker and was baptized into the Church of Christ on August 31, 1941 where she had been a faithful member for 61 years. A devoted mother and grandmother, she loved quilting, sewing, gardening, blue bonnets, and playing Skipbo.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Wallace Howard Bloomer; a brother, Neal Joiner; and three sisters, Velma Joiner, Marie Taggart, and an infant sister, Leona Joiner.

She is survived by four sons, Buddy Bloomer and wife Billie of Highland Village, Jack Bloomer and wife Linda of San Antonio, Wilson Bloomer and wife Diana of Cookeville, Tennessee, and Lowell Bloomer of Lohn; two daughters, Imogene Hutton and husband Lavon of Norton, and Cheryl Bryan and husband Gary of Winters; two sisters, Vivian Pullen of Morgan, and Linnie Natho of Austin; grandchildren, Ronda Finch and husband Roland, Ronald Hutton and wife Cheryl, Dianne Putman and husband Wayne, Steve Bloomer, Scott Bloomer and wife Kristi, Sid Bloomer and wife Jennifer, Ginger Bloomer and husband Gary Poole, Kerry Bloomer, Melissa Williams and husband Tom, Nona Cole and husband Kevin, Susan Hamilton and husband Tony, Angela Perkins and husband Brooke, Garrett Bloomer, Jason Bloomer, and Jeremy Bloomer.

Other survivors include great-grandchildren, Stephen Finch and wife Amy, Stephanie Kirbo and husband Derek, Brian Hutton and wife Charity, Carrie Jenkins and husband Duane, Aaron Putman and wife Emily, Renee Pettit and husband James, Kyle Hutton, Macy Bloomer, Jackson Bloomer, Amanda Bloomer, Ashley Bloomer, Halle Bloomer, Max Bloomer, Lane Bloomer, Gabriella Poole, Ariana Poole, Cortney Williams, Jonathon Williams, Brittany Cole and Meghan Cole; great-great-grandchildren, Kindrey Kirbo, Weston Kirbo, and Sabrina Hutton.

Services were held on Wednesday, November 6 at 10 a.m. at Leatherwood Memorial Chapels with Paul Bates, Kenneth Avaritt, and Keith Avaritt officiating. Burial followed in Rest Haven Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were: Ronald Hutton, Kerry Bloomer, Sid Bloomer, Steve Bloomer, Jason Bloomer, Garrett Bloomer, Scott Bloomer, and Jeremy Bloomer.

Honorary pallbearers were Dickye Moore, Jerrell Hemphill, Chocky Moore, Gayle Doyal, Rob Moore, and Michael Short.

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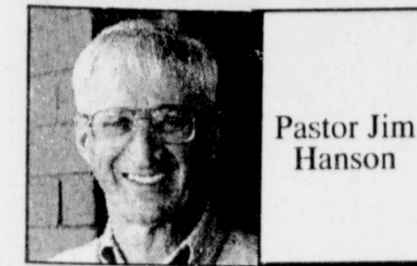
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# Community



**From  
The  
Well**

by  
Pastor Jim Hanson



Pastor Jim Hanson

I'm quite certain that the first hymn I ever learned was this one. "Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong; they are weak but he is strong. "Jesus loves me! Loves me still, 'tho I'm very weak and ill, that I might from sin be free, bled

and died upon the tree."  
"Jesus loves me! He who died, heaven's gate to open wide; He will wash away my sin, let His little child come in."

"Jesus loves me! He will stay, close beside me all the way. Thou hast bled and died for me; I will henceforth live for Thee."  
Chorus: "Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so."

I have no doubt but what you probably learned it as a child. It has been sung by more children than any other hymn. Anna Warner wrote it in 1860. She and her sister wrote a book, a novel, entitled Say and Seal. In it is a scene where one of the characters, Mr. Linden, comforts Johnny Fax, a dying child with this simple poem. It is still the favorite hymn of countless children all over the world. In 1861 William Bradbury, one of the leaders in developing gospel music in America composed the music and added the chorus. (The second stanza is the original, even if you and I might have learned another version.)

This simple song sits on top of my soul. Like the 23rd Psalm, and John 3:16, and The Lord's Prayer...it is a ready reference, a very present help in time of trouble. I remember all too well the time when two high school boys, members of the church I was serving in Northern Minnesota, were both killed in a fire at the shop at school, where they were learning how to fix cars. One lived at one end of town, and the other at the opposite. As I went driving from one home to the other, to bring what hope and consolation that I could, I sang, in the car, at the top of my voice "Jesus loves me!", and of course it worked. Because He does...love me...and you.

We sang it with our kids when they were growing up. I sang it with my family when my dad and my mother died. I sing it with our grandkids. It is our song of songs. And, it will be sung at my funeral.

So simple, and yet so profound. Karl Barth, a great theologian who rallied the remnant of the church in Europe during the time of Hitler's rise to power and during WWII, was once asked by a group of students while teaching a class at Princeton after the war, "What is the very heart of the message of the Bible?" And this great man, learned, precise in his theology, rooted in Scripture, replied, with a smile on his face, "Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so."

Last Monday, after Ramona and I had spent 3 hours with a close friend who now is back at M.B. Anderson hospital in Houston, for a procedure that might give him some more time on earth, made sure that I received this version of THE SONG. It's for our older children.

"Jesus loves me, this I know, 'tho my hair is white as snow, though my sight is growing dim, still he bids me trust in Him."

"Though my steps are oh, so slow, with my hand in His I'll go. On through life, let come my way, He'll be there to lead the way."

"Though I am no longer young, I have much what He's begun. Let me serve with Christ a smile, go with others the extra mile."

"When the nights are dark and long, and life's victories' been won, He will take me home above, then I'll understand his love."

Chorus: "I love Jesus, does He know? Have I ever told Him so? Jesus loves to hear me say, that I love Him everyday. Yes, I love Jesus. Yes, I love Jesus. Yes, I love Jesus. I tell Him when I pray."

It's a great song. I'm learning it. For everyday, it's my "yes" to Him in response to His "yes" to me...and you. "YES!"



IT'S ALL SMILES AND WAVES from atop a Winters Fire Truck a couple of weeks ago. Children from the First United Methodist Church WeeCare Preschool got to take a ride through downtown Winters on the firetruck following a fire safety presentation by members of the Winters Fire Department.



WINTERS VOLUNTEER FIREMEN responded to a 911 call at the Winters Laundromat in the 100 block of South Murray on Nov. 13. Greasy towels caught fire in one of the commercial dryers causing extensive smoke to billow from the building.

## Entries sought for Christmas Parade 2002

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce is moving full speed ahead with plans for the 2002 Annual Christmas Parade. The parade is scheduled for Saturday, December 7, beginning at 2 p.m.

Parade entry forms may be picked up at the Chamber office, 118 West Dale, from 9 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday.

Miss Sno-Queen and Little Miss Sno-Flake entries are also being accepted. Applications are available in the school offices and at the Chamber office as well.

## Woman's Club learns of early Winters history

The Winters Woman's Club met Tuesday, November 12, in the home of Ouida Nichols. Assisting as hostess was Sylvia Wilson.

Guest speaker was Frances Bredemeyer who shared some entertaining history about a resident of Winters in the early 1900s.

Those present at the meeting were: Dolly Airhart, Jane Allcorn, Pat Ambrose, Phyllis Boles, Jane Bourdo, Theresa Briley, Joyce Broadstreet, Virginia Brown, Cheryl Bryan, Brenda Burton, Sandy Griffin, Nina Hale, Becky Hays, Horte Joyce, Bonnie Lee, Dorothea Laughon, Ouida Nichols, Rhea Parramore, Marthiel Russell, Donna Smith, Marlene Smith, and Sylvia Wilson.

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Nov. 25 thru Nov. 29  
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**Monday, Nov. 25:** Goulash, beets, fruit salad, cornbread, blonde brownies.

**Tuesday, Nov. 26:** Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, tossed salad, garlic bread, cake.

**Wednesday, Nov. 27:** Chicken salad, tuna salad, 7-layer pea salad, Jell-O salad, Chocolate Delight.

**Thursday, Nov. 28:** Happy Thanksgiving!

**Friday, Nov. 29:** Holiday.

Meals are served at 11:30 a.m. daily. Anyone who does not take the meals regularly are asked to reserve a lunch by contacting the Activity Center at 754-4205 by 10 a.m.

When in doubt, don't.  
—Saul W. Gellerman

## WHAT'S HAPPENING ?

- Nov. 21-11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizen Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 6-7:30 p.m., Ladies' Night Out, Higginbotham's
- Nov. 22-11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 7:30 p.m., Cowboys for Christ, Drasco
- Nov. 23-7-8:30 p.m., Elmer Kelton Evening, Ballinger Carnegie Library
- 8 p.m., Winters Squares, CC
- Nov. 24-Attend the church of your choice
- Nov. 25-9:30-10:30 p.m., Social Security Rep, Housing Authority
- 11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 5 p.m., 7th & 8th Grade Girls & Boys Basketball, San Saba
- 5 p.m., 7th, 8th & JV2 Boys Basketball at San San Saba
- 5 p.m., JV & Varsity Girls & Boys Basketball at SA Lakeview
- 6 p.m., City Council, City Hall
- 6:30 p.m., Winters 4th Grade Musical, WHS Auditorium
- 7 p.m., InFO, San Angelo
- 7 p.m., 4-H, Catholic Hall
- 7 p.m., Wingate Masonic Lodge
- Nov. 26-11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizens Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- Noon, Lions Club, Sr. Citizens Activity Center
- 4 p.m., JV & Varsity Boys and Girls Basketball, Eula
- 7 p.m., Winters Fire Department Auxiliary, Fire Station
- 7 p.m., AA, FUMC
- 7 p.m., Athletic Boosters, Blizzard Field
- Nov. 27-7 a.m., Industrial Board, Windmill Enterprise Office
- 11:30 a.m., Sr. Citizen Meal, Sr. Citizens Activity Center

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November 25-29  
Subject to change\*

**Breakfast**  
Monday-Nov. 25  
Pigs in a Blanket  
Cereal  
Juice

Tuesday-Nov. 26  
Biscuits & Sausage  
Juice

Wednesday-Nov. 27  
School Holiday

Thursday-Nov. 28  
School Holiday

Friday-Nov. 29  
School Holiday

**Lunch**  
Monday-Nov. 25  
Sliced Ham  
Macaroni & Cheese  
Green Beans  
Cornbread  
Cookies

Tuesday-Nov. 26  
Chicken Strips & gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Corn  
Hot Rolls  
Peaches

Wednesday-Nov. 27  
School Holiday

Thursday-Nov. 28  
School Holiday

Friday-Nov. 29  
School Holiday

*Milk Served With All Meals*  
\*Due to commodities conditions served with meals.

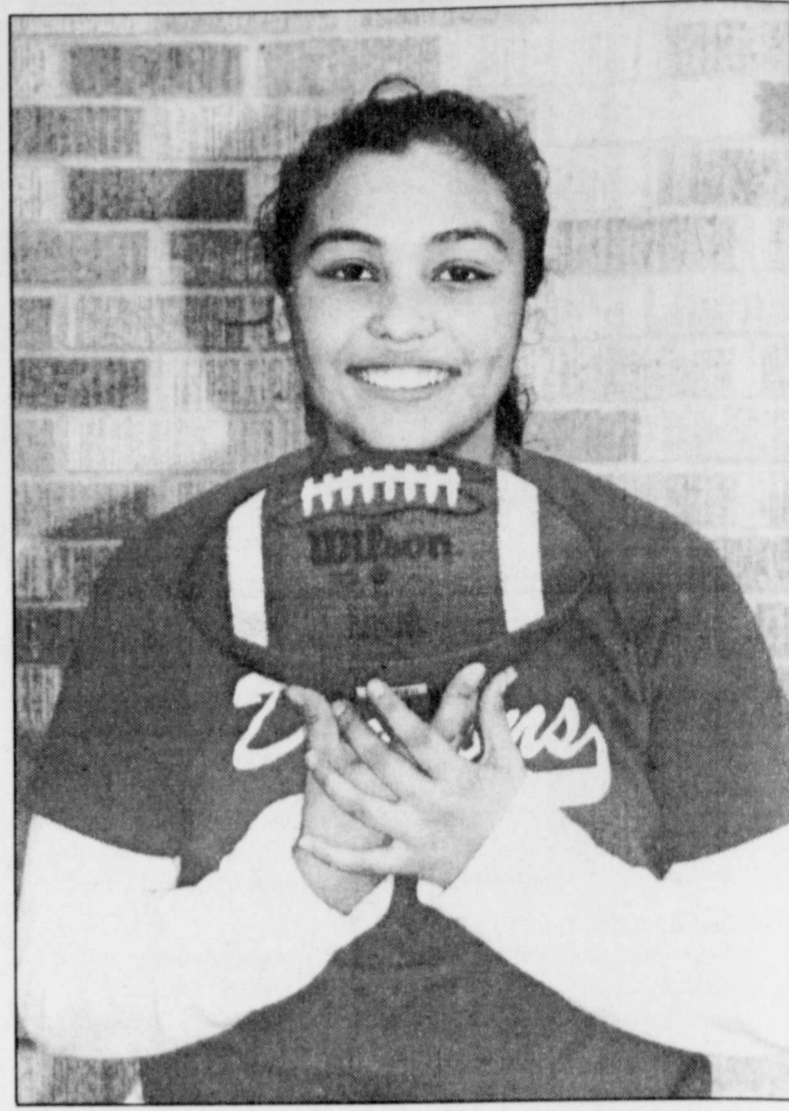
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## Juana Harrison to perform at NFL Gatorade PPK Team Competition in Dallas

One local youth will represent the Winters community at the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick Team Championship at Texas Stadium in Irving at noon on Sunday, November 24. Juana Harrison, 12, a sixth grade student at Winters Elementary, won her age division at the Sectional PPK Competition in Abilene on Saturday, November 9. She was notified by officials last week she will compete at either pre-game or halftime of the Dallas Cowboys vs. Jacksonville Jaguars ballgame. In the sectionals at Abilene, Juana amassed 221 total feet with a 51'11" kick, 99' punt, and 70'1" pass. She out-distanced her nearest competitor by nearly 20 feet. More than 200 participants took part in the Punt, Pass, and Kick Competition hosted by Winters Elementary on September 30 at the school. They represented Winters in the Sectional Competition at Abilene. Those earning first place honors in their respective age divisions (along with total distance) at Winters were:

**Girls**  
Age 8/9  
Abby Guy, 83'4"  
Age 10/11  
Ashley Delacruz, 174'11"  
Age 12/13  
Juana Harrison, 176'7"

**Boys**  
Age 8/9  
Riley Ripley, 166'5"  
Age 10/11  
Anthony Johnson, 256'9"  
Age 12/13  
Jacob Gonzales, 231'9"



JUANA HARRISON, 12, a sixth grade student at Winters Elementary will represent the community in her age division at the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick Team Championships at the Dallas Cowboys Football Game on Sunday, November 24.

**Congratulations Good Luck Juana!**  
Best of Luck at the Team Championships of the NFL/Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick Competition at Noon on Sunday, November 24, during the Dallas Cowboy vs. Jacksonville Jaguar ballgame.

**FANS:**  
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★ Show the guys your BLIZZARD SPIRIT with noise makers, shakers, bells and MORE!  
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**Area 2A Playoffs**  
**Winters Blizzards vs. Paradise Panthers**  
Friday, November 22 at 7:30 PM  
in Elk Stadium at Burleson High School

**BLIZZARD Pep Rally Friday 11:45 AM WHS Gym**

**BLIZZARD Send-Off In front of High School Immediately after the Pep Rally**

**EARLY DISMISSAL 1:30 PM**  
Go Blizzards!! Get a PANTHER!

## Basketball Hoopla

Team: Varsity Girls	Coch: Deb Whitteburg	Opponent: Baird	Date: Nov. 12, 2002		
<b>POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER</b>					
WINTERS	15	7	12	15	49
OPPONENT	12	8	9	9	41
Free throws made: 12 of 20 for 60%					
<b>PLAYERS NAME</b> Points Rebounds Steals Assists					
Jaci Walker	27	5	4	4	4
Jachi Hahlman	5	2	2	4	4
Ashly Sambova	0	2	1	0	0
Suzanne Jones	0	0	0	0	0
Stacy Need	10	7	0	0	0
Kemari Hale	7	7	3	1	1
Macy Hopson	0	1	0	0	0
*Denotes high point individual for Winters					

Team: 8th Girls	Coch: Hecky Ahrhart	Opponent: Lehighville	Date: Nov. 18, 2002		
<b>POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER</b>					
WINTERS	1	2	3	4	10
OPPONENT	2	0	6	2	10
Free throws made: 0 of 0 for 0%					
<b>PLAYERS NAME</b> Points Rebounds Steals Assists					
Kelvin Anthony	6	0	0	0	0
Ashly Gault	2	0	0	0	0
Frances Reyes	2	0	0	0	0
Ashly Land	0	0	0	0	0
Patricia Carillo	0	0	0	0	0
*Denotes high point individual for Winters Coach's Comments: "The girls played hard but were outmached by Lehighville's size."					

Team: 7th Girls "A"	Coch: Ed Pochis	Opponent: Hango	Date: Nov. 11, 2002		
<b>POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER</b>					
WINTERS	6	5	7	5	23
OPPONENT	4	4	4	4	16
Free throws made: 4 of 7 for 57%					
<b>PLAYERS NAME</b> Points Rebounds Steals Assists					
Janis Menkara	8	6	3	0	0
Kyeli Kojala	8	6	3	2	1
Susan Sneed	2	2	4	3	3
Adeline Ingram	1	1	1	0	0
Shelby Walker	0	6	5	2	2
Aranella Flores	1	2	2	1	1
Lillian Garcia	0	3	0	0	0
Laura Armendariz	0	3	0	0	0
*Denotes high point individual for Winters Nerves like to have gotten the best of them at first, but once they relaxed they played real well. We have a lot to work on but they are willing to work and they play real well together as a team. A good way to start the season.					

Team: 7th Girls "B"	Coch: Ed Pochis	Opponent: Hango	Date: Nov. 11, 2002		
<b>POINTS SCORED EACH QUARTER</b>					
WINTERS	7	4	4	6	21
OPPONENT	0	0	4	0	4
Free throws made: 0 of 0 for 0%					
<b>PLAYERS NAME</b> Points Rebounds Steals Assists					
Sarah Rodriguez	0	1	0	0	0
Janella Zamora	5	4	2	1	1
Janella Martinez	5	4	2	1	1
Catalia Robinson	0	6	1	0	0
Natalie Rangel	0	0	2	1	1
Alexis Vazquez	0	2	2	1	1
Kristine Lopez	6	7	3	3	3
Nissa Ombrosini	0	2	0	0	0
*Denotes high point individual for Winters A slow start but a good finish. We still must get a lot quicker at making decisions. This was a good win.					

## Directions to Elk Stadium in Burleson

Football fans traveling to Burleson in support of the Winters Blizzards may find the following information useful. Winters will be the Visitors and be seated on the east side (non-press box) of the stadium. Choose from one of three routes. The simplest route to Burleson is from Abilene east on I-20 to Ft. Worth. Stay on I-20 to the south (right) to I-35W (south to Waco). Take I-35 to Cleburne Exit (Hwy 174). Travel about two miles where you will see the Wal-Mart on the left (south). Get into the right lane as Burleson High School and Elk Stadium are on the right (north) side of the highway. Fans should park in the public entrance parking lot. **FANS please be aware...if you choose this route, you are likely to encounter rush hour traffic heading south out of Ft. Worth toward Burleson on I-35.** Fans may travel I-20 east to Weatherford and take the Hwy. 171 exit to Cresson. Follow Hwy. 171 to Godley and turn left (east) on Hwy. 917 to Joshua. At Joshua turn left (north) on Hwy. 174 to Burleson. Wal-Mart will be on the south side of the highway and Burleson High School and Elk Stadium are on the north side. If you choose to travel via Stephenville, stay on Hwy. 67 (to the right) to Glen Rose exit. Take Hwy. 67 to Cleburne. At the first red light in Cleburne turn left (north) and follow Hwy. 174 to Burleson and Elk Stadium (north side of road.) As a final reminder, of course, if all else fails: Look for the high stadium lights.

## Students of the Month

Each month the junior high teachers select students from the 7th and 8th grades to be Boy and Girl of the Month. These selections are made on the basis of academics, leadership, and citizenship.



**Laura Armendariz**  
November Girl of the Month

Laura Armendariz has been selected as "Girl of the Month" for November 2002. She is the daughter of Juan and Teresa Armendariz. Laura, 12, is in the seventh grade and enjoys math and keyboarding. Her honors include playing for the Lady Breezes basketball team and participating in the Accelerated Math Program. As a hobby, she enjoys playing on the computer and practicing basketball. In her spare time, she enjoys talking on the phone and chillin' with friends. Her duties include doing her homework, ironing clothes, washing dishes, and helping to clean the house. Her future plans are to attend college. She most admires her parents because "they are always there for me."

**Brrrrrrr... It's cold in here, there must be some Blizzards in the atmosphere!**

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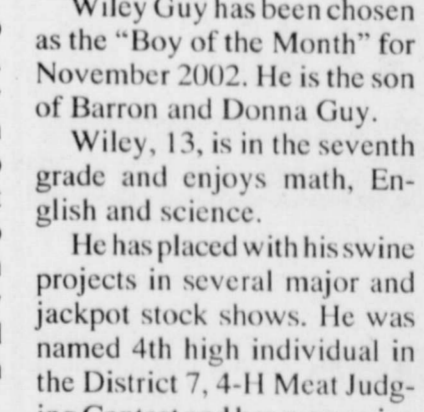
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**Wiley Guy**  
November Boy of the Month

Wiley Guy has been chosen as the "Boy of the Month" for November 2002. He is the son of Barron and Donna Guy. Wiley, 13, is in the seventh grade and enjoys math, English and science. He has placed with his swine projects in several major and jackpot stock shows. He was named 4th high individual in the District 7, 4-H Meat Judging Contest and has won swine showmanship honors at the Winters Junior Livestock Show for the past two years. Wiley placed third in Region 10 of the Texas Junior Livestock Association. He is a Winters 4-H Club officer and an active youth member of the North Main Church of Christ. His hobbies include meat judging with the Runnels County 4-H team and playing football. In his spare time, he enjoys taking care of his pig operation, watching TV, and playing on his PlayStation. His duties include "doing my best in everything I'm involved with and making good grades." Future plans are to attend Texas A&M and major in animal science and some day judge stock shows. He most admires his mom and dad.

**The thing to try when all else fails is again.**  
—Anonymous

**“What counts is not necessarily the size of the dog in the fight...It's the size of the fight in the dog!”**

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## BLIZZARDS, continued

trimmed to 7-6.

The kickoff set up the Pirates at their own 38 yard line. The Blizzard "D" forced a 3 and out as the Pirates faced fourth down and 3 to go, and punted. Big Blue set up at their own 20 after the punt. Colburn strikes to Pritchard for 15 and Rusty Jackson for 39, combined with runs by Moreno, put the Blizzards at the Crawford 20 as the quarter ended. The drive ended as Moreno's field goal attempt sailed wide right.

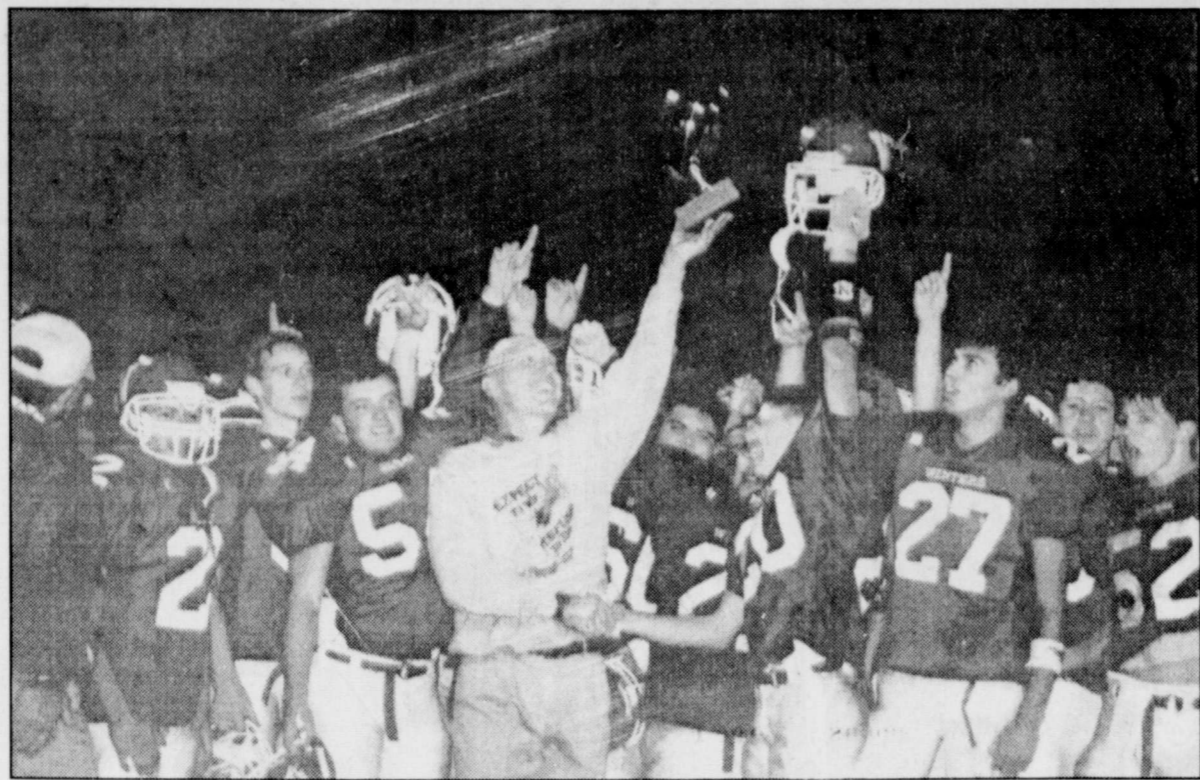
Crawford faced fourth and 2 at their own 28 after the Blizzard defense shut them down. The ensuing punt placed the Blizzards at their own 40 yard line. Two quarterback sacks and an illegal procedure penalty had the Blizzards facing 4th and 34 at their own 18 yard line.

The punt landed the Pirates at the Blizzard 45. Four plays later the Pirates increased their lead with a 1-yard run with 7:19 left in the half. The extra point was good and Crawford led 14-6.

The kickoff return spelled disaster for Winters as the Pirates pounced on a Blizzard fumble at the Winters 43. Seven plays later Crawford extended their lead with a 1-yard run. The extra point was missed and with 2:54 left, the Pirates surged ahead 20-6.

But Chuck Lipsey's team refused to lie down and die.

The Blizzards set up at their own 32 yard line with 2:49 left



**COACH CHUCK LIPSEY** lifts his first trophy as head coach of the Blizzards. Winters won bi-district against Crawford last Friday night in Granbury. Shaking hands with Lipsey is Eric Lopez whose interception in the final two minutes of the game helped seal the victory for the Blizzards. Lopez also provided a key block for Winters' third touchdown.

in the half. On second and 22 Mark Moreno gained 22 yards for the first down. An interference call on Crawford and a Colburn completion to Jackson saw the Blizzards facing 4th and 2 with 56 seconds left at the Pirate 36 yard line.

Colburn rolled to his right and kept the ball for 22 yards, setting up the Blizzards with a first down at the Crawford 19 yard line. Two incompletions left Winters facing third and ten with 33 seconds left.

Colburn found Jackson who scrambled for the touchdown with 27 seconds remaining. The fake extra point kick and try for two failed, leaving Win-

ter trailing 20-12 as the half ended.

The Blizzards received the kick to open the second half. Big Blue scored on their first and last offensive plays of the third quarter. The first score was a 57-yard catch and run by Rusty Jackson aided by a tremendous downfield block by Eric Lopez to spring Jackson for the touchdown. The try for two failed and with 11:36 left in the third period, Crawford's lead was trimmed to 20-18.

The kickoff marked the ball at the Crawford 15 as the Pirates began an impressive 10-play drive to the Blizzard 13 yard line. Facing 4th and 6 af-

ter an illegal procedure flag, Crawford came up short and turned the ball over on downs.

Big Blue took over at their own 13 yard line and put together a 12-play drive to cover the distance. Highlights of the drive would include completions to Lopez, Jackson and Pritchard as Moreno picked up runs of 19, 8 and the final 17 yards for the go-ahead touchdown with 1:07 left in the third.

Finally, the try for two was successful as Colburn hit Lopez, putting Winters ahead 26-20.

The Wrecking Crew took over as the third quarter ended. The Pirates faced fourth and

four and elected to punt with 9:35 left, setting up the Blizzards at their own 21 yard line.

Winters drove to the Crawford 22 yard line before turning the ball over on downs with 4:53 left. A completion for 32 to Pritchard highlighted the possession.

The Pirates put together a five-play drive to their own 47 yard line. Facing 4th and five, they gained four yards and turned the ball over on downs with 3:08 left. Facing 4th and 19, the Blizzards punted. And the plot thickened.

The Moreno punt went out of bounds at the Crawford 10. After a completion for 14 yards and the first down, Blizzard Eric Lopez stepped in front of the Crawford receiver and intercepted the pass. With about two minutes left in the game, Colburn took a knee three times and the Blizzard offense turned out the lights, ending the Pirates' season by taking the exciting 26-20 victory into the second round of playoffs.

Winters will meet the Paradise Panthers at Burleson on Friday, November 22. Winters will be the visitors with kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

**Winters Blizzards**  
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**STATISTICAL SUMMARY**

	Winters	Crawford
First downs	19	12
Rushing yards	29-100	31-227
Passing yards	272	75
Total yards	372	302
Comp-Att-Int	17-29-0	5-13-1
Punts-Ave.	2-43	3-32
Fumbles-lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-yards	7-35	5-35

**SCORING SUMMARY**

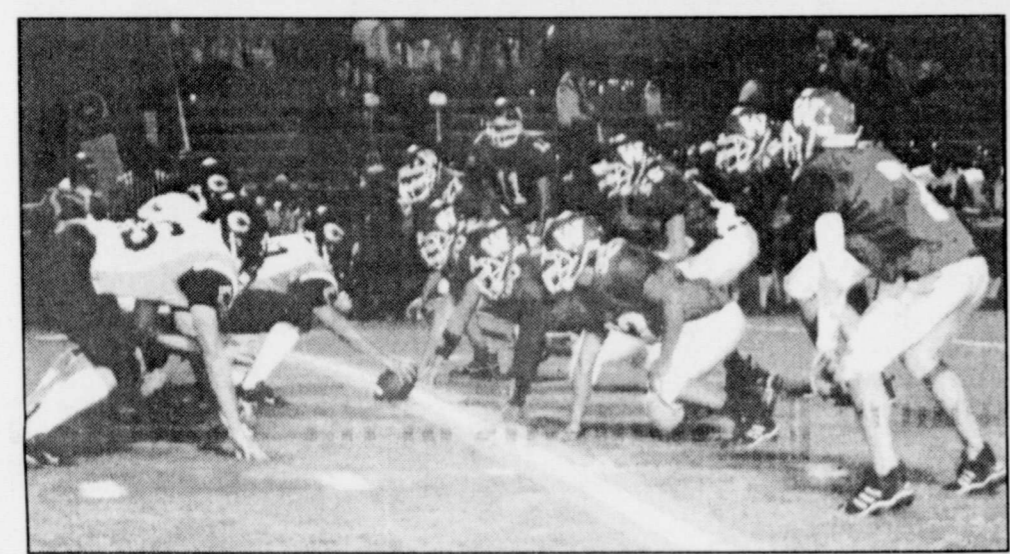
By Quarters	Winters	Crawford
1st	6	6
2nd	14	0
3rd	0	26
4th	7	13
Total	27	45

**FIRST QUARTER**  
Crawford  
Carlos Carvantes, 70 yd. run (Tommy Rafferty kick)  
Winters  
Eric Lopez, 5 yd. run (kick blocked)

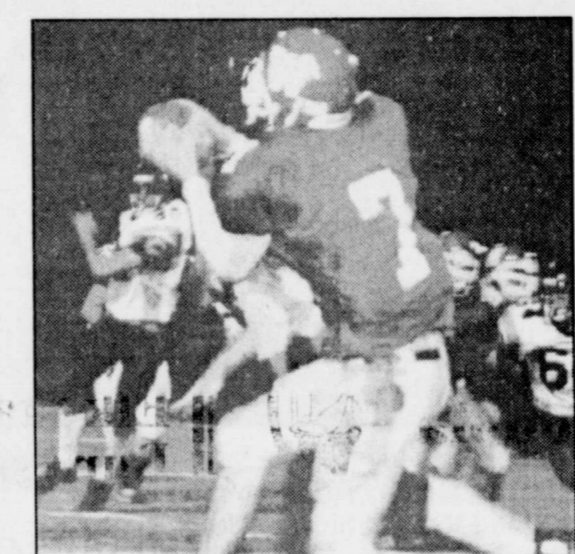
**SECOND QUARTER**  
Crawford  
Derrick Dumes, 2 yd. run (Rafferty kick)  
Crawford  
Dumes, 1 yd. pass from Rafferty (kick failed)  
Winters  
Rusty Jackson, 19 yd. pass from Shane Colburn (2 pt. conversion failed)

**THIRD QUARTER**  
Winters  
Rusty Jackson, 57 yd. pass from Shane Colburn (2 pt. conversion failed)  
Winters  
Mark Moreno, 17 yd. run (2 pt. conversion good, Eric Lopez pass from Shane Colburn)

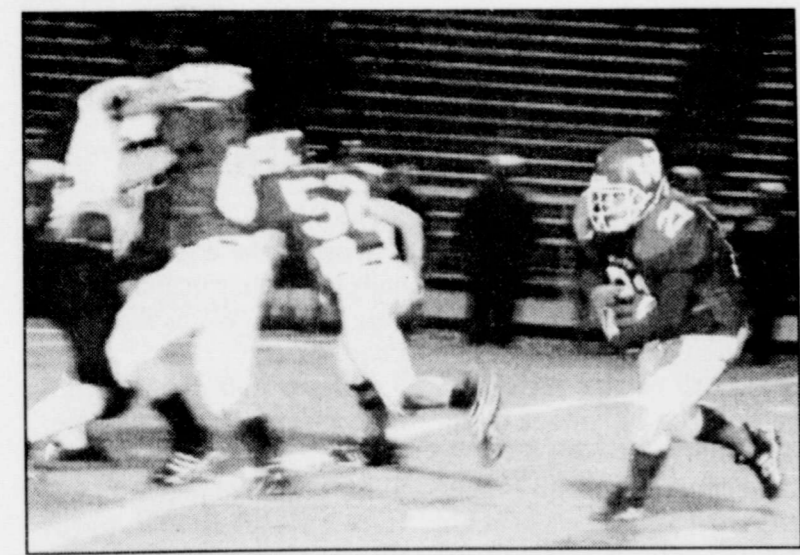
**INDIVIDUAL STATS**  
Rushing: Winters: Mark Moreno, 16-83; Shane Colburn, 11-13. Passing: Shane Colburn, 17 of 29 for 272 yds. Receiving: Rusty Jackson, 6-139; Brian Pritchard, 5-98.



**THE BIG BLUE WRECKING CREW** digs in to stop the Crawford Pirates on the 20 yard line.



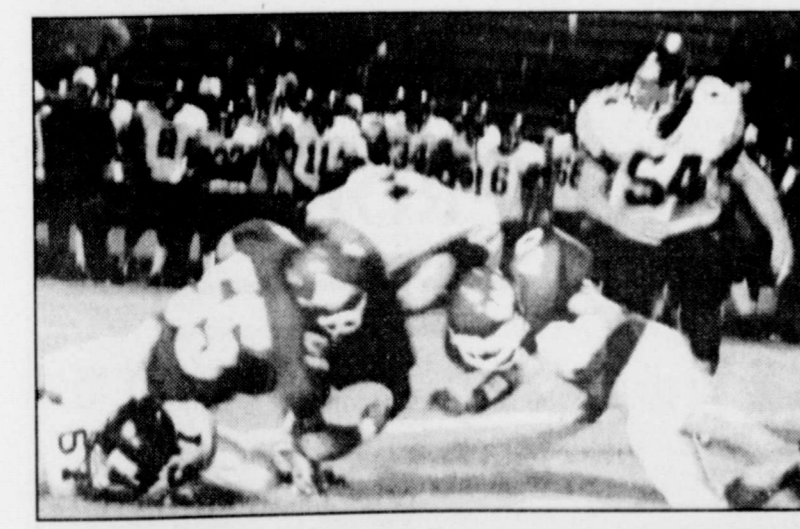
**BRIAN PRITCHARD** snags the pass to earn the first down for the Blizzards.



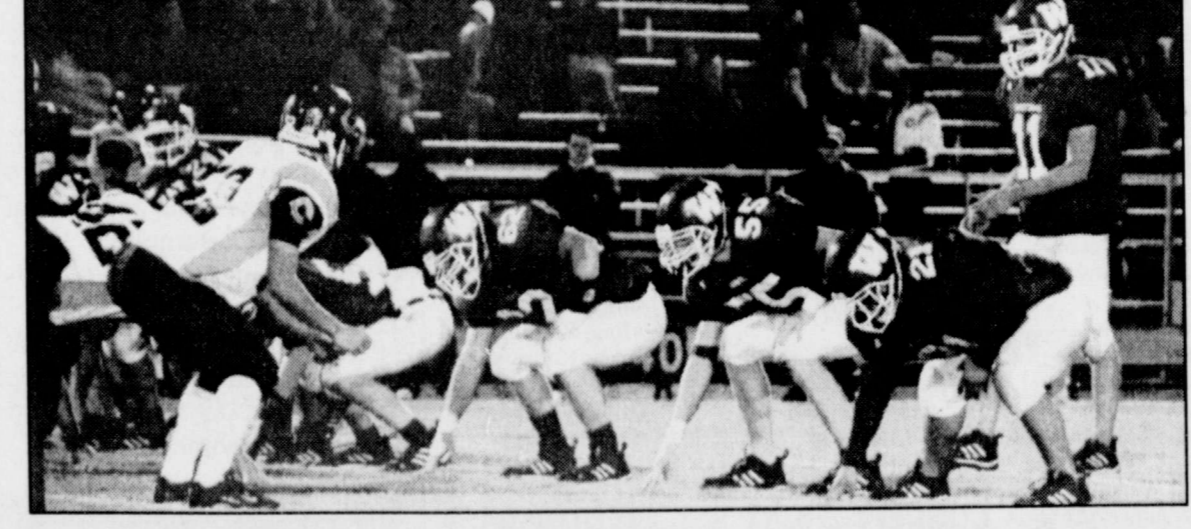
**MARK MORENO #21** cradles the ball behind good blocking from Jerry Hord #62 and Jared Airhart #52.



**RUSTY JACKSON #42** heads for the much needed touchdown after a 67-yard catch and run as Coach Lipsey runs alongside the official.



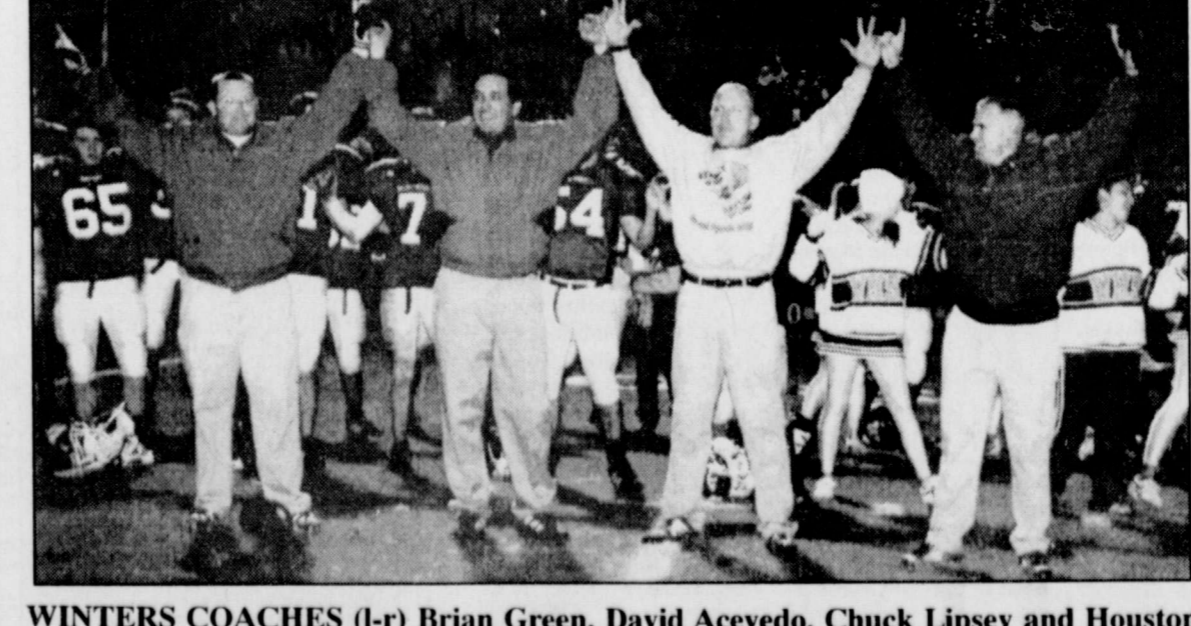
**GUY SLIMP #55** and **TIM FENWICK #40** stop the Crawford runner.



**BLIZZARD QUARTERBACK SHANE COLBURN** steps up behind his offensive line including Jerry Hord #62, Guy Slimp #55, and Mark Moreno #21. Colburn completed 17 of 29 passes for 272 yards with no interceptions.



**HEAD COACH CHUCK LIPSEY** reminds his team to stay focused as the Blizzards have the lead with 9:27 left to play.



**WINTERS COACHES** (l-r) Brian Green, David Acevedo, Chuck Lipsey and Houston Guy celebrate with the Blizzards during the school song following the Blizzards comeback from behind 26-20 bi-district win over Crawford.

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# Winters Elementary Coloring Contest Winners—



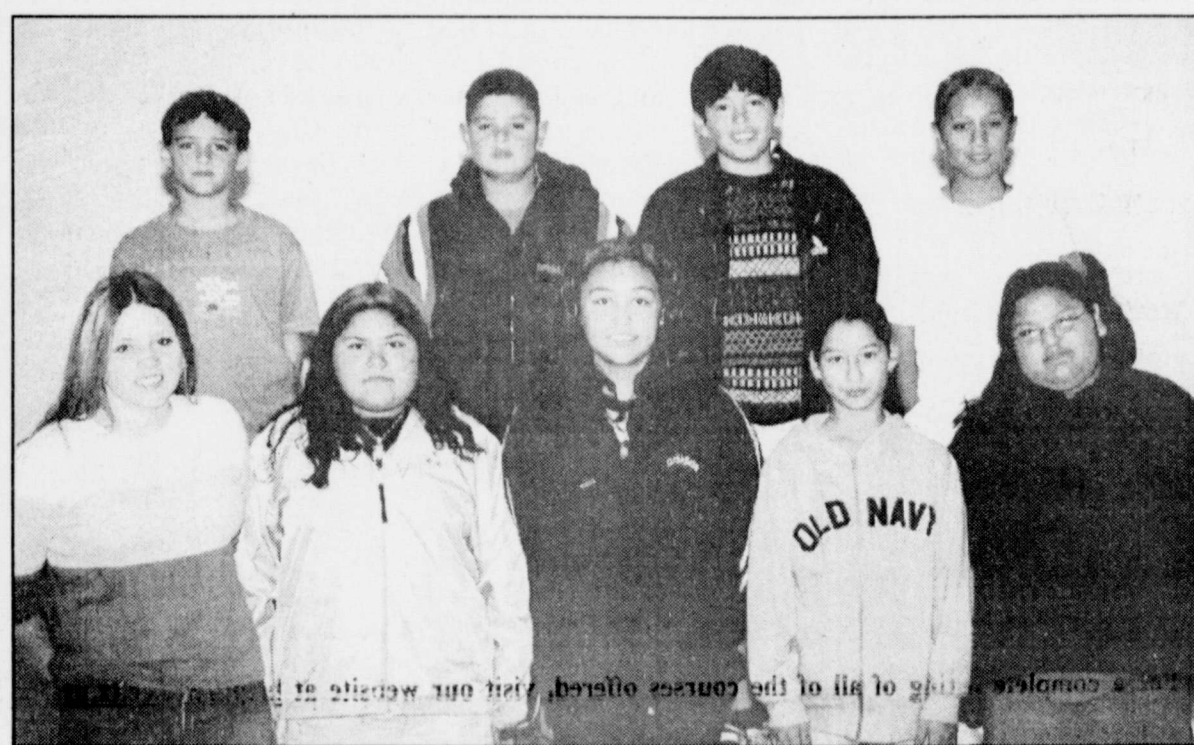
THE WINTERS VFW Safety Coloring Contest Winners in Kindergarten, First & Second Grade were, front (l-r) Katie Wade, Ashley Guy, Logan Tounget, Luke Kraatz, and Rudy Lara; middle, Missy Calcote, Audrie Reyes, Iesha Tamez, Taylor Riffe, Kara Heathcott, and Kalyn Drake; back, Shelly Soto, Kaitlyn Lindley, Jordan Busher, Jo Anna Perez, Daisy Martinez and Elisha Mata, . Not pictured are: Charley Lipsey and Alex Rodriguez.



CHAMPIONS AND FIRST PLACE WINNERS in The WFW Safety Coloring Contest grades K-5 were, front (l-r), Bianca Carrillo, Zachary Schwartz, Hannah Wade, and Salena Aleman; middle, J'Nae Hagle, Lauren Bredemeyer, Bryce Mikeska, Madelyn Tounget, and Ty Cortez; back, Miranda Torres, Joe Gallegos, Isaac Nunez, and Sara Lara. Not pictured are: Chelsy Lipsey, James Wilkerson, and Rachel Nunez.



THIRD, FOURTH, & FIFTH GRADE winners of The Winters VFW Safety Coloring Contest were, front (l-r) Amber Blackshear, Xylephanie Blackshear, Dustin Tubbs, and Andy Garcia; middle, Camille Kurtz, Alex Sudduth, Tori Reyna, and Riley Ripley; back, Collyn Pritchard, Ali Tounget, Ashley Delacruz, and Devon Rodriguez.



SIXTH GRADE Coloring Contest Winners were, front (l-r), Brandi Hill, Destiny Torres, Juana Harrison, Marie Perez, and Diana Hernandez; back, Raphael Gallaway, Jose Carrillo, Vince Trevino, and Aaron Rodriguez.

## BLIZZARD ACTIVITIES

Thursday, Nov. 21—JV Girls Tourney at Eula  
 Friday, Nov. 22—11:30 a.m. Pep Rally & Send Off, Gym  
 7:30 p.m., Area Playoffs—Blizzards vs. Paradise,  
 Elk Stadium in Burleson  
 Saturday, Nov. 23—4 p.m., V G vs. Eldorado, WHS Gym

Monday, Nov. 25—6:30 p.m., Fourth Grade Musical,  
 WHS Auditorium; 5 p.m. 7th/8th G vs. San Saba, Home;  
 7th/8th B @ San Saba; 5 p.m. JVG/VG @ SA Lakeview  
 Tuesday, Nov. 26—4 p.m., JVG/VG vs. Eula, WHS Gym  
 Wednesday, Nov. 27—School Holiday  
 Thursday, Nov. 28—Happy Thanksgiving  
 Friday, Nov. 29—School Holiday

Entirely color yearbook—

## 2002-03 WHS yearbook sales now through December 6

The Winters High School staff has begun sales for the 2002-03 yearbook. The staff has changed annual printing companies, and as a result will be able to offer an entirely color yearbook to students this year. Sales will run until Friday, December 6. Students should receive an order form at the school. Order forms are available from any *Glacier* staff member and are also available in the WHS office. Cost of the annual is \$30 and checks may be made payable to the WHS Activity Fund. *Glacier* staff members are Editor Jena Bahlman, Laci Walker, Jared Airhart, Guy Slimp, Kari Walker, Kemari Hale, Jessica Pritchard, Wacey Cason, Kinsey Airhart, Kathryn Hatler, Katy Wilkerson, and Kala Hagle. Sponsor is Sharon Rice.

### 2ND SIX WEEKS ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLL & PRIMARY GRADE PARADE Winters Independent School District 2002-2003

#### FIRST GRADE

Ty Black  
 Lauren Bredemeyer  
 Melissa Calcote  
 Destiny Chavis  
 Alanna Cooper  
 Kalyn Drake  
 Sabrina Esquivel  
 Christopher Gerhart  
 Katie Gray  
 Austen Green  
 Kara Heathcott  
 Kara Kraatz  
 Jonathan Lambert  
 Corey Pritchard  
 Jaymee Pritchard  
 Audriana Reyes  
 Emily Reyes  
 Sophia Reyes  
 Taylor Riffe  
 Vanessa Sanchez  
 Zachary Schwartz  
 Sadie Smith  
 Justin Ventress  
 Sierra Woffenden

#### SECOND GRADE

Michael Alatorre  
 Jordan Busher  
 Rico Campos  
 Ashley Doty  
 Gaudencio Espino  
 Berenice Garcia  
 Koltan Garcia  
 Veronica Garcia  
 William Gibbs  
 Brittany Gray  
 Teri Hagle  
 Guadalupe Hernandez  
 Ashley Hodge  
 McKenzie Hooper  
 Hannah Johnson  
 Amanda Lambert  
 Anthony Lara  
 Justice Liggins  
 Heather Lincoln

Kaitlyn Lindley  
 Ryan Luera  
 Veronica Luera  
 Daisy Martinez

A.C. Mata  
 Elisha Mata  
 Easton Mayo  
 Bryce Mikeska  
 Isaac Nunez  
 Israel Nunez  
 Sabrina Oswalt  
 Joanna Perez  
 Nicolas Perez  
 Destiny Rodriguez  
 Nathaniel Rodriguez  
 Anastacia Santoya  
 Andrew Silva  
 Graciela Soto  
 Haley Stewart  
 Edmund Tamez  
 Darian Tanner  
 Marcus Torres  
 Hannah Wade  
 Randa Watson  
 Billy Weatherford  
 Megann Willborn

#### THIRD GRADE

"A"  
 Caitlyn Kurtz  
 Camille Kurtz  
 Archie Mills  
 Riley Ripley  
 Sterling Sanders  
 Cristian Sandoval  
 Allie Towe

#### "A-B"

Paul Armendariz  
 Cameron Bean  
 Cannon Bryan  
 Ashley Castillo  
 Andrew Chavis  
 Reba Coleman  
 Strait Daniel  
 Ayde Gonzalez  
 Fabian Esquivel

Kelsea Esquivel  
 Nikolas Kraatz  
 Michelle Kruse  
 Sara Lara

Victoriano Mendoza  
 Payton Middleton  
 John Nitsch  
 Jack Pritchard  
 Tori Reyna  
 Abigail Sanchez  
 Crystal Sanchez  
 Noe Sanchez  
 Kenny Schooler  
 Angelica Taylor  
 Madelyn Tounget

#### FOURTH GRADE

"A"  
 Angel Barron  
 Amber Blackshear  
 Sarah Campos  
 Lisa Dees  
 Alonso Flores  
 Abby Guy  
 Haley Kaczyk  
 Devon Shackelford

#### "A-B"

Kelton Bredemeyer  
 Bianca Carrillo  
 Epifanio Cortez  
 Ashley Delacruz  
 Nelly Espino  
 Shelby Gehrels  
 Wesley Hagle  
 Edward Hendricks  
 Eddie Johnson  
 John Kay  
 Devin Martinez  
 Bibiana Medoza  
 Estevan Nava  
 Kody Perry  
 Jose Rangel  
 David Reyes  
 Alexandria Ruiz  
 Zanny Slimp  
 Alex Sudduth

Crystal Trevino  
 Justin Trevino  
 Dustin Tubbs

#### FIFTH GRADE

"A"  
 Chelsea Lipsey  
 Joshua Lujano  
 Collyn Pritchard  
 Paige Sanders  
 Ali Tounget

#### "A-B"

Hayden Bergman  
 Sybil Bridgeman  
 Braden Mikeska  
 Danielle Pinkerton  
 Juan Ramirez  
 Devon Rodriguez  
 Nicholas Sanders  
 Brittany Stewart  
 A.J. Tamez  
 Deven Towe

#### SIXTH GRADE

"A"  
 Sonia Armendariz  
 Kevin Bredemeyer  
 Julie England  
 Sandy Esquivel  
 Corey Fenwick  
 Camille Kruse  
 Ryan Meyers  
 Colby Pritchard

#### "A-B"

Matthew Doty  
 Luis Flores  
 Juana Harrison  
 Diana Hernandez  
 Marie Perez  
 Heather Pope  
 Dalton Shackelford  
 Destiny Torres  
 Linda Trevino  
 Jacob Wade

## Thanksgiving Baskets may be picked up Tuesday, Nov. 26

Those families who have requested Thanksgiving Baskets may pick them up at the Winters Outreach Center from 9 a.m. until noon on Tuesday, November 26. Baskets not picked up will be delivered to the address on the application on Tuesday afternoon.

The Winters Ministerial Alliance will provide Thanksgiving Baskets this year to those who will not enjoy a nice Thanksgiving meal due to health or income restrictions.

## Free car seat check up today

The San Angelo Safe Kids Coalition, led by San Angelo Community Medical Center will hold a free car seat check-up today at the Bus Barn Parking Lot. The event will take place from 2 to 5 p.m.

A certified child passenger safety seat technician will check your car seat for recall, proper fit, and correct installation. FREE car seats will be given to the first 40 families who need them.

Be sure to bring your child in whatever car safety seat restraint you are currently using.

## Go Blizzards...Chill the Panthers!

## SINUS PROBLEMS

Sinusitis

Nearly everyone has experienced a sinus problem. A stuffy head with pain and pressure around the face are common symptoms of sinusitis due to colds, allergies, or a sensitivity to airborne pollutants.

Sinusitis—an infection of the sinuses—can be classified as acute, which means that it comes on suddenly, often right after an upper respiratory infection such as a cold or flu. Or sinusitis can be chronic, meaning that it is an ongoing problem. In either case, when discomfort of sinusitis is severe or the symptoms persist, a comprehensive medical examination with appropriate treatment is recommended.

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# Life

## T. Loehman pastor at New Beginnings Church

The congregation of New Beginnings Church is pleased to announce Terry Loehman as new pastor of the church.

Loehman and his wife Noelisa are natives of Winters, and invite everyone to join them in praise and worship.

Pastor Loehman says, "Our only desire at New Beginnings Church is to preach Christ and His crucifixion. We love you and invite you to come and fellowship with us and to worship our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Sunday services are at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Tuesday is Youth Night from 7-9 p.m.; Wednesday is Praise Music Night from 7-8:30 p.m. when all special music is welcome.

The church is located at 511 Roberts in Winters. For more information, call 754-4328.



## Applications now available for 2003 Christmas In April home repairs

North Runnels Christmas in April, Inc. is now accepting applications for individuals seeking free home repairs in April 2003.

Christmas in April North Runnels Inc. only serves low-income, elderly, or handicapped individuals whose homes are in need of repairs which can be done in a single

### COMMISSIONERS, continued

•A lease agreement between Louise Miller and the County for office space for West Texas Centers for MHMR was approved. County Judge Marilyn Egan said the lease was on a month-to-month basis and is at a cost of \$350 per month.

•Bonds were approved for County Clerk Elesa Ocker and Natalie Lange, Assistant County Auditor.

•A resolution was passed renewing the agreement for retail electric service with TXU. Judge Egan said the new contract was at a cost of about 1¢ per kilowatt hour increase over last year's cost.

•Approval was given for revisions to the County's Personnel Manual and a new policy on family and medical leave was also approved.

day. Homes are selected on the basis of greatest need and the amount of repairs.

Christmas In April homes must be owner occupied and taxes must be current or under a payment plan. A copy of your 2001 Income Tax Return must also accompany your application.

Selected applicants will be notified by letter in late January or early February whether their home has been selected or rejected.

Residents of Winters, Wintgate, and the surrounding area are reminded to pick up and return applications to City Hall, the Winters Area Cham-

ber of Commerce, or *The Winters Enterprise*.

CIA officers for the 2002-03 year are Deb Pritchard, president; Gary Bear, vice-president; Kristi Stoecker, secretary; and Shanna Bear, treasurer. Other board members currently serving terms are Doug Wheat, Freddie Grohman, Mannie Esquivel, Efrain Esquivel, Hank Bourdo, Charles Murphy, Ace Polk, Michael Alatore, and outgoing president Robert Garza.

Anyone interested in serving on the Board of Directors is encouraged to contact any CIA board member listed above.

### Christmas supplement, Dec. 19—

## Submit your favorite holiday memories for Special Section

Thanksgiving is just around the corner, and with the arrival of this turkey filled holiday of gratitude, finds Christmas soon to follow.

The staff of *The Winters Enterprise* has begun work on a Special Christmas Section to the paper for Thursday, December 19, 2002.

This section will feature delightful letters to Santa penned by the younger grade school and Headstart children of the community, as well as Christmas parade and program photos, and holiday wishes from area businesses.


In addition, *The Enterprise* would like to include stories from you, our readers, as you tell of your favorite Christmas or cherished holiday memories. Perhaps you caught Santa kissing mommy under the mistletoe, or found yourself utterly delighted with a fresh orange, candy cane, and piece of chocolate as your

Christmas surprise.

Maybe there was a brand new puppy waiting under the tree for you, or your family celebrates Christmas with a number of traditions year after year. Or perhaps you'd simply like to share how you feel about the true "reason for the season."

Please submit your story to the paper as soon as possible. You may hand write, type, or e-mail us your story. Submissions may be sent to *The Winters Enterprise*, 104 N. Main, Winters, Texas 79567 or e-mailed to <wintersenterpriz@aol.com>.

We will use as many of your stories as space will allow, but reserve the right to reject or edit any/all items submitted. Make sure you include your name, e-mail address, and phone number in the event we need to verify any information in your story.



## SPRING 2003

### Affordable College Classes Close to Home

#### ANSON, HAWLEY, STAMFORD, WYLIE

Stamford Area Pre-Registration: Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 6 p.m., Library Media Center, Stamford High School

ANSON HIGH SCHOOL									
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HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL									
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HAWLEY HIGH SCHOOL									
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STAMFORD HIGH SCHOOL									
ECON	2301	0785	PRINC/ECON	M	6:30-9:20	3	ITV FROM WTC	SMITH, N	
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WYLIE HIGH SCHOOL									
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## Winters 4-H Club to meet Monday evening

by Colby Pritchard, reporter

The Winters 4-H Club will meet on Monday, November 25 at 6:45 p.m. in the Catholic Church Fellowship Hall.

The program scheduled for the evening will be a Buckskin Brigade presentation by Russell Pelzel of Rowena.

Members are reminded to bring their turkey raffle ticket stubs and money for a drawing at the end of the meeting.

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**ACROSS**

1 "box" so. of the border

5 computer operator

6 TXism: "\_\_\_ your tongue" (shut up)

7 "Father of Texas" (init.)

8 old XIT Ranch covered \_\_\_ Pan-handle counties

9 TX poet Naomi Nye

15 TXism: "\_\_\_ by" (saves)

16 in '91, Gov. Ann declared a Soviet \_\_\_ an honorary TXn

19 William Faulkner manuscript kept at UT

21 basketballer Radisav Curcic's Italian home before Dallas

22 words ending in "ly"

27 TXism: "sticks out like a \_\_\_ thumb"

28 TXism: "tame \_\_\_ dog"

29 iceland "dinero" (pl.)

30 an East Central TX physical region: "Post \_\_\_"

32 many elderly TXns fought in WW \_\_\_

33 victorious a second time (2 wds.)

36 this Premier directed TX Gene Tierney in "Laura"

37 hallucinogenic drug

38 shadow clock

**DOWN**

1 "it's not my \_\_\_"

2 TXism: "naked \_\_\_ jaybird"

3 football shirts directed TX Gene Tierney in "Laura"

4 Jerry Jones before Dallas (2 wds.)

8 running honky tonk bills

9 TXism: "make \_\_\_" (leave)

10 "Dawn at the Alamo" artist \_\_\_ McArdle

11 TX Tubb's \_\_\_ Walking the Floor Over You"

12 "Stock Show"

13 TXism: "a day late \_\_\_ dollar short"

14 TXism: "jump \_\_\_" (escape)

15 retriever type

16 TXism: "a real \_\_\_ puller" (drinker)

17 without a passageway?

18 lukewarmly

20 bank note

22 Texarkana state in addition to TX

23 \_\_\_ Pepper

24 wedding pledges

25 TXism: "sour \_\_\_" to pucker

26 Dallas Olympian Michael Johnson

28 Monte \_\_\_ TX

31 cut into glass

34 U.S. soldier

35 Buna h.s. class

37 mother of TX Ginger Rogers

40 informal letter

43 this basketballer Shaquille went to h.s. in San Antonio

44 TX publication "Minority Business"

50 an Indian language

51 Austin univer.

Solutions for this puzzle appear in this issue.

# Law & Order

## Official Records

### County Court Dispositions

William Easley, theft by check, pleaded nolo contendere, fined \$100, plus \$211 court costs, \$137.41 restitution, and \$40 hot check fees

Joseph Gabriel Reyes, driving while intoxicated, case dismissed, defendant completed first-offender program

Elisa Tomasa Alvarado, driving while intoxicated, case dismissed, defendant completed first-offender program

Susan Schmidt, theft by check, pleaded nolo contendere, fined \$100, plus \$211 court costs, \$192.12 restitution, and \$40 hot check fees

### Criminal Cases Filed November 8

Valentine Salazar Aleman, filed on two counts: criminal trespass and use of an inhalant

### November 13

Earnest Corbett, filed for failure to appear

Gary Hubert Morley, filed for running stop sign (appeal from City Court)

Alberto Romo III, filed for theft by check

Alisa N. Morris, filed for theft by check



A 15-YEAR-OLD WHS student escaped serious injury when her 1999 Chevrolet Cavalier was struck on the driver's door by a 1997 Ford F-150 pickup driven by Rosa Watson. According to police reports, the young driver was traveling south on Heights and failed to yield right of way, stating she had impaired vision looking into the sun. Watson was going west on Pierce when she struck the Chevrolet. The driver of the Cavalier and her passenger, age 14, were transported to North Runnels Hospital where they were treated and released. Watson was not injured in the mishap that occurred around 7:50 a.m. on November 15. Police said all three individuals were wearing seatbelts. The young driver was cited for failure to yield right of way and for not wearing corrective lenses as required.

## Police Beat

The information below is taken from reports on file with the Winters Police Department. Some cases may still be under investigation. These reports make up a small percentage of the total calls the Department receives and responds to each week.

Winters Police Department reports received and/or investigated from Sunday, November 10, 2002, through Saturday, November 16, 2002. Winters Police Officers:

- observed a vehicle driven by a known warrant subject. The vehicle was stopped and the occupants identified as the spouse of the warrant subject. Officers followed the female to a residence in the 500 block Quannah Street. The warrant subject, Rosendo Roman Jr., was located in the house and taken to Runnels County Jail and booked for Motion to Revoke Probation Assault.

- received report of a child custody dispute in the 600 block N. Heights Street. A 34-year-old Winters female reported that a 34-year-old Ballinger male, who shares custody of her children, picked up her children from school with her permission then refused to return the children. The male stated his intentions to keep the children and move to Laredo. This case has been forwarded to the district attorney's office as Interference with Child Custody.

- received report of a theft in the 100 block N. Main Street. A 32-year-old Winters female reported that a large amount of cash was removed from a cash drawer located in a locked office at the rear of her business. Investigation revealed that a 17-year-old Winters male and a 29-year-old San Angelo male were involved. The males have been identified. This is under investigation as a Class A Theft. During the same incident a 24-year-old Winters female reported that her purse was removed from her vehicle which was parked behind the business. Investigation has revealed that the same two males were involved. This is under investigation as Burglary of a Motor Vehicle.

- received report of a male armed with a knife attempting to break into a residence in the 200 block N. Melwood Street. Officers located a male matching the suspect description in the 300 block N. Melwood, but no knife was located. Investigation revealed that the male, a 48-year-old from Winters, was looking for his teenage son and believed him to be at the victim's residence. The male was released and the case has been forwarded to the district attorney for review as Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon.

- The Winters Police Department invites the public to view their website at [www.winterspd.com](http://www.winterspd.com).

Runnels County Crimestoppers offers a cash reward for information which leads to the grand jury indictment or conviction of offenders and the caller does not have to give his or her name. To give a Crimestoppers tip, call your local law enforcement agency at:

Winters Police Department—754-4121  
Ballinger Police Department—365-3591

## WTU Retail Energy urges customers with past-due accounts to take action

— Services now disconnected for non-payment —

WTU Retail Energy is urging non-paying customers to take immediate steps to pay their unpaid electric bills or contact the company to make payment arrangements.

The company is sending disconnection notices to late and non-paying customers. Stacy Noel, director of retail marketing for WTU Retail Energy, said the company is requesting that customers receiving a disconnection notice pay the bill immediately or make payment arrangements to avoid a service interruption.

Texas rules regarding the Provider of Last Resort, or POLR service, now provides that customers may be disconnected for non-payment of electric service bills after proper notice by the affiliated retail electric provider (i.e. WTU Retail Energy), eliminating transfer of customers' service to the POLR.

"This is the first time that WTU Retail Energy has issued disconnection notices since new rules became effective in September," Noel said. "Cus-

tomers should not wait until the last minute. Prying promptly or establishing a special payment arrangement is essential to avoid the inconvenience of being disconnected and having to wait 24 hours or more to be reconnected."

Noel emphasized that initial disconnections will focus on customers who have received monthly bills on a regular basis but have failed to pay those bills. "WTU Retail Energy continues to work with customers who have not received bills on a regular basis to ensure that they have adequate time to pay their unpaid balance for the electricity they used," Noel said.

WTU Retail Energy has a variety of payment plans and options available to help cus-

tomers manage their bills. The company also encourages its customers to conserve energy as a means to lower their electric bills.

Customers may call WTU Retail Energy toll-free at the customer service number listed on their bill.

Low-income customers are reminded that they may qualify for energy payment assistance provided by area community action agencies. Additionally, qualifying customers may be eligible to receive discounts on their electricity bills through the LITE-UP TEXAS program. For more details on this program, visit the PUCT web site, <[www.powertochoose.org](http://www.powertochoose.org)>, or call LITE-UP TEXAS toll free at 1-866-454-8387.

There are two times when you keep your mouth shut:

1. When you are swimming.
2. When you are angry.

—Anonymous

## \$6.3 Million in Tax Refund Checks awaiting good addresses for Texans—a few are local

Someone in Texas' Big Country has a tax refund check for \$4,338 that cannot be delivered because of a bad address.

The Internal Revenue Service announced today that it is looking for 7,800 taxpayers across Texas who are due \$6.3 million in unclaimed tax refund checks. In Taylor County and 22 area counties, 96 people on the unclaimed refund list are due \$59,394 or an average of \$619 each. Statewide, the largest unclaimed check is \$211,634 and the smallest is \$1.

The IRS is releasing the list of taxpayers on the undelivered refund list in hopes that they will see their name and claim their tax refund after they update their addresses with the agency.

This year, a new Internet feature makes it easier for taxpayers to track down whether they have an undelivered refund. The service, which lets people check on the status of refunds online at any time, is available through the "Where's My Refund" section on the IRS home page at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov).

"With our new Internet feature, it's easier than ever for taxpayers to track down an undelivered refund check," said

IRS Acting Commissioner Bob Wenzel.

To use the site, taxpayers must enter their Social Security number, their filing status (such as single or married filing jointly) and the amount of the refund shown on their 2001 tax return. When this information is submitted online, taxpayers see a Web page that shows the status of their refund check. Taxpayers also get instructions to resolve any problems, whether it is an undelivered refund check or some other issue.

Taxpayers without access to the Internet who think they may be missing an refund check should first check their records or contact their tax preparer, then call the IRS toll-free assistance line at 1-800-829-1040 to update their address.

"We want to get this money back to where it belongs," Wenzel said. "It's a simple process. As soon as taxpayers get us their correct addresses, we can reissue the checks."

Taxpayers can avoid undelivered checks by choosing to have their refunds deposited directly into a personal checking or savings account. Direct deposit also guards against theft or lost refund checks. The option is available on both pa-

per returns and electronically filed returns. More than 39.5 million taxpayers chose direct deposit this filing season, up 17.4 percent from last year.

Refund checks go astray for reasons that can vary with each taxpayer. Often it is because a life change causes an address change. If taxpayers move or change their address and fail to notify the IRS or the U.S. Postal Service, a check sent to their last known address is returned to the IRS. The Postal Service says 17 percent of the nation's population moves each year. Last year, the Postal Service processed more than 44 million change-of-address cards.

Taxpayers who have moved since filing their last tax return can ensure the IRS has their correct address by filing Form 8822, "Change of Address" with the IRS. Download the form at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) <<http://www.irs.gov>> or request it by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

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# Outdoors

## Social Security Rep. in Winters on Nov. 25

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his November visit to Winters. He will be at the Winters Housing Project Office on Monday, November 25, between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

Your Social Security matters can be handled just as quickly by telephone. For help when you first want to sign up for Social Security or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits, call (915) 949-4608. The office is open every weekday (Monday through Friday) except holidays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you just need information or are already receiving benefits, call 1-800-772-1213 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. every weekday except holidays.

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## Mutton Bustin' Maiden—



JAYMEE PRITCHARD, 6, a first grade student at Winters Elementary, took Champion Girl and second place overall honors among 30 competitors in Mutton Bustin' competition at the 2002 Heart of Texas Fair & Rodeo in Waco. She is the daughter of Steve and Penny Pritchard.

## Extension News & Views

by Rick Minzenmayer, Extension Agent-IPM

### Millipede Control—Quick & Easy

The environment surrounding homes and other buildings is literally alive with insects and other arthropods. However, only a relative few insects ever enter buildings, thereby becoming pests. These insects are placed in a group known as occasional invaders. One type of occasional invader is the millipede.

Millipedes require a high level of moisture to survive. They are typically found in leaf litter, mulch beds, firewood piles, compost heaps and loose soil in flower beds. Millipedes feed on organic debris found in their living environment and overwinter in the soil.

In areas where millipedes have been able to thrive, they cause homeowners many problems since they have a tendency to migrate en masse from one location to another. There is nothing more disconcerting to a homeowner than to encounter a virtual sea of hundreds of thousands of millipedes rising out of the pasture and beginning a march on their home.

Millipede migrations most

often occur in the fall when the insect is searching for a more attractive overwintering site. During heavy rains, when breeding sites become flooded, this pest will migrate toward higher ground. As millipedes migrate, they will crawl up, over and into anything in their path. This includes buildings. Millipedes can squeeze through very small cracks and will invade crawl spaces, basements, garages and the living areas of homes. Because building interiors are quite dry, the millipedes soon die after entering.

The control of millipedes around most structures is usually quite simple. Controlling mass migrations takes a great deal of effort and generally meets with varying degrees of success. The ideal and most lasting method for controlling millipedes is to remove the items in which the millipedes are breeding. Firewood must be stored off the ground and as far from the structure as possible. Leaf litter, grass clippings, and tree branches must be raked, picked up and dis-

posed of on a regular basis.

Periodic applications of a barrier treatment with a residual insecticide will provide satisfactory control of millipedes. A wettable powder or microencapsulated insecticide is the most effective formulation to use. Knox Out 2FM and Ficam W are examples of insecticides which are effective against millipedes. The application should be made as a barrier treatment up to 10 feet away from the foundation.

Any cracks or holes in the exterior of the structure should be treated with a residual dust insecticide and then the cracks should be sealed with a quality caulking material. Pay particular attention to cracks around windows and doorways.

Applications of a wettable powder or microencapsulated insecticide using a compressed air sprayer should be made to areas in the garage or basement where millipedes are found. Unfortunately, total control of a millipede migration is not often feasible.

## Sign-up closing date for native grass and improved pastures NAP payments is Dec. 1

Dwayne Lange, County Committee Chairman for the Runnels County Farm Service Agency (FSA), reminds local farmers and ranchers that the application closing date to sign up for the Non-Insured Assistance Program (NAP) for native grass and improved pastures is December 1, 2002.

NAP covers crops damaged by severe weather that result in a loss of 50 percent or greater. Losses are generally determined by percentage of loss compared to the producer's actual yield history. Lost production eligible for payment is paid at 55 percent of crop value.

"Producers interested in ob-

taining crop insurance on perennial pastures should visit their local USDA Service Center as soon as possible to complete an application for their 2003 acres," said Lange. "Producers with acres in multiple counties should be aware that carrying capacities for pasture acres covered under NAP may vary by state and by county, so they need to check with their local FSA offices for details," he added.

NAP coverage is only available for crops where coverage is not available under the Federal Crop Insurance Program (FCIP). "For all native grass and improved pastures, produc-

ers must report acres and file notices of loss in a timely manner to insure eligibility. However, production evidence is not required for perennial pastures that are grazed only," said Lange.

The December 1, 2002 deadline to purchase NAP coverage also applies to persons who have an existing policy and want to renew their coverage for 2003.

For detailed NAP information and applicant eligibility criteria, contact the Runnels County office at (915) 365-5757 or visit FSA on the World Wide Web at: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>.

## 2002 Runnels County Pecan Show set for Dec. 10

**Entries due by  
Friday, Nov. 30  
—No entry fee—**

The 2002 Runnels County Pecan Show will be on Tuesday, December 10, at Citizens State Bank in Miles, according to Marty Gibbs, Runnels County Extension Agent, and Chester McCowan, Horticulture Committee Chairman.

Pecans are probably grown by more people in Runnels County than any other crop and a Pecan Show is an excellent way to learn about pecans. Everyone is encouraged to participate in this year's show.

Pecans may be entered at the County Extension office in

the County Courthouse Annex in Ballinger, Citizens State Bank of Miles, Alderman-Cave in Winters, the Norton Gin, Ballinger Feed and Seed, or the West Texas Bank in Rowena. No entry will be accepted later than noon on Friday, November 30.

Each single entry should consist of not less than 45 pecans of the same variety. They should not be cleaned or rubbed to the extent that the shape or color is altered. They should be packed in a paper or plastic bag with the exhibitor's name, address, and variety of pecan, if known.

With the short crop this year, the Runnels County Horticulture Committee will **not** charge

an entry fee to enter the Pecan Show as has been charged in the past. Exhibitors are limited to one entry of each named variety they grow. However, a grower may enter as many seedlings, known hybrids, or natives as he wishes.

Divisions will be: Commercial, Classic, and Variety Seedling.

Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected from each division. Plaques and rosettes will be presented to the champions and rosettes to the reserve champions. The public is invited to attend the judging and public viewing of the entries beginning at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, December 10 at Citizens State Bank in Miles.

## Wool/Mohair producers' LDP sign up now available

Texas wool and mohair producers can sign up for wool and mohair loan deficiency payments (LDP) administered by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency

(FSA). On November 6, 2002, the agency made available Notice LP-1878, which addresses the 2002 through 2007 Crop-Year Marketing Assistance Loan and Loan Deficiency Payment

(LDP) Program for wool and mohair.

Producers must complete FSA Form 633 to apply for the LDP. For 2002 wool or mohair sold before Oct. 11, 2002, producers must complete the form by Jan. 31, 2002.

Producers who sold 2002 wool or mohair between Oct. 11, 2002, and Nov. 4, 2002, must sign up by December 6, 2002.

Producers who still own 2002 wool or mohair must sign up before they sell the wool or mohair and by the Jan. 31, 2003, deadline.

## Help others with Thanksgiving

The Winters Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring Thanksgiving baskets for those in the community who may not have the means to have a nice Thanksgiving meal.

The baskets cost about \$25 each. About 100 baskets were distributed last year. Donations may be sent to the following address or to your local church:  
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