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There's a whole lot of stuff going on in Big Spring this weekend

By BILL McCLELLAN

News Editor

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How long has it been since you've had some homemade root beer, admired a Mexican Petunia or taken a long bicycle ride for a good cause? OK, when's the last time you did all three on the same day? Well, now's your chance.

You can do that and a lot, lot more in Big Spring this weekend. In fact, there's so much going on that you probably couldn't get to everything, even if you wanted to. Still, there's something taking place all day Saturday — pretty much from 7:30 a.m. until late in the evening.

Relay Riders Bike-a-Thon

Got bike?

A Howard College Relay For Life team — the Relay Riders — is hosting this fund-raiser from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday, headquartered at the Harold Davis Fitness Center. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.

For \$10, bicycle riders ride laps around the campus and take part in a "poker run." First-, second- and third-place prizes will be awarded in the lap competition. In the poker run, bikers ride to pick up cards,

'Symphony in Balance' season to wrap up with musical medley'

Special to the Herald

Crossroads area residents who enjoy musicals should get their fill Saturday evening when the Big Spring Symphony Orchestra and Chorus performs "The Best of Broadway" at the Municipal Auditorium.

It is the final subscription concert of the 2007-2008 concert season The Big Spring Symphony in Balance — and it begins at 8 p.m.

Tickets - \$15 for adults, \$10 for

senior citizens and \$5 for students — will be available at the door.

The orchestra will perform a number of medleys, including those from the rock musicals "Grease" and Christ "Jesus Graumann Superstar." Members of

the chorus will join the orchestra in more traditional favorites, including medleys from "Fiddler on the Roof" and "Sound

of Music." The evening's production will culminate in the performance of selections from "Les Miserables," one of the most popular recent works on Broadway.

Featured guest artists Saturday will be tenor David Corman from Odessa College and soprano Renay Peters Joubert from New York City.

"I am very excited about our guest artists," said music director

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with the best poker hand winning the prize. Door prizes will be given to people with special tickets.

Water and sodas will be free to participants and Domino's pizza will be available for \$2 per slice.

For more information, call Brandi Stewart at 816-6234 or 264-5108 or Cadet Bryant at 264-5631.

Fajita Cook-off

If you haven't done it already, Saturday is a good time to fire up the outdoor grill. Better yet, break out the secret spices and make your way to the American Legion Post 506 at 3203 W. Highway 80 where the Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their fourth annual Fajita Cook-off.

The entry fee is just \$10 for either the beef or chicken (three pounds each) competition.

Cooking will begin at 9 a.m., judging at 11 a.m. and winners will be announced at 2 p.m.

Don't feel like cooking? How about eating? Plates will be \$8 each with serving to begin at noon.

Extra activities include an all-day plant/cake walk and give-a-ways at 3 p.m.

To learn more, call 263-2084.

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HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

Teacher's Aide Katrice Klaus welcomes students to a "TAKS pep rally" at Washington Elementary this morning. The rally was held to encourage students to do well on the upcoming Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills test.

Forest Service investigating suspicious incidents

By THOMAS JENKINS

Staff Writer

Several suspicious fires south of Big Spring during the last part of March and early April are being investigated by the Texas Forest Service, according to local fire officials.

Firefighters with the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department were called to several areas in and around the Tubbs Addition

— located south of Big Spring on U.S. Highway 87 – over the course of more than a week, and according to HCVF Chief Tommy Sullivan, it was anything but a coincidence.

"We got with the State Forest Service and determined the fires were not of a natural cause," said Sullivan. resources and men than we "That means they were intentionally set. I'm not sure if they used an accelerant or

what, but those fires did not happen naturally. Someone helped them along."

Sullivan, who normally investigates suspicious fires himself, said he called in the Forest Service to conduct the investigation for more than one reason.

"They have a lot more do. That's the simple and

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"I'm not sure if they used an accelerant or what, but those fires did not happen naturally.

Someone helped them along."

—Tommy Sullivan



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Sports

Do you have an interesting sports item or story idea? Call Jonathan Hull at 263-7331, Ext. 237. Email results to: sports@bigspringherald.com

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Pray Jerry doesn't go hog wild IN BRIEF

BIG HERALD

Crossroads high school varsity sports calendar TODAY

Bi-District playoff Big Spring softball vs. Canyon Randall in bestof-three series at Lubbock Coronado, Game 1 is at 4 p.m. Game 2 is approx. 45 minutes after Game 1. Big Spring track at

regional meet in San Angelo through Saturday.

Big Spring baseball vs. Lubbock Estacado, 4:30 p.m.

Coahoma baseball vs. Merkel for District 5-2A's second playoff seed. Time and site TBA.

Pictures of Steers' spring sports

needed for banquet Anyone with pictures from the 2008 Big Spring High School spring sports season willing to temporarily donate them for use in a slide show for the 2008 Spring Sports Banquet scheduled for May 22. Anyone with pictures please contact Denise Carillo at 816-1685

2008 West Texas Disc Golf tourney set for this weekend

The 2008 West Texas Disc Golf Champions Tournament will be played Saturday and Sunday at the 27-hole course at Comanche Trail Park.

Registration is open to any age, gender or expe-



AP photo/Matt Slocum

Arkansas Razorbacks tailback Darren McFadden carries the ball against Missouri at the Cotton Bowl in Dallas, Jan. 1. McFadden is considered the top running back in the 2008 NFL Draft and rumor has Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones , an Arkansas alumni, willing to trade two first round picks in order to move up the draft board and select McFadden.

Apparently, Jerry Jones has misplaced my phone number because the Dallas Cowboys owner is vet to

call me for draft advice.

It's probably safe to assume with the draft less than 24 hours away my cell won't be ringing anytime soon at least not with Jones at the other



plea may go unheard or unread by Jerry, I still have to beg of him to please control his emotions on draft day and don't go hog wild. In other words, let the great players from Arkansas pass by and make picks that will help Dallas more accordinglv.

JONATHAN

Hull

Jones' history as an University of Arkansas alumni is very well noted. His loyalty to the school could be problematic come draft day.

I don't know that a better class of Razorbacks have ever been available to be selected than the group populating draft boards this year.

Everyone knows Darren McFadden, who is almost unanimously considered the top running back in this class. There's also his backfield mate Felix Jones, who is also thought of as a first round pick in many circles. These two players are

receiving a ton of notoriety leading up to this weekend's event and are both being linked to the Cowboys.

That's a problem for me as a Cowboys' fan.

Jerry's mouth is surely frothing at the possibility of having McFadden on his team and no one can blame him. Several coaches, scouts, general managers and owners are nuts about McFadden's skills, size and potential. However, is he worth surrendering a good portion of draft picks for?

Look at Dallas' needs. Yes, running back is one of them. Julius Jones is gone — not that that's a bad thing — and Marion Barber probably needs a speedier athlete to compliment him in the backfield.

Dallas is one of two teams along with Kansas City — with two first round draft picks after trading out of the first round last year with the Browns and securing Cleveland's 2008 opening-round selection for the rights to draft quarterback Brady Quinn.

Had the Browns done what they were supposed to do play terribly and finish around 3-13 — in the 2007 season, the Cowboys would be picking in the top five and McFadden would be a reality. However, the Browns overachieved and Dallas has the 22nd pick along with their own first rounder at 28.

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McGrady, Alston lead Houston past Jazz

By DOUG ALDEN

AP Sports Writer

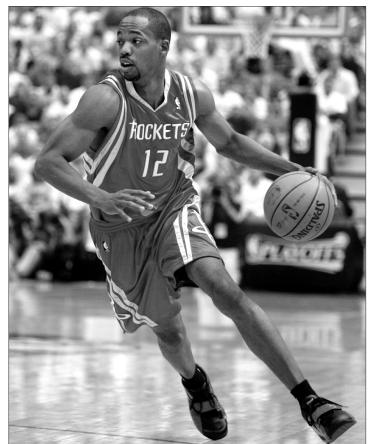
SALT LAKE CITY -Scoring seven points in a quarter is normally nothing for Tracy McGrady.

With his team down 2-0 in the opening round of the playoffs, it meant everything to the Houston Rockets. McGrady scored all of those seven in the final 3:29, finally snapping out of a fourth-quarter slump and finishing with 27 to lead Houston to a 94-92 victory over the Utah Jazz on Thursday night that gave the Rockets life in a series that could have been headed for a sweep. "This was a very emotional win for us," said McGrady, who had scored one point total in the fourth quarter of the first two games of the series. "We played like we really didn't want to go home early. We played with a lot of passion and a lot of heart."

series 2-0 and coming to Utah, where the Jazz had the best home record in the NBA. One of Utah's four losses in Salt Lake City was to Houston, which won the Jazz's home opener and did it again when it mattered

back, whatever the case may be," Landry said. "No matter what it is, football, hockey, basketball. It's part of playing sports."

Game 4 is Saturday back in Utah, where the Jazz were 37-4 this season.



end of it.

rience level with those factors deciding the sign--up fee.

Trophies and prize money will be awarded. The first 100 entrants will receive a players package.

Registration is from 8-9 a.m. Saturday at Comanche Trail Park or show up Friday at 5 p.m. for a random draw doubles tournament to register for the weekend's event.

Pre-registration can be done by contacting Greg Brooks at (432) 528-5076.

Country club hosts scramble benefiting cancer society

The Big Spring Country Club along with several local sponsors are hosting the 2008 Cancer Scramble Golf Tournament Saturday and Sunday with all proceeds from the event benefiting the American Cancer Society and Relay for Life.

The tourney's setup is a four-person scramble. Entrants can either make their own team or be assigned to one. The field will be flighted by first-round score.

Entry fee is \$75 per player plus a \$20 cart fee, however, private carts are welcome.

Prizes will be given to first-, second- and thirdplace teams in the form of BSCC Pro Shop gift certificates.

Call the BSCC to enter at 267-5354.

Call 263-7331, ext. 237, to submit a sports brief.

The Rockets were trailthe best-of-seven ing

much, much more.

Rafer Alston added 20 points and five assists in his first game in nearly two weeks. Carl Landry had 11 rebounds and two blocks, swatting away Deron Williams' shot that could have won it for the Jazz just before the buzzer. Landry also sacrificed his left front tooth, courtesy of an elbow from Utah's Carlos Boozer in the second quarter, and had a huge gap in his post-game grin.

Landry said he was seeing double after the elbow and was bleeding from the mouth as he was led to the locker room, but was back for the second half.

"This was a big game. It doesn't matter if you've got a hurt toe or a hurt

Instead of playing for a sweep, the Jazz will try to avoid doing the same thing Houston did in last year's opening round against Utah. The Rockets won the first two games of that series, then lost the next two and eventually the series in seven games.

The Rockets, who are without 7-foot-6 center Yao Ming, outscored Utah in the paint 40-26.

"They showed how much they wanted to win a ballgame," Utah coach Jerry Sloan said. "They scored 40 points in the paint. I thought they brought it to us all night long."

Williams had 28 points and 12 assists.

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AP photo/Douglas C. Pizac

Houston Rockets guard Rafer Alston (12) looks for an opening against the Utah Jazz during the first quarter of an NBA basketball playoff game Thursday in Salt Lake City. Alston scored 20 points and had five assists in his first game in two weeks due to injury as the Rockets won 94-92.



AP photo/Duane Burleson

Texas Rangers' Josh Hamilton breaks his bat on a foul ball against the Detroit Tigers in the fifth inning of an AL baseball game Thursday in Detroit. Hamilton struck out in the inning and the Tigers won 8-2.

Detroit homers five times, rip Rangers

The Associated Press

DETROIT – Magglio Ordonez and the Detroit Tigers are starting to hit the way they hoped. Staying healthy, that's the tricky part.

Ordonez hit two of the Tigers' five home runs Thursday and Detroit finished off a convincing three-game sweep with an 8-2 win over the Texas Rangers.

The Tigers outscored Texas 37-10 in the series and have won four in a row overall. Texas has lost seven straight.

"We knew this was going to be a good lineup," Tigers manager Jim Leyland said. "Now we're

getting some big hits from on the bench. the top of the order, and we're also getting a lot from the bottom guys. That's what happens hitting gets contagious."

Ordonez isn't surprised that the Tigers offense has come alive.

"It was just a matter of time," he said. "Now we'll get into our momentum — our rhythm. We're going to start winning."

Leyland, though, faces yet another injury shuffle after left fielder Jacque Jones bruised his knee when he bumped into the fence in the fourth inning. Jones joined Carlos Guillen (knee) and Gary Sheffield (shoulder)

Jones said that he didn't expect to miss much time, but Guillen was having trouble walking around the clubhouse after fouling a pitch off his knee the day before.

"I don't think there's any chance for tomorrow," said Guillen, who is scheduled to move to third base. "I don't know after that.'

The Rangers have lost 12 of 14. Thursday's loss ended a nine-game road trip.

"It will be good to go home and see if we can get something going,"

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LOCAL Police blotter

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Take Note

• Ackerly Lunch Bunch will meet Saturday at 10 a.m. at the 14th and Main Church of Christ Fellowship Room. Lunch will be served. Call 267-1449 or 213-4452.

• A Mexican dinner to raise funds for the Salvation Army's programs in Big Spring has been scheduled for 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Salvation Army's corps building located at 811 W. Fifth St.

The dinners are priced at \$6 per plate and include enchiladas, a taco, beans and rice. Take out orders will be available.

For more information, call the Salvation Army office at 267-8239.

• Tickets for the Big Spring High School Prom will be on sale at the high school from noon until 1:30 p.m. each Friday leading up to the prom. Tickets cost \$20 each and must be paid for in cash. For more information, call Carrie Fox at 816-9687 or Karen Martin at 213-1388.

• Mobile Meals needs volunteers to deliver meals Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. The organization delivers approximately 70 meals each day and needs drivers to donate just one hour per week. Mobile Meals also needs back-up volunteers to fill in when regular drivers can't make it. For more information, contact Macaria Cantu at 263-4016.

• Nurses' Hospice of Big Spring Volunteers will meet at 1 p.m. for singing and fellowship Saturday, May 10, at Marcy House. If you are interested, call Gina at 517-4073.

• Cross stitchers are needed to complete one or more blocks of this year's Howard County Fair quilt. All supplies are provided. Blocks may be picked up from Posey Cotton Office, 601 Scurry, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon. For information, call 263-1267 or 263-4980. This year's quilt theme is "Wildflowers of Texas." All proceeds from the sale of tickets for the quilt are used to defray the expenses of the Fair. The quilt will be awarded the last night of the fair.

• Road to Recovery, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, seeks volunteers to drive cancer patients to treatment in Midland. This requires just a few hours commitment each month. To volunteer, or to request a ride for treatment, call Nancy Koger at 267-7809.

• The purpose of life is a life of purpose. Join Nurses' Hospice of Big Sopring volunteer program and become an "Angel" or "Teen Angel" in someone's life today. Come by 1008 E. Third St. or call (432) 517-4073 to register.

• Bring joy and kindness to others by becoming a Compass Hospice volunteer. Help those at the end of life's journey. Make a difference in someone's life. Call 263-5999 to begin your journey.

• All creatures Sanctuary and Rescue has an account set up with Big Spring Salvage at 3608 N. Hwy. 87 for all types of metals and aluminum cans. Please tell them that your donations are for All Creatures Sanctuary and Rescue. All Creatures Sanctuary and Rescue is also still taking weight circles off of all Purina brand dog foods. Send your Purina Weight Circles, to A.C.S. & R. at P.0, 871, Coahoma 79511. All Creatures Sanctuary and Rescue is still accepting old and used cell phones and ink jet cartridges, for drop off locations in Big Spring and Coahoma, Call Melanie at 267-7387. The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Thursday and 7 a.m. today:

• **MYRELL SIMPSON JR.,** 34, of 2911 W. Highway 80, was arrested Thursday on seven local warrants.

• **ROCKY A. AUTRY,** 24, of 1410 Dixie, was arrested Friday on a local citation.

• **THEFT** was reported:

- in the 1000 block of Nolan.
- in the 2600 block of Ent.
- in the 200 block of FM 700.
- in the 1200 block of 11th Place.
- in the 2000 block of Gregg Street.

• **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 600 block of 15th Street.

• **ASSAULT CAUSING BODILY INJURY** was reported in the 1100 block of 11th Street.

• **ASSAULT BY CONTACT** was reported in the 1900 block of Goliad.

• **AGGRAVATED ASSAULT** was reported in the 1200 block of Lloyd.

Sheriff's report

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity:

Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 46 inmates at the time of this report.

• **CINDY RENAE ALEXANDER**, 29, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of manufacture/delivery of a controlled substance.

• JARRON DAWAN VANDERBILT, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid.

• **ROGER DALE LANDRY**, 38, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **RYAN DOUGLAS KENDRICK**, 30, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on charges of bondsman off bond for failure to identify as a fugitive from justice, possession of marijuana - two ounces or less and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• **DONALD LEE JONES JR.,** 45, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on a charge of driving while intoxicated - open container, third or more offense.

Fire/EMS

The Big Spring Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services reported the following activity:

• **TRAUMA** was reported in the 1100 block of E. 11th Street. Two people were transported to SMMC.

• **TRAUMA** was reported in the 3200 block of Duke. Service refused.

MEDICAL was reported in the 1800 block of N.
Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.
MEDICAL was reported in the 1800 block of Nolan.

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• **MEDICAL** was reported in the 500 block of N.W. 10th Street. One person was transported to SMMC.

MEDICAL was reported in the 1200 block of Harding. One person was transported to SMMC.
TRAUMA was reported in the 1000 block of Lloyd. One person was transported to SMMC.
TRAUMA was reported in the 700 block of W. Interstate Highway 20. One person was transported to SMMC.

Bulletin Board

If you have items for the Bulletin board, contact the Herald news room at 263-7331 or email editor@bigspringherald.com

TODAY

• Dance at the Senior Center, 1901 Simler, from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Eagles Lodge Dance at 8:30 p.m. at 703 W. Third.

MONDAY

• Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. 21 meets at 5 p.m. at the First Christian Church at 10th and Goliad for weigh-in. The meeting begins at 5:30 p.m. Call 213-1342 or 263-6819.

• The Concerned Citizens Council meets at 7 p.m. at the Dorothy Lamb meeting room in the Howard County Library.

• Prospector's Club work night begins at 7 p.m. at 606 E. Third.

TUESDAY

• Big Spring Rotary Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room.

• The Powwow Committee of Big Spring meets at 7 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church annex, 809 Scurry, or the fellowship hall at 810 Scurry. Call Robert

Downing at 263-3255 for information.

WEDNESDAY

• Optimist Club meets at 7 a.m. in the Howard College Cactus Room.

• Free blood pressure screenings from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St., provided by InHome Care.

• Senior Circle meets at 10:30 a.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center for Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics. Those 50 years and older are invited to attend. Call 268-4721.

• Downtown Lions Club meets at noon at the Howard College Cactus Room.

• Duplicate Bridge Club meets at 1 p.m. in the Big Spring Country Club.

• Eagles Lodge Ladies Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. in the Eagles Lodge, 703 W. Third.

Weather

Tonight...Partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 50s. East winds 10 to 15 mph.

Saturday...Partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 80s. Southeast winds 10 to 15 mph.

Saturday night...Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 50s. South winds 15 to 20 mph shifting to the northeast 20 to 25 mph after midnight.

Sunday...Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Cooler. Highs in the mid 60s.

Sunday night...Mostly clear. Lows in the lower 40s. Monday...Sunny...Warmer. Highs in the upper 70s. Monday night...Partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 50s.

• Christ Community Fellowship is collecting infant car seats and carriers. These are given to new mothers who cannot afford them. To donate your old or new car seats and carriers, call Karen Allen at 263-3517 or leave a message at Christ Community Fellowship, 263-love. All donations are appreciated.

• New Life Ministries Church of God In Christ is holding a soup kitchen every second and fourth Tuesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at 204 N.W. 10th. The meal is free. Call 264-0771 for more information.

• Pediatric flu vaccinations for children ages 6 months to 35 months are now available at the Texas Department of State Health Services clinic in College Park Shopping Center. Cost is \$10, although no one will be turned away for inability to pay. For more information, call 263-9775.

• The Pet Patrol helps locate lost pets and owners of found pets. To volunteer or for more information, call Melanie Gambrell at 267-PETS (7387).

• Legal Aid of Northwest Texas is accepting appointments from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month. Individuals seeking legal advice for matters concerning family law, divorce, custody and child support issues, social security cases, employment and housing may contact the office to schedule an appointment. Criminal cases are not accepted. Anyone recently served with legal documents should call the office immediately at 800-926-5630 or 432-686-0647.

• Big Spring and surrounding counties are in critical need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 263-9669.



Tuesday...Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 80s. Tuesday night...Partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 50s. Wednesday...Sunny. Highs around 90.

Wednesday night...Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s.

Thursday...Mostly sunny. Highs in the lower 90s.

Support Groups

FRIDAY

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 615 Settles 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m.

Lottery

Results of the Cash 5 drawing Thursday night: Winning numbers drawn: 1-28-31-32-37. Number matching five of five: 0.

Results of the Texas Two Step drawing Thursday night:

Winning numbers drawn: 22-28-31-33. Bonus Ball: 7. Number matching four of four, plus Bonus Ball: 0.

The winning Daily 4 numbers drawn Thursday night by the Texas Lottery, in order: 5-2-3-6. Sum It Up: 16.

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday night by the Texas Lottery, in order: 6-1-5. Sum It Up: 12.



Service broadcast Morning Worship......11:00 a.m. over KBYG 1400 AM Evangelistic Service.....6:00 p.m. on your dial Wednesday Service.....7:00p.m.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous meets from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 5 p.m. until 6 p.m.

MONDAY

• Encourager's Support Group for all widows and widowers meets the first and third Monday of the month. For more information, call Nancy Hale at 398-5239.

• Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. 21 meets at 5 p.m. at the First Christian Church at 10th and Goliad for weigh-in. The meeting begins at 5:30 p.m. Call 213-1342 or 263-6819.

TUESDAY

•The Path, faith-based addiction recovery, meets at 6:30 p.m. at Spring Tabernacle Ministeries, 1209 Wright St.

• Life Recovery, a non-denominational Christian group of recovering alcoholics and addicts, meets at 7 p.m. at the St. Paul Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. and closed discussion meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.



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In order to get McFadden, Jones would have to trade both of those picks — plus some - to move into the top 10 and select the draft's best back.

While Jones won't try to get into the top five, rumors are still circulating he will to move up if McFadden were to drop to Pick 7 owned by New England.

Bad idea.

This is one of the deepest running back classes in recent memory. It's probably the second strongest position in the draft behind offensive tackles. Dallas can pick up a back that will compliment Barber just as well with their 22nd or, even better, 28th choice.

That presents the next problem presented by Arkansas' prospects. Most draftniks — an affectionate term used for draft analysts such as ESPN's Mel Kiper Jr. and Todd McShay — link Dallas' 22nd pick to Felix Jones.

Bad idea.

The Cowboys already dismissed one running back with the last name Jones this offseason. Unfortunately, a last

name isn't all that Julius and Felix share in common.

One of the reasons Julius was let go was his inability to run between the tackles. He's a horrid interior runner, who is easily arm tackled and rarely breaks away from a defender's grasps.

That's the same scouting report that can be delivered for Felix. While Felix is a very good kick returner and has great speed, he actually lacks elusiveness to go with that speed. Simply, if he doesn't outrun a defender, then he's not going to break tackles and pick up yards. Even with his 4.42 40-yard speed, he's not going to be quicker than NFL caliber linebackers.

Take Reggie Bush for example. Bush had mid-4.3 speed, but hasn't shown the ability to break tackles nor has he consistently outrun defenders. I see similar issues for Felix at the next level.

There are two worthy alternatives to Jones late in the first round – Texas' Jamaal Charles and East Carolina's Chris Johnson.

Johnson is my selection for Dallas, not only because of his 4.24 speed, but also because of his ability to break tackles

on the interior. The ECU product is faster and stronger than Jones. He has just as good of hands and isn't far behind the Arkansas back's ability to return kicks.

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If not Johnson, then I suggest Dallas stays instate and drafts Charles. Charles in one of the bigger home run threats in this class. Every time he touches the ball, there's a chance he's going to score. He's tough enough to carry the ball between the tackles and also has ability to return kicks something Jerry has made well known he wants to acquire in the draft.

If Jerry really has to sate his appetite for Hogs, then he should look later in the draft. Guard Robert Felton, defensive back Michael Grant, defensive tackle Marcus Harrison and wide receiver Marcus Monk are all possible draft picks in Rounds 3-7.

If Jones really thinks he has to have a Razorback in the backfield, then I suggest fullback Peyton Hillis, who would be the best receiving threat Dallas has had at that position since Richie Anderson left the 'Boys.

Here's my suggestion to the rest of the Cowboys' draft war room. Take

Jonathan Hull's 2008 Mock Draft (First round only)

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Jerry out for a big breakfast Saturday morning. Make sure he loads his plate with pounds of

31. Giants

bacon, sausage and ham. Maybe then his appetite for Hog will be quelled and Dallas can make the

right picks Saturday. Contact Sports Editor Jonathan Hull by calling 263-7331, ext. 237.

RANGERS

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Texas manager Ron Washington said. "Detroit has a great lineup, and if you give them an opportunity, someone's going to take it.'

For the second day in a row, Detroit's hitting was enough to overcome a bad outing by a key pitcher. After Kenny Rogers only lasted 3 1-3 innings in a 19-6 win, Jeremy Bonderman needed 111 pitchers to get through 4 1-3 innings. Bonderman only allowed two hits, but hit a batter and walked a career-worst seven.

"I was joking with Kenny that he and Bondo were taking years off my life," Leyland said. Zach Miner, though, followed with 3 1-3 hitless innings after entering the game with a 13.06 ERA.

"I felt like I owed the starters at least one game like that," he said.

Jason Jennings (0-4) allowed five runs on five hits and five

walks in five innings, raising his ERA to 7.46 in five starts. "This has been tough for us,"

said Jennings, who allowed both of Ordonez's homers. "I threw well for four innings, but then I made another bad pitch to Ordonez."

Michael Young homered for Texas in the first, as did Curtis Granderson for the Tigers.

Bonderman's control problems caught up with him in the fifth. After hitting Frank Catalanotto with a pitch and allowing a two-out single to Hank Blalock, Bonderman walked Jason Botts to load the bases, then walked David Murphy to force home the tying run.

Jeremy through five, but I just couldn't wait any longer," Leyland said. "You have to manage to win the game."

Ordonez, who hit a tiebreaking solo homer in the third, made it 5-2 with a three-run Littleton to Triple-A Oklahoma homer off Jennings in the fifth. Brandon Inge and Ryan Raburn hit consecutive home runs

against Kazuo Fukumori in the next inning.

Notes: Sheffield received another cortisone shot in his shoulder on Thursday, but was-"We were trying to milk n't sure when he might return to the lineup. ... The Rangers made a pair of roster moves before the game to try to bolster an overworked bullpen. They brought up Fukumori and Scott Feldman, optioned Wes and placed Kason Gabbard (back) on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to April 22.

ROCKETS

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at 86 on a foul shot with 3:29 left, then gave the Rockets the lead with two more from the line with 2:50 remaining. He added a 19-foot jumper with 2:16 to go — his first fourthquarter field goal of the series — then followed with a 20-footer to give the Rockets a 92-86 lead. As he was shooting, Landry was drawing a foul on Andrei Kirilenko away from the ball. The counted and basket Landry made the free throw to convert the unusual three-point play and give Houston a 93-86 lead.

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cuting our game plan. We Scola, who was fouled and went 1-for-2 from the line took away what we wantwith 0.2 seconds left. McGrady tied the game

After a timeout, the Jazz threw away the inbounds

halftime. ... The Jazz were off record. 10-for-17 (59 percent) from

Washington will also the foul line in the first host Game 4 on Sunday. LeBron James finished with 22 points on 10-for-19

points and 12 rebounds for the Magic, who lead the best-of-seven series 2-1. Hedo Turkoglu added 24 points and Rashard

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Carlos Boozer had 15 points and 13 rebounds, and Mehmet Okur scored 12 and pulled down 11 boards for the Jazz, whose poor free throw shooting caught up with them in the fourth quarter when McGrady started scoring.

The Jazz went 20-for-33 from the foul line, getting 11 more chances than Houston (16-for-22) but failing to capitalize.

"Free throws definitely hurt us. You lose a game by two points and you miss 13 free throws, it's definitely frustrating," Williams said.

The poor shooting from the line and the resurgence of McGrady were enough to guarantee the Rockets will be hosting a Game 5 next week.

"No one thought we could win in Utah. I don't like the term 'stole' because that implies that we didn't play well," said Houston's Shane Battier, who scored 12. "We finally did a good job of exe-

But the Jazz weren't done.

Kyle Korver hit a 3pointer, McGrady was called for an offensive foul and Okur hit another 3 to draw the Jazz within 93-92 with 37 seconds left. McGrady missed at the other end and the Jazz had a chance to win, but Landry blocked Williams' shot from the lane and the rebound went to Luis



Scola had 16 points and 10 rebounds.

Ronnie Brewer scored 12 and Matt Harpring added 10 points for the Jazz.

Notes: Alston returned after missing four games with a strained right hamstring and made his first five shots, including three 3-pointers. ... After opening the game 9-for-29, the Jazz closed the second quarter on a 6-for-9 stretch to tie it at 44. ... Houston held Utah without a field goal for the first 5:07 of the second quarter. ... Thursday was the first time in the series Houston did not trail at

Wizards 108, Cavaliers 72

half.

WASHINGTON D.C. -DeShawn Stevenson scored 19 points. Caron Butler added 17, highlighted by an incredible layup move in the first half, and the Washington Wizards took themselves off the ropes by beating Cleveland 108-72 on Thursday night, cutting the Cavaliers' lead to 2-1 in the first-round series.

One game after setting a franchise playoff record with a 30-point win in Game 2, the Cavaliers set another team postseason mark by losing by 36. The margin of victory also set a Wizards franchise play-

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shooting from the field and 2-for-4 from the line. also had seven He rebounds, three assists and four turnovers.

Raptors 108, Magic 94

TORONTO - T.J. Ford scored 21 points, Jose Calderon had 18 points and 13 assists, and Toronto beat Orlando in Game 3 of their firstround playoff series.

Dwight Howard had 19

Lewis had 19.

Jamario Moon had 11 points and 10 rebounds in his return to the starting lineup for Toronto, while Chris Bosh and Jason Kapono each scored 15 points and Anthony Parker 10.

The Raptors finished 12for-34 from 3-point range and set playoff highs for points in a game and a half (61). Game 4 is Saturday afternoon in Toronto.

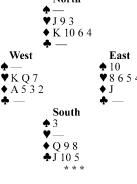


By Steve Becker

Test Your Play

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trumps, and West leads the king of	a
hearts. How can declarer win six of	b
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trick to fulfill his mission. 1. There is no way to be certain of

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the location of the missing queen of clubs, but it is easy to assure the contract by exercising reasonable care. All you have to do is to win the first trick with the heart jack and lead a ow club to dummy's king, planning o take a club finesse through South ext. If the finesse wins, you are cerain of 10 tricks. If it loses, you are till sure of nine tricks, whatever Jorth returns.

South is the defender you can't afford to have on lead, since he might be able to do you in with a heart eturn through your K-8. You thereore play the clubs so that if you do ose a trick to the queen, North will e the player who winds up on lead. 2. Declarer ruffs the heart lead and returns the queen of diamonds. West cannot afford to take the ace, which would greatly simplify declarer's task, so he plays low. South overtakes the queen with the king, ruffs the nine of hearts in his hand and leads the nine of diamonds Again West must follow low, whereupon South overtakes the nine with the ten and ruffs dummy's last heart. Now South leads the eight of diamonds. West has the A-5 of dia-

monds at this point, while dummy has the 6-4. Whatever West does, declarer wins one more diamond Đ



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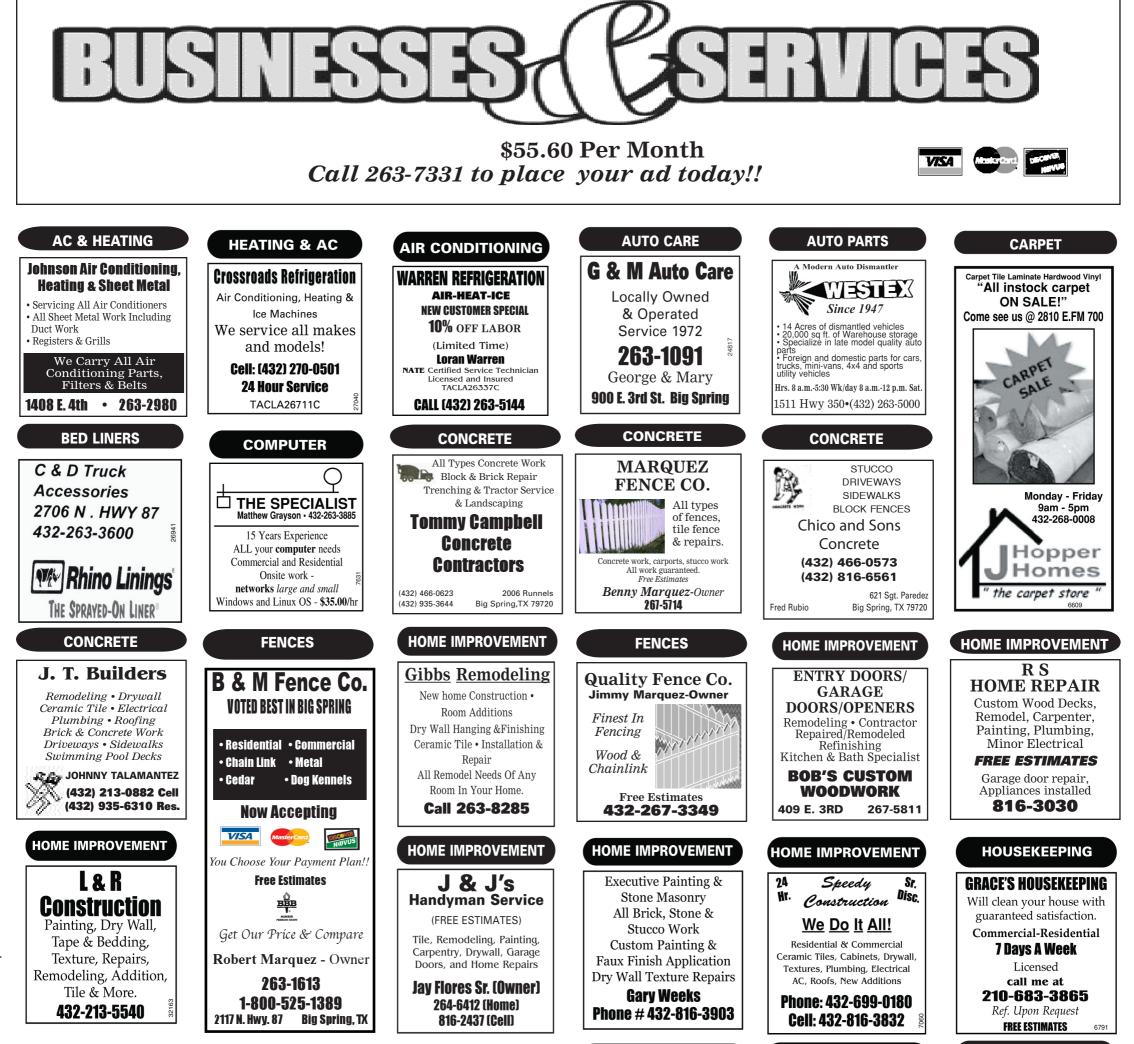


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#5759 April 25, 2008

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ELECTION (A VISO DE ELECCION GENERAL) To the Registered Voters of FOR-

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(A los votantes registrados de (EL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDE-PENDIENTE DE COAHOMA, Texas:)

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Howard County Elections Administrator #5760 April 25, 2008



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LOCAL/WIRE

Cars, Stars and Handlebars Goes Wild on tap tonight

Special to the Herald

Big Spring State Hospital's most successful fund-raiser of the year is scheduled tonight at the Big Spring Country Club.

The event begins at 5 p.m. with a buffet and music provided by numerous bands on the club patio.

Last year, more than \$30,000 was raised to fund a Patient Meditation Garden which is nearly completed, Billie Christie-Morgan said.

Patients will use the area for

she noted. auiet time, Volunteers are frequent donors to the hospital's Greenhouse program, which also planted trees and a butterfly Garden Friday during Arbor Day ceremonies.

Donations raised during tonight's event help with many areas of the hospital, including the horticulture program, Big Spring State Hospital Activity Therapies Therapist Debby Cook said.

"They get the experience of growing something that will last, that they can show their

friends, and that all can enjoy," she said. "The courtyard is an area for stress management, tranquility, meditation and relaxation. Being around nature is good for all of these purposes. Also, we are helping them understand about the ecosystem and the benefits of preserving nature."

Funds from this year's event will fund additional patient projects, Christie-Morgan said. "Right now, we are just planning on everything to make this event as popular and as fun as last year.'

KOSA-TV News Anchor Jay Hendricks will return to assist Cars and Stars and Handlebars Goes Wild Chairman Stacy Barr and hospital superintendent Ed Moughon with the event.

Each \$100 donation gives the ticket holder and one guest entry into the Big Spring Country Club and be eligible for door prizes and a new vehicle.

The winning ticket holder has a choice between a 2008 Nissan Altima, a 2008 Chevrolet Crew Cab Pick-up, a 2008 Pontiac Torrent or a 2008 Harley-Davidson motorcycle.

The Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council introduced the Cars and Stars event to the Big Spring community after a successful 20-year run of the volunteer-led Denim and Diamonds event.

Bands playing on the patio will be Scott McLaughlin and Band, The Rainwaters and George Bancroft.

Tickets will be available at tonight's event.

Heflin appointed to committee on Property Tax Relief and Appraisal Reform

HERALD Staff Report

AUSTIN — Speaker Tom Craddick appointed Rep. Joe Heflin to the Select Committee on Property Tax Relief and Appraisal Reform today. The committee will oversee all matters related to tax relief and reforming system.

"Rep. Heflin's appointment ensures that West Texas taxpayers have strong representation on committee," this Craddick said. "He is a well-respected lawmaker who will work hard with the other committee

the property appraisal members as they come up purposes. It may request with a solution to this issue.'

The committee will review the sections of the Texas Constitution and the tax code that limit or authorize limiting the appraised value or increases in the appraised value of property for tax assistance from any executive branch agency, and it will issue a report to the House of Representatives before Legislative the 81st Session, which may include draft legislation or recommendations for legislation.

Salvation Army fund-raiser dinner planned Wednesday

A Mexican dinner to raise funds for the Salvation Army's programs in Big Spring has been scheduled for 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Salvation Army's corps building located at 811 W. Fifth St.

The dinners are priced at \$6 per plate and include enchiladas, a taco, beans and rice. Take out orders will be available.

For more information, call the Salvation Army office at 267-8239.

News Briefs

FLDS mothers protest state action

ELDORADO (AP) — Mothers from a polygamous sect described an emotional, rushed scene when they were forced from the shelter where they had been staying with their young children since the state removed them from their homes.

"My two oldest were just terrified and they clung to me saying, 'Mother, mother, we want to go with you," said Ruth, her voice breaking as she began to cry. She and other members of the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints who spoke outside the sect's ranch Thursday declined to give their last names, fearing it will affect their custody cases.

Dozens of mothers were bused away from their children at the San Angelo Coliseum on Thursday after their legal efforts to stay united were rejected. Texas officials were preparing to move the last of the more than 400 children taken from the sect's ranch to group homes, shelters and residences, some hundreds of miles away, over the next few days.

Texas' 3rd Court of Appeals Thursday rejected the mothers' pleas to immediately stop authorities from busing the children taken from the ranch to foster homes

The Austin-based court agreed to hear arguments Tuesday, but attorney Robert Doggett, who represents 48 mothers, said that "having a hearing after the fact" was pointless.

The Yearning For Zion Ranch in Eldorado, south of San Angelo, is owned by the FLDS, a renegade Mormon sect.

Texas officials allege that the sect encourages adolescent girls to marry older men and have children, and that boys are groomed to become future perpetrators. Sect members deny the allegations.

least two unnecessary surgeries.

Laurie Williamson, 40, was convicted Thursday of injury to a child in connection with her son undergoing surgeries for implantation of a nerve-stimulation device and insertion of a gastric feeding button.

She now faces possible life in prison. Testimony in the punishment phrase of the trial began late Thursday and is set to resume Tuesday, the Houston Chronicle reports in its Friday editions.

State child welfare officials and prosecutors have said Williamson has Munchausen syndrome by proxy, a rare disorder in which a person fabricates or induces symptoms in others to gain attention.

Defense attorney Allen Isbell has denied that Williamson has the syndrome.

Prosecutor Mike Trent said Williamson manipulated doctors and her son's condition to get the surgeries.

Matriarch of San Antonio restaurant family slain

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The 76-year-old matriarch of a San Antonio restaurant family has been discovered slain in her home after firefighters responded to a fire there.

A police spokesman said that forensic evidence indicated Viola B. Barrios, whose body was found Thursday, had been killed. But he declined to release any details, including what injuries she sustained. Police said that Barrios' silver Mercedes was missing from the home.

Officials said the rear of her house was intentionally set afire.

known, but her son, Louis Barrios, said he suspects a botched burglary.

"It's just amazing to me that this has happened," Louis Barrios, 47, said through tears.

Her son, chief executive officer of Los Barrios Enterprises Inc., told the San Antonio Express-News for its Friday editions that his mother's life "represented the opposite of her death, not taking, but giving.'

Wesley Snipes sentenced to 3 years for tax convictions; tax bill still being sorted out

OCALA, Fla. (AP) – Wesley Snipes called on famous friends to vouch for him, highlighted his clean criminal record and even wrote the government \$5 million in checks — all in an effort to convince a judge that his conviction on tax charges should cost him nothing more than home detention and some public service announcements.

None of it worked. The "Blade" actor was ordered to do hard time.

Snipes was sentenced to three years in prison Thursday for failing to file tax returns, the maximum penalty — and a victory for prosecutors who sought to make an example of the action star.

Snipes' lawyers had spent much of the day in court offering dozens of letters from family members, friends - even fellow actors Woody Harrelson and Denzel Washington — attesting to his good character. His attorneys recommended he be given home detention and ordered to make public service announcements because his three convictions were all misdemeanors and the actor had no previous criminal record. But U.S. District Judge William Terrell Hodges said Snipes exhibited a "history of contempt over a period of time" for U.S. tax laws, and granted prosecutors the three-year sentence they requested — one year for each of Snipes' convictions of willfully failing to file a tax return from 1999-2001.

Spring mother found guilty in child-injury trial

HOUSTON (AP) - A Harris County jury has found that a Spring woman caused her young son to have at

Barrios started Los Barrios as a young widow in 1979, hoping to support her three children. For nearly 30 years she worked seven days a week, making tortillas and enchiladas and managing the restaurant that became one of San Antonio's best-known.

In just two weeks she was set to move out of the modest home her husband had built to a large estate.

Authorities said a motive for the slaying is not yet

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plain truth," said Sullivan, who, along with his firefighters, had been fighting fire after fire until recent rains quelled the outbreak of wildfires. "I also called them in because I didn't want to run into a situation where my firefighters come under suspicion."

A trio of Big Spring men — two of which were formerly firefighters with the HCVFD — were arrested in January and charged with arson after using fireworks to start several grass fires in the county.

Sullivan said firefighters being charged with arson is nothing new, but hopes January's incident doesn't diminish the public's view of him and his department.

"It's called Hero Syndrome, and it's something you constantly have

to be on the lookout for in this line of work," said Sullivan, referring to firefighters who set fires so they can boost their ego by extinguishing them. "We had a well-documented case of that 25 years ago. In the case back in January, however, it wasn't Hero Syndrome. It's was just kids doing it for the thrill."

Sullivan said he has already cleared all of his firefighters in the recent rash of fires, but wants the investigation handled by an outside source.

While the number of grass fires has slowed down considerably since the area received approximately one inch of rain earlier this month, Sullivan said it could get worse if mother nature doesn't send some more wet stuff.

"That inch of rain we got helped green things up just a little, and that helped a lot," said Sullivan. "However, if we don't get some more rain

soon, all that green stuff is going to die out and we're going to be in the same condition we were in before. We have to get some more substantial rain.'

Sullivan said one of the most important things county residents can do to protect their homes against wildfire is to make sure brush and other debris is cleared away from the structure.

"Make sure there's as little fuel around the home as possible," said Sullivan. "Make sure there aren't any large quantities of dried grass or weeds, or any other combustible material, close to your house.

"Fire prevention is more of a proactive thing than a reactive thing, because once a fire starts it's too late. I see a lot of homes with trees and brush around them, and one thing they can do to help protect their home is make fire breaks - simply mowing around the structure — so the volunteer fire fighters will have a more defendable space if something happens."

the meantime, In Sullivan said local residents need to remain vigilant of fire dangers throughout Howard County and the surrounding areas.

"I really hope people aren't getting a false sense of security," said Sullivan. "The danger is still very much there, and if people get careless we're going to be in big trouble."

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OPINION

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"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

-FIRST AMENDMENT

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OUR VIEWS

We salute:

Each week, the Herald salutes individuals and groups from our community and area who have been recognized for special achievements or accomplishments.

We recognize these special people for working to help make our region a better place to live, work and play

This week we salute:

• Howard County Master Gardeners and Keep Big Spring Beautiful on sprucing up downtown by planting flowers at the courthouse Saturday.

• Big Spring High School Honor Band on winning a Sweepstakes Trophy from the University Interscholastic League a fifth straight year after receiving top marks in marching, concert and sightreading competition. And that's not all — the group was joined by the Symphonic and Concert bands, which also won Sweepstakes. Special congrats to BSHS Band Director Rocky Harris and assistants Sam Hale and Shannon Chance.

• Big Spring High School student Hannah Weber. who placed first in the Environmental Management category at the Exxon/Mobil Texas Science and Engineering Fair in San Antonio. In doing so, she won a full scholarship to the Governor's Science and Technology Champions' Academy. Way to go,

He was one of the good guys

hen I first started in the journalism business, I was truly a step beyond green. I didn't know anyone in Big Spring, having just moved here from the East Coast, and I was struggling to learn the Associated

Press style of writing. Needless to say, being handed the city

and county government beat at the Big Spring Herald was daunting, almost overwhelming.

And, having grown up in South Carolina, my feelings toward law enforcement were a bit jaded. Where I'm from, law enforce-

ment officials were all business and friendliness didn't rank high among their list of qualities.

And, with that in mind, I headed down to the Big Spring Police Department to do my first — and I feared at the time, my last – interview with a law enforcement official. I was somewhat nervous, and I fully expected the same coldshoulder, "no comment" treatment I would have received back in my home state.

Lucky for me, that interview was with Sgt. Roger Sweatt, the public information officer with the BSPD.

Roger's office was squeezed into the back of the criminal investigations division, resembling a cubbyhole with a desk and phone.

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Roger's smile was disarming, instantly putting me at ease. His somewhat slow and deliberate speech during the interview, which some might have taken for condescending, was a Godsend for a new reporter struggling to develop a makeshift shorthand and get all the details straight.

Knowing very, very little about law enforcement — ranging from the investigators' process to the case's trip through the court system — I had plenty of questions that would leave even a layman feeling like a law enforcement trivia king, but Roger happily answered them all, elaborating where it was needed.

I left the police department that day with a renewed hope I could be a successful journalist in Big Spring, and I owe that to Roger.

During the following years, as I progressed as a writer and spent more than four years as a television news anchor, I got to know Roger even more, and that same scene played out time after time, with him helping me along with a smile and sharp wit.

Many times, with a particularly disturbing crime before us, it was hard for either of us to do little more than stare and shake our heads. And other times, when the crimes took a more humorous and odd direction, we laughed together.

It takes a very strange sense of humor to be a journalist or law enforcement officer, just in case

you're wondering.

Eventually, Roger moved into a new position at the BSPD, but thanks to his involvement in Crimestoppers, we were able to keep in touch over the last few years. After a decade covering Big Spring and Howard County, I regarded him more as a colleague than a contact, a friend I could call on when I had a question I thought was silly.

After years of health problems, Roger passed away this week.

And while his passing saddens me beyond words, I can still smile because I know the world myself included — is better off having known him.

In the course of his career at the BSPD, Roger touched countless lives, many at a time when they were ready to cave in and call it quits. His kind words and encouragement — whether to a victim of a crime of a youth trying to escape lawless ways — will serve as a beacon to scores of rookie police officers looking to carve out a name for themselves in the Crossroads area.

A veteran of the BSPD more than 28 years, Roger set the bar pretty high.

And he will be remembered - at least by this journalist — as one of the good guys.

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honors for their volunteer service with the Big Spring State Hospital. Also to Suzanne Markwell for receiving The Wizard Award and Ruth Nanny on her Dorothy Award and Kathy Sheppard on the BSSH Rookie Award. And of course, we must single Ruth out as recipient of the Jack Y. Smith Award – the state hospital's highest honor. Congratulations to these folks and all of the many volunteers at BSSH.

Is there an individual or organization in our community that you feel should be saluted? If so, please send us their name and why you think they should be recognized. We must have your name and telephone number and you *must provide it in writing.*

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A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

We will know when to pull back, Lord, when we walk in Your path.

ost folks in the world wouldn't know anything about Dutch Harbor, Alaska, or its small town called Unalaska, Alaska. But now millions tune in every week and click the world-

wide waste of time looking for anything they can find. Dutch Harbor is the home base for the fisherman documented through a hit TV show called "Deadliest Catch."

The weekly series TROY on the Discovery Channel follows eight BREWER to 10 crab fishing boats and their crews throughout the dangerous crab

fishing seasons. The king crab they fish for, frequently called "red crab" or "red gold" only comes to the surface after 16-hour work days in what could be lethal conditions.

The fourth season just started last week and the Brewer is a big fan. My favorite boat is the Time Bandit but I also like Captain Sig Hansen's team of the Northwestern. I don't get to watch every episode but I catch one or two a month and love it every time.

The Perils of Fishing

Last year the producers of the show were able to document the rescue of a man that fell off his boat and was miraculously rescued by the crew on the Time Bandit. Others have not been so fortunate. A boat featured in season one, The Big Valley, sank at the start of the 2005 season; five of the six crewmen died. It was a terrible, tragic loss.

Whatever the reason, the risk and the consequences of error or just being in the Bering Sea in January are absolutely real. I would like to think I could "man up" and do that, but I know in my heart I couldn't. I'm too old and

too fat and I get seasick way too easy. I love to fish and I love adventure but I have learned you don't have to move to Dutch Harbor for dangerous adventures in fishing.

Sleeps With the Fishes

Through the years, there have been all kinds of documented reports of how serious fishing can be. From "The Perfect Storm" to "Moby Dick," there are some whoppers out there.

There is a famous story about a guy named Marshall Jenkins surviving after being ingested by a huge whale in the South Seas during the fall of 1771. As the Boston Post Boy newspaper reported on Oct. 14, 1771, a whaling vessel from the port of Edgartown, Mass., harpooned a whale that turned and attacked its pursuers.

First, the whale bit into one of the boats, then swallowed Jenkins and submerged. When the enormous whale finally rose again to the surface, the whale vomited Jenkins onto the floating wreckage of the broken harpoon boat, "much bruised but not seriously injured." Jonah, eat your heart out.

Fishing for Men

As dangerous as it is to fish for sea creatures, there are about 40 countries in this world where it is much more dangerous to be a Christian and fish for men.

The metaphor of fishing was used by Jesus himself and in a lot of places in the world; a Christian is still the deadliest catch. People don't realize that while places like Saudi Arabia are funding millions to build mosques all over Europe, they will execute anyone trying to build a church in Saudi Arabia.

Fishing, especially for Christians, is still perilous.

One of my favorite fish stories is about a guy named Wally Magdanga. He was arrested in Saudi Arabia for being the pastor of one of the largest underground Christian churches in the land of

Mecca. The most wanted man to the Saudi government's secret police was a pastor that dared to print tracts with Bible verses. He had the audacity to give people the good news of Jesus Christ in a country controlled by Muslims something that is never permitted in a country controlled by Muslims and this, of all places, the home of Mecca.

The day they tore down his front door, assaulted his wife and children and arrested all of them is a day Pastor Wally will never forget. Sitting in the back seat of a secret policeman's car, about to be taken off and tortured, the officer in the front seat turned around smiling.

"I have finally caught the big fish," he gloated through yellow teeth

"No," Pastor Wally replied, "You have only caught a little fisherman."

Illegal Fishing

There are at least 40 nations in the world right now where Christians are routinely imprisoned, tortured and even executed.

The worst place for Christian persecution in the world is North Korea, according to Open Doors' 2008 World Watch List. The annual country persecution list ranked North Korea in the No. 1 spot for the sixth year in a row.

In second place behind North Korea is the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia where fundamentalist Wahabbi Islam dominates society and oppresses believers. Under the kingdom's strict interpretation of Islamic law, apostasy (conversion to another religion) is still punishable by death.

The 2008 Top 10 worst offenders list for atrocities against Christians looks like this: 1. North Korea, 2. Saudi Arabia, 3. Iran, 4. Maldives, 5. Bhutan, 6. Yemen, 7. Afghanistan, 8. Laos, 9. Uzbekistan and 10. China,

The Rev. Troy Brewer welcomes your comments. He can be reached at www.freshfromthebrewer.com.



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RELIGION

Church News

St. Mary's **Episcopal Church**

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St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad, is having a yard sale Saturday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Everyone is invited. Proceeds will fund variof the ous projects Episcopal Church Women's group.

Everyone is invited to attend worship services at St. Mary's this Sunday. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m.

For more information about St. Mary's Episcopal Church, call 267-8201.

First United Methodist Church

It's finally here; the children's spring musical at both services of worship this Sunday at First Methodist. Simon Peter is on trial after being charged with fraud for preaching and teaching that Jesus is the Son of God and Savior. New Testament characters present amazing testimonies witness from eye Lazarus, accounts James and John, the Samaritan Woman, Mary and Martha all offering evidence that Jesus is who He says He is. Don't miss it, bring your kin folks and neighbors; it will certainly be worth your time. Miz Stacy and the children have been working long and hard on "Simon Says, The Rockin' Trial of Simon Peter," at 8:30 a.m. and 10:50 a.m. in the sanctuary.

At noon Thursday, May 1. Garrett Hall will be the scene of the observance community's our of National Day of Prayer. Bring your sack lunch and join the leaders of our town as we unite our voices in prayer for our country. Drinks will be provided in the cool comfortable

have one or more free. The Rev. Richardson will be sending more details soon about our CARE process soon to be undertaken. This was voted on and everyone agreed to follow his advice.

Thanks have been received from Chaplain Nuckols of LSA Anaconda, Iraq for the last goodies he received for distribution. April care package items are: Duct Tape - green, blackor gray; chewing gum of all kinds; lens cleaners; AT&T phone card fund. St. Paul is located at 810 Scurry. The pastor is Wayne Frost. Our phone

Birdwell Lane Baptist Church

number is 267-7163.

If you are looking for a church to worship in we invite you to visit us at 1512 Birdwell Lane.

Sunday worship services are at 10:55 a.m. and 5 p.m. A nursery is provided. Children's Church is during Sunday Morning worship for 4-9 years of age. Midweek service is at 7 p.m. Wednesday. For a ride to church, call 264-9924 or 267-7157.

For further information call 267-7157 or 267-8214.

First Presbyterian Church, Coahoma

Worship services on the sixth Sunday of Easter are at 11 a.m. as usual, with Tom Koger preaching. Lectionary for the day is Acts 17:22-31; Psalm 66:8-20; I Peter 3:13-22; John 14:15-21.

First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

A good crowd stayed after worship last Sunday to welcome the Rev. Bert Bronaugh and his wife Joyce as our interim pastor. His last pastorate before retiring was in Ballinger. Joyce is currently serving as moderaof Presbyterian tor Women in Tres Rios Presbytery. Monday, April 21, the Committee, Worship headed by Marj Carpenter, met at 5:30 p.m.; and the Session met at 6 p.m. Tuesday, members of the Service Committee bought and delivered groceries for six families. Wednesday, Bible study at 5:17 p.m., youth group at 6 p.m., and choir at 6 p.m. were held as usual. Helen Glass, Jo Dell Myrick and Pat Fleming announced that Networkers Mother's Day Cards are here. The cards, which sell for whatever donation one wishes to give, are part of a program to raise money for malaria prevention. A donation of \$10 will buy a mosquito net that may save lives in many parts of the world.

ship Sunday. The choir will offer the anthem "Softly and Tenderly" arranged by Gilbert Martin. During the offertory, they will sing "Alleluia! Christ Has Triumphed" by Carl Mueller. The lectionary is Acts

17:22-31; Psalm 66:8-20; I Peter 3:13-22; John 14:15-21.

The National Day of Prayer

This year's local observance of The National Day of Prayer will be Thursday, May 1 from noon to 12:45 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, in Garrett Hall. Testimonies of untold refinery miracles will celebrate how God is working in our community, while building peoples' faith to unite in prayer with local emergency Howard responders, County Commissioners Court, Big Spring City Council, Chamber of Commerce, local farmers and other groups who recognize the intensity of our needs.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to bring their own bag lunch. For more information on this observance, as well as information on how to unite in 24 hours of prayer as a community, go to the Web site www.hcchurch.org or contact any local church.

Big Spring Chapter of Church Women United

May Friendship Day is May 3 at 11 a.m. "God's Wisdom Inspires Hospitality" will be held in Father Beasley Hall, Immaculate Heart of Marv location of Holv Trinity Parish, 1009 Hearn

What does it really mean to provide hospitality as faith-filled women? This theme calls us to look at hospitality from perspectives. different Through sharing scriptures and discussion, it is our hope that all will be called to a deeper understanding of what it truly means to provide hospitality. Through local speakers, CWU invites you to look at hospitality: In Your and through Home Friendship, presented by Kathy Salazar and In Your Community, presented by Tammy Burrow Schrecengost. Come and join the ladies of CWU on this Saturday as we "live" the theme for "May Friendship Day." Lunch will be served following the program.

Taking flight

t was a gusty day in West Texas when I was asked to help release one of two white doves as part of a victims rally during National Crime Victims Awareness Week. "On the count of three, throw the dove up in the air," the event coordinator

instructed, placing a frightened bird in my hand.

As I gripped the dove with both hands so it wouldn't escape prematurely, the man took a second dove from the same pet-store box and handed it to another woman who was to also release a dove in memory of crime victims. "One, two, three," he counted his voice barely audible above the roar of the wind.

As I heaved the intimidated dove into the air, it flapped against the wind and headed for refuge in the nearest tree. The other bird was not as eager to take flight. On the count of three, it settled to the ground and tried to stay there. It took three attempts and the assistance of several people to get the bird launched into the air.

Leaving the hand that had freed it, the reluctant bird made a horizontal

Worship service begins at 10 a.m. with our music minister, choir and musicians offering a mixture of contemporary and traditional music sure to uplift your soul. This is followed by our pastor teaching scripture-based lessons that will bless you.

Dare-To-Care The Outreach Ministry happens at 2 p.m. this Sunday. DTC will be happening the first and third Sunday afternoons at 2 p.m. beginning in May.

Wednesday nights, you are invited to join us at 6:30 p.m. for an interactive instruction by Kim Shafer on "How to Powerful Develop a Prayer Life," authored by Gregory Frizzel, in the sanctuary for adults. For the youth, there is "Youth Explosion!" with pizza fellowship/praise and worship/Biblical message addressing hot topics in "Salt Shaker." the earn Children can

flight only a few feet above the ground. When the other flight assistants and I returned to our seats, I noticed the forlorn-looking dove nestled on the ground behind a bush.

On the way home that night, I couldn,t help thinking about the white doves that I had helped to victimize by releasing them into a sandstorm. They had left the security of a cage inside a temperature-controlled pet store where they received regularly scheduled meals only to be tossed into a high wind where they would have to fend for themselves. Perhaps those poor, startled doves will eventually learn to enjoy their freedom, but initially they didn't show any signs of wanting to be liberated into such an adverse environment.

Sometimes Christians face the same dilemma. The opportunities that come our way may seem more like challenges, but the Scripture admonishes us to face the winds of adversity courageously. The apostle Paul wrote to his understudy, Timothy: For God has not given us a spirit of timidity, but of power and love and discipline. (2 Timothy 1:7 NASB) When circumstances force us to try our wings, we must either take flight away from what we perceive as challenges or fly straight into the opportunities God gives us.

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Fellowship Hall also on Wednesday nights. Special events coming up include a youth fundraiser car wash from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 3 in the fellowship hall parking lot. Do not miss our first annual "Biker Sunday" May 4 for all motorcycle enthusiasts at 10 a.m. And also, children's camp at Camp Arrowhead in July.

Call our church office for details at 267-7015. God is waiting to bless you!

Baker's **Chapel Church**

Baker's Chapel Church will be recognizing Blue

neglect.

Our speaker will be Thompson-Katrina Griggs. A native of Big Spring, she is employed with the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services. Everyone is invited. Please wear some blue. Music will be provided by the Paige Sisters.

Baker's Chapel is located at 911 N. Lancaster.

Spring Creek Fellowship

In this world it is so easy to feel like we don't fit in and don't connect with other people. God has brought together a group of people at Spring Creek Fellowship where where you will be able to connect with others in a loving and caring fellowship. You will find out why we say that SCF is where you can make con-

setting of Garrett Hall.

Saturday, May 3, all Methodist churches in the Big Spring District will gather at Forrest Park in Lamesa for the Big Event. Fun, food and fellowship will be the order of the day with our own youth director Brent Williams in charge of a number of activities including the popular Guitar Hero. For further information on scheduling of the Big Event, contact our church office at 267-6394.

Our Relay For Life team is selling We Remember Shane T-shirts. This is a fund-raiser for our team and a very practical way to remember our special pastor who lost his valiant battle with cancer. The local Relay For Life is scheduled for May 16-17 at Blankenship Field.

If you are looking for a church home, now's the time. Come visit us at Fourth and Scurry in the heart of downtown Big Spring.

St. Paul Lutheran Church

Worship services are at 9 a.m. Sunday and 6:45 p.m. Wednesday. Sunday school and adult Bible classes are at 10:15 a.m.

The last potluck dinner until the fall will be Sunday at 6 p.m.

The Lutheran Hour is on 1070 AM at 7:30 a.m. Sunday.

Bible classes continue during the week.

We are so proud of our new Lutheran hymnals. Our blue Lutheran worship hymnals are available. You may have donated several or received one \oplus in memory of a loved one. Please check to see if they are still there. You may

The Rev. Bronaugh will preach at the 11 a.m. wor-

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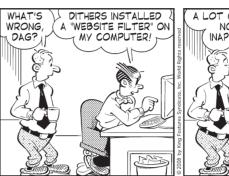


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This Date In History

Today is Friday, April 25, the 116th day of 2008. There are 250 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 25, 1945, during World War II, U.S. and Soviet forces linked up on the Elbe River, a meeting that dramatized the collapse of Nazi Germany's defenses. On this date:

In 1507, German cartographer Martin Waldseemueller used the term "America" on a world map to refer to the huge land mass in the Western Hemisphere, in honor of Italian navigator Amerigo Vespucci.

In 1792, highwayman Nicolas Jacques Pelletier became the first person under French law to be executed by the guillotine.

In 1901, New York Gov. Benjamin Barker Odell Jr. signed an automobile registration bill which imposed a 15 mph speed limit on highways. In 1908, broadcast journalist Edward R. Murrow was born in Polecat Creek, N.C.

In 1915, during World War I Allied soldiers invaded the Gallipoli Peninsula in an unsuccessful attempt to take the Ottoman Empire out of the war.

In 1945, delegates from some 50 countries met in San Francisco to organize the United Nations.

In 1959, the St. Lawrence Seaway opened to shipping. In 1983, Soviet leader Yuri V Andropov invited Samantha Smith to visit his country after receiving a letter in which the Manchester, Maine, schoolgir expressed fears about nuclear war.

Today's Birthdays: Movie director-writer Paul Mazursky

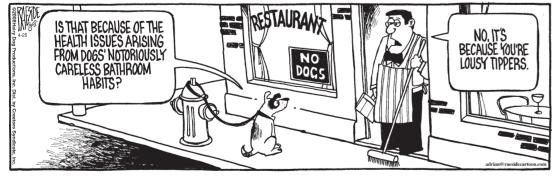
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Club News



Ruby Bruns shows her painting, done on silk, during the Big Spring Art Association meeting.

Big Spring Art Association

The Big Spring Art Association held its monthly meeting April 15 at the Howard County Library.

The voting committee presented nominees for officers for the upcoming year: President, Ruby Bruns; vice president, Linda Rupard Irvin; treasurer, Estelle Howard; secretary, Belle Schooler; newsletter, Jean Money; and publicity, Rose Hallmark. The final vote will be at the May meeting.

The upcoming fall members' art show to be held at the Heritage Museum was discussed. Kay Smith is the chairman of the fall art show.

Ruby Bruns presented the program this month. She discussed how she paints on silk and demonstrated how. Next month, Kay Smith will present the program on watercolor.

All persons interested in art are invited to come. BSAA meets the third Tuesday evening of each month at 7 p.m. in the Howard County Library basement.

Daughters of the American Revolution

The Capt. Elisha Mack Chapter, DAR, met April 12 at the Big Spring Country Club. Regent Charlene Ragan presided. Hostesses were Carole Lawson and Charlene Ragan, who decorated the tables with red geraniums and patriotic garlands.

Sue Ann Damron gave the program, titled The Reinterment of John Paul Jones. The small cemetery for foreign-born Protestants in which Jones was buried in 1792 was closed, filled in, and built upon within a few years after his death. Gen. Horace Porter, the U.S. ambassador to France, spent six years locating the grave and verifying the remains.

Given a resplendent send-off by the French in 1905, Jones' corpse was escorted to America by an entire squadron of American warships and re-interred in a massive marble sarcophagus amid pomp and fanfare at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland. Damron displayed a photo of Jones' crypt and gave the Internet site where a photo of his corpse can be superimposed on a bust of Jones by Houdon, so that the members could judge for themselves if it really is Jones buried in the crypt. Damron announced that Stefanie Joy, winner of the Texas VA Youth Volunteer Award, has been named the national winner.

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CHURCH

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nections for life - here and in the hereafter!

Our fellowship begins at 9 a.m. Sundays for donuts and coffee, followed by Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.

Service begins at 10:45 a.m., led in music by worship pastor Stan Hanes. Our pastor is Dennis Teeters, who is preaching a series of sermons on "Heart Conditions, The Danger of Heart Attacks." We are a praying church and your needs are important to God and to us. Time is devoted to prayer in our worship time and is led by our student minister, Chris Tucker.

We have a great children's church during the worship time. Your kids are special to us.

Join us at 5 p.m. Wednesday for a fellowship meal. At 6:15 p.m., we have a Bible study for adults, a worship time for teenagers and children's choirs.

We welcome Carson Tucker to our church family. Carson was born to Chris and Sandy Tucker April 16.

You get to SCF by going down I-20 to the Salem exit. Take a left at the overpass and left on the service road. Turn right just before the on ramp.

Holy Trinity Catholic Parish

A special mass for all graduates of high school and higher level, from any institution, will be celebrated May 4 at 9:30 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary campus and 11:30 a,m, at Sacred Heart campus. All participating graduates are asked to come vested in their graduation gowns (no caps please).

First Baptist Church

What a wonderful opportunity is being given to us by our Missions' Committee and the Denominational and External Relationship of the Transition Teams this Sunday evening as we have a "Missions' Fair." There will be representatives here from many of the entities to which we send our offerings each month. In particular, there will be a representative from the Southern Baptist Convention as well as one from the General Baptist Convention of Texas. Several local representatives will also be here to show how the money that we give to the church is at work in the local community.

Our youth will be providing the food for the evening — hamburgers, chips, drink and a dessert for \$5. The proceeds will be used for those attending summer camp.

North Birdwell United Methodist Church

Worship service is held each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. with fellowship and Sunday school for all ages immediately following.

In the adult Sunday school class, we will be studying "Daniel's Prayer for the People," Daniel 9:1-7 and 17-19.

Sunday night worship service is at 5 p.m. Lay Minister Jacque Mauch will lead both services.

North Birdwell is proud to be the local host church for the Angel Food Ministry. The April delivery day is Saturday from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Orders will also be taken for the May delivery.

We wish to thank Lay Speaker Allen Welch for the two very informative messages on "Healing." He reminded us we must have faith in every area of our life.

Bible study is held the first and third Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the church. The second and fourth Wednesday, the United Methodist Women meet at the home of Madeline Boadle, 503 E. 16th at 4:30 p.m.

North Birdwell United Methodist Church is located at 2702 N. Birdwell. You're welcome to join us as we share in the love that Jesus taught.

Chapel of Faith

The Chapel of Faith congregation invites everyone to attend Sunday worship service at 10:30 a.m. The Rev. Joel Miller will be bringing a message of hope and faith. Every other Sunday he will be bringing to light one of the Old Testament leaders' contributions to the Kingdom of God.

We are a congregation

health and safe travel. The youth will be selling burritos Saturday in front of Wal-Mart. The proceeds will go toward summer camp.

Congratulations to Caleb Hector on his accomplishments at the Regional Student Convention earlier this month. He will participate in the International Student Convention in Warrensburg, Mo., in May.

The Associational Senior Adult Birthday Banquet will be held May 2, at East Fourth Baptist. There will be entertainment, food and good fellowship.

Preparations for our revival, May 11-14 are under way. Services will be 6 p.m. Sunday; and noon and 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. We invite you to come and share this time with us.

All women of the church are needed to participate in a local mission effort at the Hospitality House each Monday in May. It will involve a couple of hours to clean the bedrooms and baths following the use of the facility by the weekend visitors who have come to visit their loved ones in prison. Also needed are women who will do a couple of loads of laundry each Monday (sheets and towels). Contact Joy Heaster, coordinator.

If you are seeking a church home or in town visiting, we welcome you to East Fourth Street Baptist Church, 401 E. Fourth St. Our phone number is 267-2291. Keith Weaver is the pastor.

Activities are: Sunday — 9:45 am., Sunday school; 11 a.m. morning worship; 5 p.m., Mission classes; 6 p.m. evening worship; Wednesday $- 6 \oplus$ p.m., adult prayer meeting/Bible study, youth Bible study/music and children's Bible studymusic; and Saturday - 7a.m., Bible study.

Calvary Baptist Church

Calvary Baptist Church is located at 1200 West Fourth St. Church services are at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m., adult Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. and Bible study is Wednesday at 5 p.m.

The members of Calvary are in the process of revitalizing the church for the future.

We welcome those who have dropped out of the church and those who would like a new start.

Newly paved parking areas are located on the west and north side of the building.

Coahoma United Methodist Church

Sunday, join us for Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and worship service at 11 a.m.

April 30, the CUMC Administrative Council meet at 6:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. All church members are encouraged to come and be a part of this important business. Youth will meet at 7 p.m.

May 1, the "Breathing Believers" cystic fibrosis team will hold a fundraiser from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Pizza Inn.

May 3, "The Big Event" will be held in Lamesa from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

May 5-7, the youth will be having a fund-raiser for their mission trip. They will deliver singing telegrams. Call the church at 432-394-4432 for



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The members voted to honor its junior members this year in the chapter's DAR magazine ad.

The regent read an invitation from Mary Garland Chapter in Brownwood to attend its annual guest luncheon May 1.

Pat Hardison and Rena Harris were submitted as prospective members.

Sherri Key won the door prize — a patriotic candle. The next meeting will be May 10 at the Big Spring Country Club.

TOPS TX 21

The TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Club Tx No. 21 meet Monday April 21, 2008, at the First Christian Church at 10th and Goliad. The meeting was called to order by col-leader Ethel Cassady. TOPS pledge was led by Mary Williams and the KOPS pledge was led by Gladys Russell. Then the welcome song was led by Carol Smith and sung by all members.

Minutes of previous meeting were read by Mary Williams and approved by all members. The club welcomed new member Randel Williams. Several members were excused due to illness or out of town responsibilities.

Roll call by Hughetta Roberts revealed eight TOPS present and two KOPS. TOPS member Linda Staples was recognized as best weekly loser with a loss of three pounds. She was awarded a certificate and a \$1 prize.

Carol Smith then presented the program titled "You are a Winner as a No. 10." She emphasized for members to: one, reexamine you goal; 2. re-evaluate your determination; and 3. calculate your success regularly. Members need to look for improvement to help build up our own self-worth and avoid feeling of failure. We must recognize and build upon our successes.

The closing song was sung and we were dismissed at 6:15 p.m. Those wanting information about TOPS please call Frank Sickles at 432-213-1342 or Olnee Menges at 432-263-6819. All visitors are welcomed. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m. The meeting is from 5:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church.



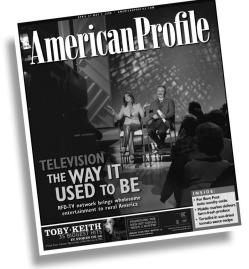
of God-loving people who would love to share our love of God to each and every one and to give comfort to all who need to know His presence and love.

We are located on the corner of 14th and Goliad. Please come visit and find God's love for yourself and your loved ones.

East Fourth Street Baptist Church

A group of eight members are leaving early Monday morning for Glorieta, N.M., for the Senior Adult Retreat. We ask for prayers for good





RFD-TV hits the spot

Patrick Gottsch remembers well the day in the mid-1980's when he set up his first satellite dish for a customer. Today, he is the founder and president of RFD-TV, the country's only network created for rural America. Plus, knitting novelty socks and tortellini in sun-dried tomato sauce.

American Profile



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Cross Roads Area Schools Honor Roll

Coahoma **High School Fifth Six-Weeks** "A" Honor Roll

Ninth Grade: Joshua Castilaw, Brayden Iden, Rachel Kennedy, Reagan Reid and Michael Wiert.

10th Grade: Kylie Gee, Reagan Rainey, Nick Sevy and Heather Sloan.

11th Grade: Berkley Martin, Iden, Ahsley Mendoza, Alex Mike Moore and Laci Sterling.

12th Grade: Teryn Bibb, Amanda Denton, Kendra Hall, Colter Morgan, Regan New, Justin Rau, William Reilly, Reagan Rupard, Heather Kay Sheppard, Sea Spiller, Simon Stolarczyk and Logan Stone.

"A-B" Honor Roll

Ninth Grade: Adrain Amaro, Rachel Barbee, Robert Barlow, Machelle Barr, Sergio Calixto, JoAnna Gonzales, Martin Gutierrez, Kevin Kirkland, Kelsey Mann, Jason Martinez, Tanner Potter, Brooke Quinn, Shelbie Reid, Austin Rinard, Casey Roberts, Dustin Salmon, Kristen Shivers, Brandi Smith, Devin Thomason, Hunter Williams and Brent Wright.

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Shasta Hector, Sonya Herrera, Shaun Jernigan, Krista Lyons, Jordan Julia Cortez, Allison Martin, Sofia Martinez, Kourtney McAdams, McFadden, Gutierrez, Ashlieght Kalea Neff, Erick Nino, Kemper, Emily Kesler, Jake Ownes.

Andersen and Jessica Goodger.

Eighth Grade: Katherine Calvert, Jennifer Castilaw, Lynzi Ferrell, Heather Kirby and McKenzie Moore. "A-B" Honor Roll

Seventh Grade: Kalob Arteaga, Devin Barbee, Emilea Brumley, Jasmin Callejas, Shea Campbell, Katie Castillo, Breanna Corbett, Laurie Drown, Dustin Fontana, Rikki Gilbert and Brandie Gutierrez.

Hunter Alex Hill, Lowery, Morgan Luce, Sarah Macik, Kaleb McAdams, Laurel Nix, Kasey Osborne, Tanner Ruiz, Daniel Solis, Justin Stenman, Marla Wilson and Dakota Witkowski. Eighth Grade: Krystal Ayala, Justin Coker, Sheigh Cravens, Jacob Echavarria, Silvia Gonzales, Minnie

Goodblanket, Dustin Gutierrez, Robert Guzman, Chris Henry, Robert Vanessa Hernandez and Breanna Hilario.

Heather Hildebrand, Rebecca Mince, Shlana Mitchell, Kimberly Moore, Jessi Morgan, Dillon Quinn, Anthony Salazar, Isaiahl Salazar, Cole Sneed, Mackenzie Stone and Joseph Sweeney.

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Elementary School Fifth Six-Weeks

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Stephanie Gutierrez, Darren Hernandez, Jetly Hobdy, Hunter Seymore, Austin Sosa, Clayton Stewart, Jack Waddell, Brayden Worley and Landyn Young.

Fourth Grade: Makaila Arnold, Julia Castilaw, Cameron Crabtree. William Franks, Belia Nelson, Hadden Stokes and Tyler Witkowski.

Fifth Grade: Christopher Biddison, Brandon Clark, Brandon Coker, Donald Ewing, Braxton Iden, Keli Schaedel, Aloura Soctt and Christian Van Wey.

Sixth Grade: Kmiberly Jordy, Amanda King, Shayla Martin Savannah Neff, Haley Wlaker and Shelby Wilkins

"A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade: Joseph Arguello, Trey Brockman, Ryan Coker, Cassidy Duffer, Kynz Gonzalez, McKenzi Gressett, Hannah Head, Destiny Huerta, Cordero Martinez and Haley Martinez.

Traves Mitchell, Dakota Nalley, Khayman Rawls, Kasin Redding, Marcus Rivera, Angel Rodriguez, Hana Stanislaus, Raven Taylor and Aubrey White. Second Grade: Ethyne Arteaga, Landon Barber-Grant, Trey Bingham, Felix Cruz, Tanner Dodson, Joe Escobedo-Gonzales, Korey Fowler, Serenity Garcia, Cassie Grant and Johsua Grimsley.

McKinna Hector, Ami Hoard, Harmony Humble, Emily Marsh, William jBrandon McMurray, Moreno, Rolando Ortiz, Walker Rawls, Jaedan Stanislaus, Chloe' Starr, Tia Stonerook, Christine Tovar, Aricela Valencia, Jaydian Vargas and Lane Williams.

Third Grade: Kody Barber, Summer Boudreaux, Ginger Santa Coates, Druz, Garrett Deatherage, Kaleb Denton, Michael Duffer, Ashley Ferguson, Zachary Fuentes, Breanna Grant, Madison Grant, Mary Grumbles, Tyler Martin, carli Ana Mejia, Martinez, Dylan Nalley, Issac Perez, John Porras, David Sandoval, Megan shifflett and Thomas Wilson. Fourth Grade: Kassie Coker, Christopher Dominguez, Christopher Edge, Brandi Gammons, Quentin Gaston, Heather Goodger, Hannah Hobdy, Ashley Luce, Andrew Martinez and Crystal McCutchan. Taylor Mendez, Christopher Murphy-Reed, Dylan Dutter, Jessica Privett, Marisa Ramirez, Tara Robinson, Aubrey Salmon, Abigail Sanchez, Hannah Tucker and Blake Zitterkopf. Fifth Grade: Sierrah Adams, Ashlynn Armston, Bailee Barber-Grant, Johsua Dean, Erin Fontana, Kelsey Garza, Alexandra gibbs, Jalin Patrick Gilbert, Goodgame and Alexis Jackson.

Tera Rinrad, Andrian Rodriguez, Camberlyn Stonerook, Zakary Walton and Johnathan White.

Sixth Grade: Richard Adamson, Rodolfo Brito, Kyla Clanton, Zachary Crabtree, tyler Frazier, Valerie Goodblanket, Tristan Gutierrez, Kayla Jerrigan. Jordan Lang. Evan Leib and Ka'Lee Lloyd.

Devon Maddox, Briana McCallay, Miranda McNew, david Mejia, Sarah Meledez, Caige Miller, Ashley O'Brien, Madison Rawls, Devin Ruiz, Tyler Shackleford, Jerry Sloan, Jordan Shanen Strokes, Warneke, Tamala Wilson and Timothy Wilson.

Forsan Junior High/Senior High School "A" Honor Roll

Sixth Grade: John Tyler Breyman, Covan Davidson, Eric Edwards, Tyler Evans, Chandler Freeman, Ali Knight and Matthew Mims.

Seventh Grade: Brady Gartman.

Eighth Grade: Autumn Alton, Ashley Buzbee, April Cevallos, Hope Cimino, Sassy Farmer, Alejandra Hernandez, Sydney Holdampf, Alex Park and Kyle Stevenson. Ninth Grade: Zane Herrin and Regan Newsom.

Grade: Evan 10th Burton, Claudia Jones, Shelby Jones, Amanda, Longorio and Laura Spence.

11th Grade: Tori Gauer, Alex Huckabee, Jeremy Robbins and Charlene Stanley.

12th Grade: Jessica Ballard, Johanna Collier, Jolinda Flores, Blake Grantham, Aaron Hughes, Caitlin Jones, Tara Kuykendall, Clint Lockhart, Troy Moore, Alex Newsom, Cameron Parker, Raul Sanchez, Rowena Suazo, Whitney Wallace Rachel and Wheeler.

"A-B" Honor Roll

Garrett Willey.

Ninth Grade: Cameron Churchwell, Shelby Clark, Timothy Davila, Erica Garrett, Dylan Lowery, Michael Mims, Kevy O'Brien, MIranda Park, Chase Pierce, Kay'C Stanley, James Wheeler and Brandy Wilson.

10th Aric Denton, Ryan Flores, Erika Garza, Mario Hernandez, Aaron Johnson, Kelsey JOnes, Lindy Mercer, Jake Moore and Travis Waid. 11th Grade: Shaina Dunnam, Valarie Goff, Nathan Henley, Zach Herrin, Melanie McDonald, Kemberlli Phillips, Kayla Rawls, Michael Steelman, Keristine Thompson, Kaleb Willey, Stephanie Williams and Kody Willis. Grade: Adam 12th

Bailey, Morgan Garrett, Carissa Jensen, James Marlow and Kassi Roach.

Elbow **Elementary School**

Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll

First Grade: Payton Beauchamp, Keller Blackshear, Macey Evans, Sterling Fuller, Cassidy Gamble, Dora Hickman, Tatum Miller, Kaylee Morgan, Kayla Morin, Montie Munsell, Ashtyn Pearson, Elijah Rushing, Luke Settles and Jacquelyn Torbik.

Second Grade: D'Amberly Baldwin, Genesis Caldwell, Walker Cimino, Sierra Darling, Garrett Evans, Jenna Evans, Lexie Gee, Chasidy Grantham, Eric Hall, Jesse Hall, Bryce Hergert and Kathy Hillis. Hope Howell, Jillian JOnes, Andy Kirkland, Elzabeth Long, Austin Madry, Meagan Munsell, Roach, Erica Saige Stallings, Marissa Welch and Jaden Wilson.

Third Grade: Devin Adams, Aaron Alton, Brittnie Clay, Joshua Evans, Bree Franklin, Sterling Freeman, Hannah Hancock, Sandra M'Kenna Hernandez, Hooper, Riely King, Mackenzi Lain, Kendll Phillips, Sharrod Rushing and Bria Wilson. Fourth Grade: Bryce Gartman, Beech Lane, Taylor Morin, Maddie Munsell, Nina Ortiz and Alexis Roach. Fifth Grade: Emily Alicia Hatfield, Hernandez, Gabriel Leal, Zachary Long, Breanna Madry, Sloan Miller, Christopher Mims, Ryan Pearson, Hannah Thompson, Nick Williams and Yanci Yeater.

Shelbi Carter, Ryan 🕀 Davis, Wade Ellison, Lora Gomez, Caleb Hernandez, RAven Holguin and Elissa Jefferson.

Leandra King, Addison Newton, Jeffrey Osburn, Desirae Pace, Nathan Ramirez, McKenzie Schrecengost, Robert Stevenson, Nathan Vidal, Kolby Watson, Kayla White and Gabe Williams. Third Grade: Tyler Anderson, John Broughton, Olivia Cansino, Alyssa Kirkland, Mason Lane, Averie Newton, Kenneth Priest, Cayla Rosenbaum, Matthew Sloan, Ashton Voight and Blaze Yeater. Fourth Grade: Kelsey Allen, Lindsey Boeker, Julia Box, Kaytlin Brock, Nova Caldwell, Dylan Carrell, Blake Casper, Cervantes, Jesse Christopher Chavez, Caden Davidson, Karissa Dixon and Christopher Dunlap-Baldwin.

Kerigann Harbour, Brennan Highfield, Aliscia Howard, Stacy Jennings, Kaylee Kemper, MacKenzie Kennedy, Emily Lansford, Amanda Lopez, Akley McVae, Granger Newton, Caitlin Park, Ian Park, Walker Park, Kiefer Pulis, Madison Roman, Abbygail Saucedo, Brayden Settles, Nando Subia and Sadie Wheeler. Fifth Grade: Erin Bagnall, Oscar Barraza, Mason Coor, Darby Christian DePauw, Gamble, Ashley Garcia, Colby Hair, Garrett Kilgora, Asheli Knox and Caleb Lamb.

Mary-Ashley McDaneil, Hannah Minchew, Zachery Norman, Erin Payne, Andy Qualls, Savannah Robinson, Kaleb Stanley, Diego Subia and Dalton Taylor.

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Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll

First Grade: Alexis Calvio, Paola Castillo, Talia Delgado, Pancho Friesen, Lukas Grantham, Marissa Lara, Lisa Schmith and Jayden

Jennifer Panigua, Pittman, Kirstyn Pullis, Jared Ringener, Hilary Rodriguez, Jackie Ruiz, Lauren Ruiz and Sarah Stonerook.

Devin 11th Grade: Adamson, Kassie Anderson, Megan Conley, Donnie Garcia, Nathan Gomez, Victoria Gonzalez, Melanie Guterrez, Jovi Paniagua, Esmeralda Urias, Hilari Katelyn White and Wilson.

12th Grade: Vanessa Cortez, Veronica Cortez, Janice Gonzales, Channel Griffin, Kayla Guiterrez, Blaine Henderson, Amy Holleman, Krista Kerby, Casey Kilpatrick, Christie Rich, Mark Salazar, Courtney Schaedel, Carlie Williamson and Tesa Williamson.

Coahoma **Junior High School** Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll Seventh Grade: Wendy

Martin. Marilee Mazey, Brandon Olson, Emiliano Ortiz, Stacey Overton, Hannah Richardson, Kyler Saldana, Liliana Saldonval, Megan Stevenson, Kaelob Savannah Stweart, Sumralm Caden Williams, Micah Worley and Kaylee Wright. Second Grade: Nicholas Chen, Jordan Derouin, Sydnie gilbert, Diana Gonzalez, Tucker Greni, Jori Hanlan, Elizabeth Juarez, Trevor Kerrick, Hannah Marsh and Jake Massey. Tyler McFall, Mason

Moore, Makayla Overton, Britney Payte, Bryniea Rhodes, Victoria Sanderson, Preslie Smithie, Sydni Sparks and Braidon Walker.

Third Grade: Adam Brito, Reuben Campos, Chandler, Annie Carolynn Clark, Shawna Timothy Faucett, Goodgame, Makinsey Grant, Evalena Gutierrez,

Namen McCullough, Tomi McPherson, Joseph Melendez, Victor Paniague, Garett Parrish,

Sixth Grade: Jammie Armstead, Kenna Colvin, Kade Fannin, Taybor Flores, Corbin Foster, Galloway, Clayotn Brittney Hergert, Marisol Hernandez, Vanessa Highfield, Polo Morin, Maria Ortiz, Mikael Pappajohn, Aaron Elizabeth Patterson, Rhodes, Kiowa Spears, Connor Steel and Colton Wheeler.

Seventh Grade: Dillon Bagnall, Tanner Ballard, Landon Boeker, Trevor Burchett, Brandon Madison Carrell, Churchwell, Nicholas Emerson, Elena Flores, Aric Hernandez, Case Ingram, Kie Jones, Cole Long, Jansen McDonald, Cody Moore, Max Pappajohn and Kayla Tilley.

Eighth Grade: C.J. Ballard, Foster Burchett, Adrian Garza, Ambra Hill, Shelbie Hudgins, Ty Johnson, Jodi Jones, Kimbra Rodriguez, Spencer Wells and

"A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade: Courtney Bankston, Aissa Cervantes, Megan Christian, Christopher Enriquez, Brandon Freitag, Emily Garcia, Keith Garrett, Isabella Gonzales, Aaron Gutierrez, Lewis Heston, Jaime, Dylon Jose Kilgora, Michael Kukoly, Brenna Lindsey, Natori Morin and Jacob Spivey.

Second Grade: Cabryna Thern, Seth Bailey, Glen Burch, Nate CAntu,

Wigington. Second Grade: Samantha Blount, Landry Connell, Sarah DeLeon and Noah Wigington.

Third Grade: Lydia Enns, Eric Garcia, Hamlin and Reagan Kailey Tindol.

Fourth Grade: Nicholas Cisneros, Austin Nichols, Dylan Segundo and Dyllan Tindol.

Fifth Grade: Austin Blount, George Elias and Zane Parker.

Sixth Grade: Aaron Ragle and Jerad Staggs.

Eighth Grade: Clarissa Elizondo.

Ninth Grade: Morgan Yabrough.

Grade: Xavier 10th Elizondo.

11th Grade: Brittni William Blagrave, Carson, Kayla Franco, Logan Gaskins, C.D. Karns, Richard Lucio, David Martinez, Tamara Nichols and Mason Parker.

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12th Grade: Carmen Aguiñaga, Kayla Gomez, Ronnie Peacock, Mary Rogers, Melony Ruiz and Crystal Ybarra.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Jake Avey, Alycia Cisneros, Julia Delgado, Alexis Gonzales, Maria Alex Rempel, Schmith and Annie Weibe.

Second Grade: Reme Arriage, Ramon Bamuelos, Braxton Barnes, Tina Friesen. Benito Garcia, Johanna Guerra, Sunny Kuykendall, Andrew Ragle, Deryk Renteria and Christopher.

Third Grade: Ashley Caceres, Juan Diaz, Yajaira Gonzales, Jacy Parker, Lisa Rempel, Schmith Susana and Smanatha Ybarra.

Fourth Grade: Felipe Aguinaga, Melissa Briseno, Aggie Friesen, Susie Rempel, Anelica Rogers and Sam Yzaguirre.

Fifth Grade: Davis Browne, Colten Hughes, Sergio Plata and Johan Schmith.

Sixth Grade: Michael Poynor and Kendra Staggs.

Seventh Grade: Jake Browne, Angelica Diaz, Callie McMorris and Preston Zant.

Eighth Grade: Vanessa Banuelos, Sean Blagrave, Jennifer Gomez, Michael Gomez, Maria Gonzales, Zaira Pena, Makayla Poynor, Hayden Ware, Albert Ybarra and Priscilla Ybarra.

Ninth Grade: Brian Moore, Landon Parker and Meagan Yarbrough.

Grade: Eva 10th Aguinaga, Abril Garcia and Noemi Martinez.

11th Grade: Melissa DeLeon, Miranda Guiterrez and Ethan Zant. 12th Grade: Junior Lucio and Thomas Peña.

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Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll

Rodriuez, Kandace Schuelke, Lane Shands, Tyler Springer, Justin Tubb and Matt Webb. "A-B" Honor Roll

Second Grade: Justin Wells Third Grade: Joshua

Yarbrough Fourth Grade: Hunter

McCarter Fifth Grade: Christiena Cameron Knelson, Seiffert and Jessica Willingham.

Sixth Grade: Bernadette Adkins, Laura Lopez, Macy Oppegard and Aaron Perez.

Seventh Grade: Charmynee Arnold, Mihcael Jimenez, Jason Cayley Klassen, Oppegard, Ivan Sanjuan, Sanjuan and Uziel Gustina Wiebe.

Eighth Grade: Gerry Adkins, Ty Beaty, Melina Jackelina Flores, Martens.

Ninth Grade: Ariel Nicolaus Bracken, Aniabal Hernandez, Medina, John Ramirez, Josue Rodriguez, Jacob Rodriguez, Carsten Russel and Julia Schuelke. Tyler 10th Grade: Christian Matthews, Medina, Marisol Rodriguez and Chris

Straub. Grade: Patsy 11th Flores, Taylor Pechacek and Casey Shands.

12th Grade: Kenzie Tommylee Madison, Rivas, Rachel Romine and Ann Hinojosa.

Big Spring High School Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll

Ninth Grade: Blake Brorman, Alyssa Byrd, Deanna Clare, Andrew Fillingim, Victor Garcia, Iris Martinez, Judith Treece, Jessica Womack and Leo Wright. 10th Grade: Kristina

Chang, Kallina Fletcher, Matthew Ritchey and Kelly Sage.

Grade: Mylia 11th Black, James Bowen, Christopher Brooks, Daniel Budke, Caitlin Carlisle. Matthew Gwin.

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Crews, Nicole Davidson, Dominic Deems, Amaris Taylor Diaz, Digby, Joshua Drake, Jacie Durham, Abigail Fierro, Caprise Fierro, Patrick Flores, Paul Flores and Albert Franco.

Wesley Frost, Alena Garibay, Opal Gonzales, Victoria Gonzales, Tanner Henry, Quinton Benjamin Kennemur, Klaassen, Courtney Long, John Lvons. Meagan McElroy, Tyler Mckinley, John McMahon, Dennis Merworth, Natalie Morales, Sarah Murphy, Andrew Newton, Austen Newton, Lucas Ontiveros, Pearson Justin and Kristin Perez.

Saul Puga, Stephanie Queen, Maricela Ramirez, Savina Ramirez, David Rios, Benjamina Rios-Jessica Rubio, Rios, Mathew Ryan, Dominique Sarmiento, Courtnie Smith, Stormi Smith, Elle Torres, Jillian Valle, Jackson Watkins, Rachael Wilkins, Alesha Yanez, Ethan Yeats and Dayvion Young.

10th Grade: Monte Anderson, Sabrina Bedell, Natalie Beech, Dejoria Brown, Barbara Cruz, Sloan Davis, Chaneel Dykes, Hector Flores, Samone Foster, Tiffany Garcia, Selena Gonzales, Macy Graves, Desiree Guerra, Kenneth Harris, Jose Hernandez, Debra Chelsey Hill and Huckabee.

Colton Ingram, Steven Kincade, Islas, Mary Kirk, Andrew Brian Lewis, Jerry McGgee, Skyler Moore, Elexus Pacheco, Tevian Parnell, Xavian Parnell, Jonathan Ray, Daniel Segundo, Huldah Smith, Jessica Smithwick, Mariah Halee Sparkman, Thomas, Jennifer Walker. Karlye Weaver, Hannah Weber, Cameron Wells, Mischa Willard and Linzee Yarbar.

Grade: Jerilyn 11th Bermea, Maria Del Rosario Cahue, Melissa Chase, Sara Davila, Alexander Emerson, Hutton Evans, Antoinette Garcia, Heather Gentry. Meghan Harp, Joshua Harris and Brandi Herrera. Nathaniel Hughey, Shelby Keith, Cheyenne Lesser, Catherine Leubner, Abigail Lloyd, Amanda Lopez, Lloyd Morgan, Michael Murphy, Jacklyn Porras, Ashley Rangel, Marisa Rodriguez, Zoie Salgado, Samuel Segundo, Haylea Stuteville, Jordan Valle, Jennifer Vincent, Mykel Wagner, Jimmy Elizabeth Watson, Wheeler, Tanaya Williams and Whitney Worthan. 12th Grade: Maurice Africh, Veronica Bravo, Kristen Brown, Lauren Bryant, Megan Carrillo, Renita Cotton, Samantha Diaz, Brittaney Dominguez, Sydne Flohr, Nadia Garcia, Adela Garfias, Tano Handova, Nicholas Headrick, Meagan Heffington, Amanda Hernandez, Brittany Huckabee, Rafael Jurado and John Keune. Amanda Kizziah, Jeremy Landin, Rosemarie Lopez, Larry Taylor McKee, Luna, Montemayor, Daisy Adrianne Moreno, Ainhan Nnghiem, James Obenchain, Ashley Oliver, Callie Partee, Paula Pattin, Jennifer Petersen, Dillon Phernetton, Jesus Pina

and Eric Pope.

Kaylea Pope, Stephanie Ramirez, Rebecca Rawls, Bianca Rivera, Severiano Rodriguez, Mark Rubio, Lauren Sage, Bbraden Schaffner, Morgan Schumpert, Michael Skaggs and Emily Slape.

Lydia Teichroeb, Kaila Thompson, Hali Torres, Whitney Torres, Rachael Villanueva, Malinda Walker, Crystal Ward, Jared Wilkerson, Bailey Winters, Desiree Yanez, Natasha Yanez and Miguel Zermeno.

Big Spring Junior High School **Fifth Six-Weeks** "A" Honor Roll

Seventh Grade: Vanessa Alvarado, Charles Anderson, John Armstrong, Clara Benavides, Hope Biemeret, Sarai Cano, Matthew Davila, Haley Dimidjian, Kaley Duncan and Elena Flores. Connor

Gurqueron, Lugardita Gonzales, Tyler Amanada Graves, Grisham, Paige Knowlton, Chelsey Parker, Ethan Pearson, Katrina Petrowski, Carson Reibe, Trenton Thomas, Gabrella Torres and Logan Yarbar.

Eighth Grade: Tiffany Alaniz, Stormy Emery, Eric Fierro, Carl Friddle, Amanda Garrard, Matthew Garza, Rodolfo Sebastian Hernandez, Hernandez, Zachary Hernandez and Sierra Hinojosa.

Lilia Lugo, Bryan McComb, Lacy McMurtrey, McKenzi Metcalf, Pecos Murdock, Jessica Oliva, Cerbi Ritchey, Scarlet Robertson, Anna Scott, Taylor Seaton, Skristina Selene Skiles, Sosa, Danielle Strickland, Matthew Tompkins, Nikita Wageman, Elijah Willis and Sydney Winters.

"A-B" Honor Roll Seventh Grade: Kayla Aaron, Mikey Alvarado, Ramon Bazaldua, Ashlie Beserra, Kylee Borchardt,

Bustamante

Megan Warner, Dylan Weaver, Brady Weber, Julia Wilson, Mackenzie Wolf, Angela Worthington, Paige Yater, Tashala Young, Adriela Zavala and Matthew Zubiate.

Eighth Grade: Lashaunte Anderson, Tonia Arista, Krista Bailey, Chalres Beal, Boehringer, Cassie Elizabeth Bustamante, Austin Bvnum. Andrea Stephanie Cansino, Carrilo and Robin Casebeer.

Robyn Castle, Kaycee Clayton, Jessica Cortez, Williams Currie, Travis Dedrick, Johnny Doporto, Brandi Edwards, Kathleen Evans, Timothy Evans, James Fox, Ashten Galan, Lane Gammons and Oscar Garcia.

Jesse Garza, John Grenier, Kasandra Gross, Jeremy Gutierrez, Tyler Hall, Stephanie Harvell, Bianca Hilario, John Hughes, Benjamin Islas, Nichoals Islas, Ricardo Juarez, Clifford Kinney and Janelle Leyva.

Noah Lozano, Bethany Martin, Johnathon Lewis Martinez, Humberto McIntosh, Mier, Ashlyn Mitchell, Kerry Moore, Samantha Munoz, Michelle Orneals, Sara Overby, Audree Perez, Austin Pierce and Janet Pina.

Cole Lauri Pineda, Pittman, Alexandria Ramirez, Crystal Merced Ramirez, Ramirez, Toby Rodgers, Alma Rodrigeuz, Miranda Rodriguez, Marc Segundo, Morgan Slaughter and Ashley Smith.

Joshua Smith, Reba Smith, Pete Sosa, Victoria Sotello, Austin Trevino, Bridgette Tuitt, Richard Villa, Kelsey Weir and Roy Williams.

Goliad

Intermediate School **Fifth Six-Weeks**

"A" Honor Roll Fifth Grade: Charlie Boling, Joshua Brown, Tyler Bryan, Alyssa Deanda Alex Franco. Sidni Delaney Harp, Toby Eneida Kennemur, Kattlin Long, Mariah McIntosh, Marcela Norman, Danie Ortega, Kaleb Rankin, Ashley Smith and Stevi Ward. Sixth Grade: Juliette Alvarez, Matt Beal, Sarah Black, Brett Brorman, Taylor Brorman, Kalob Burnett, Ryane Colette, Meagan Graves. Kelsie Guinn, Catherine Harris and Jemima Johnson.

Garza, Shea Giese, 🕀 Julissa Gonzales, Shaylee Griffin and Aaron Hinojos.

Timothy Jimenez, Brycen Kiker, Karissa Kinard, Cassidy Lee, McKenzie Lopez, Ryan Lopez, Lopez, sarah Ashley Lugo, Kyler Mahaney, Anais Martinez, Kiri Matteson and Taylor McComb.

Rene Medina, Erica Mitchell, Arissa Molina, Autumn Moore, David Munoz, Tyler Nairn, Peter Nguyen, Adam Olivas, Desiree Ortega, Hannah Overby, Elizabeth Perkins and Erin Pollard.

Robert Ramirez, Des'Ree Richter, Anaylsia Rodriguez, Julianna Rodriguez, Dylan Ross, Rikki Salgado, Ty Sealy, Eunice Smith, Nicholas Sotelo, Jennie Steel, Tobyn Tannehill, Alex Trevino, Noah Wagenman and Matthew Yanez.

Sixth Grade: Alena Aguilar, Collin Almanza, Ashley Ambris, Tyler Avant, Brittany Bakley, Kaegan Baucum, Harlene Blythe, Roy Carrillo, Casedy Cervantes, Erica Cervantes, Frnakie Cortez, Shiloh Creswell, Madison Currie, Jacob Nicolas Davis and Escovedo.

Cassie Espinosa, Adam Franco, Ashley Garza, Marissa Garza, Nickolas Gonzales, Bilhah Guillory, Alesia Hernandez, Omar Hernandez, Austin Hunt, Jayla Jackson Joe Juarez and Amanda Kirk.

Shawteeonia Lacy, Kenan Lewis, Bianca Zachary Lopez, Ludington, Kyle Madwell, Kaci Marquez, Joshua Marintez, Brittany Mendoza, Karla Moreno, Josh Morgan, Alexus Myrick, Mayra Ortega, Sagar Patel, Abigail Portocarrero, Shawna Quernheim and Jasmine Rios.

Brandon Rivera, Kaylee Roberts, Elizabeth Marisella Rodriguez, Rodriguez, Dylinda Salazar, Veronica Salazar,

Second Grade: Isaak Helms, Boldt, Jalen Julianna Jimenez, T.J. Shands, Reagan Tyler, Peyton Welch and Alex Willingham.

Third Grade: Beau Beaty, Jenny Fields and Brittney Garza.

Fourth Grade: Emily Glaze.

Fifth Grade: Ariel Arnold, Jacob Beaty, Bryce Blocker, Julian Helms, Lupita Jimenez, Viviana Perez, Nichele Raines and Nancy Wiebe. Sixth Grade: Kristen Blocker, Sadie Fields and Billy Froese.

Seventh Grade: Jacob Chappell, Cole Gifford, Brett Glaze, Jack Kennady, Sarah Matthews, Savannah Sawyer, Zach Seiffert and Charley Ann Wells.

Eighth Grade: Abby Hanson and Morgan McDonald.

Ninth Grade: John Dyck, Zane Robinson, Shane Teague and Johan Wiebe.

10th Grade: Maegan Blocker, Dylan Cox, Sam Harryman and Max Kennady.

11th Grade: Kaitlyn Blocker, Kayla Browder, Eva Dyck, Ben Kennady, Justina Klassen, Lauren Robinson, Geoffrey Schuette and Anita Wiebe.

12th Grade: Morgan Bryant, Linsey Chavez, Ericka Medina, Santos

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Lanny Hall, Karla Inzunza Gonzales, Ariel Johnson, Channing Martin, Rory Matthews, Brionna Palmer, Kade Parker, Cecilie Rasmussen, Jessica Stone and Katherine Tompkins. 12th Grade: Frank Acosta, Mistie Aguilar, Kayla Bailey, Aubrey Samantha Baxter, Boehringer, Tori Bohanon, Shane Bowles, Malle Carrasco, Clarissa Carrisalez, Amanda Caskey, Zack Dawson, Dirk Dykstra, Justin Eason, Bree Feaster, Ashton Fillingim, Amelia Friddle, Alejandra Garcia and Randi Gerstenberger. Cassie Guinn, Emily Hanes, Christina Hernandez, Rebekah Horton, Judy Martinez, Julie Martinez, Michelle McMurtrey, Vaughn Medina, Daniel Mendoza, Jacqueline Morgan, Meredith Morgan, Chelsy Nanny, Meredith Nieto, Brandon Ontiveros, Randye Phillippe, Hadden Phillips, Kevin Porras, Jonathan Smith, Esther Tobar, Marshall Van Pelt,

Welch. "A-B" Honor Roll Ninth Grade: Ashlie Aaron, Logan Adams, Desiree Anderson, Jamie Anderson, Ashley Barrientes, Ashley Billings, Taryn Burger, Chanelle Castillo, Shelby

Allison Ward and Eric

Cloee Camden, Carrasco, Cervantes, Andrea Trevin Cervantez, Cherry,, Jose Davila, Justine Delatour and Jarred Doporto.

Victoria

Chandice Drinkard, Evelyn Fierro, Alexandrie Fox, Gloria Garcia, Jamie Garcia, Tiffany Gonzales, Melinda Gonzalez, Emily Guerrero, Jason Guevara, Deven Heffinton, Marissa Heranandez, Alexandra Hilger, Mariah Horvatch. Christopher Hughes and Marissa Islas.

Meagan Islas, Julie Jimenez, Taylor Johnson, Terra Keeney, Gunnar Kenedy, Cassandra Kirck, Anthony Lewis, Caleb Lewis, Remington Love, Gustavo Lugo, Augustine Martinez, Dominique Martinez, Ruth Martinez, Ashley Mendoza, Morgan Mitchem, Joseph Morelion and Silvino Nava.

Amanda Nieto, Christopher Nunez, Adrian Olague, Jesus Oliva, Alexis Parks, Shivalli Patel, Allison Payen, Sterling Phernetton, William Pollard, Alberto Quiroz, Bryanna Raney, Sarah Salazar, Maranda Scott, Vanesssa Shellman, Quinton Smith and Abbygale Staley.

Yaneria Tuitt, Savino Vela, Michael Waight, Christopher Walters,

Brianna Kight, jDillon Lloyd, Isaiah Ludington, Brady Mikeska, Ashton Mills-Brown, Katie Newton and Tulsi Patel.

Valerie Petrowski, Bailey Pittman, Aron Rios, Devin Roberson, Rodriquez, Tony Dana Solis, Tyler Stromberg, Diana Vazquez, Molly Walker, Kinsey Wash, Austin Watson and Amy Winters.

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Fifth Grade: Eddie Alvarado, Nydia Teodora Arenivar, Hannah Arguello, Biemeret, Vicki Bustamante, Karla Carrasco, Victor Castillo, Brittney Cline, Brianna Cobos and Bianca Correa. Kyra Cox, Carlee Daniel, Matthew Doporto, Kendra Dyer, Tiffany Elizabeth Enriquez, Fleeson, Blake Freshour, Andrea Garcia, Marissa Garcia, Cole Garoutte, Travis Garrard, Angela

David Sanchez, Morgan Seaton, Toby Shubert and Brandon Soliz.

Pedro Sorola, Jessic Spear, AAron Telchick, Gabbie Trevino, Briana Valencia, April Valle, Brandon Warner, Adam Watts, Garrett Wheeler, Jahnia Willard, Brittany Wilson, Drake Worthan, Izzak Zamora and Alex Zavala.

Bauer Magnet Elementary School Fifth Six-Weeks

Perfect Attendence Kindergarten: Anthony Amaro, Augustine De los Santos, Gabriel Garcia, John Gauna, Gabriella Hernandez, Honesty Mendez, Nathan Morales, Rocky Ramirez, Bradee Rios, Kalia Straughter, Kade Towner, Edward Urias, Alyssa Valencia and Kaleb Vasquez.

"A" Honor Roll

First Grade: Carlos Garcia, Sierra Mancha and T. Aidan Newton.

Second Grade: Hope Arguello, Austin Brock, Charlie Correa, Ivan Delgado, Robbie Jean Downing, Sidney Evans, Tristan Myrick, Desire Saenz and Odalys Vela.

Third Grade: Emily Hernandez, Stacy Hernandez, Ty Ramirez. Alex Sotelo and Isaac Timmerman.

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"A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade: Bryson Allen, Au'Tyana Ausbie, Aleyas Bland, Che'ly Bolton, Brian Carroll, Mikayla Castillo-Timms, Brittany Ceballos, Anisa Cervantes, Hayley Crawford and Kimberle Dehoyos.

Aleks Duenes, Kiera Eggleston, Luxie Evans, Tonya Garcia, Chaside Gonzales, Jeremy Gonzales, Arianna Gonzalez, Kaitlin Hendricks, Jason Lopez, Jared Paredez, S. Belle Ramirez, Leah Rivera, Alexis Starr, KaSondra Williams and Zachary Zamora.

Second Grade: Kaitlyn Armstrong, Kamron Betts, Caimon Billingsley, Jordan Dunn, Mikayla Gamboa, Joshua Gilliland, Marcos Haro, Nic Harris, Elisa Hernandez, Rachel McCalister and Ivy Martinez.

Adrienne Mendoza, Bryson Ovalle, Summer Painter, Kiersten Perez, Garrett Ramirez, Niko Ramirez, Meranda Requejo, Megan Reyes, Erik Rivera, Destiny Salas, Tyler Sparks, Tyrease Washington, Thomas Williams and Raven Wilson.

Joe Third Grade: Alvear, Noe Arguello, Brittany Arriaga, Holder Biemeret, Dharma Campos, Aaron Carroll, Natalie Ceballos, Orlando Chavera, Edward Fierro, Destiny Franco, Arthur Garcia and Destiny Gray.

Brandon Hilario, Dylan Lance, Caleb Mendoza, Levi Molina, Shiv Patel, Gaven Quillen, Mary Abigail Ramirez, Michael Reyes, Rachel Rodriguez and Ashley Saiz.

Fourth Grade: Calderon. Stebastian Isabella Delatour, Alexis Garcia, Dylan Hendricks, Juarez, Kiowa Rene Lesser, Ethan Morelion, Destiny Neighbors, Serena Ramirez, Louis

Ranen Wilson. Third Grade: Brianna

Brown, Brantz Burchett, Jonathan Byrd, Danielle Conner, Ryan Dimidjian, Kaylee Dyer, Zachary Hamby, Addie Jimenez, Megan Magallanes, Yzabele Olivarez, Ricky Prater, Peyton Seaton, Katie Wash and Philip Wigington.

Fourth Grade: Bailee Allen, Hannah Joshua Alsobrooks, Baker, Blake Baldock, Berringer, Courtney Rebecca Cole, Valarie Tylar Estill, Hale, Christian Letcher, Jaret McElroy, Lauren Simer, Matilde Sotelo, Mallory Thomas, Rayla Waight and Erin Wolf.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Caleb Lackey, Christopher Raney, Breydon Reyes, Calen Rodriguez, Mateo Rodriguez, Kobra Ronk. Alenna Sarmiento, Dylan Thompson, Brooke Vincent, Parker Wigington and Francisco Zermeno.

Second Grade: Christopher Alcantar, Zakariah Baker, Walter Brumley, Brandyn Cannon, Shania Cansino, Scott Cantrell, Courtny Christian, Emily Conner, Ryleigh Fryar, Paula Hendrickson, Autumn Summer Kincheloe, Kincheloe, Taia Loudermill, Conner Martinez, Breeana Annalisa Matthews, Padilla, Dario Pineda, Isaiah Rios and Caleb Wigington.

Grade: Third Christopher Adwell, Boyd, Keegan Sarah Carrillo, Nina Clare, Paige Davis, Megan Doner, Ian Gonzales, Richardson, Nickolas Haleyna Smith-Davidson and Bergan Trevino.

Fourth Grade: Jennifer Campos, John Fierro, Dustin Jones, Lawrence Lozano, Violet Munoz, Caleb Roberts and Caytlin Wagner.

Marcy **Elementary School Fifth Six-Weeks**

Aaron and David Salgado. Fourth Grade:

"A-B" Honor Roll Kindergarten: Elizabeth Beach, Jatavien Brehm, Alexandra Cantu, Damien Hewtty, Elexius Lopez, Martinez, C.J. Mia Roriguez, Iisa Saenz and Jerrod Torres.

First Grade: Jocelyn Jeremiah Chagoya, Cooley, Alexis Cruz, Destiny Gross, Marissa Hernandez, Mikayla Hernandez, Jared Hill, Travis Johnson, Adrian Ledesma, Jason Leos, Maricela Limones and Megan McWilliams.

Marina Montanez, Kylie Murphy, Isaiah Olivarez, Noah Ontiveros, Angel Polanco, Elissa Quezada, Colton Redlin, Zoey Rees, Luis Rios, Zachery Rios, Nathan Torres, Kaila Vasquez, Mikahaela Willard and Cameron Woodard.

Second Grade: Isaac Avila, Caleb Blevins, Jeffery Bomer, Delfino Carrillo, Melanie DeLaSancha, Alexandria Escalera, Destiny Garcia, Douglas Hall, Kadeam Herrera, Nathaniel Huanaco, Caroline Karavatos and Abbey Igneczi.

Christian Islas, Kalli Jimenez, Marcus Juarez, Nathan Lee, Margarita Leon, Juan Lugo, Duncan Madewell, Gilbert (Tre) Madrid, Leon Mathews, Veronica Montanez, Joseph Montemayor and Nayeli Moreno.

Olivarez, Carlos Kristina Pham, Enrique Rangel, Jacobie Rios, Faith Robertson, Madison Sandell, Chloe Sepeda and Valatine Torres.

Andi Third Grade: Armstrong, Isabel Bernal, Braylee Cantu, Briana Hamili, Karen Hodges, Ross Jennings, Stevi Madry, Kodi Marbeiter, Cameron Mikels, Jacob Moreno, Kelsey Murdock and Isaiah Ontiveros.

Pearson, Andrew Maricela Ruiz, Janisha Smith, Ysabel Soliz, Hannah Valencia, Brandi Villa, Adrian Wilbert and Chase Williams.

Fourth Grade:

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Bustamante, Chance Carroll, Deangelo Diaz, Chad Griffith, Jay Lopez, Kailey Mathews, David Molina and Emma Norman.

Second Grade: Danica Bishop, Lindsey Brooks, Abbey Bryan, Justus Carpenter, Austin Darden, Raegan Deel, Autumn Fierro, Gabi Gomez, Julie Hernandez, Trinady Joslin and Denise Medina.

Brittany Olivo, Nolan Otto, Aubrey Parum, Anissa Ramsey, Carlie Roberts, Alex Robles, Sizenbach, Brayden Joshua Stewart, Charli Telchik, Jaryn Vanover, Luke Wood and Aubrey Wright

Third Grade: Dillon Daniel, Garrett Feaster, Jasmine Grosse, Kaelie Grosse, Gloria Haliburton, Jessica Hall, Briana Rangel, Amanda Renteria, Faith Roberson, Jonathan Rodriguez and Mariah Sarmiento.

Fourth Grade: Mikaela Biddison, Bailee Chase, Toby Cotton, Kaytlin Feemster, Charisma Fierro, Hannah Jensen, Lee Karwedsky, Audrey Lopez, Ben Mikeska, Faith Norman, Ebonie Stewart, Dylan Watson and Matthew Wood.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Stacia Aldridge, Paige Atkins, Lissette Cantu, Lexi Cervantes, Ryan Fite, Kobe Gutierrez, Amber Hernandez, Hallie Hyatt, Brookelynn Jensen, Chris Klug and Jasmine Leos.

Blake Marshall, Brendon Martinez, Cassidy Martinez, Cheyenne McFarland, Gabriella Medina, Cheyenne Montijo, Fe Perez, Eugene Saldana, Vivian Trevino, Kalie Valencia and Gage Warren.

Second Grade: Nicholas Medina Aguilar, Bancroft, Dejuan Chapa, Stephen Chapa, Kloee Gang, Vaughn Green, Sarah Guillory, Victoria Hernandez, Lorenzo Jimenez and Raylene Johnson.

Haiden Juarez, Brookie

Mikki Barron, Chance Lauren Carpenter, Cevallos, Maya Chavez, Melinda Duck, Madyson Gartman, Eric Garza, Mykal Mahaney, Brooke Marshall, Faith Parum, Dominic Reyes and Makenzie Roberts.

Christina Rodarte, Ben Romero, Jacob Scott, Emilie Smith, Joe Torres, Trevino, Noah Lexie George Viera, Vera, Austin Viera, Katie Wilson, Rosemary Yanez and Kristian Yeats.

Kindergarten

Perfect Attendance

Tanner Biddison, Cory Cotton, Shane Deel, Octavia Johnson, Alexia Mills, Paige Starr, Sonya Torres, Tristan Wright, Mayliah Blanco, Sebastian Cervantez and Jaeli Hernandez.

Johnson, Tatiyana Karnes, Kateland Emeterio Lozano, Brandyn Martinez, Trent Murley, Theran Sealy, Aidan Valle, Emma Baucum, Aaron Chapa, Amaya Cobos, Brayden Cruz and Kassey Darden. Kristian Diaz, Marcus Hernandez, Tristan Hilario, Alexis Knox, Adrian Lozano, Jarek Martinez, Megan McDonald and Diondra Villalobos.

Washington **Elementary School** Fifth Six-Weeks

"A" Honor Roll First Grade: Adrianna Alvarado, Aliana Beserra, Analisa Blount, Dylan Cervantes, Destiny Cox, Tyler Croft, Leah Davis, Joseph Doll, Jacelyn Golden, Xavier Gonzales and Autumn Guidry.

Christopher Ledesma, Nathan Letz, Alexis Mojica, Laura Romero, Anjelica Savell, Toni Sitton, Shelbie Wright and Faith Pearson-Wyatt. Second Grade: Valerie Arview, Marilyn Cerda, Rowan Colette, Christian Horton, Carmen Lopez, Israel McClinton and Alexandria Porter.

Third Grade: Aaron

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Jaydan Canales, Antonio 🕀 Cantu, Beth Carnagie, Madison Compean, Robert Duran, King Ellison and Noel Gutierrez.

Shawn Fierro, Sidney Garza, Alicia Herrera, Nathan Herrod, Cameron Lawson, Montajh Lewis, Angel Magallanes, Alissa Magana, Manuel Marquez, Jackeline Ortega and Shelbie Rains. Valerie Rodriguez, Esperansa Rogers, Andrew Romero, Abigail Roper, Haiven Rushing, Cody Salinas, Casey Shubert, Theron Sneed, Kristina Storie, Katherine Turman and Bobby Zambrano.

Second Grade: Madison Armentrout, JR. Barton, Cassidy Casey, Brandon Esquivel, Samantha Ferro, Alexis Gaitan, Dimas Garcia, Deliah Guzman, Hayley Jenkins, Teresa Juarez, Na'Arah Lawshea, Cierra Martinez, Morgan Owen, Amalia Rios, Stephen Rios, Aerik Sitton and Abby Wentz.

Third Grade: Johnny Juarez, Nicole Garcia, Veronica Nieto, Nicolas Romero, Janasia Rushin, Dava Sausman, Veronica Ventura and Dylan Wardwell.

Fourth Grade: Jessica Bermea, Toby Blackshear, Bryson Burt, Sheana Cherry, Remington Colette, Devon Myckala Craven, Edwards, Rizpah Ellison, Bailee Fleet and Jose Garay.

Brandon Garcia, Gonzales, Cristian Makinzie Griffis, Justice Haggard, Damion Hill, Jeremiah Holguin, Lorenzo Jones, JonPatrick Leos, Luc Lewis, Anthony Lopez and Mark Montez.

Eric Ortega, Rayna Rodriguez, Anthony Romero, Jimmy Roper, Katlin Skiles, Kate Sorton, Abigail Valencia, Victoria Yanez and Jonathan Yarbrough.

Perfect Attendance

Kindergarten: Teydin Currie, Bailey Garcia Raven Rutledge, Nicole Porter, Sonny Baeza, David Burciaga, Kya Davis, Dillan Guzman, Chuck Guidry, Esther Lawshea, Candice Marquez, Israel Rangel, Paula Rodriguez and Bianca Villalobos. Adriala Gomez, Andrea Melendez, Isaac Murillo, Christian Ortega, Adolfo Salazar, Keith Sanchez, Mackenzie Strain, Bevonce Vara, Alexandra Bosley, Fredrick Ausbie, Michael Davis, Sebastian Ferro, Nicholas Herrera, Katie Humphries, Antonio Lopez and Roy Spencer,

Salazar, Kain Spivey and Destiny Zamora.

Kentwood **Elementary School Fifth Six-Weeks** "A" Honor Roll

First Grade: McKenna Alsobrooks, Brett Berringer, Jacob Brue, Brue, Quade Ryan Creswell, Jack Everett, Chesney Gillespie, Reyna Gonzales, Mason Harrington, Emily Hendricks, Mason Kirby, Cooper Miller, Jason Miramontes, Karleigh Moore, Kayleigh Penny, Jakob Rankin, Kaycee Reagan, Jazlyn Segundo, Robert Sotelo and Logan Terrazas.

Second Grade: Hayley Allen, Emily Bacon, Ashley Baldock, Richard Brackeen, Saleen Burchett, Nolan Dominguez, Kalli Hale, Kendrik Kennemur, Stephanie Kizziah, Johnnie Smith, Samantha Solis, Dylan Tredaway, Brooklyn Tubb and

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"A" Honor Roll Kindergarten: Alexis Bristo, Elizabeth Douglas, Gabriel Enriquez, Marcus Miramontes, Gene Rodriguez and Adrian Villa.

Grade: Ruby First Alvarado, Humberto Barreto, Lexsie Brehm, Dani Burcham, Luke Chavarria, Andrew Couch, Jason DeNio, Sebastián Duenez, Aryssa Garcia and Christopher Grisham.

Erynn Marquez, Alycia Martinez, Korina Mata, Mata, Kloe Kristi Pssiivanne Ontiveros, Pushpalingam, Haley Rios, Corey Rodríguez, Angelika Rojero, Teagan Terrell, Tomas Tino and Razyl Yanez.

Second Grade: Caden Cline, Adam Gonzales, Ashley Gonzalez, Haleigh Haven, John Ibanez, Andre Marquez, Krystelle Mikels, Alexander Nguyen, Britney Tan and Brynn Workman. Grade:Caitlin Third

Brake, Darice Chavarria, Trystan Davis, Hamish Finlay, Cassidy Futrelle, Melissa Jurado, Marissa Lopez, Dylan Marquez, Diamonique Mayes, Alyssa Payne, Nathaniel Permenter, Eric Pool, Jimeka Post, Alexia Rawls, Kaleb Ward and Lindsey Woodard.

Moss **Elementary School** Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll

First Grade: Noah Barraza, Reagan Brockman, Atticus Brumley, Chloe

Martin, Aaron Martinez, Deonte Perez, Esperanza Perez, Michael Renteria, Natalie Rodriquez and Robert Valencia

Grade: Third Jaci Zoey Berry, Aguilar, Mariah Cervantez, Nick Jessica Delgado, Gonzales, Joshua Guerra-Mata, Apostle Guillory, Blantyn Gusman, Ron Hale, Caitlan Hines, Jessica Horton, Jacob Joslyn, Kaitlyn Mathews, Scott Phariss, Reneja Perez, Adrian Ramirez, Sean Rios, Italia Sanchez, Lauren Smith and Zoe Tovar.

Fourth: Julia Aguilar,

Blackshear, Bret Cervantez, Taylor Christian, Klarissa Franco, Mavanee Garay, Destiny Mata, Tiffany Timmy McKenzie, McKenzie, Anthony Munoz, Denika Nieto, Serena Reese, Jeremiah Rushin, Devynn Smith and Jacob Valdez.

Fourth Grade: Chase Billings, Garrett Brownfield, Leah Burton, Dustin Garcia, Jerrian Jordan, Marisol Savell and Dakota Stahl.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Raylen Alvarado, Arthur Arview, Kaitlyn Blackshear,

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and conductor Keith Graumann. "I have heard David Corman on several occasions, and his performances have been brilliant. This is an encore performance for Renay Peters Joubert, who performed spiritual and gospel music for us last concert season. The audience will remember the beauty and vibrancy her performance brings to our stage."

Corman and Peters Joubert will perform a suite from Leonard Bernstein's "West Side Story," featuring a number of famous selections such as "Maria," "One One Heart,' Hand, "Somewhere," the "Balcony Scene" and "Tonight." Peters Joubert will also perform "Glitter and be Gay" from "Candide." "Out of My Dreams" from "Oklahoma" and "Over the Rainbow" from "Wizard of Oz."

Graumann said he has also asked Corman to sing two selections from the opera repertoire "E luce-van le Stelle" from "Tosca" by Puccini and "Vesti la Giubba" from "Pagliacci" by Leoncavallo.

"These arias are both very emotional. I think the audience will be mesmerized by Mr. Corman's interpretations," Graumann said.

David Corman

American tenor David Corman has won critical praise and thrilled audiences all over the world. He has sung nearly 1,500 solos in 25 countries and in 45 states of the United States. He has sung more than 100 leading roles in



the New York City Opera, Chicago Lyric Opera, Zurich Opera, Boston Lyric Opera, Bonn Opera, Vienna Opera, Bregenz Festival, Goteborg Opera, Opera Theatre of St. Louis, Opera Carolina, Pittsburgh Opera, Santa Fe Opera and Fort Worth Opera, as well as many others.

He has also sung concerts with the New York Philharmonic, Zurichtonhalle Orchestra, Symphony, Detroit Pittsburgh Symphony, Montreal Symphony, Symphony, Lucerne Sudwest Deutsche Philharmonic and the U.S. Navel Academy. He has won numerous competitions, including the Metropolitan Opera, Puccini Foundation Award, Zachary Award Richard Wagner and Award.

He received a bachelor of music degree from Friends University in Wichita, Kan., completed his master's at Yale University and then did further graduate studies at the Julliard School of Music.

He has studied voice with several opera legends, including Tito Capobinaco, Carlo Bergonzi, Franco Corelli and Neil Shicoff. He has sung with many of the great conductors of the world, including Kurt Masur, Zubin Mehta, Bruno Bartoletti, Sir George Solti, Nello Santi, Lamberto Gardelli, Franz Welser-Most, George Manahan, Carlo Franci,

Julius Rudel, Adam Fischer, Ralf Weikert and Nikolaus Harnancourt. He has also premiered several new works with composers Philip Glass, Siegfried Matthus, William Schuman, Robert Moran and Heinrich Henze.

Corman is currently the Director of Vocal Studies at Odessa College.

Renay Peters Joubert

Soprano Renay Peters Joubert exemplifies today's eclectically experienced vocal musician. A graduate of The Manhattan School of Music, she studied with Helen mezzo-soprano Vanni and

coached with Thomas Grubb and Dorothy Uris. Peters Joubert performed for such notables as President Bill Clinton,

has

Peters the Rev. Jesse Joubert Jackson, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, Mayor David Dinkins and the Archbishop of

Canterbury. Peters Joubert has

appeared in Bernstein's "Trouble in Tahiti" at Cami Hall and the world premiere of Noa Ain's "The Outcast."

As a member of Opera Ebony, she has played the role of Miss Silverpeal and Miss Goldentrill in Mozart's "The Impresario," Norina in "Don Donizetti's Pasquale," Annina in Verdi's "La Traviata" and Cora Perkins in the premiere of Pamela Baskin-Watson's "The Meetin'."

Peters Joubert has toured Switzerland and Martinique in the role of Jenny in Dorothy Rudd

Moore's "Frederick Douglass." She performed in Kemi, Finland for UNICEF'S 50th Anniversary Celebration at the world's largest snow castle as a lead Heikki singer in "Perfect Sarmanto's Harmony" and the PBS special "Aida's Brothers & Sisters: Black Voices In Opera."

Peters Joubert has worked under America's leading African American

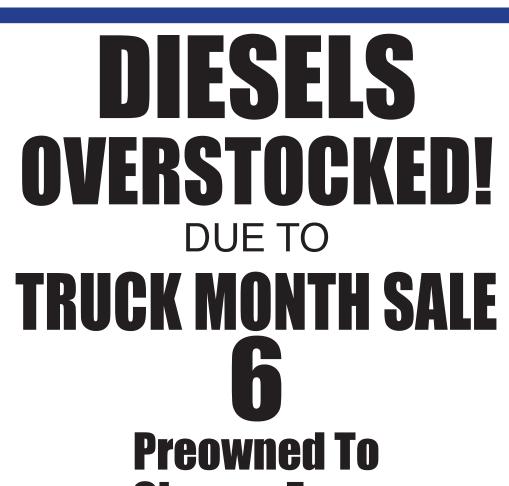
conductors such as Isaiah Leontyne Price Jackson with The Dayton Symphony Orchestra and Dr. Leslie B. Dunner with The Harlem Festival Orchestra . She was the featured soloist with The CenturyMen, a 100-voiced male chorus on their nine-city tour of Brazil. She was also featured with The New York Ragtime Orchestra on their tour of Maine and Japan.

vocal 🕀 competition. Peters Joubert was presented in concert at Weill Recital Hall.

She has also appeared on recordings with The Moses Hogan Chorale, The Moses Hogan Singers, organists Dorothy Papadakas and Tim Brumfield, The New York Ragtime Orchestra, Patti Austin and Luther Vandross.

As a winner in the





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Spring Plant Sale

How's your thumb? The green one.

that we're still here," says Michael Lopez, SWCID recreation director.

Take your turn at bashing a car or dive into inflatable games, a water slide, laser tag or a dunking booth. In addition to the root beer, enjoy a snow cone, barbecue brisket or sausage. There will also be lots of information available about the college for the deaf for those who are interested in learning more. Organizations prewill include sent Highland Council for the Deaf and West Texas Association for the Deaf. SWCID is located at 3200 Ave. C, west of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

handmade glass beads and wind spinners. The list goes on and on.

The Best of Broadway

Wrap up your weekend — well, Saturday, at least

Want to know which plants do well in the Crossroads area? You'll be able to find out - and purchase them — at the Howard County Master Gardener Spring Plant Sale, set from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday in the Coronado Plaza parking lot, intersection of Gregg and FM 700.

Choose from a wide variety of plants Asparagus Fern, Black-Copper eved Susan, Canyon Daisy, Gazania, Ice Plant, Mexican Petunia, Phlox, Russian Sage, Sedum, Verbena are just some of the choices. While there, ask all the questions you want about soil, plants, fertilizing. They love to help.

For more details, go to Howard County the Master Gardener Web site at www.howardcountymastergardener.org

Rattler Fest

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Don't worry. There aren't any rattlers at this event.

But the Rattler Fest is where you'll find that homemade root beer, along with a lot of other good things beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday on the SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf campus

"We want to remind the community and everyone

Arts and Crafts Festival

Need a gift for someone or an interesting item for your own home? It's likely you'll find it the Big Spring Spring Arts and Crafts Festival, planned from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday at the Howard County Fairbarns. Admission is free.

Vendors will be selling clothing, hair accessories, wood signs, seasonal decorations, candy, homemade salsa, birdhouses, silver jewelry, purses, candles and Southwest jewelry. Also, peanut brittle, dolls, country crafts, framed prints, decorative ceramics, children's CDs, sugar free jams and jellies, knives, magnetic jewelry, baked goods,

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with a special treat at the Municipal Auditorium, Big Spring Symphony's final show of the 2007-2008 season. Set for 8 p.m. Saturday, The Best of Broadway will offer a variety of styles from well-known Broadway musicals. Featured guest artists will be soprano Renay Peters Joubert from New York City and tenor David Corman from Odessa College. From "West Side Story" to "Wizard of Oz" to "Les Miserables," symphonygoers are sure to be entertained. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for seniors and \$5 for students and will be available that night at the door of the auditorium, located on the corner of E. Third and Nolan.

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