



How Firm a Foundation ...

Tahoka Trinity Church members worked together last Saturday laying the footing for the foundation of their new sanctuary. Groundbreaking ceremonies were held July 11, with Saturday workdays scheduled for working on the project. Church members are - literally - building the church with their own hands, with volunteer labor. Shown here are Sandy Autry, Barbara Stice, Tricia Porterfield and Betty Long in the foreground, and in background are pastor Charlie Stice, Timmy Stice, Charlie and Toy Holland and Phillip Barnett. See story.

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Construction Work Begins On US 380

Contractors will begin construction work this week on U.S. 380 in Lynn and Garza counties, according to information released this week by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT).

The project includes the rehabilitation of 24 miles of U.S. 380, between U.S. 87 and U.S. 84 from Tahoka to Post. The project is expected to be completed in November.

Weather			
Date	High	Low	Precip.
July 18	99	76	
July 19	99	73	
July 20	98	71	
July 21	100	74	
July 22	100	75	
July 23	101	74	
July 24	98	74	
Total Precip. to date this year: 6.07"			
Precip. this time last year: 15.03"			



OUTSTANDING PARAPROFESSIONAL - Vera Mendez (center), Migrant Coordinator for Wilson ISD, was recently selected as the Outstanding Paraprofessional from all of Region 17. Tony Saldano (left) of the Region 17 Education Service Center presented a medallion and a certificate to Mrs. Mendez. She has worked with Wilson ISD for 27 years, and with migrant students for the past four years. Also pictured is Twilla Rex, Wilson ISD Principal.

Elizabeth Jones Named Lynn County FCS Agent

During the Lynn County Commissioners meeting Monday morning, Elizabeth Jones was approved as the new Lynn County Extension Agent-Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS). She will begin her duties here Aug. 1, filling a position which has been vacant for almost a year, since the resignation of local FCS Agent Doris Collins in August 2000.

"I am very excited about coming to Lynn County," said Ms. Jones. "I have been overwhelmed with the friendliness and enthusiasm of the people here and I am looking forward to being a part of this community," she added.

She joins Lynn County Ag Agent Bryan Reynolds at the Lynn County Extension Office, who is in his eighth year here as county agent.

"We are excited to find a person like Elizabeth for this position and would welcome people to stop by and meet her," said Reynolds. The office is located at 1600 Ave. J in Tahoka.

This is Ms. Jones' first position as a county agent, coming from a position as the FCS Production Coordinator at Creative Education Video, Ltd. in Lubbock and as a part-time instructor at South Plains College. She also has worked as a graduate assistant at the Child Development Research Center at Texas Tech University, and as an office assistant with the Texas Tech Nutrition Education and Training Project.

She received her B.S. Degree in Human Development and Family Studies from Texas Tech University in 1997, and her M.S. Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies in 2000. Her collegiate activities include vice-president of the Golden Key National Honor Society, president of the Christian Science College Organization at Texas Tech, recruiter for the College of Human Sciences, social chair for the Phi Upsilon Omicron, and president of the Dean's Council.

She has received several scholarships including the Chancellor's Fellowship, Texas Tech Presidential Scholarship, the Vernon and Elizabeth Haggerton Scholarship, and the Constance Bishop Goodwin Scholarship. She was listed in Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities, and on the President's List.

Some places near the earth's equator receive as much as 400 inches of rain each year.

The word "queue" is the only word in the English language that is pronounced the same way it sounds if the last four letters are removed.



ELIZABETH JONES

from 1995 to 1997, and received the Phoenix Award.

Ms. Jones currently resides in Lubbock, and she sought permission from Lynn County Commissioners to remain at her residence there, due to financial obligations in buying her home. Commissioners agreed to allow the residency outside of Lynn County, with the understanding that Ms. Jones would be present for her duties here during evening and weekend hours as needed.

Football, Volleyball Two-A-Days Begin

Athletes participating in football and volleyball at Tahoka High School this fall will begin two-a-day practices Monday, Aug. 6, according to THS Athletic Director Bryan Gerlich.

Students will report to their respective practice areas at 6:30 a.m. Aug. 6 and must turn in the following paperwork to school officials at that time: 1) emergency card information; 2) acknowledgement of rules; 3) athletic training rules; 4) football insurance or the athletic medical release; 5) physicals for those who were not in high school athletics last year or anyone who has not had a physical in high school. All incoming ninth graders must have a new physical.

Workouts on the first two practice days, Aug. 6-7, will be from 7:30-9:00 a.m. and from 9:45 a.m. to noon. Practices will continue Aug. 8-10 from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4-6 p.m. Practice on Saturday, Aug. 11 will be from 8-10 a.m. All practices are mandatory, no exceptions.

The first football scrimmage is scheduled for Aug. 18, with the Bulldogs playing Plains at Kelley Field.



COMMENTS on a few news articles in last Friday's daily newspaper:

"Sixth to 12th graders who live in single-dad homes are more likely than others to use drugs, according to a survey released Thursday."

This suggests that fathers are not as good as mothers in raising kids to be good citizens. But the first question that came to my mind was what, exactly did they mean by "single-dad homes"? As opposed to homes in which there are two dads in residence?

"Publisher to re-issue Jefferson's controversial version of the Bible."

I didn't know until I read this that Thomas Jefferson spent most of his last 10 years cutting out sections of the Bible and then putting them back together as a Bible which includes no miracles, no claim that Jesus is the son of God, no Old Testament and none of the writings of Paul. Kind of like W.C. Fields, who reportedly said when he was seen reading the Bible when he was seriously ill that he was "looking for loopholes."

Maybe I should snip out of my Bible all the things I don't understand or agree with, or which I do understand but make me uncomfortable, as in the book of James where I'm told I will ultimately be accountable for every word I speak (or write in a newspaper column).

I doubt that Jefferson's version of the Bible will be really popular, except as reading for the curious.

"Discovery of 'killer bees' prompts quarantine in Lubbock."

In 1957 honey bees from Africa mated with European honey bees in Brazil, producing a hybrid known as Africanized honey bees, also called "killer bees" because they are more aggressive and their stings have been known to kill people, although only eight people have died from bee stings in the U.S. since 1990. That may partially be explained by the fact that the killer bees have been moving north at the rate of about 100-300 miles per year, and last year some were discovered in south Texas.

Now we have them here, and what's worse, they look just like the regular bees. These bees are agitated by loud noise as well as vibrations from vehicles and lawn equipment up to 100 feet or more from a hive, which can be anywhere. They are attracted by hair, dark colors, newly-mowed grass, perfume and citrus-scented candles.

Another good reason not to mow your yard.

Traffic Accidents Send Three Persons To Hospital

Three persons were injured, one seriously, in two traffic accidents on U.S. 87 during the last week.

Early Friday morning, a 1998 Ford Ranger pickup driven by Baldemar Davila, 18, of Tahoka, overturned after the driver apparently fell asleep when he was almost home from Lubbock. A passenger, Belinda Flores Davila, 40, also of Tahoka, suffered spinal injuries and was reported in critical condition at University Medical Center, where she was transferred after both were taken to Lynn County Hospital by EMS ambulance. The driver was treated and released.

Also treated for apparent minor injury at Lynn County Hospital after being taken there by EMS ambulance was Billy Ray Cooper, 35, of Lubbock. Cooper was driving a 2000 International truck towing a trailer load of groceries for U.S. Food Service when the truck overturned at 4:43 a.m. Monday on U.S. 87 just after the southbound vehicle entered the one-lane service road in the construction area.

Club Tourney Set At T-Bar

T-Bar Country Club will host its annual club tournament Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 18-19.

Tee times are 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Entry fee is \$20 per person.

For more information, or to enter, call Cherry at 998-5305.

Three traffic accidents in the city of Tahoka last week resulted in no injuries, although 17 people were in four of the vehicles involved.

Last Friday at the intersection of Lockwood and the west access road of U.S. 87, a 1995 Lincoln driven by Jerry Carroll Patton, 61, of Townley, AL and a 1999 Toyota Corolla driven by Sandra Lopez Lynch, 36, of O'Donnell, collided.

On Thursday at Main and Lockwood streets, a 1999 GMC Yukon SUV driven by Benny F. Pacheco Jr., 28, of Clovis NM and a 1993 GMC van driven by Robert Anthony Munoz, 35, of Tahoka were involved in a collision. Five of the nine persons in the two cars were wearing seat belts.

Last Wednesday a 2000 Lincoln Town Car parked in the 2200-block of Ave. J was struck by an unknown vehicle. Owner of the car is Leonard Dunn of Tahoka.

Police also investigated incidents of criminal mischief - a window broken out at a residence on N. 7th St., and a burglary in which someone broke into the concession stand at the Tahoka swimming pool, taking some food items. Two assaults of family members also were investigated.

In jail during the last week were three persons for driving while license suspended, four for driving while intoxicated, two for no liability insurance, one for theft over \$500, one for burglary of a habitation, and one for evading arrest.

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THS, TMS Set Registration For Aug. 1-3

Registration for students entering grades 7-12 at Tahoka Independent School District will be Aug. 1-3 in the Tahoka High School LRC. The schedule for registration is as follows:

Seniors: Wednesday, Aug. 1
Last Names A-G: 8:00-10:00 a.m.
H-P: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Q-Z: 11:00-12:00 noon

Juniors: Wednesday, Aug. 1
Last Names A-G: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
H-P: 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Q-Z: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Sophomores: Thursday, Aug. 2
Last Names A-G: 8:00-10:00 a.m.
H-P: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Q-Z: 11:00-12:00 noon

Freshmen: Thursday, Aug. 2
Last Names A-G: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
H-P: 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Q-Z: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Eighth Grade: Friday, Aug. 3
Last Names A-G: 8:00-10:00 a.m.
H-P: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Q-Z: 11:00-12:00 noon

Seventh Grade: Friday, Aug. 3
Last Names A-G: 1:00-2:00 p.m.
H-P: 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Q-Z: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

New Student registration will be from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon on August 7.

During registration, students will be given several forms to be filled out at home. These forms must be returned to the High School Office by Thursday, Aug. 9. Any student who has not turned these forms in will not be allowed to stay in class the first day of school, according to school officials.

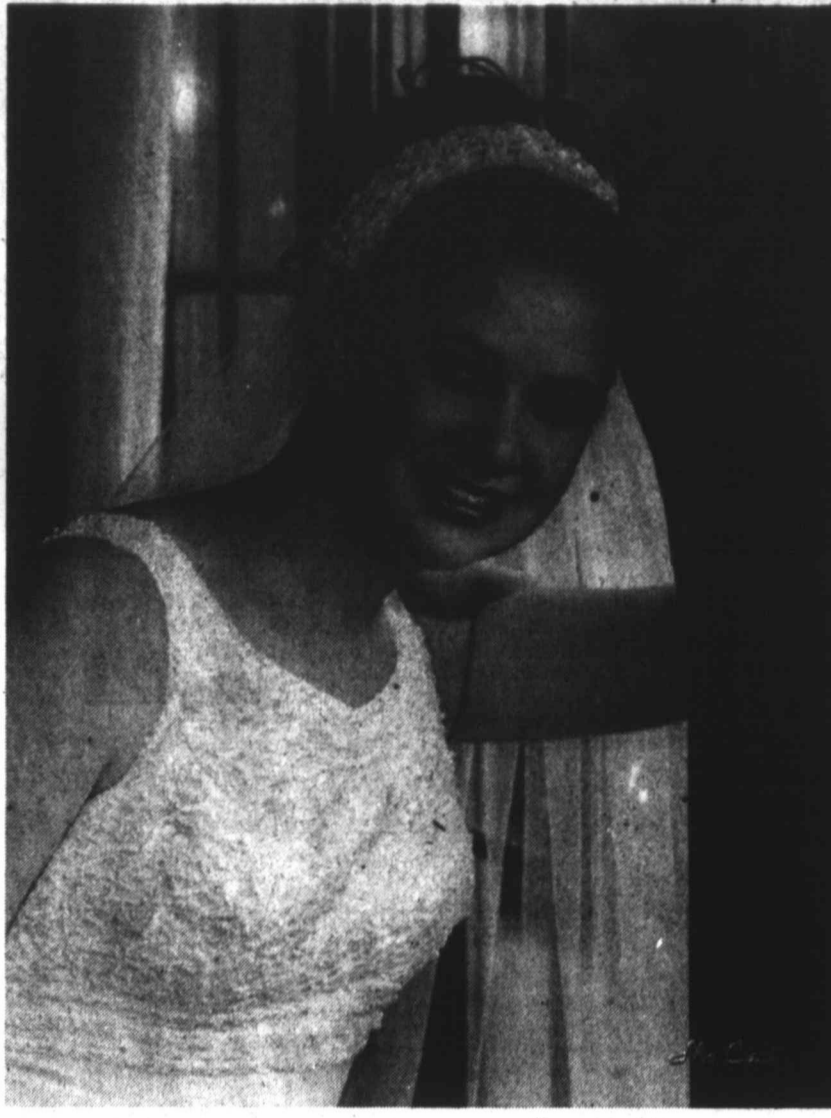
"If you have any questions, please contact the high school office at 998-4538 on or after July 23," said a school representative.

Nevill Receives Masters From Tech

Joe Don Nevill of Tahoka graduated from Texas Tech University on May 12 with a Master of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering.

He was one of 333 students to receive a masters degree.

Nevill, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Everton Nevill of Tahoka, lives in Tahoka with his wife Carissa and his infant daughter, Callie Jane.



MRS. BRET HOLLOWAY (nee MINDY BUXKEMPER) Buxkemper, Holloway Exchange Vows In Double Ring Ceremony

Mindy Coleen Buxkemper of Lubbock and Bret Ryan Holloway of Tahoka, were united in marriage at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 21, 2001 at Christ the King Cathedral in Lubbock. Msgr. Ronald Buxkemper presided over the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Michael and Vicki Buxkemper of Lubbock. Her grandparents are Carnez Hill of Lubbock and Leroy and Ludwina Buxkemper of Slaton.

Parents of the groom are Danny and Laurie Holloway of Smyer. He is the grandson of James & Billie Holloway of Lubbock.

The church decorations included a large spring floral arrangement in front of the altar and four tulle draped candelabra with pillar candles.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a candle-light white dress with a lace and beaded bodice and hem. The dress featured an empire waist

and covered buttons and a beaded bow in the back. She wore a beaded headpiece, open in the back, attached to a single piece of tulle that flowed below her waist.

The bridal bouquet was a mixed array of white, purple and lavender roses with white and purple tulips, accented with wax flowers, lemon leaves and ivy.

Maid of honor was Andrea Thrasher of Austin. Serving as bridesmaids were Staci Linderman of Killeen and Karen Valentini of Lubbock.

They wore dresses of eggplant-colored crepe with an empire waist and an A-line skirt. The dress featured a square neck and back with a satin cuff on the sleeves and a flat satin bow in back.

Best man was Shaun Knapp of Lubbock. Groomsmen were Scott Dean of Lubbock and Patrick Qualls of Midland.

Ushers included Tim Dietz of Lubbock, Sean Holloway of Smyer, Greg Buxkemper of Dallas and Lance Buxkemper of Lubbock.

Haley Linderman of Killeen was flower girl. She wore a lavender sleeveless dress with small flowers around the waist.

Dillon Holloway of Smyer served as ring bearer.

Terry Brown of Odessa registered guests.

Musical selections included "Cannon in D" as the processional and "Trumpet Voluntary" for the recessional, "How Beautiful," and "Only God Could Love You More." Vocalists were David Harper and Julie Ackerman of Plainview. Brent McWilliams of Lubbock played piano and organ and Dr. Ann Stutes of Plainview played the violin.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at Health Point.

The bride's table featured a multi-tiered cake with lace-like icing, accented with flowers. Serving at the bride's table were Mandi Bruedigam and Amber Prentice.

The groom's table featured a cheesecake with chocolate covered strawberries. Serving were Heather Knapp and Kristi Armes.

Also featured at the reception was a memory table with childhood pictures and memorabilia from the bride and groom.

Following a wedding trip to London, England the couple will reside in Tahoka.

The bride is a graduate of Texas Tech University with a degree in Public Relations. The groom, a graduate of Texas Tech University, is a loan officer at First National Bank in Tahoka.

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Thomas, Sommerville Wed in Plainview

Marca Lynn Sommerville and Jay Alan Thomas exchanged wedding vows Saturday, June 16, 2001 in the First Baptist Church in Plainview with Dr. Travis Hart, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Dick and LaVonda Sommerville and the granddaughter of Lillian Haile, all of Plainview.

The groom is the son of Sue Thomas of Lubbock and the late Larry P. Thomas. He is the grandson of Ruth Walker of Lubbock and Joy Thomas of Tahoka.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a candle-light Italian satin gown featuring an off the shoulder neckline and cap sleeves on a fitted bodice enhanced with embroidery and crystal and pearl beading. A bias cut band of embroidery finished the hemline of the full ball gown skirt. A detachable envelop mid-cathedral train was held in place with a cluster of fabric roses. A headpiece of Austrian Crystals held a layered waist length veiling edged with satin cord.

Monica Ward of Plano served as maid of honor and Dee Williamson of Lubbock, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Tracy Reed of Corinth, Tiffany Sherman of Carrollton, Kim Sheets of Garland, Amy Tapp of Lubbock, Tracy Swafford of Lamesa, cousin of the groom, and Amanda Reid of San Angelo, cousin of the bride.

They wore black taffeta two piece



MRS. JAY THOMAS (nee MARCA SOMMERVILLE)

ensembles with A-line skirts and sleeveless wrap bodices. Sashes were accented at the back with roses.

Jeff Thomas of Mansfield, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Lance Copeland, Heath Acery, Karl Edwards and Tim Tapp, all of Lubbock, Mike Thompson of Tempe, Ariz., Trent Scott of Lubbock, cousin of the groom, and Austin Sommerville of Plainview, brother of the bride.

Reagan Reed of Corinth, Courtney Brown of Lubbock and Cody Swafford of Lamesa served as ushers.

Keely Williamson of Lubbock, niece of the bride, and Cambrie Swafford of Lamesa, cousin of the groom, served as flower girls.

Ring bearers were Remington Reed of Corinth and Cade Acery of Lubbock.

Candlelighters were Austin Sommerville and Amanda Reid.

Musical selections were presented by Musical Inspirations with Carol Reid, harpist.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Hillcrest Country Club in Lubbock. Members of the house party included Lacey Scott, aunt of the groom, and Loretta Koonce, LaQuita Philby and LaDonna Keister, all aunts of the bride.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the couple will reside in Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Plainview High School and is a student at Texas Tech University. She is employed by Dance & Flips Etc.

The groom is a graduate of Monterey High School and will graduate from Texas Tech University in December.



3-D BAND CONTESTANTS - Five members of the Tahoka 3-D Band competed at the Texas State Solo and Ensemble contest in San Marcos this summer. Competitors included (left to right) Cristal Amador, Solana Agüero, Callie McKay, Jeanine Wilson and Kristy Alvarez. Band Director Carroll Rhodes is pictured in back. Amador earned an excellent rating and a silver medal for her flute solo, while McKay earned a superior rating and a gold medal for her clarinet solo. Agüero, Wilson and Alvarez competed as a clarinet trio.

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Building A Church:

Trinity Members Put Their Faith, And Muscles, To Work

by JUANELL JONES

They're just like any other church: they pray, sing praises, worship the Lord ... but come early Saturday mornings, they can be found putting their muscles into what they believe. They're the congregation of Tahoka Trinity Church, and they are - literally - building a new sanctuary with their own hands.

It's almost unheard of in this day and age, but the members of this small, but growing, church are united in their efforts to attain their dream, and they're doing it the old fashioned way: by the sweat of their brow. It

will be like the "barn-raising" days of old, when neighbors join neighbors with hammers, tape measures, and other tools, and work together in volunteer labor to erect a building.

In anticipation of this project, the congregation has held fund-raisers for the past year and a half, to be used for purchasing the materials needed for building a new church. The new sanctuary/fellowship hall/classroom facility will be built directly behind the current church and parsonage, located at 1925 Lockwood. Upon completion of the new church, the current facilities will be demolished

to make room for a parking area for the new church.

Ground-breaking ceremonies were held July 11, and workdays were scheduled for every Saturday for any congregational member willing to work. This past Saturday, July 14, several members could be found sweltering under the hot sun with shovels and trowels as a concrete footing was poured for the foundation. In two weeks, the concrete slab will be poured and building materials will be gathered for construction work to begin.

And it's not just the men of the congregation who are taking responsibility. This is an equal-opportunity "home mission" project, and the women are working side-by-side with the men, with the youth of the church awaiting opportunities for work which they can safely perform. For some who because of physical limitations are unable to perform heavy-duty labor, there are other ways to help, such as providing refreshments and running errands - jobs which are just as essential for completion of the project.

"This is a real exciting time for us," says Charlie Stice, pastor of the church. "The Lord has blessed us in many ways. It's been a long time since we've had anything like this [project], and we are very excited about working together," he added.

Stice explained that the church membership began growing about a year and a half ago, and initiated fund-raisers to save money for building a new facility. Currently, the church sanctuary can only seat approximately 100, and the fellowship hall area is very limited for seating. Sunday School classes are conducted in the parsonage located adjacent to the church (Stice and his wife, Barbara, have their own home in Tahoka, leaving the parsonage open for classroom facilities).

"We really needed to have classrooms in the same building, and a larger fellowship hall/family center. And with the church membership growing, we could see a future need for a larger sanctuary," Stice said.

The new 5,476-sq.-ft. church building will include a 50'x50' sanctuary with seating for 160-170, a 24'x30' family center/fellowship hall, and five classrooms, including a nursery. Much of the furnishings and hardware from the current church will be used in the new facility, including the heating/cooling unit, the suspended ceiling, church pews, baptistry, and most of the kitchen cabinets and appliances.

"We'll salvage everything we can from the building and put it to use somewhere," said the pastor, who is also a builder by trade with years of



HANDS OF FAITH - Tahoka Trinity Church pastor Charlie Stice (kneeling right) works with Timmy Stice and Toy Holland Saturday morning as church members gathered to put their faith to work. The members of the congregation are volunteering their labor in building a new church, located directly behind their current facilities at 1925 Lockwood. (LCN PHOTO)



WORKING TOGETHER - Tahoka Trinity Church members Charlie Mac Holland and Phillip Barnett guide the concrete into the perimeter footing for a new church building at a workday last Saturday. An old fashioned "church raising" is scheduled in the near future, with the church being built from volunteer labor - something almost unheard of in this day and age. (LCN PHOTO)

experience in the carpentry and construction field.

Helping hands will come to their aid on Aug. 23, when Stice says some folks from South Carolina

and Colorado Springs, CO have plans to come to Tahoka to help with the construction.

"These are some of the same people who went to Mexico with us last year on a mission trip to build a church, and when they get here we expect to have all materials on site and construct the shell of the building in two to three days - a 'church raising,'" Stice said. "It will be just like an old-fashioned 'barn raising'."

We're also going to ask the community for help, and anyone who wants to work will be very welcome," he explained.

Stice said a message would be placed on the Tahoka Town Crier at Tahoka City Hall when the "church raising" is planned, and that anyone is welcome to help.

He said that he believes current funding will provide materials for erecting the walls and shell of the facility, but that when it comes to interior work more funding will be required.

"We're just going to have faith that we'll get what is needed to finish," said the pastor with a humble smile.

And what is faith without work? For Tahoka Trinity members, it means getting their hands dirty, putting their muscles into it, and working side by side to accomplish this act of faith.

"For God is not unjust to forget your work and labor of love which you have shown toward His name..."
- Hebrews 6:10

New Home ISD Starts School August 10

Students at New Home ISD will start classes for the 2001-2002 school year at 7:55 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 10. The tardy bell will ring at 8 a.m.

High school schedules may be picked up beginning Monday, Aug. 6 in the high school office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. New students should register during those hours on Monday, Aug. 6.

The school supply lists for elementary students are available in the elementary office and the school dress code is posted at the New Home Post Office.

News from the Tahoka Care Center

by Beverly Zuniga

Where does time go when you're having fun? This week started with the faithful gospel hour group. Every Monday at 2 p.m. we enjoy singing together those good ol' gospel songs.

Last Tuesday, Wilma Gerner, who volunteers monthly for storytime had a great story about Charles Smith of New Home who is building large palm trees out of metal. Thanks Wilma, we enjoyed all the stories.

Wednesday, Bro. Marvin Gregory and Dalton Wood harmonized together with the trumpet, saxophone and piano - it was music to our ears! Beautiful music filled the dining room. Thank you Dalton and Bro. Marvin.

Thursday, we celebrated the July birthdays with birthday cake and lime sherbet punch. Thank you to Sharon Barrientz, your cakes are always gorgeous and delicious.

On Friday, residents from Golden Plains Care Center came over to play dominoes with the Care Center residents. We enjoy them coming a look forward to their coming again.

Charlie Stice and Ruben Gandy entertained us Tuesday. We always enjoy their great singing and playing talent.

The Care Center welcomes two new residents. Welcome to Nicholas Perez and Nancy Rodriguez.

Hazel Hogg is in the Lynn County Hospital. We wish here a speedy recovery.

Don't forget Family Night tonight at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by our four legged friends. We're having a dog show. Please bring your dog and lets have fun. First, second and third places will be given out and refreshments will served.

Thank you Wayla Bueermann, Renee Brooks, and the Methodist Fellowship Sunday School Class for the bingo donations.

As you probably know by now, my last day at the Center will be Friday, July 27. I have accepted a position at the Tahoka School as a day care provider.

This year has been a lot of fun, hard work and rewards of love to last a lifetime! The residents have taught me so much, and made me realize that growing older only means I'll be older but wiser.

Thank you staff at the Care Center, you're a great staff and you do a good job taking care of the residents each day. I would like to thank the families of the residents who always helped me endlessly. Thank you to the community, the doctors, businesses, pastors of each church, the school, teachers and students. Thanks also to each volunteer who donated time, food, money, bingo prizes and yourselves. You have made my job easier and the residents happy.

I love each of you and I will miss you all very much. Take care and know my heart is always with you! Thank you dear friends for everything.

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Lubbock County, South Plains On Alert For Africanized Bees

Lubbock and other counties on the Texas South Plains are now on alert for the presence of Africanized bees, following the positive identification of these bees in two Lubbock County "bee events." As of July 19, the Texas Apiary Inspection Service (TAIS) added Lubbock County to the list of 134 other Texas counties quarantined for Africanized bees.

The quarantine seeks to prevent the movement of Africanized bees out of those counties through inspection and certification of beekeepers' hives. The TAIS is a unit of Texas A&M's Agricultural Experiment Station.

The two Lubbock County bee events included both human and animal (dogs) contact with Africanized bees. No serious human injuries resulted, but one dog was fatally affected and others required intensive veterinary care.

To date, there have been no confirmed reports of Africanized bees in Lynn County according to Lynn County Agricultural Agent Bryan Reynolds, who said that none of the bees in bee traps or from other samples provided by local residents have been identified as Africanized bees.

A July 9 bee event in Cochran County involving humans, dogs and poultry may soon place that county under quarantine, if positive results of the Africanized bee identification tests conducted at Texas Tech are accepted by the TAIS.

"We want people on the South Plains to be aware of the presence of these bees, and learn how to recognize them and take preventative action against further stinging inci-

dents," said Dr. Pat Porter, Texas A&M entomologist based at Lubbock.

Porter and Dr. Marilyn Houck, Texas Tech professor of biological science, held a news conference July 19 at Texas Tech to alert South Plains residents to the presence of Africanized bees.

Porter and Houck have created an Internet website (http://lubbock.tamu.edu/ahb) that outlines the history and spread of Africanized honey bees in the Western Hemisphere.

Africanized honey bees are visually indistinguishable from common European honey bees, but their aggressive, "mob" stinging behavior and prolonged response (24 to 48 hours) to intentional or unintentional threats poses a real danger to humans, animals or livestock that encounter them. Persons allergic to bee stings and pets and livestock that are tethered or otherwise confined are most vulnerable to their stings.

Porter and Houck advised people to remember the acronym ACE if they encounter overly aggressive bees. "A means sound the alert to others in the area. C means cover your head and face; stings to the head and face are the most dangerous. And E means exit the area as quickly as possible," they explained.

They cautioned against trying to destroy the bees or hive after or during an encounter.

"The safest course of action is to get to shelter immediately and call 911. The only people equipped to safely deal with these bees are licensed pest management firms and beekeepers," Porter said.

"Summer Fun"

Photos submitted by area readers depicting summer activities will be printed as space is available.



READY FOR ACTION - Colton Lammons of Round Rock, grandson of Orville and Johnette Havens of Tahoka, is ready for action against the enemy aboard the USS Lexington in Corpus Christi. *The News* will publish Summer Fun photos at no cost through August as space permits (one photo per family please.)

3-D Band To Begin Summer Rehearsals Monday

The award winning, record breaking Tahoka High School 3-D Band will begin preparation for the upcoming school year by commencing summer band rehearsals Monday, July 30 from 7-9 p.m. Rehearsals will be Monday through Thursday, July 30-Aug. 2 and Aug. 6-9, from 7-9 p.m. except on Wednesdays when rehearsal will be from 5:00-6:30 p.m.

The first hour and a half will be spent on music while the last thirty minutes will concentrate on marching. The contest show for this march-

ing season will feature music of the 70's rock group Queen, including "We Will Rock You," "Crazy Little Thing Called Love," and "Bohemian Rhapsody."

Band Director Carroll Rhodes explained that the 3-D Band has the opportunity to do something that not Tahoka Band has ever done:

- Continue the three year tradition of Superiors in concert;
- Continue the two year tradition of Superiors in Concert and Sight-reading;
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- Start a new tradition by earning a Superior at the Regional Marching Contest and going to the Area Marching Contest with the opportunity to advance to the State Marching contest, something no Tahoka band has ever done;

• Premiere a band composition at UIL Concert Contest written specifically for the Tahoka 3-D Band in celebration of the life of Meg Flynn, a 3-D band member who died in 1999.

"These summer rehearsals will get us off to a good start and help the band through hard work and dedication to continue to do amazing things this year," stated Rhodes.

Tahoka Teachers Release School Supply Lists

Teachers at Tahoka Elementary School have released their lists of school supplies students will need when the first day of classes begin on Aug. 13.

The student's name needs to be printed on all personal items in permanent marker and supplies should be replenished as needed.

Students should furnish the following supplies:

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Kindergarten: 1 backpack; 1 school box (8 1/2 x 5); 6 ea. #2 pencils; 2 boxes of Crayons (16 count only, no fat or fluorescent); 1 box watercolors (3 count only); 2 bottles 4oz. white Elmer's glue (not paste or gel); 1 big green or pink eraser; 1 pair of metal Fiskar scissors (small size); 3 large boxes of Kleenex; 2 two-pocket folders; 1 box sandwich size Ziplock bags; 2 60 page wide-ruled spiral notebooks (not college-ruled).

First Grade: 10 ea. #2 pencils; 1 big green eraser; 1 Crayola brand school glue (not paste); 3 boxes of crayons (8 count only, not fat or fluorescent); 1 pair of metal Fiskar scissors (small size); 3 large boxes of Kleenex; 1 large old shirt for artwork; 1 small size watercolor (8 count only); 1 Composition spiral notebook (not regular spiral); 1 roll of paper towels; 1 box any size Ziplock bags; 1 small school box.

Second Grade: 1 school box; 4 ea. #2 pencils; 1 box crayons (8 count); 1 set markers (8 count); 1 big green or pink eraser; 1 small pair Fiskar scissors; 1 roll Scotch tape; 1 clipboard; 1 highlighter; 1 red pen; 1 large size white Elmer's glue (not paste); 3 large boxes Kleenex; 1 set water colors (small size); 1 set map colors; 1 spiral notebook; 1 box Ziplock sandwich bags; 1 recipe box; 1 package notebook paper (wide-rule only).

Third Grade: 1 clipboard (no notebooks); 1 box crayons (16 count only); 2 ea. #2 pencils; 1 pair Fiskar scissors; 1 small size watercolors; 3 large boxes of Kleenex; 1 small size

white Elmer's glue (not paste); 2 packages notebook paper (wide-rule only/200 sheets); 1 backpack or book bag (that will fit in locker); 2 wide-ruled spiral notebooks (not college-ruled); 1 red pen; 2 folders with pockets; 1 zippered bag or box for supplies; 1 roll paper towels.

Fourth Grade: 4 large boxes Kleenex; 1 box crayons (24 count); 1 pair Fiskar scissors; 1 large size white Elmer's glue; 2 glue sticks; 8 ea. #2 pencils; 2 wide-ruled single spiral notebooks (not college-ruled); 4 red pens; 4 highlighters; 1 set markers (8 count, basic colors); 1 roll Scotch tape; 2 colored folders with pockets and brads; 4 packages wide-ruled notebook paper (not college-ruled); 1 set Expo dry erase markers; 1 Expo eraser; 1 school box (8"x5"); 1 package notebook dividers.

Fifth Grade: 1 clipboard (no notebooks); 1 pair scissors; 1 rule (inch and centimeter); 1 package map colors (8 count); 1 set markers (8 count basic colors); 2-4 highlighters; 1 box crayons (24 count); 2 red medium pens or red pencils; 2 blue or black medium point pens; 2 ea. #2 pencils; 1 white Elmer's glue (not paste); 4 glue sticks; 2 rolls Scotch tape; 1 small assignment spiral; 1 protractor; 3 large boxes Kleenex; 6 folders with brads and pockets; zipper bags (large) or regular size box for supplies; notebook paper (wide-rule only, 3 or 5 ring).

Sixth Grade: 1 box crayons (24 count); 8 folders with pockets and brads; 1 set wide markers (8 count); 1 set map color pencils; 1 ruler (inch and centimeter); 6 Elmer's glue sticks; 1 pair scissors; 1 zipper pencil bag (no boxes); 1 package highlighters (4 count); 1 protractor; 1 compass (not metal); 4 large boxes Kleenex; red grading pens; #2 pencils; medium point black or blue pens (no colorful gel pens); notebook paper (wide-rule only, not college-rule; 3 or 5 ring).

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SHIPS AHOY - Brighton and Bailey McMinn of Tahoka and Emily and Easton Swinnea of Littlefield pose with "Pa Jack" (Jack Cobb) of Plains before boarding the boat for a trip out on Lake Alan Henry recently. Brighton and Bailey are the children of Karen and Shane McMinn of Tahoka. *The News* will publish Summer Fun photos at no cost through August as space permits (one photo per family please.)

The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Wilson Volunteer Fire Department Tip of the Week: One of the most important places to keep a fire extinguisher is in your vehicle. Vehicle fires are common and most of them occur quickly and spread fast due to the availability of a fuel source. Your vehicle extinguisher should be a type A-B-C, which will work on almost any type of fire, and it should be a larger unit so that there is enough chemical to adequately fight the fire. Remember, though, a vehicle fire can be quite dangerous so if you are unable to knock down the fire very quickly, make sure all the vehicle occupants are out, and get away from the vehicle. As in the case of all fires, the first order of business is to call 911 and get the fire department on the way.

Young At Heart has been cancelled for the month of July. The normal meeting time would have been today. The group will meet at the regular time in August.

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church will host their annual Jamaica on Sunday, July 29 from noon to 6 p.m. This will be an afternoon of live music, food, games and other entertainment for the whole family. This is a community event, and all residents of Wilson and the surrounding area are invited to attend. For

more information, contact Fr. Malcolm Neyland at (806) 745-3949.

Don't forget the summer hours at the Wilson library, the library will be open from 9 a.m. to noon each Tuesday and Thursday.

It's almost the last of July and August is just around the corner, which means that the start of school isn't too far away. Wilson staff and faculty will begin their year on Aug. 7 and classes for the students will begin Aug. 13. See the school supply list elsewhere in this issue.

4-H Golf Tourney Set For Saturday

Lynn County 4-H will host a 4-person Open Scramble Golf Tournament on Saturday, July 28 at T-Bar Country Club. Tee-off is 12:00 noon, and cost for the event is \$120 per team, which includes a meal.

Cash prizes will be paid along with contests for the longest drive, straightest drive, and closest to pin. Over \$1,200 was paid out last year to golfers in the 4-H tournament. Door prizes and raffle tickets for a two-night stay at the Inn of the Mountain Gods will be available.

All proceeds will benefit Lynn County 4-H members.

For more information or to sign up, contact T-Bar Country Club at 998-5305.

Memorials and donations may be made to the **Lynn County Pioneers (Senior Citizens)** 1600 S. 3rd • P.O. Box 223 Tahoka, Tx 79373

Two \$35,000 Grants Help Purchase New Ambulance For Lynn Co. EMS

The Meadows Foundation is giving \$35,000 in grant funds to Lynn County Hospital District to help purchase a new ambulance for Lynn County EMS, and the Texas Department of Health is matching that amount with another \$35,000 grant. That funding, plus about \$7,000 raised locally through the annual Fun/Food Festival auction, memorials and donations from Lynn County residents, will pay for a much-needed new ambulance for the local volunteer Emergency Medical Service crew.

The new ambulance has been ordered and is being built to specifications, and is expected to be finished at the end of August. That means Lynn County EMS should have the new ambulance in September, and the current primary ambulance will be delegated as a backup ambulance.

The current ambulance, while in good shape, has close to 90,000 miles on it and is beginning to show signs of wear and tear. However, it would be put to good use as a backup ambulance for the Lynn County EMS, according to EMS Coordinator Jeanie Stone.

The current backup ambulance, which has well over 100,000 miles on the odometer, will be traded in on the new ambulance to help defray some costs. Total cost for the 2001 Ford ambulance is \$81,982, with \$5,464 allowed for the trade-in, for a trade difference of \$76,518. With the \$70,000 in grant funding, another \$5,000 from the Lynn County Hospital Auxiliary and the remainder from the Lynn County EMS Memorials/Donations Fund, Hospital Administrator Dan Powers said the cost of the new ambulance should be covered.

"The grant funding from The Meadows Foundation and the Texas

Department of Health has made it possible for a new ambulance to be purchased, and we are very pleased to receive these extremely generous grants," said Mrs. Stone.

The Meadows Foundation is a private philanthropic institution established by Algor H. and Virginia Meadows to assist the people and institutions of Texas improve the quality and circumstances of life for themselves and future generations, according to information released by the foundation. Foundation grants support work in the fields of arts and culture, civic and public affairs, education, health and human services. Since its inception, the Foundation has dispersed over \$430 million in grants and direct charitable expenditures to over 2,000 Texas institutions and agencies.

There are 15 volunteers on the Lynn County EMS, which operates under the auspices of Lynn County Hospital District. One of the local volunteers is Donnie Henry of Tahoka, who is also a paramedic in Lubbock County. With the addition of a paramedic on the crew, the Lynn County EMS standard of care has been upgraded by the state from BLS (Basic Life Support) with ALS (Advanced Life Support) Capabilities, to BLS with MICU (Medical Intensive Care Unit) Capabilities.

In addition to Henry, the Lynn County EMS has three Intermediate EMTs, including Kent Stone, Dee Dee Pridmore and Keith Paschal; nine EMTs, including Jeanie Stone, Steve McKay, Kathy Long, Bobby Jolly Jr., Todd and Ginger Henry, Billy Flores, Vondell Elliott and Nikky Alvarado; and two drivers, Daniel Garvin, who is expecting to complete an EMT course in the near future, and Janie Isbell.

Wilson ISD Teachers Release Supply Lists

Teachers at Wilson Elementary and Wilson Junior High School have released the school supply lists for incoming children in pre-k through 8th grade. All supplies should be labeled with the child's name. Teachers will give out other supply needs on the first day of class.

Supplies needed are as follows:

Pre-Kindergarten: 1 change of clothes in a bag labeled with child's name (this is a must); 16 count crayons; 4oz. bottle Elmer's glue (no glue sticks); 2 boxes Kleenex; pkg. assorted construction paper; nap mat; 2 two-pocket folders, without brads (one red/one blue); 2 ea. #2 pencils; Fiskar scissors (blunt end).

Kindergarten: 1 change of clothes in a bag labeled with child's name (this is a must); 1 pkg. Crayola markers; water color paints; 1 glue stick; construction paper (1 assorted/1 manila); 2 large boxes Kleenex; 3 two-pocket folders, without brads (one blue/one red/one yellow); 4oz. bottle white Elmer's glue; 1 pair children's Fiskar scissors (blunt point); 1 box crayons (24 count); 1 backpack; 3 spiral notebooks (wide-ruled); 1 Kindergarten; 1 school box.

First Grade: sharp point Fiskar scissors; 4oz. white Elmer's glue (no gel or colored glue, no bigger size and absolutely no glue sticks); 4 pencils; 24 count

box crayons; 1 large boxes Kleenex; large eraser school box, 1 spiral notebook (120 page/wide-ruled); assorted construction paper; 8 count Crayola washable markers (basic colors); 3 pocket folders without brads.

Second Grade: school box; 10 ea. #2 pencils; sharp point scissors; ruler (inch & metric); 24 count crayons; 4oz. white Elmer's school glue; 2 large boxes Kleenex; 2 large erasers; 8 washable markers (wide/Crayola basic); 3 pocket folders with brads; 4 wide-ruled spiral notebooks; 1 backpack or book bag.

Third Grade: 5 pocket folders with brads (including 1 blue and 1 yellow); erasers; #2 pencils (no pen/pencils); school box, sharp point scissors; notebook with wide-ruled paper; 16-24 count crayons; inch/metric ruler; 3 lg. boxes Kleenex; 3-10 washable markers (wide-ends); glue (not colored); 3 wide-ruled spiral notebooks (120 page); map colors.

Fourth Grade: #2 pencils; 2 spiral notebooks; 1 ea. 5 subject notebook; 2 large boxes Kleenex; wide-lined loose leaf paper; 3 ring binder; sharp point scissors; glue stick; 12 inch ruler (inch/metric); pkg. map colors; 5 pocket folders with brads (one yellow); blue or black pen (erasable); large eraser; 16-24 box crayons; 3 highlighters.

Fifth Grade: #2 pencils; 2 spiral notebooks, one 5 subject notebook; 2 large boxes Kleenex; wide-lined loose leaf paper; 3 ring binder; sharp point scissors; glue stick; 12 inch ruler (inch & metric); pkg. map colors; 5 pocket folders with brads (1 yellow); blue or black erasable pen; large eraser; 16-24 count crayons; 3 highlighters; protractor.

Sixth Grade: glue stick; map colors; scissors; 3 highlighters; 2 spiral notebooks; notebook and pencil bag; 2 large boxes Kleenex.

Seventh & Eighth Grades: glue stick; map colors; scissors; 2 large boxes Kleenex; highlighters; notebook and pencil bag.

"Summer Fun"

Photos submitted by area readers depicting summer activities will be printed as space is available.



SLIP SLIDIN' AWAY - These Tahoka youngsters had a fine time at the waterpark in North Richland Hills recently. They are (top) Hannah Hammonds and (bottom) Grant Garvin and Preston Hammonds. Hannah and Preston are the children of Mitch and Shannon Hammonds; Grant is the son of Tiffanie and Daniel Garvin. *The News* will publish Summer Fun photos at no cost through August as space permits (one photo per family please.)

Wilson Athletes To Report For Duty

Larry Mantle, Rodney George, and John R. Starcher, coaches at Wilson ISD, have requested that all incoming athletes at Wilson High School and Wilson Junior High report to the school anytime between Aug. 1-3 to meet the coaches, receive necessary paperwork, and talk about two-a-day practices for the football team.

August Schedule Set At City Pool

City of Tahoka officials have set new hours for the city swimming pool beginning Aug. 11. The pool will be open Saturdays and Sundays from 1-6 p.m. through Labor Day (Sept. 3).

Officials, however, stress that the pool will be available to rent for parties through the final weeks of August on weekdays after 4 p.m. and on weekends. Parties may be scheduled by contacting Suzanne Baker at 998-4733.

All male and female athletes entering the sixth and ninth grades must have a UIL physical. Also, any current athlete who suffered a major injury or had surgery within the last year must receive a physical. Physicals have been scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 4. The bus will leave from the high school at 10 a.m., physicals are scheduled for 11 a.m. Students need to bring a \$10 fee. All physicals should be complete in approximately one hour.

For more information, contact the school at 628-6271.

Member/Guest Tourney Set At T-Bar Club

T-Bar Country Club will host a member/guest golf tournament Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 4-5.

Tee times will be 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Entry fee is \$50 per person.

For more information, or to enter, call Cherry at 998-5305.

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