

## **Deadline Extended For Histories**

The deadline has been extended to May 15 for Lynn County businesses, churches, schools, clubs, and other organizations to turn in historical information to The Lynn County News for a special Lynn County Centennial Edition which will be published in June, in conjunction with the county's Centennial Celebration planned for June 21-22. Histories of former businesses are also welcome.

The deadline for historical information was May 1, but The News office received several phone calls this week from businesses who say they are still working on their histories.

"We want every business, church, school, and club in the county to have their histories printed in our special Centennial Edition in June, so we are extending the deadline," said editor Juanell Jones. "To those who have not yet submitted histories to us, please take the time this week to write down your history and bring it to the News Office. This is your chance to brag on your business or other entity, and to have it published for posterity. Our circulation is about 1350, so many readers will see your story," she added.

In order to publish a history, each entity must purchase an ad in the special edition to assure space is allowed to print all the histories as an accompanying story. Ad prices vary, and each entity may choose which size ad best suits their needs. For more information, contact The News at 561-4888, or FAX to 561-6308.

## Commissioners Hear Audit Report

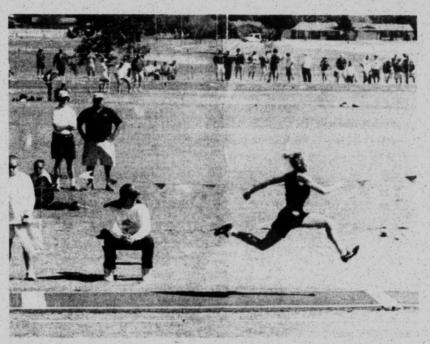
Lynn County Commissioners met in routine session Monday morning, paying monthly bills and discussing other county business, including the county's audit currently underway. Auditor Melvin Eaker gave a progress report on the audit for the sheriff's office and told commissioners that portion of the audit would be finished for the next commissioners meeting.

Treasurer Janet Porterfield informed commissioners that some

tal insurance plan, and she presented information on options, noting that the best option would make the employee portion a higher rate. No action was taken on this issue.

Commissioners voted to purchase a full page ad in the Lynn County News' special Centennial Edition in June, with funds to come from each department and from commissioners miscellaneous budgets.

Some discussion was held regarding a sheriff's sale sometime in the future for discarded county equipment and confiscated cars. Commissioners voted to sell all old and unused equipment and allow the sheriff to set the date of the sale and terms



STATE QUALIFIER - Stephanie Kieth of New Home qualified for a trip to the State Class A Track competition in the triple jump event. She is shown here at the regional meet, where she won first place with a distance of 36 feet. (Photo courtesy Coach Shane Moore)

## **Kieth Eyes Second Trip To State Track Meet**

New Home High School senior Stephanie Kieth is preparing for her second trip to the Class A State Track Meet, to compete in the triple jump jump last year, she jumped 36'4.5" event - a competition in which she claimed the second place title in the 2002 state event.

Stephanie, daughter of Murray and Angie Kieth of New Home, took first place in the triple jump compe- long jump and 200 meter run. She tition at the Regional Track Meet in was a member of the 800m relay Levelland, April 25-26. She jumped team which placed second in district. a distance of 36 feet to claim the title Advancing to the area meet.

She competed in two events at lastyear's state meet, also placing sixth in the 200-meter run. In the triple to win second.

To get to the regional competition. Stephanie placed first in district in the triple jump with a distance of 36'.075", and also placed first in the

## **Voting Polls Combined** For May 3 Elections

ing location.

Voting poll boxes have been combined to four locations in Lynn County for the May 3 city and school elections and the Special Election to elect a U.S. Representative for Distriet 19. Polls will be open Saturday from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. at the Tahoka School Cafeteria (voting boxes 1, 6, 7.9.12,14). O'Donnell High School (voting boxes 3, 5, 10), Wilson Museum (voting boxes 2, 8) and New Home City Hall (boxes 4, 11, 13). In Lynn County, only Tahoka and O'Donnell are having elections in have been cancelled due to unopposed candidates in New Home and Wilson city and school elections. Lynn County Hospital District also

posed candidates. There are five candidates seeking the two at-large seats on the Tahoka ISD Board of Trustees, both three-year terms. Candidates include incumbent Greg Henley, Valton Stephens, Reggie Moore, Jimmy Dorman and Shi Dotson.

canceled their election, with unop-

The City of Tahoka has three ballots, with Mayor Mike Mensch unopposed in his bid for re-election, and councilwoman Amy Preston unopposed in her bid for re-election to the District 3 council seat: but there is a race for the District 1 council seat. with Rudy Fuentes. John Baker and Jimmy McMillan running for the term.

The mayor's position is at-large which means any city resident who Date is a registered voter may cast a bal-

In O'Donnell, eight candidates are running for three seats on the city council, including David Eaker, Simon Resendez Jr., Richard Luera, SanJuana Luera, Bryant Rayngay, Tommy Woolam and incumbents Max Mendieta and Larry Pyron. Three candidates are in the race for two seats on the O. Donnell ISD Board of Trustees, including Ben Edwards. Monty Hancock and incumbent Renn Dorman.

Seventeen candidates are seeking both city and school races. Elections the U.S. Representative seat. A sample ballot may be seen at The Lynn County News office, or at the polling location.

> Eleven candidates are running on the Republican ticket in the Congressional race, including David Langston, Donald May, Carl H. Isett, Richard Bartlett, Vickie Sutton, Mike Conaway, John D. Bell, Stace Williams. Bill Christian, Jamie Berryhill, and Randy Neugebauer: two are running as Democrats, including Kaye Gaddy and Jerri Simmons-Asmussen; Thomas Flournov is running on the Constitution ticket: E.L. "Ed" Hicks is an Independent candidate: Richard (Chip) Peterson is running on the Libertarian ticket; and Julia Penelope is the Green party candidate.

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county employees had expressed a desire to put their families on a den-

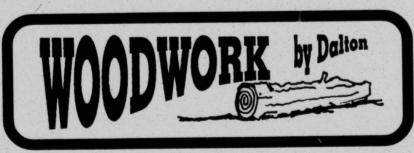
## 9-1-1 **Address Reminder**

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building used at the landfill was discussed, and commissioner Mike Braddock agreed to obtain prices for another portable building to replace it.

Commissioners were informed of the retirement of Texas Ranger, Larry Gilbreath, and invited to a retirement dinner in his honor.

All four commissioners were present at the meeting, led by County Judge H.G. Franklin.



THOUGHTS ON DIETS: I read a story just last week in the Lubbock Landslide-Diary which made some excuses for those of us who know we should diet but can't decide what to eat and what to leave. alone.

"Studies touting the health benefits of certain foods one week seem to be contradicted by follow-up research. And dietary guidance from years past is being revised. Eggs, for example, are back in favor, years after being shunned over concerns about cholesterol.

"It's a recipe for confusion, not the ideal diet."

That's what the story said, and further down quoted some person from the American Dietary Assn. as saying conflicting food advice leads many people to give up and resolve to "eat what I want."

One guy they quoted blamed the famous Food Guide Pyramid, but didn't say how it should be rearranged.

I think the ideal food pyramid is a triangular-type structure about the size of those things in Egypt, but instead of dead kings they are crammed full of chocolate chip cookies.

I remember way back when some scientists suggested cranberries would give you cancer. Later we were warned that coffee might cause cancer. And then some other foods might cause cancer. Now people are saying that Cokes will kill you.

I how have concluded that all food is really bad for us. We should not eat food; just drink a lot of water. Now that would cause some pretty spectacular weight loss. But you have to eat something, or die, at least until all those big-brain scientists come up with something really useful, like a pill which tastes like whatever you want it to taste like-French fries, candy, barbecue or whatever-but causes no health problems

I remember the warnings about eggs and recalled that many of our ancestors ate half a dozen eggs every day and died at age 85 or so without ever hearing of such a thing as cholesterol.

I am reminded of an excerpt from "The Pocket Book of Boners" in which a newspaper story quoted a Weight Watchers official bragging about one of the group's accomplishments: "Ladies, Annie over here weighed 180 pounds just six months ago. Now she weighs only 120! Imagine that-a third of her left behind!"

THE MAIN ST. MOMMA says her husband is the kind of guy who, after he takes the trash out, acts like he just cleaned the whole house. and advance to state competition. tin.

Stephanie placed first in the long which will be held May 9-10 in Aus- jump and triple jump, and fourth in the 200m run to get to regionals.

## THS Play, Dessert Fundraiser To Benefit Erik Hughes Family

The state-qualifying One Act Play Bryce, 6, and Lexi, 3. Erik is curfrom Tahoka High School and an array of dessert choices will provide area residents with an entertaining evening and an opportunity to offer a helping hand to a man married to one of Tahoka's own. Erik Hughes, married to the former Jennie Wells of Tahoka, is a candidate for a heart transplant, and he and his family are facing not only medical procedures and expenses but also struggling with living expenses while he and his wife are unable to work because of his medical condition. They do have medical insurance, but the fundraiser is to help with living expenses.

On Tuesday, May 6, friends of the family are hosting a fundraiser to help the family with day-to-day living expenses. The THS One-Act Play, "The Diviners," will be presented in the high school auditorium at 7 p.m. for the public (free admission). Following the play, an array of home-made desserts will be served in the high school library, for a donation to the Erik Hughes family.

Erik, 31, was diagnosed five years ago with familial cardio-myopathy. a disease from which his father died at the age of 26. Until recently, doctors were able to control Erik's disease with medication, but he has now been placed on the heart transplant list. He is living on the heart transplant floor at St. Paul University Hospital in Dallas, where he has daily IV medications administered. Because of his required medications, he must remain in the hospital until a heart becomes available, and then continue living in the hospital during the recovery period following surgery.

"They have told the family that the average waiting period for a heart is 3-9 months, and that a hospital stay following a heart transplant can also take several months," explained his mother-in-law, Chloie Jan Wells of Tahoka. Prior to moving to the hospital in Dallas, Erik and Jennie lived

rently on disability leave from his job with Nextel, and Jennie is on medical leave from her position in the development office at Texas Tech University College of Business. They have placed their furniture and other belongings in storage and Jennie has moved into Erik's hospital room in Dallas for the duration. The children are currently living with Jim and Chloie Jan Wells in Tahoka. and Bryce attends kindergarten at Frenship ISD.

High School and Erik graduated from Kingsville High School, and both are graduates of Texas Tech University.

lot. The District 1 and 3 elections. however, are single-member districts and only those voters residing within those district boundaries may vote. A map detailing those boundaries may be seen at City Hall or the poll-

"Erik has a wonderful sense of humor and there is much laughter in his room. If you know Jennie at all you know how crazy she can be, so when he is feeling good, the hospital is a pretty fun place. They are meeting people in similar circumstances and will have deep attachments to able to return home to a fairly normal lifestyle. Until that day, they cherish your prayers and thank you so much for your concern," said Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor at First United Methodist Church in Tahoka.

To get in touch with Jennie and Jennie is a graduate of Tahoka Erik, e-mail them at Jennieerik@cs.com, or their mailing address is P.O. Box 191746, Dallas. TX 75219.

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> Extra copies of this edition will be available at the News office for the regular price of 50c per copy, as well as at the Centennial Celebration June 21st.



TENSE MOMENT - Warren Baker comforts Cade Miller (right) in their roles as C.C. Showers and Buddy in the state-bound THS One Act Play, "The Diviners." Warren was named Best Actor and Cade was named to the All-Star Cast at the Regional competition. At left is Jessica Wilson, performing the role of Buddy's sister, Jennie Mae. She was named Honorable Mention All-Star Cast at regionals. The play will be performed (LCN PHOTO) in Lubbock with their children, at state contest Friday night in Austin.

## PAGE 2, LYNN COUNTY NEWS, THURSDAY, MAY 1, 2003 **One Act Play To Compete At** State Contest Friday Night

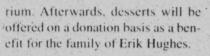
Tahoka High School's One Act Play "The Diviners" will take the stage at 9:10 pm this Friday night at the University of Texas at Austin's McCullough Theatre for a chance to win the Class AA State One Act Play contest.

The winning play and the other top two spots along with individual acting awards won't be announced until sometime after 11:00 pm that night. We will have to be back the next morning at 9:00 am for the critiques. To top it off many of our kids will have to rush back Saturday to get ready for the Prom that night." said Ronny Powell, high school theatre director.

Whatever the results the cast and crew of "The Diviners" can take much pride in the fact that only eight schools in class AA from across the state make it to state and Tahoka has the distinction of being one of those eight," added Powell.

There are so many people to thank for all of the encouragement and support. I especially owe Sheri Stone, my assistant director, a ton of gratitude. She has worked overtime to get things ready for our trip to obtained by contacting SPC's cam-Austin. Many time I was ready to pullmy hair our but Sheri was always ready to handle it. She's pretty special in my book." added Powell.

The One Act Play will be presented one last time for the Tahoka 7:00 pm in the high school audito-



## SPC Announces Fall Registration

South Plains College's fall 2003 registration dates are Aug. 27-28.

Sign-up times at SPC Levelland, 1401 S. College Avenue, will be 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-6 p.m. Aug. 27 in the Administration Building.

Sign-up times at Reese will be 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-7 p.m. Aug. 28 in SPC Reese Building 1, Administrative Offices. The campus is located at the intersection of W. 4th Street and Quitsna Avenue in Lubbock. Students can enroll there for classes offered at Reese and the Byron Martin Advanced Technology Center in Lubbock

Registration is the same for Internet and on-site classes.

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Classes at all locations begin Sept. 2. Late registration will be Sept. 2-5 and Sept. 8. A late fee of \$15 and a \$5 add/drop fee will be charged.

Fall 2003 class schedules can be online DUSCS OF www.southplainscollege.edu.

Registration permits are required. For Levelland campus registration permits, contact SPC at 894-9611. ext. 2570 or ext. 2375. For registra-Community on Tuesday, May 6, at tion permits at Reese, contact SPC at 885-3048, ext. 2902 or ext. 4660.



bock Arts Festival Young Writer's Doobetterdees." Competition. She earned Honorable Mention in English for her poem entitled "Future Hope." In her poem. Ashley describes her wish to someday have a special someone with whom to share the rest of her days. Ashley was sponsored in the competition by Danna J. Curry. The contest was open to all stu-

POETRY WINNER - Ashley McNeely, right, of Tahoka was selected

as a winner of the 2003 Lubbock Arts Festival Young Writer's Competi-

McNeely Named Winner

dents in kindergarten through 12th grade. Students could write poetry or prose in English or Spanish. Other

students from Tahoka High School who entered the competition were Victoria Charo, Michael DeLeon, Brandon Gutierrez, and J.C. Garza, also sponsored by Rachel Lehman.

A special awards ceremony honoring all winners took place at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 12, in conjunction with the 25th Annual Lubbock Arts Festival, April 10-13. Pre

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## Krispy Kreme Doughnuts Available Saturday

Krispy Kreme Doughnuts sold as a fundraiser for the Lynn County Centennial Committee will be available to pick up from 9 a.m. until noon this Saturday in Tahoka, New Home, Wilson and O'Donnell.

In Tahoka, the doughnuts will be available at the Thriftway parking lot. In Wilson, O'Donnell and New Home, the doughnuts will be available in the school parking lots, according to information on the ticket.

Those who purchased tickets should bring their tickets to exchange for doughnuts. Pre-sold doughnuts that are not picked up at designated places by noon on May 3 will be sold. with no refunds available. Extra doughnuts will also be available in all locations for purchase, at a cost of \$6 per dozen. All proceeds from doughnut sales will go to pay expenses for putting on the Lynn County Centennial Celebration on June 21-22.

## **Two Sentenced In District Court**

Two persons were sentenced this week in 106th District Court after pleas of guilty, with one of the defendants electing for the sentence to be assessed by a jury.

The jury assessed a sentence of two years jail time plus a fine of \$7500 to Thomas Keith Coulliette of Midland, who admitted to possession of a quantity of cocaine.

Judge Jack Grant of Abilene also sentenced Clifford Scott Valentine, 38, of Lubbock an 8-year term in prison plus a \$3,000 fine. Valentine pleaded guilty of felony driving while intoxicated.

Tahoka Police Dept. arrested three persons for DWI and one on an outstanding warrant.

## tion and earned Honorable Mention in English for her poem entitled **Hospital Promotes** "Future Hope." She is pictured here with children's book author Mike Morris To No. 2

Jim Morris, who has been chief information officer at Lynn County. Hospital has been promoted to chief operations officer, meaning he is the number one assistant to Administrator Dan Powers, in full charge when Powers is not available.

Powers announced the promotion at last Thursday's meeting of the board of trustees.

Powers also reported than Lynnwood Assisted Living Center now has 15 residents.

Other routine business was processed in the short meeting, which also was attended by board president Billy Tomlinson, and board members Joan Knox, Virginia Griffing and John Hawthorne. Absent were members Mike Rivas, Jerry Ford and Dalton Wood.

## **Dogwood Steam Train Excursions**

The beauty of the East Texas Dogwoods is legendary across the state, and no one can rival the Texas State Railroad for offering truly unique and romantic tours of the dogwood flowers.

Built in 1881, the Texas State Railroad carries its visitors on a 50mile round trip steam train excursion through the rolling dogwood covered hills of Pineywoods. The special train trips are planned for Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays during the last two weekends of March and the first weekend of April. Advance reservations are required! For reservations and information on the historical train trip, call 1-800-442-8951 or 1-903-683-2561.



## **MISTY ADAMS** Misty Adams To Compete In Dallas

Misty Adams of Tahoka has been selected to participate in the Mike Beaty Modeling Expo in Dallas, May 15-18. She is among 20 young people to receive callbacks from interviews held at the South Plains Mall in February

The MB Expo was founded by Mike Beaty, a legend in the modeling and entertainment industries, and is designed to create opportunities for aspiring models in a safe, family oriented environment. The models and talents entered in the MB Expo competitions are judged and sometimes signed to contracts by major modeling and talent agencies in the United States, Canada, and internationally in Europe and Asia. Workshops and seminars offered by top experts and coaches during the four day event are designed to help students build confidence and self-esteem, and gain knowledge valuable in pursuing a career in modeling or any other pro-

fession of their choosing. Adams, a senior at Tahoka High School, is a client of Robert Spence models + talent agency in Lubbock. She is the granddaughter of Pat Adams of Tahoka

## **FUMC Open Thursday For Day Of Prayer**

In observance of the National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 1, the First United Methodist Church will have its sanctuary open Thursday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. for "comeand-go" prayer.

"We realize that individuals take their lunch hours at different times -

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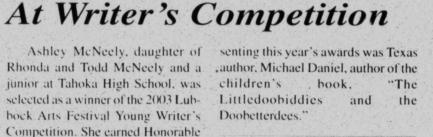


Red ribbon week re

private funding or donat order to keep our red r strong for our students a the past, Mrs. Durham w any New Home exes w interested in doing a dinn Saturday following the football game in the fall? exes or community mem form plays on a regular been a long time since o together. If you are inte ing your time and effort play that the financial d go to supporting red ribb contact Karon Durham a

Red Ribbon round t low-up meeting, for High will be May 13, 7:20 am be served

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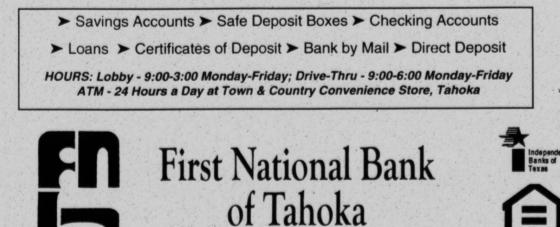
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## **Fancher** Inducted In Honor Society

West Texas A&M University's Texas Zeta Chapter of Alpha Chi National Honor Society has announced the induction of 81 students during the spring semester, including Graigory Fancher, a junior speech communication major, his parents are Mr. & Mrs. Steve Fancher of Tahoka.

Membership in Alpha Chi is by invitation only and is limited to students who have completed at least 30 semester hours with an overall grade point average of 3.5 or higher and who rank in the top 10 percent of the junior or senior class.

The purpose of Alpha Chi is to recognize students who have maintained a high level of scholarship, according to Dr. Duane J. Rosa, Alpha Chi faculty sponsor and director of the Department of Planning and Analysis at WTAMU.

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so we wanted to provide opportunity for the community to come and pray for our country, its leaders, and for God's will to be done in our world,"

Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor, stated. There will be prayer guides available if anyone needs them during their time of prayer. First United Methodist Church is located one block west and one block north of the traffic signal in downtown Tahoka.

**Questions and Answers of the Day** 

Question: Did you ever think you knew just where God was leading you, only to find out you were wrong?

Answer: Sometimes we, as human beings, are given to frustration or discouragement when a plan doesn't come together. Sometimes we try to analyze why it doesn't work out. I think we are creatures of "need to know." Our trust in God has to be one that says that no matter what God's will is -- it is the best will. Sometimes He would rather us just follow His lead and He will let us find the answers as we go. There are times when we don't even know what He wants us to do this moment, much less next year. It's a little shaky to not be able to understand where to go next. I think if Moses would have known the full plan God had for him ahead of time, he might have been greatly overwhelmed. God told Moses His plan when He knew His child (Moses) could handle it. Try not to be discouraged when you walk out toward a plan you think God has for you, only to find it doesn't work out. The only failures in life are those who don't try at all. Simon Peter messed up plenty, but God recouped his spirit and used him anyway. It was because he had a heart to love God and serve Him. Praise God, even when you don't know where He is leading you. Give Him glory even when life doesn't feel good. God Bless You.

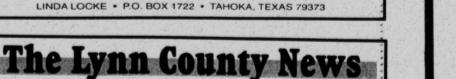
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MAJOR GIRLS LITTLE DRIBBLERS - Tahoka Girls Little Dribblers recently finished their season and held closing ceremonies last Thursday, April 17. The Major division All-Star team consists of: Top row (left to right): Kyra Helm, Brooke Inklebarger, Deborah Hunter, and Stephanie DeLeon. Middle row (left to right): Brittney Hair, Cori Vega, Valerie Sosa, Meghann Rivas and Jordan Blasingame. Bottom row (left to right): Kourtney Sodd, Nichole Taylor and Lindsey Munoz. The Major division All-Stars will be coached by Mike **Rivas, Shannon Lawson and Clifford Oages.** 



Red ribbon week requires a lot of private funding or donation of prizes. In order to keep our red ribbon week as strong for our students as it has been in the past, Mrs. Durham was wondering if any New Home exes would would be interested in doing a dinner theater on the Saturday following the Homecoming football game in the fall? The New Home exes or community members used to perform plays on a regular basis, but it has been a long time since one has been put together. If you are interested in donating your time and efforts to a three act play that the financial donations would go to supporting red ribbon week, please contact Karon Durham at 924-7524.

Red Ribbon round table spring follow-up meeting, for High School students will be May 13, 7:20 am. Breakfast will be served.

Kindergarten held pre-registration on April 24th. Fifteen possible students enrolled for the 2003-2004 school year. Kindegarten and all new students need to bring their birth certificates, social security cards, and current immunization

The High School cheerleaders are currently selling candles if you would like to purchase one. They will also be selling the football posters and Top of Texas ads soon.

The Varsity Cheerleaders are having a garage sale at the parking lots of New Home Schools. Donations can be left with Karon Durham at school or call for a cheerleader to pick-up at 924-7524. The garage sale will be held in conjunction with the Jr. High cheerleaders enchilada dinner at noch.

A bridal shower for Paige Marshall, bride-elect of Josh Gandy, will be held Sat., May 3 from 10:00 am- 12:00 noon at the home of Judi Gandy 3/4 mile west of New Home on FM 211.

There will be no school, Monday May 5, however, Krispy Kreme donuts will be delivered by the Jr. class. The High School Athletic Banquet will be at 6:30. May 6, in the school cafeteria with Bigham's Barbeque catering. The cost will be \$7 per plate. Elementary play day will be May 8, beginning at 12:45: coke

serts. The FFA Area degree check is

scheduled May 10, and the Jr. High

Cheerleaders will be having a car wash

the same day in school parking lot. The

State Track Meet will be held Fri. & Sat.

New Home Junior Class

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\$6 per dozen now through Friday. May

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The New Home High junior class is

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bock on Monday morning, May 5, Orders may be picked up Monday. May 5 from the following locations: 82nd & Quaker, the southeast corner of South Loop 289 & Slide Road, the southeast corner of 50th & Slide, and the southwest corner of South Loop 289 and University. The customer may also request delivery from the salesperson. Place your, order with any junior class member or sponsor (Roger Aleman or Marsha Scott).



May 5-9 Breakfast Monday - No School Tuesday - Cinnamon Roll Wednesday - Biscuit/ Sausage Thursday - Cereal/Fruit Bat

Friday - Granola Bar

Lunch Monday - No School Tuesday - Chicken fajitas, lettuce/ tomatos, carrot/cucumber, spanish rice,

pineapple tidbits Wednesday - Sub sandwich bar, pickle spears, orange wedge, apples, baby carrots, sherbert cup

Thursday - Pizza, lettuce/tomato, corn,

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## Nelida Torres

Funeral services for Nelida Torres, 54, of Slaton were held Wednesday, April 30 at Englunds Chapel with Rev. Ralph Smith officiating. Burial was in Slaton's Englewood Cemetery.

She died April 28, 2003.

Ms. Torres was born May 8, 1948 in Mason, Tx. She moved to the Tahoka and Dixie area in 1950 from Mason and attended Tahoka ISD and the Adult Learning Center. She had been a resident of Slaton since 1964. She was a social worker with the Texas Department of Human Resources from 1988 until 1998 when she retired. She was a member of the Templo El Redentor Church in Lubbock

She is survived by two daughters. Sandra Camargo and Mary Ellen Garcia, both of Lubbock; three sons, Henry Camargo, Genaro Camargo, both of Slaton and Eddie Camargo of Lubbock; her parents, Paul and Consuelo Torres of Slaton: two brothers, John and Ernest Torres, both of Lubbock: two sisters. Rosa DeLeon of Tahoka and Berta Montez of Lubbock; and ten grandchildren.

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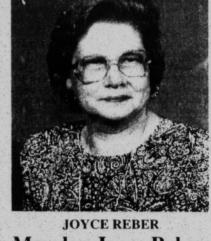
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OBITUARIES

Weldon H. Smith

Services for Weldon H. Smith,

81, of Seminole will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 1 at the First Baptist

Church in Seminole with Floyd Had-

dock officiating, assisted by H.R.

Hanks. Burial will be at Gaines

residence. He was born Sept. 5, 1921

in Honeygrove, Tx. He married Faye

Stracener on Dec. 24, 1941. He was

a retired farmer and the 1979 Farmer

of the Year for Gaines County. He had

lived in Gaines County since 1959.

During World War II he served in the

20th Air Force Squadron. He served

as a deacon of the First Baptist

Church. In the past years he was ac-

tive in Boy Scouts and Little League.

sons, Jerry Glynn and Michael

· He is survived by his wife. Faye;

a son, Terry Smith of Seminole; a

brother, Ray of Lubbock; a sister,

Jean Dorman of Tahoka; one grand-

daughter, and three great-grandchil-

gests memorials to the Home Hos-

pice of Odessa, 516 N. Texas.

In lieu of flowers, the family sug-

dren.

Odessa, TX 79761.

Dewayne, and a grandson, Shane.

He was preceded in death by two

Smith died April 29, 2003 at his

County Cemetery South.

## Marylon Joyce Reber Memorial services will be held at

p.m., Saturday, May 10 near Mertzon for Marylon Joyce Reber, who died April 17, 2003 in Houston. Wesley W. Burnett of Post will officiate the memorial service.

She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and had lived in Houston for several years, but listed her permanent residence in Irion County, where she owned a small acreage just east of Mertzon.

She was born May 26, 1940 in Knox County. She had lived in Munday, Lubbock, Tahoka, Big Spring, Pennsylvania and at Air Force bases in England, North Carolina, Clovis, N.M. and Florida; Abilene, Sonora and Mertzon before moving to Houston to serve as a home provider for handicapped and elderly clients.

She graduated from Big Spring High School in 1958.

Preceding her in death were her sisters Pearl in January 1933 and Maxine in January 1946.

She is survived by her children Ronald Miles Reber of Waldorf. Maryland; Donna Renee Hale of Mertzon; Londa Lee Neff of Sonora; brother Rex Douglas Voyles of Hobbs, N.M.; sisters Lilian Fay Mann of Crowley, Patsie Ruth Burnett of Post; and six grandchil-

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be sent to the Irion County EMS, P.O. Box 859, Mertzon, Tx 76941 or to a favorite charity.

Show your colors! Fly the American Flag to show your support for our nation.

records for enrollment \* \* \*

New Home faculty hosted a luncheon on April 25 for Mr. and Mrs. Troy Parton. Mr. Parton will be coming from Strewn, Tx to serve as New Home principal. The Strawn's have three sons, Austin, Cole and Zane.

The New Home School freshman speech classes went on a field trip to Odessa Jr. College, on April 25th to see the presentation of the play Romeo and Juliet. They were sponsored by the High School English teachers Mrs. Quillin and Mrs. Marshall.

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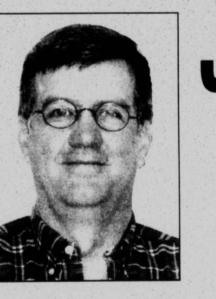
anana pudding and candy will be sold by the Varsity Friday - Chicken fried steak sandwich. cheerleaders. The FFA Banquet is on May french fries, lettuce/ tomato, pickle, cob-9 at 7pm. Parents are asked to bring desbler

## NOW AT THE LIBRARY The Eighth Day by John Case

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## **May Is Safety Month For Texas** Motorcyclists

Governor Rick Perry has declared May as Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month in Texas. DPS urges all motorcyclists, both experienced and inexperienced, to attend a professionally taught motorcycle course to improve their skills and increase safety.

More than 700,000 people in Texas are licensed to operate a motorcycle - and as the weather improves during the month of May, many of these drivers take to the roadways to enjoy the season. For both new and experienced riders, May is the perfect time to renew motorcycle operation skills and knowledge.

"The DPS Motorcycle Safety Unit offers basic and advanced motorcycle operator training in 45 permanent locations and 11 other sites that use two mobile training units," said Clifton Burdette, coordinator of the \$10,000 in medical benefits for mo-DPS Motorcycle Safety Unit. "Last torcycle-related injuries.

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year, 20,636 Texans took either the basic or advanced course - a 29 percent increase over 2001."

The basic motorcycle operator training course is for unlicensed or inexperienced riders, and the advanced course is for more experienced riders. In addition, both of the courses may qualify for ticket dismissal and insurance discounts.

While Texas does not require all motorcycle riders to wear helmets, the DPS strongly encourages riders to wear helmets to increase safety and save lives. Fatalities of motorcyclists not wearing helmets drastically increased during the last decade. In 1990, 21 percent of motorcycle-related fatalities involved people not wearing helmets. By 2000, that number had increased to 63 percent.

Texas law states that in order to be exempt from wearing a helmet, a person must be at least 21 years of age. In addition, they must successfully complete a motorcycle safety course or be covered by a health insurance plan providing at least



JUNIOR DIVISION GIRLS LITTLE DRIBBLERS - The Tahoka Junior division All-Stars consists of: Back row (left to right): Morgan Lockaby, Sabrina Moralez, Payton Howard, Kalee Wuensche, Gretchen Henley, Stormee Martin, and Kelee Pillow. Front row (left to right): Nicky Box, Kadi Larpenter, Taylor Ford, Kenzie Angeley and Kaitlyn Reno. The Junior division All-Stars will be coached by Alecia Hancock, Eddie Hancock and Michael Angeley.

## **Homework Helps Select** Garza Theatre **Best Cotton Varieties Schedules Shows**

Choosing productive cotton varieties is not an easy task-especially on the Texas High Plains, an area crop we have seen since 1977. As a where weather can literally "make or break" a crop. A Texas Cooperative leaf grades, low bark percentage, and Extension cotton agronomist advises better average staple length and producers to do their homework by comparing several characteristics Boman said. "At the same time, 2002. among many different varieties, and was another high-micronaire year. then keying these characteristics to Our micronaire averaged just over typical growing conditions.

"We can't control our growing environment from year to year, but we can select the varieties we plant based on positive traits." said Randy Boman, Extension cotton agronomist. "It is very important to select and plant varieties that fit your farm - varieties with the genetic potential to achieve good lint quality and total yield."

2002 was another year of abovenormal heat unit accumulation and favorable harvest conditions on the Texas High Plains. This weather favored many of the longer-season. open-boll type cottons that have gained popularity in recent years, he vise growers on variety performance said

Last year's crop totaled just over 3.27 million bales, the fourth largest, whole, that crop had good color and strength than many recent crops," 4.3. the second highest micronaire value on record. Only the 2001 crop had a higher micronaire value - it's average was 4.4. High micronaire combined with

short staple length can result in substantial discounts in growers' USDA loan value on some standard strippertype cotton varieties. Some longerseason, open-boll picker type cottons did not have micronaire values or staple length worthy of discounts. Boman said

Even so, growers should not plant fence-row to fence-row with one type of cotton, he added.

County Extension agents can adin local field trials.

Officials at the Garza Theatre in Post has released the schedule of shows for 2003. Upcoming productions include:

• "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder, directed by Jeff Conner: May 2-4, May 9-10, May 16-17; • "The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe" directed by Mitchell Britton: June 6-8. June 13-14, June 20-21: • A Night of Talent (Talent Show Competition), directed by Wes Burnet: June 28; • A Night of One-Act Plays: July 11-13, July 18-20; • A Night of Show Tunes, directed by Jay Young and Juanetta Bocko: July 25-26; • The Harley Sadler Show, "Rose of the Rio Grande" aka "Sputters, directed by Mickie Klafka: Aug. 1-3, Aug. 8-9, Aug. 15-16; • "Charlies Aunt" by Brandon Thomas, directed by Jay Young: Sept. 19-20, Sept. 26-27, Oct. 3-5; • "Dracula" adapted by Jeremy Danial, directed by Christy Morris: Oct. 24-25, Oct. 31, Nov. 1, Nov. 7-9; • "Miracle on 34th Street" adapted by Valentine Davies, directed by Laura Bryan: Dec. 5-7, Dec. 12-13,

## **Tahoka Elementary Lists Honor Rolls**

Pre-Kindergarten Perfect Attendance: Grant Garvin, Sierra Ruiz, Jordan Alvarado, Alexis Chapa, Ramon Montemayor, Chevy Morin: Kindergarten Perfect Attendance: Megan Alvarado, Ashlee Anderson. Daniel Hernandez. Kimmie Jones, Amanda Anderson, Yancy Draper, Shelbe Forsythe, Sonya Gonzales, Xavier Plnkard, Elijuah Vega. Elvia Aguilar, Laura Henderson, Domenique Herrera: 1st grade perfect Attendance: Caley Bingham, Damien Colon, Ryan Garza, Kassidy Hunter, Alex Rodriguez, Qrista Stanley, Cort Fisher, Lorena Flores, Erynn Harris, Kaycee Lehman, Madison Lockaby, Bethany Longoria. Raven Tillman, Kordell Baker. Dillon Dotson, Ke'Shawn Hood, A.J. Rohlfs, Anthony Silvas.

2nd grade Superstar: Taya Bishop. Chad Darwactor, Sarah Freitag, Audra Williams, Maddie Barham, Jori Chapa. Marcus Gonzales, Cameron King, Smith McLelland, Tonya Sodd:

3rd grade Superstar: April Lam, Nancy Munoz, Fransisco Rivera, Payton Howard, Jay :Martin, Stormee Martin. Robert Rodriguez, Zach Garcia, Tanner Montalvo: 4th grade Superstar: Nikki . Box. Kenzie Angeley, Kadi Larpenter. Sebastron Strickland, Patrick Wells. Kalee Wuensche, Lacey DeVine, Taylor Ford, Tanner Hall, Taryn Bishop, Sabrina Moralez, Monica Strickland;5th grade Superstar: Ryan Rios, A'Leesha Truelove. Abby House. Dee Dee Hunter, Griselda Lopez, Reed Williams, Brittany Benavidez, Jynna Askew, Stephanie DeLeon, Benjamin Freitag, Meghann Rivas; 6th grade Superstar: Kyle Larpenter, Marissa Gomez, Tiffany Lam. Araceli Lopez, Morgan Fisher, Valerie Sosa, Sarah Calvillo, Kaleb Collins, Anthony DeLeon

Bulldog Honor Roll: 2nd grade; Janel Arriaga, Cynthia Flores, Swade Hammonds, Efrain Ramirez, Kaitlyn Ramirez: 3rd grade: Kayla Long, Ariana Monsivais, Gretchen Henley, Carson Lehman, Austin Taylor, Paul Bernal. Braiden Fisher, 4th grade; Caitlynn Martin, Morgan Lockaby, Kaitlyn Reno. Skylar McCleskey, Michael Paris: 5th grade: Sarah Tella, Emily Garcia, Garrett Barham, Matt Taylor, Lindsey Munoz. Kyra Murillo: 6th grade: Cori Vega, Jennifer Marquez, Jordan Blasingame. Mitchell Chapa, A.J. Flores, Allen Henderson, Graham Henley, Vicente Salinas, Chelsea Terry, Jacob Bingham, Krystal Loftis.



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Friday - Cheeseburger, fixings, apple cobbler, milk

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"If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else." - Booker T. Washington

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SCHOLARSHIP WINNER --- Klyssa Kelln (right) of Tahoka recently was awarded a \$2000 animal science scholarship and named Saddle and Sirloin Sweetheart for 2003-2004. Kelln is a sophomore animal science major at Texas A&M University.

## Kelln Named Saddle And Sirloin Sweetheart

Texas A&M University held its annual Parent's Weekend April 11 13. There were various activities for the parents and students to attend including the Spring Awards Banquet. Klyssa Kelln was recognized at the banquet for her outstanding leadership. Klyssa's awards included a \$2000 animal science scholarship from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith. recognition for coaching the National Champion Wool Judging Team. Suddle and Sirloin Sweetheart for 2003-2004 and she was also an outstanding sophomore of the year nominee

Klyssa is currently a sophomore animal science major at A&M. She is the daughter of Jay and Karen Kelln of Tahoka.

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## **County Agent Gives Tips** For Preventing Ticks On Pets

Tick season is here according to Bryan Reynolds, Lynn County Agriculture Extension Agent, of Texas Cooperative Extension. The number of calls concerning ticks are increasing, and Reynolds has some practical information for pet owners.

"Ticks are common in our area, but they prefer to spend their time in places with some protection from intense sunlight, but which give then a good chance of grabbing a host if it should walk by," said Reynolds. Yards with high grass, un-raked leaves, large shrubs, or other vegetation that provides shelter from direct sunlight are especially hospitable for ticks. Ticks are moved around in the environment by the animals on which they feed, including deer, rodents, dogs, and birds. Eventually, ticks arrive in yards and infest pets.

"We usually notice ticks first on our pets because the pets are out in the yard walking around in the places ticks like to rest and wait for their blood hosts. If you find one or more ticks on a pet, then consider a comprehensive approach to tick control on your property. Comprehensive control relies on eliminating ticks from the yard, our pets, and from within our houses if necessary. It does little good to simply eliminate ticks from our pets, and the allow then to become re-infested in the yard." he explained.

Tick control in the yard is not too difficult, according to the county agent. Mow all tall grass, cut hedges back as much as possible, rake leaves, and generally eliminate tick hangouts as much as is practical. These actions will reduce the number of ticks in the yard, but insecticides will most likely be needed as well. The EPA has eliminated Dursban and Diazinon, common tick pesticides we used to use, but homeowners have access to some newer products. These include the relatively new synthetic pyrethroid insecticides that can be recognized for the most part by how the last part

of the active ingredient name is spelled. If the active ingredient name ends in the "rin" then the product is a pyrethroid. For example, the product Bayer Advanced Lawn & Garden Multi-Insect Killer has the active ingredient cyfluthrin, a synthetic pyrethroid. Carbaryl (Sevin) is still avail-

able for outdoor use as well. "Be sure to read the labels for any pesticides you plan to use. Your pets and children will be exposed to these products in the yard. It is often not necessary to treat the entire yard with a pesticide. It may be better to treat only those areas preferred by ticks," said Reynolds.

Tick control on the pet is not as difficult as it once was. Veterinarians now possess many different, safe insecticides for control of ticks on pets. It is no longer necessary or advisable to dip pets in vats of insecticide. Lesstoxic approaches are available, and according to Reynolds, it is certainly worth a few minutes on the telephone to get a good recommendation from a veterinarian. Various factors like the pet's age, health problems or allergies, etc. should be considered before making a tick control or prevention recommendation.

"Of course you should remove ticks from your pets," Reynolds said. Timely removal of ticks is very important in preventing the transmission of disease. There are numerous "folk remedies" for tick removal, but the important thing is to get the tick removed quickly (before it can transmit disease) and without spilling the contents of the tick's body into the wound. Always wear rubber or latex gloves when removing ticks.

Remove as much of the tick as possible from your pet by grasping firmly at the base of the tick's mouth (where it attaches to the skin) with a tick removal tool or a tweezers. Pull gently but firmly. Try to allow some time for the tick to loosen its grip on the skin. After the tick has been removed, disinfect the bite area with rubbing alcohol," he said.



## **B.J. LEWIS Lewis Takes Two Championship Titles**

B.J. Lewis of Tahoka bested his competitors in both the Rookie Auctioneer Contest and the all-new Ringman's Competition at the 2003 Texas Auctioneers Convention held in late March in San Antonio.

In the Rookie Division, Lewis competed against other rookie auctioneers to take the title, winning top honors. Judges from across the country judge auctioneers on professional appearance, bid calling ability, dress, and overall presentation. He was awarded a plaque for winning this event

In a brand new contest, The Ringman Competition, Lewis competed on Friday in the preliminaries and was invited back for the Saturday finals. Judges scored competitors on style and personality as well as the ability to maintain contact with the crowd and the auctioneer. Lewis was awarded a trophy buckle, plaque, and a check for \$500 for winning this event

Lewis is a November graduate of The World Wide College of Auctioneering, in Mason City, Iowa. He is currently working three car auctions a week in the Lubbock and Panhandle areas of Texas.

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## **Tenth Farm Credit District Reports Record Year-End Results**

## **Best Available Copy**

TAHOKA SPORTS NEWS by THS Journalism Students

THS VARSITY TENNIS by Cade Miller

Five Tahoka tennis players competed in the Region 1 tennis tournament on April 23 through the 24. The tournament, which was held at ACU, was not actually one of the best days to play tennis on. After delays from thunderstorms, the matches finally began.

Brandi Raindl won her first and second matches easily defeating a girl from Crane, then from Floydada, advancing her to the semi-finals. She then lost in the semi finals to the number one seed from Reagan County. However, she won the third place match and didn't get to play for second place because of an upset in the championship game.

Samantha Andrews and Meghan Saldana made an early exit from the tournament after failing 6-0, 6-1 in ' the first round. Stephen Brookshire and Kellen Flowers also lost in the first round to the number one seed.



May 5-9

Monday -Taco Salad, pinto beans. tossed salad/1000 Island, fruit salad Tuesday -Chicken and dumplings, green peas, cauliflower, cheese sauce, wheat roll, pears, gingerbread Wednesday -Spaghetti and meat sauce, navy beans, carrots and zucchini, tossed salad/ french, pineapple cobbler, cake

Thursday - Beef stroganoff noodles, peas and carrots, cole slaw, hot roll, apple

Friday - Fish nuggets, tarter sauce, baked beans, coleslaw/ french fries, okra, hush puppies, fruit salad **Dominoes on second Mondays** at 6 p.m. - come join us!

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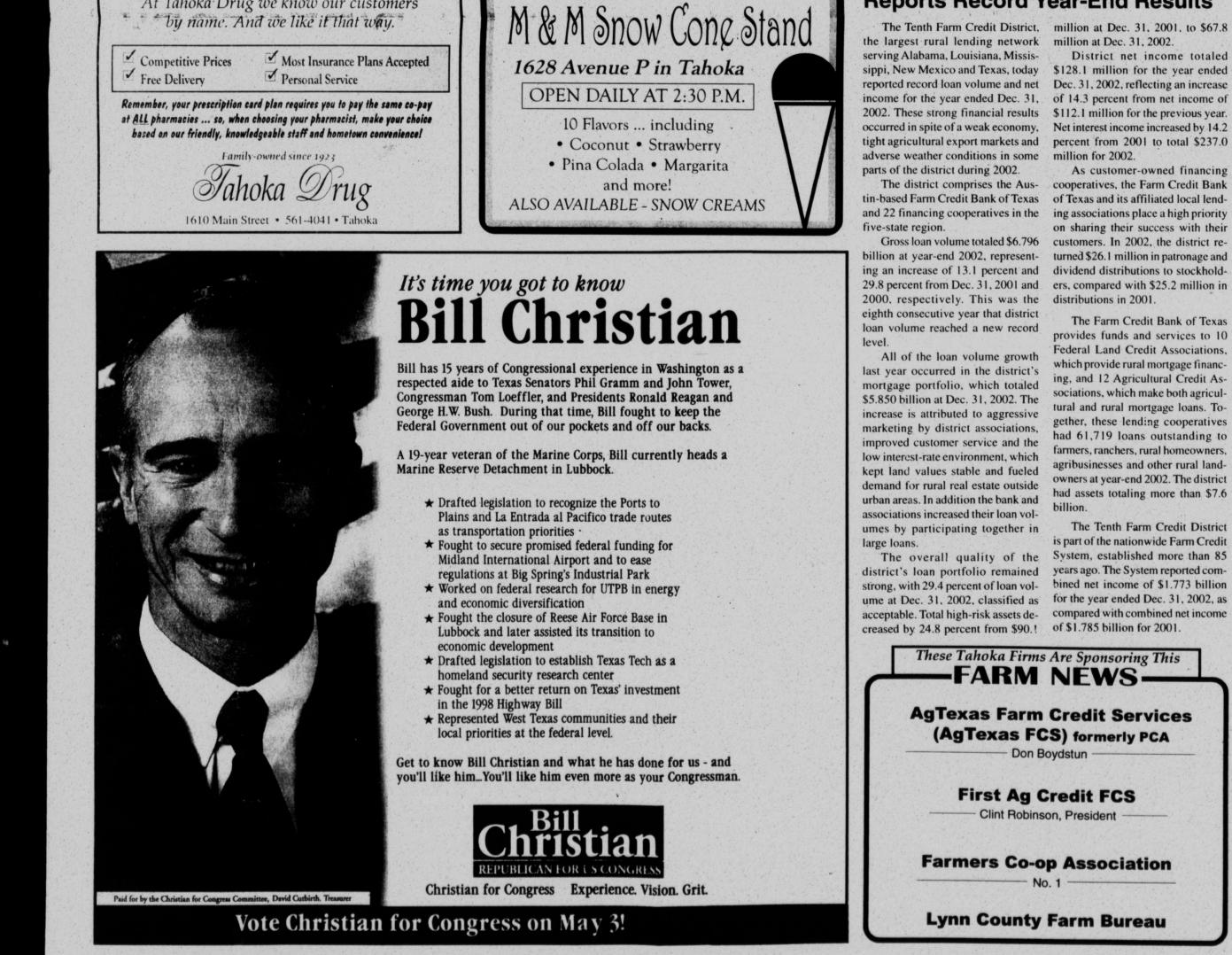
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Lynn County residents are proud of the men and women serving in our country's armed forces. Listed here are those from or related to those from Lynn County. Submit information/photos to The Lynn County News, PO Box 1170, Tahoka, TX 79373 or e-mail to lcn@llano.net.



### ARON STANLEY

Aron Stanley is with the 4th Division Army in Iraq from Ft. Hood. He attended school in Tahoka most of his school years; but graduated from high school in Snyder.

He is the son of Terri and Ricky Stahl of Snyder, and Danny and Ann Stanley of Brownwood. His brother is Jason McMillan on the Police Force at Snyder. His grandmothers are Billie Reed of Grassland, Doris McMillan and Jewell McMillan of Tahoka.

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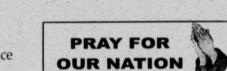
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## **Comptroller Releases Sales Tax Rebates**

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn recently delivered \$446.4 million in monthly sales tax payments to Texas cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts, a 4.6 percent decrease compared to Feb. 2002. So far this year, local sales tax rebates are down 3.2 percent compared to the first two months of 2002.

February's sales tax rebates include local sales taxes collected in December and reported to the Comptroller in January by businesses that file monthly sales tax reports, along with sales taxes collected in October, November and December by businesses that report quarterly and sales taxes collected throughout 2002 by annual sales tax filers.

O'Donnell showed a substantial increase over last year's rebate for this period, receiving \$2,391.68 this year versus \$1,629.38 last year for a jump of 46.78 percent. Wilson also showed an increase (10.90%), receiving \$683.88 this year as opposed to \$616.66 for the same period last year. Tahoka lost ground however, earning just \$7,815.44 this year versus \$8,833.49 last year for a drop of 11.52 percent. The county received \$10,891.00 this year as opposed to

Year to date, the county has earned \$16,200.23 in sales tax rebates, while O'Donnell has picked up \$2,790.42, Tahoka has received \$12,278.43, and Wilson has earned \$1,131.18.

The Comptroller's next sales tax

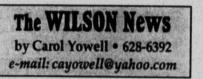
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## Wilson Student Named To PTK **Honor Society**

Jimmy Don Toney from Wilson is among a record 115 students selected for induction this spring into South Plains College's Kappa Mu chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, international honor society for students in two-year colleges.

Inductees must have completed 12 semester hours at SPC, be currently enrolled as a full-time student and maintain an overall grade point average of 3.25.

Following induction, new members received a gold embossed membership certificate, indentification card, key pin, diploma seal and transcript notation of membership. Each member is automatically nominated for inclusion in the National Dean's List and is enrolled in the society's transfer data base. linking senior institutions offering scholarships to Phi Theta Kapa members. Members wear the society's gold stole and tassel at graduation.



The students at Wilson schools are busy doing what all students in the state of Texas are doing-taking their TAKS test. Our community is extremely proud of our students in Wilson and know you will do your best as you always do. Thank you for all your hard work throughout this school year. A big thank you also goes to all the teachers who have worked so hard to see that our children. are successful in all they strive to do. You are the backbone of our school and role models for the children whose lives you touch. May you fully understand the enormous affect your positive influence. makes.

### The Wilson Boosters will have a meeting Monday, May 5 to finalize plans for the upcoming UIL banquet. Please plan to come so our banquet will be the success it has always been. We will meet in the library at 7:00 p.m.

The annual UIL banquet will be held on Tuesday, May 13th at 7:00 p.m. All students who have participated in any UIL activity throughout the school year will be involved in the awards program

and the food as always will be delicious.

This is our time to show our children how

proud we are of all their accomplishments

this year. Our hope is that the entire com-

munity will come out to show our Wilson pride! Contact Carol Yowell at 628-

Wilson

School Menu

May 5-9

Breakfast

Tuesday - Scrambled egg, hash browns.

Wednesday - Biscuit & Gravy, Juice

Thursday - Scrambled egg. sausage

Lunch

Monday -Chili cheese dog, tator tots, car-

Tuesday - Cheeseburger, fries, lettuce.

Wednesday -Chicken fried steak, fries,

Thursday-Taco salad, beans, fruit

Monday - Breakfast pizza.Juice

Friday - Cinnamon roll, Juice

tomato, pickle, onion, fruit

Friday - Pizza, salad, fruit

toast, juice

cheeseball, juice

rot stick; fruit

gravy, corn fruit

6392 with any questions.



## DAVID YOWELL **Yowell Honored** At Banquet Wilson High School senior David

Yowell was an honored scholar-athlete award winner Monday. (April 28) at the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame Awards Banquet held in the United Spirit Arena in Lubbock, Yowell was one of 21 area seniors to be honored for their athletic and academic achievements.

At the banquet. Yowell received a plaque displaying his name and school. The plaque indicates the purpose of the award in honoring his football performance, acadamic achievement, and school leadership. Upon receipt of the award Yowell's many honors including All-State Academic in football and basketball. All-district offense and defense, All-South Plains offense and defense. National Honor Society, National Honor Roll, as will as many of his other recognitions were read. Coach Rodney. George was present with Yowell and both he and his coach had their picture taken during the presentation

Yowell was joined at the banquet by is parents. Rickie and Carol Yowell and Coach George at a corporate sponsored table. He is the grandson of Ida Yowell and Mary Downey

The banquet also presented the Outstanding Football Official Award as well as the Outstanding Contribution to Amateur Football Award. The keynote speaker was former Texas Tech player Marcus Coleman.



The following excerpts were taken from past issues of The Lynn County News.

## Diphtheria Hits Lynn County, **One Fatality Is Listed Here**

Two cases of diphtheria have been reported in Lynn County, one resulting in the death of a Latin American infant, five months old ... of Tahoka.

The other case is that of a 10 year old boy from New Home ... who is showing continued improvement. The boy entered Tahoka Hospital Thursday of last week and was in critical condition for several days. A tracheotomy was performed and other treatment led to his improved convalescence.

Since the New Home boy's entry in Tahoka Hospital, the local hospital and Rumbo Clinic in O'Donnell have been swamped with county residents receiving Schick tests, booster shots, and diphtheria inoculations. Wednesday the local hospital had given about 850 tests and about 600 inoculations to children and adults, and were still going strong.

The State Health Department sent vaccine to Tahoka to be used for persons unable to pay for it, and on Wednesday, a station was set up at New Home where school nurses administered the diphtheria inoculations to a large group. No booster shots were given, however.

Tahoka Hospital has alternately run out of Schick tests, adult inoculations and children's inoculations, but supplies of all three have continued to come in.

Late this week another shipment of inoculations from the State Health Department is expected for Tahoka and Mrs. Lillian McCord, school nurse, will have them at her disposal to administer to children whose parents cannot otherwise afford them.

Wilson has also requested inoculations for children of needy families and another order for such will be placed with the State Health Department.

Doctors and nurses urge every person who has never had diphtheria shots to either take the Schick test or diphtheria shots, and for every child under age five to receive a booster if he has not received one in the past six months.

Efforts are being made to keep the disease from growing to epidemic proportions as it recently did in Hale County, but the cooperation of citizens is necessary ... -Jan. 13, 1961

## **Hog Calling Researcher Has Ego** Deflated by Tahoka Boys at Show

In his West Texas column of the Star-Telegram Saturday, George Dolan told of the visit at the Stock Show of a "research expert" in the field of the art of hog calling whose ego was deflated by a couple of Tahoka boys.

The swine building also offers the research addict, who is interested in the science of hog-calling, a fertile field.

One such fellow was prowling the building Friday.

He had read in a pig book that the most effective hog call was "Pighoo o o o-ev!"

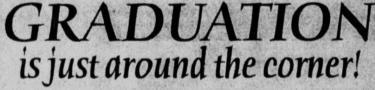
The expert had explained further: "You want to begin the Hoo' in a low minor of two quarter notes in four-four time. From this build



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Parents: If you would like to congratulate your high school senior in The Lynn County News' araduation issue on May 22, send \$5 and the name of the student, high school, and parents

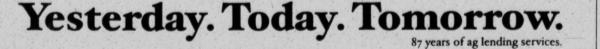
name to -Box 1170, Tahoka, 79373 or come by the News Office at 1617 Main St.

(Deadline is 4 p.m. Friday, May 16th)

The graduation issue includes New Home, Wilson, O'Donnell and Tahoka seniors.

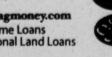
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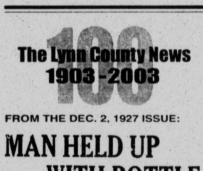


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and will have their meal provided. Class Coleman is a current Houston Texan awards by the teachers will also be given. player. The cost of the catered meal will be \$8.00

Yowell's future plans include attending Lubbock Christian University with a major in physical therapy.



WITH BOTTLE

Alleged Robber Armed With Whiskey Bottle Takes Clothes From **Cotton** Picker

Two men armed with nothing more deadly than an empty whiskey bottle are charged with having held up and robbed J. B. Smith, a cotton picker, as he was proceeding along the highway, afoot, in company with his two boys about three miles north of town Saturday night. The loot consisted of a shirt, a pair of underwear, and a pair of socks, all valued at \$4.50. according to complaint filed in the Justice Court. It is said that Smith had about \$55.00 in money in his pockets but the hi-jackers failed to search his pockets.

The two men charged with the offense are Sam Miller and Albert Donny, both of whom have resided in Lynn county for some time. Domny is said to have worked in a tailor shop here at one time but more recently has been at work in the country. Miller has also been in the employ of a farmer near South Ward. It is said that the two men were sitting by the side of the road and as Smith and his two or three small boys were in the act of passing by the two men leaped to their feet, one of them drew an empty whiskey bottle from his hip pocket and pressed the neck of it against Smith's stomach, demanding Smith's bundle of goods. The wearing apparel was promptly delivered but it seems that the hi-jackers made ' no effort to sarch Smith's pockets. Officers were later notified and it is said that they found the goods in the possession of one of the men.

Complaints were filed in the justice court and the men placed in jail. Their bonds have been fixed at \$1,000 each.

Judge Metcalf says that if the whiskey bottle had been loaded with the usual boot-leg concoction he would have considered it a very deadly weapon, but since it was empty he does not think the robbery was a capital offense.

gradually to a higher note, until at last the voice is scoring in full crescendo, reaching F sharp on the natural scale and dwelling for two retarded half notes, then breaking into a shower of accidental grace notes."

The researcher talked first with this exhibitor, then with that. None seemed particularly sound on pig calls. Finally, he spoke with two FFA boys from Tahoka, Fred Martin and Larry Thomas and the discouraged him to such an extent that he abandoned his research efforts altogether.

"All you really have to do," said one, "is rattle the bucket." "That's right," said the other. - Feb. 10, 1961

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**Pre-School Day Is** Friday, April 21

Next Friday, April 21, is pre-school day in Tahoka when prospective first graders go to school for one morning to get acquainted with the teachers, the rooms and the school plant itself.

All children who will be six years old on or before Sept. 1, 1961 should attend the event, J.E. Howell, principal of South Elementary, said.

However, the orientation program will end at 11:45 a.m., immediately following the children's lunch hour, and no bus room will be provided for them ...

Also, either a parent or other responsible adult should accompany the youngsters to pre-school day. Children may eat in the cafeteria for 25 cents and parents for 30 cents. - April 14, 1961

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## **Airplane Rides For Cub Scouts**

Tahoka Cub Scouts will meet at the local airport Saturday, April 22, at 10:00 a.m., when Seth Lewis will furnish a plane and pilot to take the boys on an airplane joy ride.

The boys must have a written permission signed by their parents or else a parent may go to the airport Saturday morning and give permission before takeoff time, states John Ed Redwine, Cubmaster. - April 21, 1961

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## Winners Named **In Baby Contest**

C. Edmund Finney, photographer, has announced the winners in his recent baby contest. The judge of the event was Jim White of Lubbock, a master photographer with the national Professional Photographers Association.

Winners receive natural color pictures as prizes.

In the six months to two years age group, Chris Fails, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Fails, won first place; Kristy Gryder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gryder of Lubbock, second; and Carlton Ray Jolly, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Jolly, third.

Suzanne Hunter daughter of Royce Hunter of Lubbock and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collard of Tahoka, won first place in the two to four years group. Second place winner was Glenita Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Evans; and third, Danny Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Orr.

In the four to six years group, Debbie Dulin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dulin, was first; Jo Anna Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adams, second; and Jana Adams, daughter of Mr.. and Mrs. Lester Adams, third.

First place winners in the three divisions will receive 11 by 14 pictures; second place, 8 by 10; and third, 5 by 7. -May 5, 1961

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