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# Little League Girls Softball Signups Set

Signup periods have been scheduled for Tahoka Girls Little League Softball, for girls who are ages 7-12 as of July 31, 2006 (not open to 13-year-olds). Signup dates are July 25, 26 and 28, from 6-8 p.m. at the Life Enrichment Center at 1717 Main Street in

Parents should bring their child's birth certificate when registering. Cost is \$35 per child.

Marty Hammonds.

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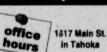
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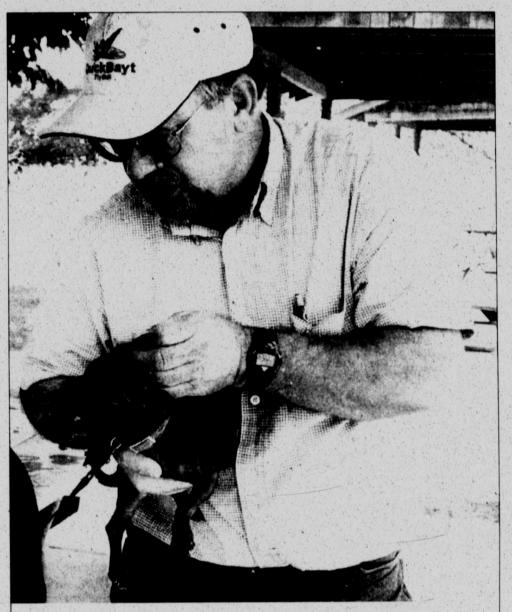
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LET'S TAKE A LOOK - Dr. Larry Mills, veterinarian from Post, looks at one of the tiniest dogs brought to the Pet Clinic Saturday afternoon at the Tahoka Mini Park. The clinic was sponsored by Tahoka Rotary Club, with Dr. Mills offering rables shots and other vaccines for dogs and cats, and Rotarians provided their services in (LCN PHOTO) dipping the animals for flea/tick prevention.

# Traffic Accident, Assault, **Dog Attack Investigated**

About 7:15 p.m. Sunday a 2000 Saturn Ion driven by Evin Young, 19, of Lubbock, overturned upside down on U.S. 87 about 7 miles south of Tahoka.

Neither the driver nor a passenger was injured, according to the investigating Dept. of Public Safety trooper.

A 45-year-old Tahoka man was jailed this week on four charges documented by a recent 106th District Grand Jury. Ambrosio Valero DeLeon was indicted on charges of aggravated sexual assault, aggravated assault, sexual assault and indecency with a

A.13-year-old Tahoka girl was taken to Lynn County Hospital for treatment Sunday night after an altercation reportedly involving four other juvenile girls from O'Donnell.

Two goats owned by Michael Anthony

 Artiaga of Tahoka reportedly were killed by dogs which got into Artiaga's yard Tuesday. The owner of one of the dogs was contacted by police. The owner of the goats valued them at \$100 each.

Nine other persons were arrested during the last week, on these charges: application to revoke probation on conviction for driving while intoxicated, second offense or more, plus grand jury indictment on DWI second offense plus bond surrender. The other eight were charged with DWI second offense, driving while license suspended, possession of marijuana under two ounces, driving while intoxicated first offense, failure to report an accident, public intoxication

and theft over \$500 and less than \$1500. As of Tuesday there were 40 persons in jail, including 10 for Lubbock County and one for Garza County.



\$1000 GRANT TO LYNN COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT - Lynn County Sheriff Jerry D. Franklin (center) and reserve deputy Ben Edwards (right) are shown here receiving a \$1000 grant from Wal-Mart in Lamesa. The funding will be used to purchase tasers for the department. (Photo courtesy of Lamesa Press-Reporter)

# **One More Teacher Hired** For Tahoka High School

One more teacher was hired by trustees of Tahoka Independent School District, and salary pay schedules for at-will positions were amended with cost-of-living increases, among other routine business at the July board meeting held last Tuesday. Student TAKS test scores were also discussed.

Jessica Crabb was hired to teacher Theatre/Arts and Speech at Tahoka High School, filling the position vacated by Ronny Powell.

A salary schedule for at-will employees in the district was approved unanimously by the board, with the new schedule including cost-of-living increases in the step plans. Atwill employees include custodial, cafeteria and transportation/grounds staff, secretarial and certain other positions.

"We are still waiting [on state legislators] to see what the state is going to do for teachers across the state," Supt. Parker told The News Tuesday morning. "We sure hope they do something for the teachers - we're just waiting to hear. If they give them a big raise and don't fully fund it, we're just hung out to dry," he added. School districts throughout the state are anxiously postponing budget decisions until a new school bill

In other business, District Curriculum Director Sherri McCord presented the 2005 TAKS scores of students in the district. "We were above state average in lots of areas, and below state average in a few areas, but overall we are primarily above state average,"

Supt. Parker told The News, "We know we've got some work to do, and the bar has been raised again," he added, explaining that students in grades 3-8 and 9-10-11 are given the TAKS test, with grade level determining which aspects of the test are taken.

"Just to give you an idea of how demand ing the TAKS test is, especially for juniors. normally the state has been averaging approximately 2,500 seniors each year that do not get a diploma because they didn't pass. the TAKS, even though they passed the required school curriculum. This year, 21,000 seniors in the state did not get a diploma because of not passing the TAKS -: that's just how much harder this test has gotten. Fortunately, Tahoka did not have any seniors in that group – all of our seniors had passed the TAKS." Parker explained. "But the bar is going up again, and the test will be harder for juniors this year," he predicted.

The Student Code of Conduct and Athletic Policy manuals were approved by trustees, and the board amended Supt. Parker's contract to include a \$600 per month car allowance. The superintendent's contract has not included a car allowance during Parker's term, although previous TISD administrators have had a car allowance.

Parker informed trustees of the upcoming Board Convention in Houston in September, and the next regular board meeting was set for Aug. 11 at 7 p.m. All seven trustees were present for the meeting.

# woodwork

AT LAST I have learned a great truth, confirming what I always suspected: A woman is the cause of all of man's trouble.

Well, I didn't really mean that, so lay that pistol down, babe. But the ancient Greeks did, because in their mythology there were gods and the number one god, Zeus, decided to punish man for accepting the gift of fire which was stolen from heaven, and he created the first woman on earth, Pandora to plague mankind.

Of course, the first woman was named Eve, so those who believed early Greek mythology obviously made a big myth-stake.

For years, I've heard about Pandora's box, and how anybody who opens it up winds up with a lot of trouble, but the myth about Pandora is sort of interesting. Pandora means "all gifted" according to my encyclopedia, and Zeus supposedly gave her the gifts of beauty and charm, but messed up by giving her great curiosity. Zeus gave her a box containing all the troubles and diseases that the world now knows. She was warned not to open the box, but her curiosity overcame her. Only Hope remained inside the box as she quickly closed the lid again, but all those bad things were turned

And all this time I thought Congress and the Texas Legislature were the source of

I have never known anyone named Pandora, aithough it means gifted, charming and beautiful. I do know a really nice family here named Box, and they have some great girls, but none of them are named Pandora.

I SHOULD NEVER be surprised at how dumb people can be, but still it was hard for me to believe the front-page news reports of people lining up at midnight in Lubbock and London and other places to get the latest kid-fad book, which I think is all about a Hairy Potty. I guess I can't criticize too much, because I haven't read any of the books or seen any of the movies, nor do I intend to. I've heard, though, that the theme is not the best for young minds.

What do I read and watch? Things which are more mature and thoughtful. I remember fondly reading Mickey Mouse and the Bat Bandit years ago, and just the other night! watched a movie called The Three Stooges Meet Snow White.

TO MANY people, the game of golf is about as interesting as watching grass grow, but some of us who attempt to play the game can appreciate a list of Top 10 Caddy Remarks, which I have cut down to five (and most golfers I know never played with a caddy, although I did once, in Haiti):

No. 5—Golfer: I think I'm going to drown myself in that lake.

Caddy: Think you can keep your head down that long?

No. 4—Golfer: Do you think I can get there with a 5-iron? Caddy: Eventually.

No. 3-Golfer: That can't be my ball; it's too old. Caddy: It's been a long time since we teed off, sir.

No. 2-Golfer: Do you think it's a sin to play on Sunday? Caddy: The way you play, sir, it's a sin on any day.

No. 1—Golfer: You've got to be the worst caddy in the world.

Caddy: I don't think so, sir. That would be too much of a coincidence.

# **New Students** Must Pre-Register at New Home ISD

Students who plan to attend New Home Independent School District must pre-register before school be-

Please visit Mrs. Macker in the New Home High School Principal's: office to pre-register your, future kindergartener before August 15. 2005, and receive a free goodie bag for your child. Your child must turn tive before September 1,2005.

Any other new student who plans to attend New Home schools and needs to pre-register, please visit Mrs. Macker's office. Office hours are, from 9.00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. Monlay through Thursday

### **NEW AT THE** CITY/CO. LIBRARY

High Plains Tangos by Robert James Waller

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#### Shadows by Edna Buchanan

Forty-tive years after the unsolved hooting of a former mayor at a watertront property, the Miaiar Police' Department's Cold Case Squad reopens he case, which has strange fies to a conflict between a voung preservationist and developers who would turn the property into a series of high rises.

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DISTRICT TRAP AND SKEET SHOOT - Nine Lynn County 4-H members competed against 200 other 4-H members at the South Plains District 2 4-H Shoot. They are, in front from left, Graham Heniey 4th-Class B Jr. Trap and 1st Class D Jr. Skeet, Shon Michael Overton-2nd-Class C Jr. Trap, Britt Wuensche 1st Class B Jr. Trap, and Gretchen Henley representing Lynn County. In back are Chris Ashbrook, and Jessica McLelland, representing Lynn County, Matthew McLelland 4th- Class C Sr. Trap, and Reed Williams 151- Class B Sub-Jr Trap: and not pictured, Smith McLelland representing Lynn County.

(Photo courtesy Lynn Co. Extension Service)

### **Sweet Street Baptist Sets VBS Next Week**

Sweet Street Baptist Church in. Tahoka invites children ages 5 years old through sixth grade to participate in Vacation Bible School next week. July 25-29, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. nightly. Theme of the VBS is "Jungle Adventure: Discovering God's

For more information contact Pastor Lynn Long at Sweet Street Baptist Church, at 561-5310 or 561

Can you think of a better

Annette Burenheide

# **NEW AT THE** CITY/CO. LIBRARY

Origin in Death by J.D. Robb

When a cosmetic surgeon is killed in his office with tidy precision, and not long after his doctor-son is murdered in the same manner. Detective Exe Dallas must track down the cunning, coldblooded killer who just may be one of the good doctor's beautiful female

#### The Undomestic Goddess by Sophie Kinsella

After making a mistake that will rum a chance of a partnership. workaholic attorney Samantha Sweeting suffers a breakdown, gets on a train, and ends up in the middle of nowhere, when she is mistaken for someone looking for a job and is hired as a housekeeper, but her new employers are unaware that she is an attorney with no housekeeping skills

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### **Tahoka Girl Scout Golf Tournament** Set For July 23

A 4-Man Scramble golf tournament will be held Saturday, July 23 at T-Bar Country Club with a tee lege in Levelland. time of 1:00 p.m. Cost will be \$120 per team; \$5 per mulligan, and \$5 per contest entry.

The tournament is sponsored by Tahoka Girl Scouts, with all protroop to pay for uniforms, badges,

1st. 2nd. and 3rd places. Prizes will be awarded in the closest to the pin contest. Door prizes will also be

Sausage wraps and drinks will be served throughout the day followed by a hamburger supper at the close of the tournament.

To enter and reserve a cart, call T-Bar Country Club at 998+5305 or Amanda Quisenberry at 561-4458.

All entries and cart reservations must be made by July 18. Late en- immunization for MMR, tetanus, tries will be welcomed as long as hepatitis B and have a current negacarts are available. Entry fee does not tive. TB test. include cart fee: If you have any questions please

contact Amanda Quisenberry at 561-4458 or Melody Locke at 561-1528.

# SPC Registration Available Through CampusConnect

South Plains College will continue online registration for fall classes using CampusConnect through Aug. 11

Students registering online are encouraged to contact their program advisor for assistance with course selection. Tuition and fees must be paid by 3 p.m. Aug. 11.

Regular fall registration will be Aug. 24-25.

Sign-up at SPC Levelland will be 1:30-6 p.m. Aug. 24 in the Technology Center.

Sign-up for classes offered at the SPC Reese Center campus and the Byron Martin Advanced. Technology Center in Lubbock will be 10-11:30 a.m. and 1-6 p.m. Aug. 25 at Reese, Building 8.

Registration permits are required for regular registration.

Fall classes at all SPC locations begin Aug. 29.

Information on how to access and use CampusConnect is available in the fall 2005 class schedule or online

www.southplainscollege.edu. To obtain a registration permit,

contact the SPC Admissions Offices at 806 894-9611, ext. 2578 or 2572 (Levelland) or 885-3048, ext. 2902 or 4660 (Reese).

# Saturday VBS Set July 23rd

Children ages 6-12 years old are invited to a one-day Vacation Bible School at the Tahoka Mini Park on Saturday, July 23, sponsored by Grassland Church of the Nazarene. Registration begins at 9 a.m., and the VBS is from 9:30 a.m. until 12 noon. Theme of the VBS is "J-Force: Discovering the Ultimate Truth!"

Contact Pastor Dave at Grassland Church of the Nazarene to preregister or for more information, at 806-327-5656.

# Kelln Receives Science Degree

Diplomas were awarded to approximately 5,047 Texas A&M University graduates during Spring commencement ceremonies. Klyssa Jayci Kelln of Tahoka received a Bachelor of Science Degree for Animal Science.

She is the daughter of Jay and Karen Kelln of Tahoka, and a graduate of Tahoka High School.

#### **CNA Class Begins** Aug. 8 at SPC

A Certified Nurse Aide class begins Aug. 8 at South Plains Col-

The course provides detailed education, training, work-based experience and direct patient/client care at a clinical site

Students learn the necessary ceeds benefitting the local Girl Scout skills to work in long-term care. home health or hospital environments. Upon completion of the 60 Cash Prizes will be paid out to hours of classroom and 24 hours of clinicals, each student will be required to take the State of Texas Certified Nurse Aide Competency Ex-, of New Home and Melody Miller of

> Classes will meet 5:30-9:30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in the Technical Arts Building, Room 112. Clinical instruction is scheduled 7 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Aug. 20, 27 and Sept. 3 at the Levelland Nursing Home.

Students must provide proof of

Participants who satisfactorily omplete the course will receive a certificate for 8.4 continuing education units. Enrollment is limited to 14 students. For more information, contact the SPC Division of Continuing and Distance Education at (806) 894-9611, ext. 2341.

# **NEW AT THE** CITY/CO. LIBRARY

Cross Bones by Kathy Reichs

Receiving mysterious clues about a shooting murder in Montreal, Tempe Brennan wonders if the victim may have been a Jewish black market antiquities trader and teams up with detective Andrew Ryan and biblical archaeologist Jake Drum for a dangerous investigation in Israel. By the author of Monday Mourning.

# Obituaries



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Wynelle Fletcher

Services for Mrs. Wynelle Fletcher, 69, were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 19, at the New Home Baptist Church with Re .. Ed Sena officiating. Interment followed in Resthaven Memorial Park, under the direction of White Funeral Home of

She was born May 26, 1936 in New Home. Texas to Garland and Helen Lee Armontrout Peek. She died July 14, 2005 in Lubbock.

She graduated from New Home High School in 1954. She married Darrell Dean Fletcher on May 23. 1953 in New Home. Mrs. Fletcher was a homemaker and a member of the New Home Baptist Church,

She was preceded in death by her husband. Darrell Fletcher on August 1, 1997 and her mother, Helen Peek in 2003.

Survivors include her father, Garland Peek of New Home: a daughter. Lee Ann Birchall of Arlington; a son. Cory Fletcher of Lubbock: a brother, Jim Peek of New Home: three sisters. Bernice Brassfield of Lubbock, Joann Kieth Plainview, and five grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the New Home Baptist Church.





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# **Tahoka Woman's Brother Narrowly Escapes** Fire; Leads Fellow Firefighters to Safety

How an experienced fire fighter's training and quick response in a frightenin, emergency saved two young fire fighters' lives

Editor's Note: Adrian Condarco of Junction, Texas, brother of Iris Calvillo of Tahoka, is credited with saving the lives of two fellow firefighters during a recent brush-fire inferno near Junction that burned for more than a week. Adrian's mother of Junction, Jesusa Condarco, was raised in Tahoka, and Adrian spent some summers working in Tahoka. He is the grandson of the late Leonardo and Luz Aleman of

The following article, reprinted with permission from The Junction Eagle, recounts the horrific tale of the firefighters' narrow escape:

#### by Debbie Cooper Kistler The Junction Eagle

The story, and the fire itself, seemed routine. Last Tuesday, July 5, a brush fire, which was probably ignited by a lightning strike, started on the ranch property of Dwight Spaeth, out in the rough, brushy tricounty area near Streeter.

It's that time of the year, after all. It's hot, it's dry, and the volunteer fire departments in the area deal with several hundred rural brush fires every year, All that lush vegetation nurtured by the abundance of spring rain has now become dry kindling.

At press time on Tuesday, July 12, a week later, the fire is still burning, having practically denuded about three quarters of Spaeth's property, and several Kimble County firefighters narrowly escaped a disaster that could have cost them their

On Sunday afternoon, July 10, Cecil Conner, a nineteen-year veteran fire fighter and current President of the Kimble County Ranch Fire Association, was driving a halfquarter ton brush truck with Johnny Lombrana riding in the back, working the water hose

Close by, driving a ton and a quarter Kaiser Jeep, was Adrian Condarco, who has 21 years experience fighting fires and serves as Second Assistant Chief of the Junction Fire Department. With him-were two young fire fighters, each with less ing and experience gaid off. Adrian than two years with the department. went above and beyond. If they had Kris Lombrana (Johnny Lombrana's run the other direction.... I know son) and Vanessa Childress (a third what they would have run into. They

generation Junction fire fighter, following in the footsteps of her father and grandfather).

Both crews were working a "hot" area, which means that their vehicles were moving in and out of the fire line. When the engine on Conner's truck stalled and would not restart. Condarco heard his friend call "I'm in trouble!" and moved immediately toward Conner.

Just as Condarco arrived. Conner's truck finally restarted. Conner warned Condarco, "Go! Go! Go!" and was able to drive out of the rapidly intensifying fire. Condarco started out of the area behind Conner, but the engine on his vehicle also cavitated due to the lack of oxygen caused by the intense heat. It would not restart.

Surrounded now by 20-foot flames, Condarco struggled to get his truck's engine restarted. Kris Lombrana and Childress were enveloped, with the flames curling over their heads. They began screaming but remained on the truck as they were trained to do. Recognizing that his vehicle was not going to restart and the situation had become critical. Condarco directed Childress and Lombrana to abandon the vehicle. The cab of his stalled truck filled with flames and Condarco kicked the driver's side door open.

An instinctive response would be to run away from the fire, ahead of it. But Condarco helped his two less-experienced firefighters escape by running through the walls of flames to the already burned-out area behind the fire.

"This was a critical move and probably saved their lives," explained Junction Fire Chief Lee Hall, who was working in another area of the fire at the time. "Under the circumstances that existed, that fire could not have been outrun. Though terrifying to even consider, charging through the inferno and away from the fire's fuel supply was exactly what they should have done. Adrian probably saved their lives."

Conner agrees, "Years of train-

would not have survived ... period." (This was not Adrian Condarco s first experience saving a younger person from sustaining severe injuries from a fire. Many years ago, when his younger brother Sammy got gas-on-fire on his legs and started running, older brother Adrian chased and tackled his brother.)

During the escape from the engulfed truck, Condarco left his handheld radio and so was unable to communicate his crew's position and condition. The concern of his fellow firemen was apparent as a search for the group was initiated immediately.

Conner explained that the last he had seen of Condarco's team was when the fire "rolled over" his truck. When Conner got to safety and discovered that Condarco and crew were not behind him, he went back and found the abandoned truck on fire, but there was no sign of the

At that point, I reported them missing. I gave the coordinates of the location, called for an air life helicopter and also a DPS chopper to search for them. Then, I started searching," explained Conner.

Meanwhile: Condarco. Lombrana and Childress were walking through intense heat and smoke. not removing their protective clothing, although the pain from their burns was worsening, stopping for air when they came to "clean" areas. Condarco feared the two injured fire fighters might go into shock and was mindful of their pain and of his

They are both new parents and I was very concerned about getting them to safety as soon as I could," he said, "At one point, we had to run back through a wall of flame, so I told them to put their arms up to protect their faces from the heat.

(Editor's note: According to his sister, Condarco led his team to a clearing where a helicopter could see them, and the chopper landed. Both Lombrana and Childress were more severely injured and they were transported by chopper to medical

All three fire fighters sustained burns and were treated at the scene by emergency medical crews from McCullough County first, and then those from Mason and Junction when they arrived.

Childress and Kris Lombrana were flown by a medivac helicopter to Brooke Army Medical Center. Also aboard was Josh Thompson, from the London fire department, who was having difficulty breathing. He was checked and released.

Childress had first and second degree burns on her face and arms. She was kept overnight and released



TREATED FOR BURNS - Adrian Condarco receives medical attention from Junction emergency medical technician Robert Johnson after Condarco and his crew's harrowing experiences escaping the fire when their fire department vehicle stalled, stranding them inside a fireball. Condarco is the brother of Iris Calvillo of Tahoka. (Photo by Debbie Cooper Kistler, The Junction Eagle)

late Monday evening. Childress explained that she had on all of her protective equipment including her gloves. Her burns are in those places left bare where the various pieces of equipment did not cover. Plus, she said, "Kris' jumped on top of me where I was up on top of the water

Lombrana had first and second degree burns on about 35% of his body, mostly around his head, face

tank, which protected me but left him

and hands because he did not have on his gloves. He was released from BAMC on Tuesday and allowed to return home

Both Childress and Lombrana are in a lot of pain and will take some time to recover fully. Physical therapy will be necessary, especially on Lombrana's hands.

Condarco was burned on his forehead and nose. He was taken by ambulance to Kimble Hospital. where he was treated and released.

# **Ashcraft Gets Hole-In-One**

Blake Ashcraft of Tahoka aced the #7 green at T-Bar Country Club on Wednesday, July 13, 2005. He used a 7-irch on the 179-yard hole-

Witnesses to the ace were Monte Jolly and Matt Saldana

# Fundraiser Set Aug. 6 For Pioneer Center

A dinner and street dance at PJ's in Tahoka will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday. Aug. 6 to benefit the Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center. Tahoka Rotary Club is also helping to sponsor the event.

Several raffle drawings will be held that night, including the drawing for a quilt (tickets available at the Pioneer Center, Lynn County News, and other places); and electric smoker; and for \$100 worth of groceries from Thriftway.

For more information, contact Nancy Guilliams at the Pioneer Center in Tahoka.

"I'm doing fine," he said Tuesday morning. "I really appreciated the outpouring of support and concern from the community.

The fire continues to be obstinate, seeming to restart itself on several occasions. It has stretched the resources of the volunteer fire departments from Kimble, London, and Mason, which have gotten needed assistance from the departments in Menard, Lohn, Voca, Brady and Mountain Home. The Texas Forest Service and Mason have also provided bulldozers.



Vacation Bible School Monday-Friday, July 25-29! AT SWEET STREET BAPTIST CHURCH FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CALL 561-5310 OR 561-5320.

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# **BBQ Cook-off, Music Festival Slated in Tahoka July 29-30**

The second annual No Adult Supervision BBQ/Chili Cook-off and Music Festival is being held in songs will be played from 9 p.m. Tahoka on Friday and Saturday, July until 12 midnight. Saturday, will fea-29-30 Free to the public, the event ture all country music from 5-10 will take place at the End of The Trails RV Park in Tahoka, located just off the west access road to U.S. Hwy 87 The public is invited to come observe the cook-off competi- expected to perform in the weekend tions and listen to a variety of live event, including Dustin Garrett. musical entertainment. Bring lawn chairs for seating, and food and drinks will be available at a conces-

cook-off competition should call. 806-781-8520, and anyone interested in playing music at the event other west Texas recording artists. should call 806-548-6061. Entry fee for the BBQ/Chili cook-off is \$60 plus one cooked brisket. Rules for entering the contest may be found. at at www.noadult

Firday night check-in starts at 4. p.m., with the musical entertainment beginning at 6 p.m. The first three- onions, and drinks.

hour session (6-9 p.m.) will feature country music, and classic rock p.m., with an Open Jam session slated from 10 p.m. until the musicians call it a night.

Local and area musicians are Gary Nix & Chota, Janet Denton, Sherry Holley, Cory Dutton, Byron Norwood, Keith Paschal, Nikki Lee & N3. George Norwood, Keith Those interested in entering the Mensch, Danny Randall, Bo Boggs & Under The Double Eagle Band. Lynn Alexander, Matter Of Fact, and

A full concession stand offering food and drinks will be available Friday night and all day Saturday, provided by Richard and Marcy Whitley of Tahoka, with menu items including brisket sandwiches, hot dogs, corn dogs, Hillbilly Tators, curly fries, funnel cakes, bloomin'

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# Questions and Answers of the Day

Colossians 3 18-19: 1 Peter 3.1-8; Titus 2; Proverbs 18:22, 19:14; Ephesians 5:1-33

Question: What does God expect of us concerning marriage and family life?

I Titus, chapter 2: 'Speak things that are sound doctrine. Older men be sober, grave, self controlled, sound in faith, in charity, in patience. 3Older women the same, so that their behavior shows holiness, not lies and accusing people of things they don't do, not heavy drinkers of wine; teachers of good things; 4So they can teach the young women to be sober, to love their husbands, to love their children, sto be discreet, modest, keepers at home, good and obedient to their own husbands so that the word won't be blasphemed. SYoung men likewise exhort to be sober

Ephesians 5:22 Wives submit yourselves unto your own husbands as unto the Lord 23 For the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is the head of the church, and he is the saviour of the body. 24 Therefore as the church is subject unto Christ, so let the wives be to their own husband in everything. 25 Husbands love your wives, even as Christ also loved the Church, and gave Himself for it; 26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word, <sup>27</sup>That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle, or any such thing; that it should be holy and without blemish. 28 So ought men to love their wives as their own bodies. He that loveth his wife loveth himself.

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as well as for the flea/tick dip (pictured at left) manned by a brave bunch of Rotarians. Dr. Larry Mills, veterinarian from Post, provided his expertise for the afternoon.

**CURTIS ERICKSON** 

### **Curtis Erickson** Is New Banking Officer at FNB

Tahoka native Curtis Erickson joined First National Bank of Tahoka on July 12 as a banking officer. Erickson is a graduate of Tahoka High School and is the son of Randy and Judy Erickson of Tahoka.

Erickson and his wife, Shayla. have a 22-month-old son, Caleb. Shayla is a teacher at Tahoka Elementary School.

# Mr. Gatti's Offers School Field Trips

April Ferguson, company Marketing Manager for Mr. Gatti's/ Gattiland, and Jesse Martinez, Lubbock store General Manager, recently announced the appointment of Kelley Pitts as Marketing Coordinator for Mr. Gatti's / Gattiland in Lub-

Pitts, a graduate of Texas Tech. will coordinate with local and area schools to provide educational Field Trip Classes aligned with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills. (TEKS). This program was designed by teachers to supplement classroom instruction in Math and Health ar-

We are very pleased to have Pitt's join the Mr. Gatti's / Gattiland of Lubbock team," said Martinez. "Her past experience working with non profit groups and numerous businesses in Lubbock will be extremely valuable."

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## **Basic Phlebotomy** Class Set at SPC

Basic Phlebotomy, which provides skill development in the performance of a variety of blood collection methods, begins Aug. 22 at South Plains College in Levelland.

Classroom instruction is scheduled 6:30-9:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays through Oct. 5 in the Technical Arts Building, Room 101. Clinical instruction will be held Monday through Thursdays at a location to be arranged.

For additional information, contact the SPC Division of Continuing and Distance Education at (806) 894-9611, ext. 2341. Completed registration forms and payment can be mailed to the SPC Office of Continuing Education, 1401 S. College Ave., Box 6, Levelland, Texas, 79336.

# **Lynn County Included** In Water Plan; Meeting **Set For August 11**

The Llano Estacado Regional Water Planning Group ("Region O") will conduct a public hearing, Thursday, August 11, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Texas Tech University International Cultural Center, 601 N. Indiana Avenue, in Lubbock. The public is invited to attend. (This hearing had previously been announced for July 28.)

The purpose of the public hearing is to receive comments on the Initially Prepared Llano Estacado Regional Water Plan, which includes the counties of Bailey. Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Croshy, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock. Lynn. Motley. Parmer, Swisher, Terry, and Yoakum.

Copies of the Initially Prepared LERWPG plan are available for inspection at the County Attorney's offices and the public libraries in each county listed above as well as the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District office in Lubbock. The initially prepared LERWPG plan is also available online at the Llano Estacado Regional Water Planning Group's web site a good nursing home. (www.llanoplan.org).

Additional information regarding the initially prepared plan and/ or the public hearing is available by contacting H.P. Brown Jr., LERWPG Chairman, PO Box 2426, Lubbock, TX, 79408-2426 or by calling (806)

Oral comments will be received at the public hearing. Anyone wishing to make oral comments must preregister on-site prior to the opening of the public hearing. Each speaker will be limited to a period not to exceed five (5) minutes.

Written comments will also be accepted at the public hearing or may be mailed through October 10, 2005 to the attention of Chairman Brown in care of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, TX 79411-2499. The water district is the political subdivision administering the LERWPG.

# **Letters To The Editor**

#### **Support The Nursing Home**

Dear Editor

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A fact of life is our family and ourselves will get old, if we are blessed by God. Let's have a place that our grandchildren can stop by without going out of town. Let's back up our nursing home. We have a good school and hospital, let's have

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# Dance of Death

by Preston/Child Stalked throughout his life by his diabolical brother Diogenes, FBI special agent Pendergast finds himself framed for the murders of numerous people close to him, a situation that forces him to flee while he works alongside a friend from the NYPD to prove his innocence.

### **Thanks For Help**

I would like to thank Lois Roberts, Dortha Flynn, Jean Bell, Francis Chancy, Roger and Melody Locke and their kiddos for helping work and clean up in the Senior Citizens yard. It was hot and not easy. Thank you for helping and caring how the Center looks.

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Fundraiser Set Aug. 6

The fundraiser benefitting the Senior Citizens Center has been set for Saturday, Aug. 6, with a dinner and street dance at PJ's. Raffle drawings will be held then for the quilt, an electric smoker, and \$100 grocery .shopping spree at Thriftway. Tahoka ... Rotary Club is helping to sponsor the ?



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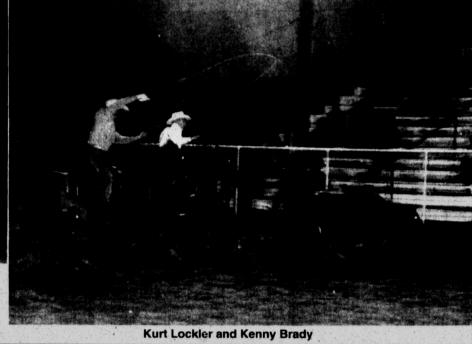
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TO RODA BLAKNEY and LORNA BLAKNEY, Defendants:

You and each of you, are commanded to appear and to answer, before the 106" Judicial District Court in Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas at or before 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, being at or before 10:00 a m. on Monday. September 5, 2005, then and there to answer the petition of O'Brien Oil & Gas. Inc. in Cause No. 05-06-06271, styled O'Brien Oil & Gas. Inc. vs. Rodu Blakney and Lorna Blakney, in which O'Brien Oil & Gas, Inc. is Plaintiff and Roda Blakney and Lorna Blakney are Defendants. The Petition, filed on June 8, 2005, discloses that the nature of the suit is as follows

Plaintiff seeks the Appointment of a Receiver to take charge of the property and execute and deliver a mineral lease

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the day of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THIS COURT on the 19th day of July, 2005.

/s/ Sandra Laws

Clerk of the 106" Judicial District Court Lynn County, Texas

# REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

The City of Wilson has received a 2005-06 TCDP grant from the Office of Rural Community Affairs: We are separately soliciting proposals from (A) consultants for project administration and (B) Texas-registered engineers to provide basic and special engineering services. Separate proposals for these services accepted until 4:00 PM on August 4, 2005 at the City Hall (1601-10th Street) or to P.O. Box 22, Wilson, TX 79381-0022. The same firm cannot be awarded contracts to provide both services. We reserve the rights to negotiate with all firms submitting proposals per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and UGCMS, and to reject any or all proposals. Additional RFP submission requirements for each service are available by calling (806) 628-6221. Affirmative Action/EOE.

# - NOTICE OF PROPOSAL

The Tahoka LS.D. Board of Trustees is considering proposals for commercial property and fleet insurance. For information, contact the Tahoka LS.D. Business Office at P.O. Box 1230; Tahoka, TX 79373 or phone number 806/561-4600 or fax number 806/561-4160. Proposals will be accepted at the above address until 1:00 p.m. on Monday, August 8, 2005. Envelopes should be marked; Property/Fleet Insurance Proposal. Any proposals received after deadline will be returned unopened. The board reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals



LONE STAR DEGREES - Tahoka FFA members Matthew Saldana, Delci Willis, Skylar Owens and James Holdren were recognized at the 77th Annual Texas FFA Convention held in Lubbock, July 12-15, for their achievements. The four received Lone Star FFA Degrees for Area II. Others from Tahoka FFA who attended included Kyle Preston, Kami Owens, Wacie Barnett, Lauren Botkin, Josh DeLeon and Brandon Tomlinson. More than 8,000 members and advisors attended the convention from across the state.

# Lawns Don't Waste Water, People Do!

by BRYAN REYNOLDS, CEA

and controversy has surrounded the while the homeowner continues to water requirement of the lawn. Mis- derive the many benefits of turfgrass. information and hidden agendas have fueled this controversy; how- lawn irrigation include: ever, there are some well docu- • Place lawn areas into landscape mented facts about the American irrigation zones based on water re-

The lawn is an integral component of the landscape. The lawn is scape plantings certainly the best recreational surface • Select adapted, lower-water defor children and athletes. The lawn mand turf species and varieties on the environment, reducing heat loads, noise, and water and air pol-

gin forest in the ability to harvest . Use non-irrigated lawn areas water and recharge groundwater re- where appropriate sources. As a design component, the lawn provides landscape unity and - lawn's true water needs simplicity while inviting participation in the landscape.

The lawn has become a focus in reducing landscape water use because of the tremendous opportunity for abusive use of irrigation water in an effort of maintaining the lawn. lawn has received the major portion lawn.

of the total landscape irrigation. In recent years, much attention Lawn irrigation can be reduced, Specific strategies to reduce

quirements, so that lawns can be watered separately from other land-

- has a tremendous mitigating effect . Use irrigated lawn areas only in areas, which provide function (i.e., recreational, aesthetic, food traffic, dust and noise abatement, glare re-A lawn is second only to a vir- duction, temperature mitigation.)

  - · Irrigate property based on the Increase mowing heights to de-
  - crease lawn water use and stress
  - Decrease fertilizer rates and

properly schedule fertilizations By implementing these strategies, homeowners can reduce lawn

irrigation requirements and still reap Within the traditional landscape, the the many benefits of a cool, green Prairie dogs "kiss" by pressing their teeth against each other's

face. The kiss enables each animal to tell whether the other belongs to the same family group.

# Wilson ISD School Teachers Give Supply List For Students

The following school supply lists have been released by Wilson Independent School District teachers. Please write your child's name on all supplies in PERMANENT INK or MARKER

1-Box of 8 Crayons (basic colors- write your child's initials on the flat end of each crayon)

2-4 oz bottles of Elmer's Glue 2-Glue Sticks

2-Boxes Kleenex 1-Nap mat- (thin with plastic cover- no

large mats please) 2-Pocket Folders (one red and one blue)

No Brads 1-Pair scissors Fiskar brand ONLY

1-Tray watercolors (8 basic colors) 1-Regular size backpack

1-Beach Towel, large bath towel or SMALL blanket

1-small pillow (optional) 1-change of clothes in separate bag •Label the clothes with your child's

Kindergarten

1-Standard size backpack (MUST BRING EVERYDAY)

2-Boxes large Crayola crayons (8 Basic Colors only!)

1-Watercolor paints

name in permanent ink

3-Glue sticks 2-4-oz. white Elmer's glue

1- Small pair Fiskar scissors only 3-Two-pocket folders-one each red.

blue, and yellow-NO BRADS- (You will also need new folders at the beginning

of the second semester same colors.) 1-Spiral Notebook- wide ruled

2-Pink erasers

3-Large boxes Kleenex 1-School Box small size

1-Kinder mat

Pencils 1-Pack colored construction paper

·Please label every crayon with your child's initial above the name of the color •A change of clothes in a separate bag labeled with your child's name

First Grade

Sharp point Fiskar Scissors 2-4 oz. Elmer's glue (no gel or colored, NO big sizes)

4-Glue sticks 8-Pencils

2-24 count box of crayons

2- Large boxes Kleenex

Large eraser

School box

2-Spiral Notebooks (120 pages) wide

Assorted color construction paper 2-8-count Crayola washable markersbasic colors

2-Folders with pockets-NO BRADS-One red and one blue Watercolor paints

Second Grade School Box

10-# 2 Pencils 24 count box of crayons

4 oz. white Elmer's glue. 3-Large boxes Kleenex

2-Large erasers

8- washable markers (wide/ Crayola ba-

3-Pocket folders with brads 1-Wide ruled spiral notebook 1-Backpack or book bag Wide lined notebook paper

> Notebook Sharp point seissors Girls-1 box of Zip Baggies Small

Boys-1 box Zip Baggies-Large

Third Grade # 2 Pencils

Erasers Sharp point scissors

24 count box crayons map colors

1-Box markers 2- Glue sticks or 1 bottle of Elmer's glue 1- inch and centimeter ruler

School box 5-Pocket folders with brads (2-Blue) 2- wide ruled spiral notebooks

Wide rule loose-leaf paper 3-Ring binder or notebook to hold pa-

3- Large boxes Kleenex

**Fourth Grade** 

1-Small school box or bag for supplies # 2 Pencils

2-Red Pens

Blue or Black pens-NO gel pens

Wide notebook paper 3-Spiral Notebooks

3-boxes Kleenex

Scissors

2-Glue Sticks 12-Inch Ruler Metric and Inches-NO

Map colors

Markers

2- Pocket fo blue, one yellow

3 Pocket Folders with brads (1 green)

2-Pnk erasers

2- Highlighters Yellow or Green preferred

·If your last name starts with A-M bring

I box of Ziploc sandwich baggies ·If your name starts with N-Z bring 1

box Ziploc gallon baggies •By the end of September your child will

need a butter tub and a shoebox. Your child will also need another shoebox by the end of October

Fifth Grade

3-Ring Binder with clear front 2-Pkgs. Wide ruled notebook paper # 2 Pencils

2-Red pens 2- Blue or Black pens (NO gel pens) Classic Crayola markers

Crayola colored pencils 4- Pocket folders with brads (1- Eachblue, white, red & green)

2-Boxes Kleenex 3- One subject spirals

1-Metric ruler 1- Pair scissors

1-bottle school glue

2-Glue sticks 2-Erasers 2- Yellow Highlighters

box Ziploc freezer bags

Zipper bag for pencils must have 3 holes in order to keep in notebooks •If your last name starts with A-M bring 1 box of Ziploc sandwich bags

•If your name starts with N-Z bring 1

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# **Peanut Production Meetings Set For Area**

Farmers can get a hands-on look at peanut production on the South Plains at several peanut production meetings scheduled during in July.

Texas Cooperative Extension specialists and agents will be on hand, to discuss variety trials, disease management, weed control, fertility and inoculants, according to Calvin Trostle, Extension agronomist based at Lubbock . Dates and locations of these meetings include:

\* July 21, Gaines County: Begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Gaines County Civic Building southeast of the Seminole High School football field. Contact Terry Millican, (432) 758-4006, for more information. Lunch will be provided. CEU's may be offered.

July 21, Dawson County: Begins at 6 p.m. at the Dawson County Community Building at South 8th and Houston Streets. Contact Casey Barrett, (806) 872-3444, for more information. CEU's will be offered.

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