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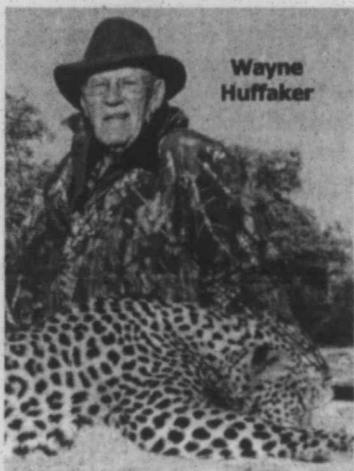
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## The Eleventh Hour Cat



Wayne Huffaker

"My hunt of a lifetime took place in Zimbabwe, Africa in May 2007 for the magnificent leopard. Hunting is my life, and although hunting in Africa is special for anyone, it is extremely special to me. You see, I am lucky to be able to hunt at all. Actually, I am lucky to even be alive. I received a heart transplant in 1994."

-- Wayne Huffaker

(See story, page 5)

## Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
June 18	87	64	0.64"
June 19	96	65	
June 20	86	61	0.55"
June 21	86	66	
June 22	90	68	
June 23	94	67	
June 24	94	65	0.28"
<b>Total Precipitation June:</b>			<b>1.47"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation May:</b>			<b>4.45"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation Apr:</b>			<b>0.38"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation Mar:</b>			<b>0.07"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation Feb:</b>			<b>0.26"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation Jan:</b>			<b>0"</b>
<b>Total Precip. Year to Date:</b>			<b>6.63"</b>

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## O'Donnell Woman Is Victim Of Vehicle Accident

An O'Donnell woman was killed Sunday in a traffic accident about 12 miles west of O'Donnell on County Rd. 28 when an SUV driven by her husband overturned.

Susana Fehr Guenther, 45, died in a Lamesa hospital about two hours after she was thrown from the 1998 Ford Expedition which rolled over about 3 p.m. after the driver lost control. Her husband, Jacob Guenther, was not seriously injured and was released from the hospital after treatment. According to the investigating state trooper, neither was wearing a seat belt.

Three vehicles were involved in a collision in Tahoka last Wednesday morning, with no apparent serious injuries resulting. Betty Fry Cranford, 79, of Tahoka was driving a 2001 Chevrolet Lumina which was involved in a collision with two pickups, one a 2004 Chevrolet Silverado owned by Lyntegar Electric Co-Op and driven by Roddy Glen Gandy, 45, and the other was a 2004 Chevrolet owned by Agriplex and driven by James Tom Wells, 61. The accident happened at the intersection of Lockwood and Ave. K.

Mrs. Cranford was taken by Lynn County EMS ambulance to Lynn County Hospital, where she was treated and then released.

In 106th District Court Friday, Margarito Serna DeLeon, 64, of Tahoka pleaded guilty of possession of cocaine and was sentenced by Judge Carter Schildknecht to one year deferred adjudication.

Police also arrested a 21-year-old Tahoka man for assault on a 20-year-old female.

Seven persons were jailed in Lynn County during the last week, bringing the total number in jail here to 38, with 12 of those held for Lubbock County and two for Gaines County. Latest to be jailed were arrested on these charges:

Burglary of a building (Midland), contempt of court order, simple assault,



### Three-Vehicle Wreck...

The three vehicles shown in the photos here were involved in a traffic accident at Lockwood and Ave. K in Tahoka last Wednesday. The top photo shows a car driven by Betty Cranford of Tahoka, who was the only person treated for injuries in the accident. In the same picture is a West Texas Agriplex truck which the car spun into, and the lower photo shows a Lyntegar pickup with front bumper damage.

(LCN PHOTOS)

court order to modify probation, possession of marijuana under two ounces, public intoxication and driving while intoxicated, third offense or more.

## Election Results Will Stand: County Withdraws Request For AG Opinion on County Offices Issue

by JUANELL JONES

Lynn County Attorney Donnis Scott informed county commissioners this week that Lynn County has officially withdrawn a previous request for an Attorney General's opinion on the issue of keeping certain county offices separate, after a member of the AG Opinion Committee contacted Mrs. Scott and offered the option of withdrawing, noting that a recent election conducted by the county correctly addressed the issue.

"A member of the AG opinion committee called, and said that in light of the results of the election that an AG opinion might be moot, and he asked if we wanted to withdraw the request for the opinion. He said that they were of the belief that the election corrected the issue [of compliance with state law]," Ms. Scott said. "Lynn County has now officially withdrawn the request, and the election results will stand."

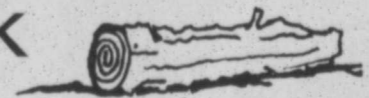
Lynn County voters approved two propositions regarding separation of county offices in a May 10 election. Proposition 1, authorizing the offices of Lynn County Clerk and District Clerk to remain separate offices, passed by 398 to 110 votes countywide. Proposition 2, authorizing the election of a county tax assessor/collector separate from the office of Sheriff, was approved by 382 to 119. With this ballot, voters indicated that they prefer these county offices to remain operating as they have in the past, keeping all four offices separate.

The issue was raised after county officials recently discovered a state law that combined these offices in counties with populations lower than 8,000 (for county clerk/district clerk duties) and 10,000 (for sheriff/tax assessor duties), unless an election was held to allow voters to choose to keep the offices separate. Lynn County has apparently been out of compliance with these state laws for many years, as these offices have been separate for many years, and this is the first year that such an election was conducted regarding the issue. Lynn County population figures declined to fewer than 10,000 residents sometime between 1960 and 1970, and to fewer than 8,000 residents between the 1980 and 1990 census.

Even though county officials called for the May 10 election in a belief that it was the correct course of action to address the dilemma, and election results indicated that county residents preferred the offices to remain separate, county officials had sought an Attorney General's opinion on the issue regarding the noncompliance with state law in the past. This week's formal withdrawal of the request effectively closes the issue, as state officials said the election had corrected the non-compliance issue.

"We are pleased with the AG opinion committee's notification that the election was the right course of action for Lynn County," Ms. Scott told *The News*.

## woodwork by dalton



LOTS OF PEOPLE, myself included, have always been intrigued by stories of buried treasure, and sunken treasure, sea monsters, shipwrecks and whatever may lie beneath the surface of the water, just waiting to be discovered by some hearty person with the money and means to explore the deep.

Of course, when anyone thinks about finding a long-lost shipwreck, the Titanic is the first to come to mind. It sank on April 12, 1912, and was finally discovered more than two miles deep into the ocean in 1985.

Just a couple of weeks ago there was news that a British warship which sank in Lake Ontario in 1780 was found in about 500 feet of water, the oldest shipwreck and only British warship ever found in that lake. It sank in a storm with 130 people on board.

Also in one of the Great Lakes recently, the wreckage of an airplane which disappeared years ago (35, if I remember correctly) was found.

And off the coast of Florida, a Civil War ship with millions of dollars worth of now-rare coins has been found, as well as another shipwreck possibly near England, which has yielded gold coins estimated to be worth 500 million dollars, or about the same as Lynn County residents will pay for gasoline next year.

However, the Loch Ness monster still has not been found. Nessie is still down there, along with Amelia Earhart, Atlantis and no telling what else is lying beneath the surface of large bodies of water.

Despite the fact that some people have become rich and famous from finding sunken treasure, I never had even the slightest desire to go looking around in water more than four feet deep. Regardless of whether I had a diving suit or some other kind of equipment, I have no wish to go down in hundreds of feet of water. I'll leave that to the fish, or to someone like David Randall Hinkle, a native of Tahoka who went off and fashioned a remarkable career as a nuclear submarine commander.

My wife once made the comment that under no circumstances would she ever want to travel to the moon or into outer space. I feel the same way about going way down into the water, although I can envision a scenario where I might take a trip to the moon (when regular shuttles are offered to tourists, at about \$50 per round trip).

After all, the moon sounds like a more pleasant place to visit than some destinations, like Los Angeles or New York City.



## County to Auction O'Donnell Property

Lynn County Commissioners met in regular session Tuesday morning, and voted to sell by public auction some county property located in O'Donnell. The auction will be conducted July 22 on the courthouse steps, for several empty lots located behind the museum in O'Donnell. Commissioner Don Blair was appointed to oversee the sale.

In other business, District Judge Carter Schildknecht addressed the court to encourage Lynn County to change software programs in the district clerk's office. She said the other three counties in the 106th Judicial District (Dawson, Gaines and Garza) are switching to the Local Government Solutions (LGS) software program, which she believes will correct some problem areas they have had with the current software program. In fact, two of the counties are already using the new program, and the third county is scheduled to switch over soon.

District Clerk Sandra Laws told commissioners that she was happy with the current software program but that she would switch if they directed her to do so.

Because Lynn County would be the only county using the current software, costs for a possible new server (approx. \$3,000) and annual anti-virus maintenance (\$1500) in Judge Schildknecht's Lamesa office, which would only be used for Lynn County, would not be cost-shared with the other counties in the 106th judicial district. If Lynn County switches to the LGS software, the server and

anti-virus maintenance would no longer be an issue, as the LGS is a web-based program. Judge's Schildknecht's Court Coordinator in Lamesa, Jana Furlow, accompanied the judge and told commissioners about some advantages of the new software program. Commissioners requested a meeting with an LGS representative before making a decision.

Commissioners approved a budget amendment to transfer \$40,000 from road and bridge funds to share among the four county precinct budgets (\$10,000 each precinct).

The regular meetings of the commissioner's court, normally held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month, were changed to the second and fourth Tuesdays, by unanimous approval of the four commissioners.

Sheriff Jerry D. Franklin reported on his department's activities, noting that inmate meal costs were down to 73-cents per plate. Meal costs usually vary monthly, at approximately \$17 plate.

Monthly bills were approved, and the meeting was recessed until 2 p.m. to meet with a S.P.A.G. representative for training for the 9-1-1 system. All four commissioners and several of their precinct employees met with Janette Brosch for training on how to determine new 9-1-1 addresses for the county.

County Judge H.G. Franklin led the meeting, with commissioners Keith Wied, Brad Hammonds, Don Blair and Mike Braddock present.



**TMS Students Visit National Cemetery...** Tahoka Middle School students who visited Washington, D.C., had the opportunity to visit the Arlington National Cemetery and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier during the Changing of the Guards. Tahoka was honored with their name on the wreath that was displayed at the cemetery for the day. Shown here are Swade Hammonds, Sarah Freitag, both of Tahoka, David McGee of Red Oak, and a military guard who was stationed at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

### Ashbrook Graduates From WTAMU

Christopher W. Ashbrook graduated from West Texas A&M University in Canyon on May 10, 2008 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture. He was also named to the Dean's List for the final semester.

A 2004 graduate of Tahoka High School, Chris is the son of Charles and Vicki Ashbrook of Tahoka.

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### STORK REPORT

#### CAMDEN GRANT ENGLE

Chris and Erin Engle of Lubbock announce the birth of their son. Camden Grant Engle, born on Sunday, June 8, 2008 at 2:55 a.m. He weighed 5 lbs., 4 oz. and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Eddie and Suzan Henry of San Angelo and Charlie and Debbie Engle of Tahoka. Great-grandparents are Charlie and Helen Pope of Rankin, Howard Henry of Lake Ivy, Dan and Clara Bell of Idalou, J.T. Miller, and Dewey and Donna Engle, all of Tahoka. Great-great grandparents are Odessa Joplin of Plains and Edna Eades of Lubbock.

### Dance Set In Post July 5th

The newly organized Post Dance Club will be hosting a dance at the Post Community Center on Saturday, July 5th from 8-12 p.m. Dance to the music of Texas Mesquite. Admission is \$20.00/person.

### Senior Citizens MENU

- June 30-July 4**  
**Monday: Bobby Moore's Day!** Chef Salad, Cracker assortment, Orange Quarters, Blueberry Muffins  
**Tuesday:** Chicken Pot Pie, Tossed Salad, Cornbread, Chocolate Cream Pie  
**Wednesday:** Beef Spaghetti, Italian veggies, Garlic bread sticks, rice pudding  
**Thursday:** Hotdogs with/without chili, all the trimmings, chips, pears  
**Friday:** Closed - Happy 4th of July

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**Reminders:**  
 • Domino Night is Monday 6:30 p.m.  
 • Recipes wanted for cookbook  
 • Needed: Good used recliners; Silverware, plastic glasses, plastic plates  
 • Movie night will be July 17th - Harrison Ford classic with Sean Connery  
 • AC Unit Tickets have been reduced to \$25. For those who have purchased a \$50 ticket, you will receive an extra ticket for every ticket you purchased.  
 • The Quilt to be raffled off for the Harvest Festival will be on display at the First National Bank next week.

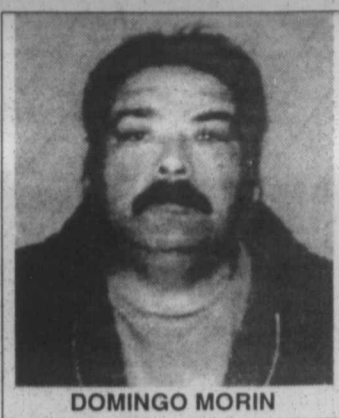
## OBITUARIES

### Susana Fehr Guenther

Services for Susana Fehr Guenther, 45, of O'Donnell will be held on Thursday, June 26, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. at the Old Colony Mennonite Church in Seminole. Interment will follow in the Gaines County Cemetery in Seminole. She died June 22, 2008 in Lamesa.

She was born January 1, 1963 in Mexico to Henry and Susan Fehr. She married Jacob Guenther, Jr. in Seminole on August 3, 1986 and they moved to O'Donnell. She was employed by O'Donnell school systems for 7 years as a cafeteria worker.

Survivors include her husband Jacob of O'Donnell; two sons Frank and wife Irene Guenther of Maryland, Jacob Guenther, III, of Plainview; two daughters Suzi Guenther of Lubbock and Maria Guenther of O'Donnell, nine brothers and five sisters.



**DOMINGO MORIN**

Rosary for Domingo Morin, 60, of Tahoka, was held Saturday and Monday, 7 p.m., at Calvillo Funeral Home Chapel in Tahoka. Funeral Mass was celebrated at 3 p.m. Tuesday at St. Jude Catholic Church with Father Edward Teo officiating. Burial was at Nevels Cemetery in Tahoka under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home.

Morin died Friday, June 20, 2008. He was born on November 30, 1947 in Karnes City to the late Juan (1962) and Guadalupe (1994) Morin. He married Victoria Estrada on February 16, 1967 in Brownfield. He was a machine operator for Lynn County. He was a member of St. Jude Catholic Church where he served as vice-president of the finance committee. He was also member of the Men's Organization, and Rosary group. Morin was preceded in death by a brother, Guadalupe "Wally" Morin, April 2, 2002; and a sister, Pauline Morin, June 14, 2002.

Survivors include his wife, Victoria of Tahoka; three sons, Johnny and wife Elisa Morin, George Morin, Mike Morin, all of Tahoka; a sister, Josie Morin of Lubbock; two brothers, Ruben and Henry Morin, both of Tahoka; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were members of the St. Jude Catholic Church Men's Organization.

### College and Career Exploration Opportunity Available for Youth

Choosing a career is a big decision! Youth entering 8th through 12th grades are invited to explore their options at Texas Tech University's College of Human Sciences on Wednesday, July 2nd from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Each participant will have the opportunity to choose three of five sessions to learn about potential majors and related careers. Session topics will include Food and Nutritional Sciences, Child Development, Personal Financial Planning, Apparel Design and Retail, and Family and Consumer Sciences. College life will be experienced through classroom participation at the College of Human Sciences and by eating lunch at the Student Union Building (SUB) on campus. Participants may bring a sack lunch or money, approximately \$10, to purchase lunch at the SUB. Transportation is on your own.

To register, contact the Lynn County Texas AgriLife Extension Service office at 561-4562 by Monday, June 30.

### SHOP IN TAHOKA!

*Happy 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

*Kim and James Crawford*  
 Everyone should be so lucky!



**Tahoka Middle School Students Visit DC...** Tahoka Middle School teacher, Lynn Lankford along with other sponsors, Dina Hammonds, Heather Tekell, Tammy Fisher and Tonda Freitag took a group of students to Washington, DC. Miss Lankford sponsors the trip each year. Tahoka Middle School students attending were, back row from left, Logan Tekell, Smith McLelland, Swade Hammonds, Fred (the bus driver), Alex Hinds, and Braiden Fisher; and in front from left, Luke Hawthorne, Levi Hawthorne, and Sarah Freitag. The group had the opportunity to tour the Capitol with Cade Miller (of Tahoka), an intern in the office of Randy Neugebauer, as their tour guide.

*You are cordially invited to a Reception honoring*  
**LINDA OWEN**  
*Upon her retirement after thirty-four years of service with*  
**Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc.**

**Friday, June 27, 2008**  
**3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**  
**Lyntegar Meeting Room**  
**1807 Main Street • Tahoka, Texas**

**Check out Lynn County's Website!**

Find out more about Lynn County by visiting their computer website at [www.co.lynn.tx.us](http://www.co.lynn.tx.us)

*The site has information about county and district offices, county commissioners meetings, public notices and more!*

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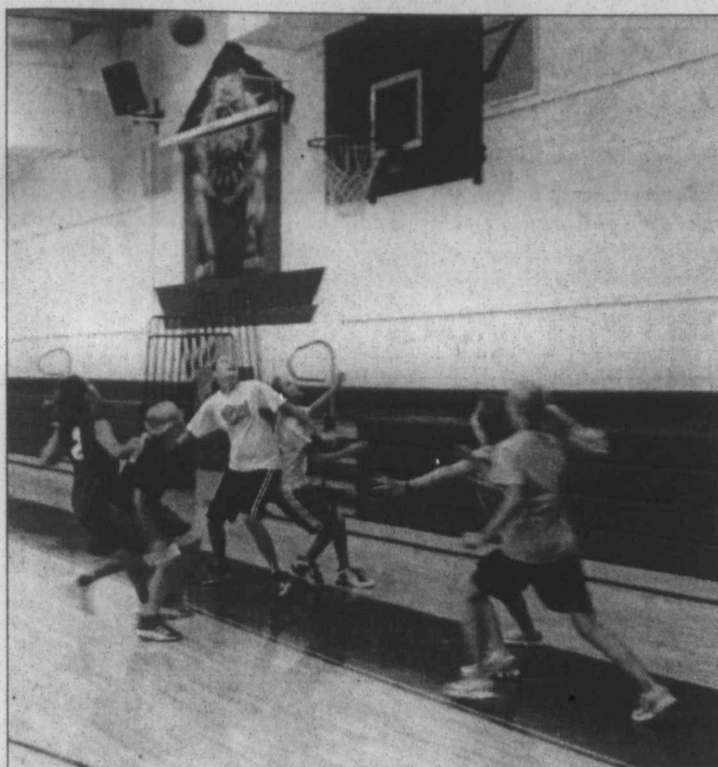
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**Girls just want to have fun ...** Fun and basketball went hand in hand at the Lady Bulldog Basketball Camp, held this week at the THS gym, for girls in grades 3-9. Here, several girls are caught in action under the basket. (LCN PHOTO)

**Lynn County Earns Safety Award**

Lynn County has been awarded a 2007 Safety Award by the Texas Association of Counties (TAC), which administers a Workers' Compensation self-insurance pool for counties and other local governments.

The award was earned for the County's record of involvement and commitment to safety in the workplace, as well as for controlling their Workers' Compensation claims.

The honor means that Lynn County, which participates in the counties' pool through TAC, is obtaining substantial savings for their taxpayers as a result of their TAC Workers' Comp coverage. Premiums are minimized for public entities that have lowered their claims rates and participate in other coverages through the self-insurance pools administered by TAC.

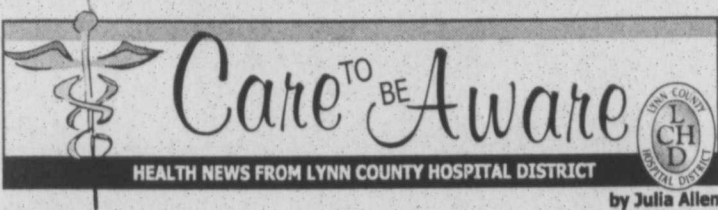
To qualify for this honor, the entity must have a program rated in the top 15 percent of approximately 300 governmental entities that collectively self-insure their Workers' Compensation in this pool. Only 38 entities were honored this year with this award.

These programs are evaluated by the Texas Association of Counties Safety Specialists who work with each pool member to develop loss control and safety programs.

In the evaluation of the program, the following criteria are considered: Safety program elements in place; activity and success of program in the 2007 calendar year; support for the program by upper management, governing board or commission that directs the operations of the entity; recent loss history and improvement in the safety program. The TAC Safety Awards are presented annually.



**Toys for Children's Home...** Thanks to all of the donations of toys during the Leadership Camp at New Home Schools, smaCd members were able to deliver a trailer full of new toys to the Children's Home in Lubbock. Members making the delivery were; Back row from left- Josh Correa, Garrett Kennedy, Jenny Maeker, Sterling Ford, Kari Maeker, Kari Gonzales and Kassidi Gonzales. Front row from left; Kris Silva, Mikaela Wallace and Amanda Whitten. Absent was Rebekah Wallace.



**HOW DO I KNOW I WON'T BE NEXT?**

With the sudden death of TV journalist Tim Russert many baby boomers are questioning, "Can this happen to me?" People look at Mr. Russert, who had access to anything and anyone, and also was being treated for his coronary artery disease. And he dies. The fear factor comes into play. Can it happen to me? Will it?

Particularly jarring to many people is that Russert looked so vigorous. "Tim has spurred a great deal of interest because he looked young, vibrant and healthy," says Dr. Douglas Zipes, professor at Indiana University and a former president of the American College of Cardiology. "The age of 58 is young today, but it's not young for this kind of event.

Sad as it is, it's not that uncommon," stated Dr. Gary Rogg, an internist at Montefiore Medical Center in New York. "You look in the mirror and you think, I feel good, I feel fine, I'm not the one who's going to get the heart attack."

Inquiries have been coming in on a regular basis, says Dr. Rogg, with questions about cholesterol, blood pressure and the like. Most have been from men; women tend to call about their spouses. But women should be concerned about themselves, too — heart disease is the number one killer of women in this country. So Russert's death, tragic as it was, may serve to educate. If anything good can come out of this, it's that people will be more aware and take steps to decrease their risk.

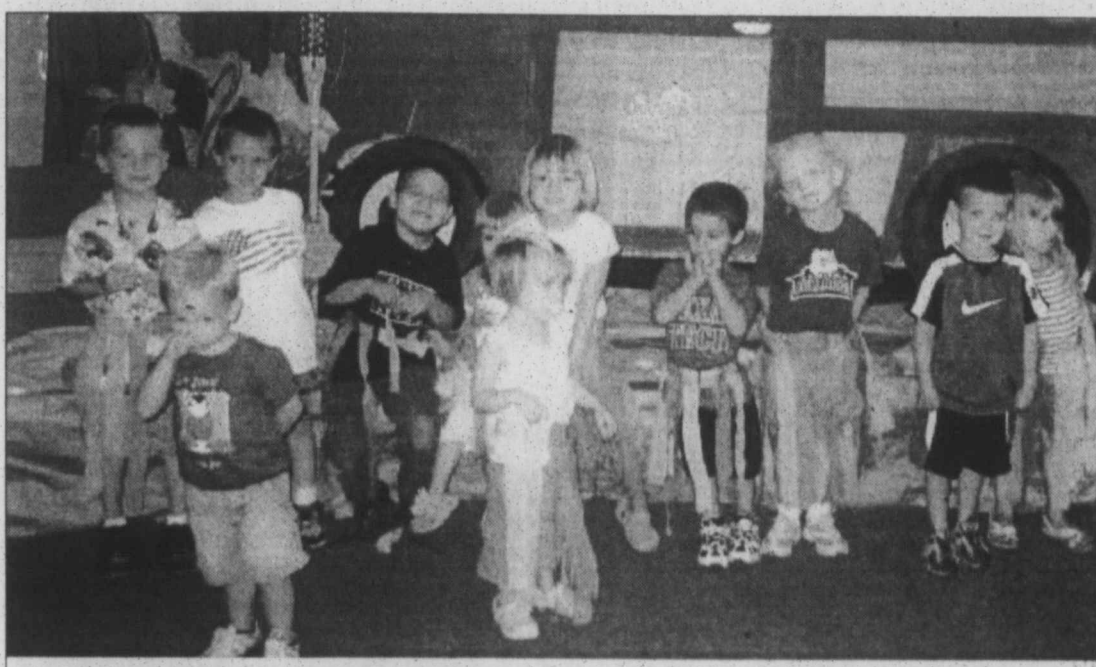
The American Heart Association recommends that heart attack prevention begin by age 20. This means assessing your risk factors and working to keep them low. For those over 40, or those with multiple risk factors, it's important to calcu-

late the risk of developing cardiovascular disease in the next 10 years. Many first-ever heart attacks or strokes are fatal or disabling, so prevention is critical. The sooner you begin comprehensive risk reduction, the longer and stronger your heart will beat.

According to the American Heart Association we should all begin to practice the ABC's of preventing heart attacks:

- Avoid tobacco,
- Be more active,
- Choose good nutrition.

For the rest of this week try and work on the basics of these steps and in next week's article we will get into more lengthy detail of these ABC's.



**VBS Preschoolers Showing A Little Hula...** The First Baptist Church in Tahoka held Vacation Bible School in early June and these preschoolers were caught doing a little hula. From left are Alex Tew, Jody Nevill, Jeremiah Wright, Haylee Harper, Sarah Harbison, Brady Brown, Kasey Hoyle, Braden Stone and Amy Tew, and in front from left, Shane Wiseman and Zoie Garvin.

**ATTEND CHURCH IN LYNN COUNTY**

<p><b>Draw First United Methodist Church</b> (established 1907) P.O. Box 496 • O'Donnell, TX 79351 Phone (806) 428-3357 or Fern Barnes (806) 327-5583  PASTOR: REV. LARRY GAUMOND Sunday Morning Worship – 9:15 a.m. Sunday School following</p>	<p><b>TAHOKA St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church</b> South 4th &amp; Ave. M • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4436  PASTOR: REV. EDUARDO TEO DEACON: FRANCISCO AGUILAR Mass – 9:30 a.m. Sunday, 7 p.m. Wed. &amp; Thur. Rosary – 7 p.m. Tues. CCE Class/Confirmation Instruct. - 7 p.m. Wed.</p>	<p><b>TAHOKA Church of Christ</b> 2320 Lockwood • Box 1177 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4060 • email: tcoc@poka.com  MINISTER: RON FANT  Sunday School – 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship – 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Bible Classes – Wednesday 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>First United Methodist Church</b> 1801 Ave. J • Box 500 Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4503 email: functahoka@poka.com  PASTOR: VERNON BAKER  Sundays: Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship – 10:45 a.m. Youth – 6 p.m. Sundays, 7 p.m. Wednesdays Branded Ministries – 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays</p>
<p><b>Wilson St. Paul Lutheran Church</b> 16th &amp; Houston St. • Box 136 • Wilson, TX 79381 (806) 628-6471 • www.stpaulwilson.com  PASTOR: DAVID W. ROHDE Sunday School – 9:15 a.m. Divine Service – 10:15 a.m.  "Where Christ Serves People"</p>	<p><b>O'Donnell First Baptist Church</b> 701 Standefor • O'Donnell, TX 79351 (806) 428-3236  PASTOR: SCOTT HENSLEY Sunday School – 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting – 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>First Baptist Church</b> 1701 Ave. K • Box 1547 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4557 • www.fctahoka.org  PASTOR: REV. RICHARD HARBISON Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service – 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship Service – 6 p.m.  Activities For All Ages – Call For Complete Schedule There's A Place For Me at FBC!</p>	<p><b>Sweet Street Baptist Church</b> 1300 Avenue J • Box 751 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-5310  PASTOR: LYNN LONG Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. (A Bible Study Class for all ages) Morning Worship – 10:55 a.m. (Uplifting Music – Message from God's Word) Evening Worship – 6 p.m. (Praise &amp; Worship – Gospel Message) Wednesday Night – 7 p.m. (Prayer &amp; Bible Study, Children &amp; Youth Ministries) EVERYONE IS WELCOME!</p>
<p><b>Grassland Nazarene Church</b> 2885 CR 25 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 327-5656, 327-5655  Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship – 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship – 6 p.m. Youth and Adults: Wednesdays – 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>"Spiritual Vertigo"</b> Read I Timothy 1:3-11 "Everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope." -- Romans 15:4 (NIV)  Years ago while learning to fly airplanes, I received instructions in dealing with the threat of vertigo. This condition can come upon a pilot suddenly, for no apparent cause, and bring dizziness and disorientation... After all these years, I remember what I was taught: "Get on gauges." ... quit looking outside the cockpit, quit trusting eyesight and sense of balance that vertigo has rendered untrustworthy. Instead, pilots focus on instruments inside the cockpit that indicate air speed, altitude, and wing and nose positions ... concentrating on gauges, a pilot can maintain safe flight until the vertigo subsides.  Christians experience spiritual vertigo from time to time. Life's setbacks can deprive us of hope, challenge our faith, and make us susceptible to false teachings and worldly temptations. Sometimes, we lose our spiritual bearing for no apparent reason.  At those times, we need to "get on the gauges" of faith, to dedicate ourselves to prayer and reading scripture and focus on God's direction. The world has many ways to disorient us, but fixing our minds and hearts on God is the sure way to navigate safely. -- Bob Tippee ... from The Upper Room</p>	<p><b>Ambassadors for Christ</b> 701 N. 1st • Tahoka, TX 79373 Phone 806-797-5132  PASTOR: LONNY LANGEHENNIG  SUNDAY SERVICES: Morning Worship – 10:45 a.m. Evening Praise &amp; Worship – 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study – 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Wilson St. John Lutheran Church</b> 13th &amp; Dickson • Wilson, TX 79381 (806) 628-6573  Sharing Christ's message of forgiveness and salvation with our community and beyond. LEADERS: REV. YVONNE KIEBLER TONDA FREITAG, PLM Sunday School – 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship – 11:15 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Wilson First Baptist Church</b> 1403 13th St. • Box 67 • Wilson, TX 79381 (806) 628-6333  PASTOR: BILLY PARMER Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship – 11:00 a.m. Discipleship Training – 5 p.m. Sunday Sunday Evening Worship – 6 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays: Fellowship Meal &amp; Classes for all ages • Bible Study &amp; Prayer Mtg • Youth</p>	<p><b>Tahoka Trinity Church</b> 1925 Lockwood • Box 1168 • Tahoka, TX 79373 Phone (806) 561-5317  PASTOR: PERRY SHUFFIELD Sunday School – 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship – 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship – 6 p.m. Youth – Sundays at 7 p.m. For a ride to Sunday School or Church, call 561-5317</p>	<p><b>New Home United Methodist Church</b> 350 N. Main New Home, TX 79383 (806) 924-7549  PASTOR: RICK WOLFE Sunday School – 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship – 10:45 a.m. Youth Activities</p>	<p><b>New Home Church of Christ</b> St. address • Box 188 • New Home, TX 79383 (806) 924-7579  MINISTER: VICTOR ELLISON Bible Class – 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service – 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Service – 6 p.m. Mid-Week Bible Study – 7:30 p.m.</p>
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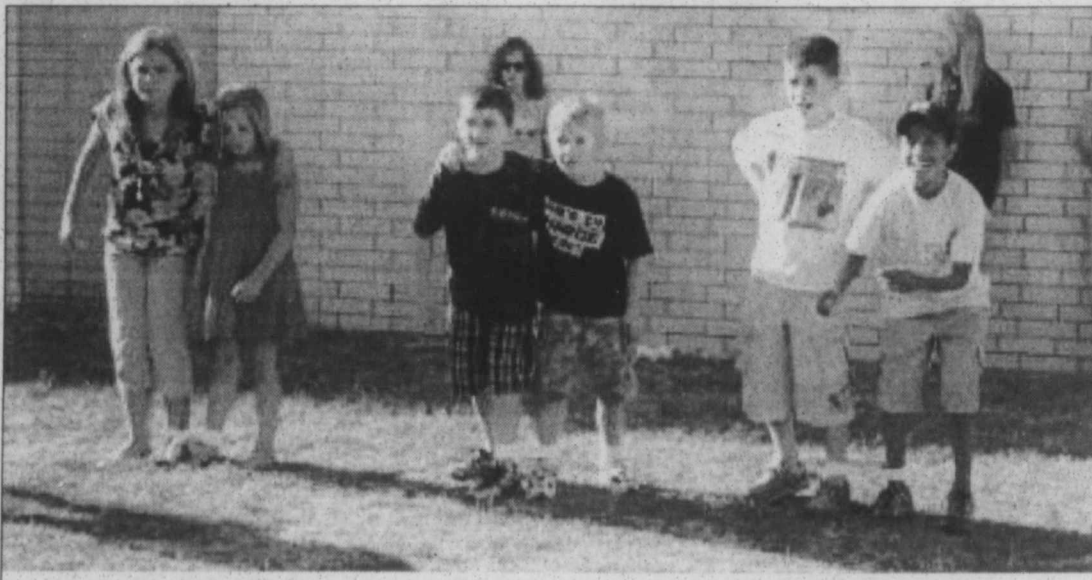
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**Cycling Across America...** 25 bike riders in the Ride: Well Tour are shown in front of The Lynn County News in Tahoka, after stopping at PJ's restaurant in Tahoka for a lunch break on Tuesday afternoon on their way to Post, coming from San Diego, CA. The tour is a bicycling expedition across the United States to raise funds and awareness for Blood: Water Mission and the 1000 Wells Project. Blood:Water Mission is a non-profit organization, founded by the band Jars of Clay, to address the HIV/AIDS crisis in Africa. The actual 3,150-mile route started in California on June 9, with the riders' back wheels in the Pacific Ocean, and ends in Delaware on July 25, with their front wheels in the Atlantic. For more information, go to [www.ridewelltour.com](http://www.ridewelltour.com). (LCN PHOTO by Pam Elrod)



**Three Legged Races...** Children having fun running the three legged race at the First Baptist Church VBS are, from left, Kelsi Hilger, Shalee Williams, Grant Garvin, Quincy Harbison, Curry Lehman and Johnny Rosas.

**SPC To Offer CNA Course**

South Plains College in Levelland will offer a Certified Nurse Aide Training course, Nurse Aide for Health Care Organizations I, starting July 14 through Aug. 14 on the Levelland campus.

The course provides detailed education, training and work-based experience as well as patient/client care, generally at a clinical site. Students will learn the necessary skills to work in long-term care, home health or hospital environments.

Classroom instruction will be offered on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. in Room

112 of the Technical Arts Building. Clinical instruction also will be held on Saturdays (July 26, Aug. 2 and Aug. 9) from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Levelland Nursing Home.

After completing 60 hours of classroom and 24 hours of clinical works, students are required to take the State of Texas Certified Nurse Aide Competency Examination.

The fees are \$350 course fee, \$45 for the textbook and \$83 for the state test. The required textbook is "Skills and Techniques for the New Nursing Assistant," seventh edition, by Barbara Gillogly. The instructor is Barbara Brattain, L.V.N.

Students must provide proof of immunization for MMR

since 1981; tetanus not older than eight years; Hepatitis B series; a current negative TB test not older than six months; social security card; and photo id. A criminal background check will be performed for all students. Enrollment is limited to 10 students.

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**The NEW HOME News**

Dear Family, Friends, Students, Parents of Students, and Community Members,

I am writing to you so that you know that I will not be returning to New Home Schools in the fall of 2008. I have enjoyed the time that I have worked with each of you for the past eighteen years whether it was in the classroom, cheerleading camp, 7:00 AM Round Table meetings, in the school van, a 6:00 AM breakfast for a smaCd presentation, or in my office.

I will miss the students the most. They have been, are, and will be wonderful people to work with. I have faith that the challenge of a new job and the changes that will go with it have been provided to me by GOD. I realize that my choice to leave not only affects myself, but it also affects my family and the students. I have tried to teach the students on the importance of making good choices. I have always tried to make the right choice following much prayer, thought, and even times of anguish. I feel confident in my decision and know that GOD has a plan for me; my mission field is changing locations!

I would like to remain in touch with you and would cherish any correspondence from you. I hope that I have encouraged you at some point in time to be strong in your morals, goals, and beliefs. At this time, I ask for you to encourage me as I relocate for a new mission in my life.

Loving you and yours,  
Mrs. Karon Durham  
New Home Schools 1990-2008

**ASE Test Scheduled At SPC Reese Center**

The South Plains College Reese Center will offer the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certification examination July 17 through Aug. 22 at the Reese Technology Center, 105 Davis Drive, Building 4, Room 452.

To register for the computer-based ASE exam, call 1-800-525-6929 between July 10 and Aug. 15.

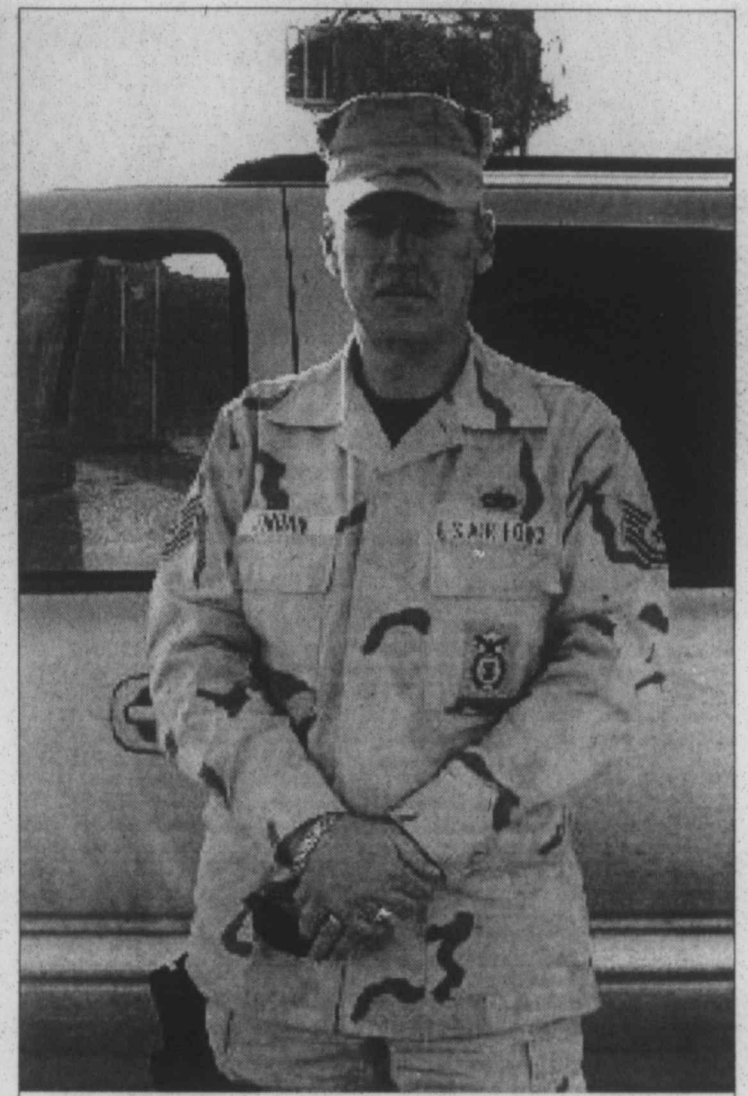
More than 20 ASE exams will be available in the areas of automotive series test (A1 through A8); collision repair and refinish series tests (B2 through B6); service consultant test (C1); advanced engine performance test (L1); electronic diesel engine diagnosis test (L2); automobile parts specialist test (p2); and medium/heavy truck series tests (T1 through T7).

For more details, call (806) 885-3048, ext. 4922 or visit [www2.southplainscollege.edu/programs-of-study/workforce-development](http://www2.southplainscollege.edu/programs-of-study/workforce-development).

**HONORING OUR HEROES**

Military personnel with family ties to Lynn County are being honored on a pictorial display at Thriftway Grocery in Tahoka. Each soldier will also be featured in this column, with information provided by their families.

**THIS WEEK'S HERO:**



**TSgt. Bobby Jordan, U.S. Air Force Active Reserves, is married to Connie Childress Jordan and they have lived in Tahoka for the past 21 years. He joined the USAF in 1979, served four years, went into civilian life, and then joined the USAF Reserves, where he was called to active duty. He is now stationed at Cannon AFB in Clovis, NM, serving with the Cannon AFB 27th Special Operations Security Forces Squadron.**

**TSgt. BOBBY JORDAN U.S. AIR FORCE**

TSgt. Bobby Jordan joined the United States Air Force in March 1979 to follow in his fathers footsteps and to pursue his lifelong dream.

TSgt. Jordan went through training at Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tx and upon graduation was stationed at Hollomon AFB, Almagordo, NM from 1979-1983. During this time he had TDY's to Germany, Egypt and Saudi Arabia.

He decided in 1983 he wanted to pursue a civilian police career and got out of the military for a short time to do civilian police work. In 1990 after realizing his heart was with the military he joined the Air Force Active Reserves. He was stationed at Reese AFB in Lubbock, and was called to active duty for four months during Desert Storm. When Reese AFB closed in 1997, he was stationed at Cannon AFB in Clovis, NM where he is currently serving with the Cannon AFB 27th Special Operations Security Forces Squadron.

He was recalled to active duty status on September 18, 2001. He deployed to Prince Sultan Air Base, Saudi Arabia November 2002-April 2003

where he was NCOIC of Quick Reaction Force. He then deployed to Camp Arifjan, Kuwait from September 2004-February 2005 where he was assigned to Personal Security Detail for General Mock, who was Commander of the 377th Theater Support Command. During this deployment he traveled throughout the Middle East with General Mock, providing personal security.

TSgt. Jordan has received many medals of honor during his career. The most recent medals are: Army Commendation Medal-2005, Air Force Achievement Award -2004, Outstanding Air Force Unit with Valor -2003, Air Force Expeditionary Medal -2003, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal -2003, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal 2003, National Defense Medal -1991 and 2003, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal -2001, Armed Forces Reserve Meritorious Service Medal, Air Force Good Conduct Medal, Air Force Reserve Medal and Marksmanship Ribbon.

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# The Eleventh Hour Cat

By Wayne Huffaker

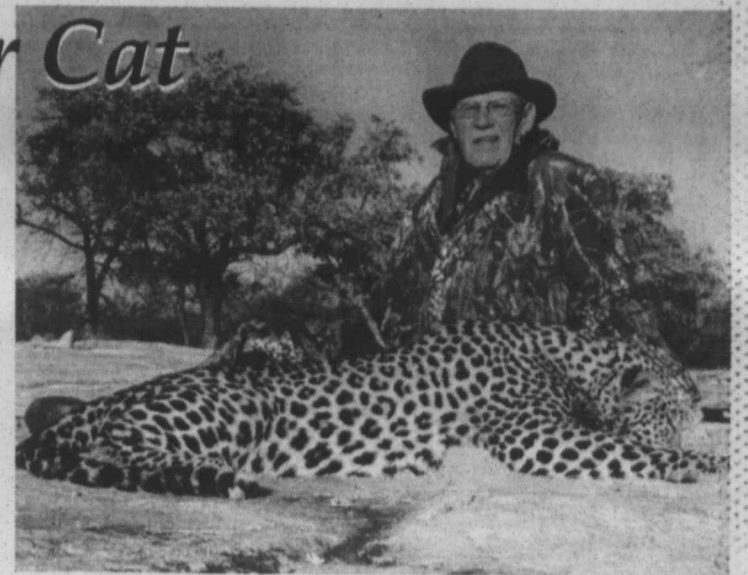
*(Editor's Note: This article was written by Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka, published in the July/August 2008 issue of The Journal of the Texas Trophy Hunters magazine. It is reprinted here with his permission.)*

My hunt of a lifetime took place in Zimbabwe, Africa in May 2007 for the magnificent leopard. Hunting is my life, and although hunting in Africa is special for anyone, it is extremely special to me. You see, I am lucky to be able to hunt at all. Actually, I am lucky to even be alive. I received a heart transplant in 1994. Who would have ever thought that I would be able to ever hunt again, much less in Africa!

My story begins at the SCI (Safari Club International) convention in Reno. The show itself was overwhelming. There were outfitters and guides from all

flight to Bullywayo, Zimbabwe. Upon arrival in Bullywayo, I was met by Norman Cook, senior partner of Pro Safaris Africa. He took me to his home where we loaded supplies and the amp staff for the five hour drive to the camp. We were camped in a comfortable house on the banks of a major dry river.

The first order of business, after settling into camp, was to hunt for leopard bait. We took several doe impalas as well as a nice young zebra stallion. Each morning, we got up at 4:30 to check the bait. The idea was to find bait that had been fed on and then release the dogs to track the scent of the leopard. We had fifteen baits scattered across a 90,000 acre property. About sunup, we would stop; build a fire to make campfire coffee and biscuits. The biscuits would be what we would call cookies in



rancher had a leopard hitting bait. We closed up that camp and moved to Bulaywayo and stayed in Norman's home. It was about one and a half hours drive from his home to the hunting ranch, one of the few still left in private hands. When we arrived at the ranch on the ninth day of my hunt, we put the dogs on the trail. As they began to bay, I got so excited that I rushed to get my rifle from the back of the pickup. The tailgates are not like they are in Texas because as soon as I unlatched it, the tailgate fell down onto my leg, taking a large hunk of flesh with it. I was so excited that I ignored the pain as we took off after the dogs. The dogs quickly lost the trail because of the dry, windy weather.

After calming down from the excitement, I discovered my boot had filled with blood. Norman did a good job patching me up. (When I returned to Texas, I spent two months going to a wound clinic having two skin transplants.) I was really disappointed because I only had one more day left to hunt. The next morning, on the last day of the hunt, we returned to the bait. The leopard had not returned. We spent the rest of the day looking for fresh tracks. The trackers tried to sort out which way a set of tracks were going. They found a fresh, natural kill, but again, the dogs couldn't follow. I had given up. The dog handler, Peter Dryer said if I could stay another day, he would bring the dogs to the fresh kill about midnight to see if the cat had returned. Luckily, I had built in an extra day of my trip before flying back to Texas. Sure enough, he called us about three in the morning to say that he had a cat treed. Norman and I arrived about an hour before daylight. The property owner and Peter had a fire with campfire coffee about a mile from the dogs and the cat. I could hear the dogs and couldn't wait for sunup. As soon as it was light enough, we crept to about 150 yards of the treed cat. I thought that we would get closer to the tree, but the PH said that if the cat

spots the hunters, he will often bail out of the tree, and then the fight begins with the dogs. I took a rest on a tree, but was afraid to fire as I could see a tree branch in the scope. Norman took my 300-win Mag and looked from where I would shoot, saying I "could place a shot without hitting the branch." One shot later, I had my "eleventh hour cat" on the eleventh day of a ten day hunt.

I don't think I have ever had a greater thrill than taking a large leopard in such a manner. I knew that taking a leopard was a big deal for me, but it was also a big deal for the PH and dog handler. Upon returning to Bulaywayo, Frick and his family held a big party for me with over twenty people at the celebration. I was really pleased with my PH, Norman Crooks and the dog handler, Peter Dryer. They worked very hard in getting me my beautiful leopard.

Who would have ever thought that a seventy year old man with a heart transplant could ever experience such a thrilling hunt? I would encourage anyone with health issues to consider a hunt in Africa. You too can participate in the ultimate hunting experience.



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over the world. I had no intention of ever being able to experience those hunts, but, I could dream couldn't I? After the show one afternoon, I joined my wife, Rachel, at one of the gaming tables. Several fellows from California also sat the table. They asked if I had purchased a hunt. Because of my transplant, I replied that I couldn't walk very far. You see, I had been watching too many hunting television shows where they track game for miles before taking a shot. One of the fellows said that they had just finished a hunt with a professional hunter that could take care of me. They recommended Pano Calavaris, who has taken several handicapped people on safaris in Tanzania. The next day, I returned to the show, looked him up, and on impulse, booked a hunt for the following year.

To make a long story short, I had a great time. I took several fine animals including a cape buffalo. After that experience, I realized I could hunt in Africa. I booked again for the next year with Gary Kelly of Bonwa Phala Safaris in South Africa. During that great hunt, Gary told me about hunting the leopard using dogs and recommended several outfitters. Most of his recommendations were too pricey for this West Texas cotton farmer. However, Wayne Clark, a professional hunter I met in Tanzania, introduced me to Frick Mueller of Pro Safaris Africa. I booked a ten-day leopard hunt for the following May. So, now begins my tall tale.

The hardest part of hunting in Africa is not the hunting at all. It is the thirty-plus hours of airplanes and airports. I managed to survive, arriving in Johannesburg late in the day on South African Airlines. I spent the night there before catching a

flight to Bullywayo, Zimbabwe. Upon arrival in Bullywayo, I was met by Norman Cook, senior partner of Pro Safaris Africa. He took me to his home where we loaded supplies and the amp staff for the five hour drive to the camp. We were camped in a comfortable house on the banks of a major dry river.

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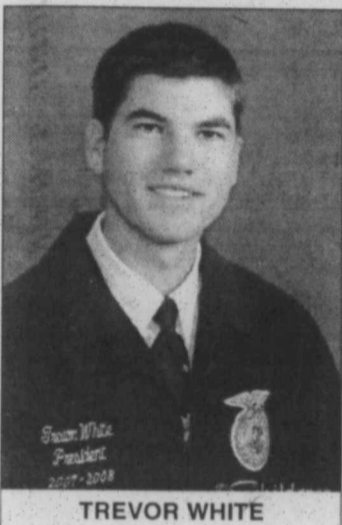
The highlight of this portion of the hunt happened when we used an electric game caller to try to bring in a male leopard. The call mimicked sounds of leopards mating, making a male leopard think he had a rival in his territory and bring him in looking for a fight. There was no luck with the leopard call, so Norman attempted a hyena call. This was to make a leopard think a hyena had a fresh kill. We were sitting not fifteen feet from a watering hole, and we instead called up a pack of hyenas. They came to within ten to twelve feet from us as we hid in a bush. Norman touched me on the leg and said quietly, "Don't move." The hyenas were making their whooping sounds and were so close; I could almost reach out and touch them. As the hair stood up on the back of my neck; I whispered, "I ain't moving dammit, I ain't moving!"

After the eighth day, Norman received a call about another property where the



## Hood Attends U.T. Football Camp ...

KeShawn Hood, a Tahoka Middle School seventh grader, attended the Texas Longhorn Football Camp in Austin June 11-14. Over 750 boys attended the four day camp. He participated in the Fastest Man race and came in 3rd overall. He also received an autographed picture of Coach Mack Brown, shown here with him. KeShawn is the son of LaShaunda Hood and Anthony Justice and the grandson of Linda Hood and Robert Hood, all of Tahoka.



## Trevor White Awarded Scholarship

The Texas FFA has awarded Trevor White the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo Scholarship in the amount of \$16,000. The Texas FFA awards \$16,000 and \$10,000 scholarships to FFA seniors across the state through an application and interview process. On June 12 at Tarleton State University Trevor interviewed with a panel of agricultural science teachers from across the state to receive this award.

Trevor will be attending Texas Tech University in the fall majoring in Agricultural Economics and competing on the Wool Judging Team. He is the son of Michael and Carol White and grandson of Leland and Barbara White all of New Home.

## Neugebauer Has New Website For Constituents

WASHINGTON, DC—Congressman Randy Neugebauer (TX-19) has launched a new website. The address will still be [www.randy.house.gov](http://www.randy.house.gov), but the new site includes significant upgrades. Following the launch, Neugebauer released the following statement:

"I am very pleased with this new website, which has been specifically designed to make information for constituents easier to access and provides them with an enhanced ability to see the work I am doing as their representative in Washington. This includes video clips from speeches on the House floor, television interviews, audio clips and interactive surveys.

"Additionally, information about my staff and my positions on several legislative issues are included. Users will also have the ability to contact me directly and sign up for my weekly newsletter.

"This is a dramatic improvement from my old website, and I know it will serve the constituents of the 19th District well. In addition, it will give me the opportunity to receive feedback to better represent you in Washington.

"I hope you find this new website a useful resource. If you believe there is more I can add to make it a more efficient tool to facilitate communication, I would love to hear from you.



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## Real Estate

### FOR SALE

1997 Crestridge 28X56 Manufactured Home  
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3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, kitchen appliances, fireplace and many other nice features. Huge yard, close to school.  
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HOME FOR SALE: 1820 S. 2ND PRICE REDUCED!... 1200 sq ft, 2 BR, 1 bth, utility rm, 2 carport, 2 storage bldg on 2 lots. 806-561-5161 or 806-759-1369.

### HOUSE FOR SALE

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REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE ... 2320 N. 3rd - Tahoka: SELLER IS READY TO SELL! 2 BR/3 B brick home near school. Features include large closets, large covered patio, storm shelter w/easy access to dbl garage. Low maintenance yard is fenced and has large storage building.

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**Notice of Competitive Sealed Proposals**  
Tahoka ISD is requesting Competitive Sealed Proposals for the following item:  
Heating/ Air Conditioning in the Elementary Gym  
Contact Gail Quisenberry, Director of Maintenance at 806-561-4538. Proposals will be taken until Monday, June 30, 2008, at 4:00 p.m. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Tahoka Elementary Gym HVAC." Facsimile bids will not be accepted. Late bids will be returned unopened.  
Bids should be addressed or may be hand delivered to:  
Jimmy Parker, Superintendent  
P.O. Box 1230, 2129 N. Main, Tahoka, Texas 79373  
Tahoka ISD reserves the right to reject any/all bids.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

STATE OF TEXAS §  
COUNTY OF LYNN §  
Pursuant to Texas Local Government Code §263.001, certain real property currently owned by Lynn County, Texas, shall be offered for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder. Said auction shall be held on July 22nd, 2008, at the North door of the County Courthouse between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. The real property to be auctioned is described as follows:  
All of Lot Nos. Four (4) through Fourteen (14), Block Ninety-two (92), Original Town of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas.  
LOCATION: LYNN COUNTY COURTHOUSE, TAHOKA, TX 79373  
DATE: JULY 22, 2008  
TIME: APPROX. 10:00 AM  
BY: DON BLAIR, Pct. 3 County Comm.  
TERMS: CASH  
/s/ Don Blair  
Commissioner, Pct. 3, Lynn County, Texas

## Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for the food, flowers, plants and paper goods received during the time of our loss.

We would like to give a special thanks to the staff of Lynn County Hospital and Dr. Freitag for the hospitality provided and to the St. Jude Catholic Church for the meal provided to the family after the funeral services. Thank you all so much for your thoughts and prayers. It was greatly appreciated.

The Family of Frances Flores  
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Justin and I would like to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, visits, food, prayers and generous contributions during our stay at the hospital, and my stay at my parent's house.  
I am happy to come from a small community where everyone comes together during a time of need.  
I am still recuperating from the car accident and realize it is going to be a long road to recovery.  
May God Bless you all!  
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