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Dedication ceremony Oct. 17 to unveil new historical markers

Three new historical markers at the Lynn County Courthouse will be dedicated and unveiled on Saturday, October 17, at 11:00 a.m. The public is invited and encouraged to attend this event.

Designation for two of the markers was obtained in 1982 and 1992. The third one, the Recorded Texas Historic Landmark, was obtained last year. Purchase of the three markers was completed this year by the Lynn County Historical Commission with Harold Hohn of O'Donnell as chairman. County Judge H.G. Franklin will preside.

FRIDAY NIGHT GAMES:

Tahoka at Seagraves New Home at Ropesville Loraine at O'Donnell Wilson (open date)

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All in the family ... The 2009 New Home High School Homecoming Queen and King are Jacobi Ford (left) and her brother, Sterling Ford. They are the children of Danny and Paula Ford. Sterling is a senior, and Jacobi is a junior at New Home ISD. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

Adult Health Fair set today at The Center

Lynn County Hospital District is hosting an adult Health Fair today (Thursday), from 8:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. at The Center for Housing and Community, Development, at 1400 Ave. K in Tahoka. The health fair is open to all citizens in the county, and offers free health screenings for a wide range of issues.

Unfortunately, flu shots will not be available at the health fair, but a Flu Shot Clinic will be announced at a later date.

Free testing will be available for bone density, hemoglobin, blood pressure, and oxygen saturation levels, glucose and cholesterol, and body mass index.

Free information will be offered for diet and nutrition, long term care, oxygen and medical equipment, and tips on exercising for your health,

No appointments are necessary, and the health fair is open to all adults in the county



Wrestling match ... Cody Cross of New Home carries the ball for a gain against Whiteface as New Home won its homecoming game 34-24 Friday, as two Whiteface defenders try to get him down.

Vandalism, burglary reports investigated

Two incidents of vandalism and a burglary of a Tahoka apartment were reported to Tahoka Police during the last week, while a convicted arsonist pleaded guilty of setting a fire in Tahoka and drew a prison sentence.

Jerry Wayne Adams, 68, pleaded guilty Friday in 106th District Court in Tahoka on an arson charge stemming from a brush fire at the south edge of Tahoka on Feb. 20. He agreed to 10 years in prison plus a \$1,000 fine just before he was scheduled to go on trial.

Adams previously had been convicted of setting fires in Lubbock and Hale County, mostly in 1997. He had confessed to setting more than 200 fires in Lubbock County that year, and previously had been assessed a 10-year probated sentence and ordered to pay more than \$430,000 in restitution.

He has been held in jail in Lynn County since February in lieu of a \$500,000 bond.

Police were advised this week that on Sept. 30 someone entered the apartment of Audrey Holden and took her Acer laptop computer, a cell phone and 20 music CDs. Value of all the stolen articles was estimated at \$1,000.

Words suggestive of youth gangs were spray-painted on a cinder block fence at the home of Joe Hays in Tahoka over the weekend. Also, Terry Ceniseros of Tahoka told police that someone had broken the left rear tail light cover on her Ford Contour while it was parked in her driveway.

Twelve persons were jailed during the week, leaving the total jail population at 42, with three of those held for Lubbock and one for Garza County. Charges bringing the most recent arrests included failure to appear on motion for enforcement, operating a vehicle without financial responsibility plus driving while license invalid, warrant on fraudulent possession of a prescription for a controlled substance, failure to report an accident plus unsafe speed, misdemeanor warrants, driving while intoxicated plus possession of marijuana, warrants on violation of promise to appear plus minor in possession of alcohol, DWI, evading arrest, possession of marrjuana, warrant on theft by check.

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by dalton

IN PASADENA, TX last week, a man called police and told them his former common-law wife, who had moved out after a dispute, had stolen seven pet goldfish from his home. Police went to the woman's home and found that the woman, upset with the man, had fried their pet goldfish and ate some of them.

The goldfish had been purchased together by the couple in

happier times. When officers arrived at her home, they found four fried goldfish on a plate. The woman said she had already eaten the other three. No charges were filed.

Unless she ate something else, I'd consider three fried goldfish a really light meal.

I guess it's a good thing they hadn't bought a dog or cat when they were together.

SPEAKING of meals, the Lynn County senior citizens menu one day last week called for "Cornflake chicken," and I wasn't sure just what that was, although it turned out to be pretty tasty. Before I went there, someone asked me what it was, and I said I had no idea except that maybe it was cooked in a cornflake batter. Or maybe the chickens were slain by a cereal killer.

DURING a recent password audit, it was found that a blonde was using the following password:

MickeyMinniePlutoHueyLouieDeweyDonaldGoofy

When asked why she chose such a long password, she explained that the rules required her to choose something with at least seven or more characters.

ONE OF THE recent "Maxine" cartoons has her making this seasonal comment: "In the fall, I start running. Not all of me; just my

Firemen's fish fry

The city park in Tahoka was the place to be Friday night, with a terrific crowd coming out to support the annual Tahoka VFD Firemen's Fish Fry. Fire **Chief Steve Sanders** said they served nearly 600 plates, and that this year's event was one of the best turnouts they had ever seen. "We couldn't serve that many people In an hour, and we really appreciate those who had to wait for the food to be prepared," Sanders told The News. "Next year, we may try to start a little earlier," he added. (LCN PHOTO by Vondell Elliott)







PORFIRIO AND LOLA GARCIA

Couple to celebrate 50th Anniversary

Porfirio and Lola Garcia will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, October 10, 2009 in ceremonies at St. Jude Catholic Church at 5:00 p.m. A reception and dance at the St. Jude Catholic Hall will follow, hosted by the couple's family.

LETTERS to the **EDITOR**

Senior Citizens Raffle and Bake Sale a success!

The generosity and community shown throughout the day at our bake sale and quilt raffle held at this year's Harvest Festival was incredible

I want to thank all of you who answered Barbara Morton's call for baked goods. I am tempted to list each and every one of you, but I am afraid I will leave someone's name out. Suffice to say, that I think you are among the most wonderful people I have the privilege of knowing in my life.

I also want to thank those of you who purchased all of the yummy delectables we offered for sale. And I also want to thank those of you who made cash donations. Your unbelievable generosity humbles me

Together with the bake sale, we sold chances to win not one, but two of our beautiful quilts -quilted at our Center by the gifted hands of Lois Roberts, Mary Belle Owen and Dortha Flynn.

Thank you to everyone who purchased raffle tickets. This yéar's winners of our coveted quilts were Lilia Saldana of Lubbock, and Nancy Guilliams. Congratulations to both of them!

Lastly, but by no means least, ... defending the rape of a 13-year old

Our community bank

I want to give a special thank you to Jim and Barbara Morton, David Hale, Betty Harston, Pat Hogg and Trudy Schuknecht. The grand success of our bake sale and raffle was due in large measure to their hard work and effort on the Center's behalf. I want to extend a very special thank you to each of them.

> Sincerely, Bianca Baker Center Director

Pray for our country

I love my country. I love the state of Texas. I love my hometown and its people. Because I love everything this country and its people stand for, I find myself praying more than ever for her. We are living in dangerous and historic times. If you are a Christian, then you believe as I do that our L-rd and Saviour, Yeshua Hamashiach (Jesus Christ) is about to make His second appearance on this earth. Before our very eyes, we see the fruits of what we have sown. Remove G-d from every aspect of our lives through the godless society produces immoral, corrupt, coldhearted, lawless human beings who have no trouble shutting water off to farmers and families in order to save a fish; who have no trouble

female at the hands of a rich and powerful Hollywood director; who have no trouble beating a 16-year old honor student to death with a railroad tie while others watch; who have no trouble passing legislation that will forever change our way of life and our children's lives and finally, who have trouble calling what is true a lie and what is a lie the truth. We have seen the media, the Congress, the judicial system and the Executive Branch of our Government, trample and utterly ignore our U.S. Constitution. Our future... our children's future is being threatened and we, as a free people are in danger of losing our freedom, our liberty. This is a call to pray. Put on the armor of G-d and earnestly pray that our G-d forgive us and that we repent for allowing the godless to rule over us! My prayer is that we wake up from our slumber and get on our knees and earnestly seek the L-rd for our good, the good of our children, and the good of this country. May the L-rd bless you and protect you; may the L-rd make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you; and may the L-rd lift up His countenance toward you and give you His peace- the peace surpasses all understanding.

Thank You, Olga D. Gonzales (Editor's Note: Spelling of the

words Lord and God with L-rd and G-d were at the writer's request, due to her beliefs.)

Tahoka woman serves with Texas Silver-Haired Legislature in Amarillo session

The 12th Texas Silver-Haired Legislature (TSHL) General Session was held in Amarillo September 14-17. It was led by the Speaker, Walter Graham of Cisco. The meeting was opened with the Posting of the Colors and the National Anthem, followed by a welcome by Mayor Debra McCartt. Texas Representative Smithee of Amarillo lauded the TSHL members for 20 years of fine work and dedication.

Three new members to TSHL were introduced and welcomed: Larry Day of Amarillo (Panhandle area), Bettye Green of Tahoka, and Jerry Stamps of Lubbock, (both in the South Plains area). Also attending from the South Plains was Jane Blay of Brownfield. Don Avery of Morton also represents this area.

The Texas Silver-Haired Legislature is composed of volunteers, age 60 and above, elected by their peers, who go to Austin as advocates for Senior issues by holding a Legislative session prior to the Texas Legislature's session and developing resolutions to present to the State Legislature that address common needs of senior Texans across the state. Members are non-partisan and non-political, but are interested in improving the lives of the senior population of Texas on issues of health care, income, transportation, housing, education, employment, and other problems identi-

fied by peers. The formation of a Texas Legislative Committee on Aging was the TSHL number one resolution to the 81st Texas Legislative Session. As a result, during the 2009 Texas Legislative Session, House Bill 610 was passed authorizing the formation of the Texas Legislative Committee on Ageing. Governor Perry appointed two TSHL members to the committee. They are Homer Lear of San Antonio and Betty Streckfuss of

The Legislature also passed Silver Alert, which is a companion to the Amber Alert. It does not cost the state any money because it just duplicates the same signs and procedures used for alerting the population when a child is lost. The Silver Alert just alerts the population of a lost se-

An amendment to the TSHL Bylaws was passed which changes the terms of its members to coincide with those of the Texas State Legislature. The next election will be 2011.

Tahoka School MENU

October 12-16 Monday: Sausage roll

Tuesday: Breakfast burrito Wednesday: Cereal w/graham cracker Thursday: Sausage biscuit Friday: Breakfast pizza

LUNCH Monday: Sub sandwich w/ trimmings, oven baked fries, baby carrots w/ ranch, brownie

Tuesday: Pizza, corn, salad, sliced peaches Wednesday: Chicken fry, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, gelatin

Thursday: Nachos grande, lettuce, tomato, cornbread, orange smiles Friday: Steak on bun, baked chips, pickle spear, apple, chocolate cake

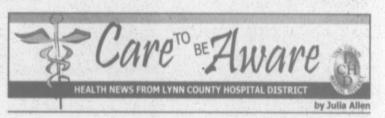


Couple announces engagement

Pam Ashcraft of Tahoka announces the engagement of her daughter, Meghan Saldana, to Tracy DeBerry of Olton. He is the son of Craig and Monica DeBerry of Olton. Meghan is the daughter of the late Joe "Peche" Saldana.

The future bride is a 2006 graduate of Tahoka High School and is currently a senior at Texas Tech. Deberry is a 2006 graduate of Olton High School and is also a senior at Texas

The couple plans to marry on March 13, 2010 at the First Baptist Church in Tahoka.



Breast Cancer Awareness October is National Breast

Cancer Awareness Month. Today we tackle some of the myths and facts associated with a lump in one finds during your monthly self breast exam.

Myth 1: A breast lump is almost always Cancer. False. The lump is more likely to be a cyst, or a non-cancerous growth suchas a fibroadenomaor, much less often, a blood clot that that causes lumpiness. It could also be a "pseudo lump," caused by hormonal changes that isn't a lump at all, according to Dr. Susan Love, professor of surgery and author of Dr. Susan Love's Breast Book.

Myth 2: Breast Cancer is Always accompanied by a lump you can feel. False. Most cancers are picked up on a screening mammogram BEFORE a lump is detected by the patient.

Myth 3: A Cancerous lump feels different from a non-cancerous (benign) lump. False. You cannot always tell by how it feels. The best advice here is... if anything feels different then usual in your breast, get it checked out.

Myth 4: A small lump is usually nothing to worry about. False. Cancer can be very small when it first presents, size is never a good way to decide whether a lump is something to worry about. When a woman feels a mass, it is usually less than an inch in diameter states Laura Kruper, M.D., breast cancer surgeon at City of Hope Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Myth 5: It's OK to watch lump and call the Doctor later. False. It's not OK. You should always be evaluated by a

health care practitioner and you should take care of this within 2 to 4 weeks. Call a doctor within a day or two of identifying the lump and get advice about what to do. Nick

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Myth 6: A lump can be cancer even in women with no family history. True. Only 5% of 10% of breast cancer is from heredity. The majority of women who get cancer have NO risk factors,

Myth 7: A lump can't be cancer in with a history o Cysts. False. Women who have a history of cysts still need to should never assume that a new lump is just a cyst. Your doctor needs to know about it.

The bottom line of these "mythbusters" is that you do need to get any lump checked out. Do not ignore it and hope it will go away. You may just save your life or you may find out that it is not cancer and that will relieve your fears.

Classes Biblicas

Basados en la escritura todos cordialmente invitados oracion para todos. Gracias.

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Nicholas "Papa Nick" Saldana

Rosary for Nicholas "Papa Nick" Saldana, 87, of Tahoka, were held at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 6 at White Memorial Chapel in Tahoka. Mass Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 7 at St. Jude Catholic Church with Father Eduardo Teo officiating. Interment was in Nevels Memorial Cemetery. He died on October 4, 2009.

He was born in Bryan, Texas on December 6, 1921 to Anacleto and Clara (Marquez) Saldana. He moved to Tahoka from Cameron in 1941. He was a farmer and worked for John Deere Tractor for 20 years. He married Rosa Hernandez on October 5, 1940 in Cameron. He was a member of Crusillista and St. Jude Catholic Church in Tahoka.

Survivors include his wife Rosa of 68 years; three daughters, Ramona Sosa and husband Luciano of Tahoka, Gloria Gilbert and husband Greg of Oklahoma, and Clara Calvillo and husband Joe of Tahoka; eight sons, Frank Saldana and wife Sally, Paul Saldana and wife Helen, all of Tahoka, Nick Saldana. Jr. and wife Frances of

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He is preceded in death by his parents; one son, Joe "Peche"; two brothers, Manuel and Antonio; one sister, Carmen Reyes; and one grandson, Edward Lee "Wadi" Saldana.

School

by Tahoka High School Journalism Students

School pictures set for Oct. 16 Tahoka high school and middle school students will have school pictures taken Friday, Oct. 16.

Information flyers will be sent home with price information before this date. Packages must be paid at

Senior pictures will also be Oct. 16. Seniors should have received a letter with information on prices and sitting information. The sitting fee for seniors is \$25 and payable to Blunck's.

For more information, contact Rachel Lehman at 561-4538 or by e-mail at rlehman@tahoka.esc17.

Seventh Graders Face LCJH By Alex Webster

The 7th grade football lost to Lubbock Christian Junior High 30-16 on Oct. 1. The leading players were Jordan Arriazola with over 74 yards. He scored two touchdowns and one 2-point conversion. Domenique Herrera scored one 2-point conversion.

8th Graders Crush Crosbyton By Brittany Garcia

The 8th grade football team beat Crosbyton 36-20 on Thursday, Oct. 1. Ke'Shawn Hood scored three rushing touchdowns and caught two passes for touchdowns. Kordell Baker scored two touchdowns. Alex Rodriguez and Ray Parmer each scored 2- point con-

Defensive standouts include Jordan Easter, Calean Decker, Ryan

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Leopard Homecoming court ... The New Home High School homecoming court was presented Friday night during homecoming festivities. Pictured here from left to right are attendants Josh Correa and Steelie Feaster, and court: Alex Cantu and Kris Silva, Abbey Melton and Cody Cross, Jacobi Ford and Sterling Ford, and Naomi Nevarez and Jacob Lase-

PLEASANT GROVE MENU

Pleasant Grove Kitchen will be open Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Call 561-1016 for specials and to place an order.

Cross Country Competes in Sundown By Kaitlyn Reno

The Cross Country team ran in Sundown Oct. 3. Nikki Box ran a 15:01, finishing first for the Tahoka girls. Other runners include Sarah Frietag who ran a 15:46; Hannah Thomas ran a 16:09. Harley Reynolds ran a 16:23 ran a time of

Three boys ran: Nick Aguirre, Ian Zamarron, and Kyler Jolly.

Middle School **Cross Country Competes** By Kaitlyn Reno

The middle school girls cross country team went to Sundown Oct. 3.

Mackenzie Dimak ran a 15:53. Micaela Torres ran a 16:10. Shelby Fant ran a 17:35. Kara Larpenter ran a 17:48. Kirstin Stice ran an 18:52. Madison Lockaby ran an 18:58. Raven Tillman ran a 19:00. Haylee Brewer ran a 19:32. Caley Bingham ran a 19:41, and Meghan Alvarado ran a 19:41.

JV Football **Defeats Ralls**

The Tahoka JV kept Ralls scoreless as they defeated the Jackrabbits, 26-0, Oct. 1. Tino DeLeon had 4 touchdowns, three rushing and one fumble recovery in the end zone. Kyle Hall caught a two-point conversion and had three receptions for 20 yards.

"The boys came out mentally focused and it showed in the way they played," Coach Dustin Faught said. "The offense moved the ball well and the defense played tough and came away with a shutout win. That was the offensive lines best game of the year so far."

"They fired off the ball hard and opened up some big holes for our running backs. It was a great team effort and the boys played with a lot of intensity."

JV will play Seagraves here Thursday.

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Wednesday: Beans & Cornbread, oven fried taters & onions, cucumber & tomato salad. bananas &

Thursday: Roast & brown gravy, potatoes, carrots, onions, salad, homemade rolls, German chocolate cake

Friday: Breakfast pizza, Coney dogs, oven baked French fries, pork & beans, ice cream sundaes

· Weekly domino night: Mondays at 6 p.m. Everyone is invited to join! Timeless Treasures cookbooks are available for \$12 each at the Center, Lynn County News and the City/County Library.



Quilt Winner ... Vera West, of Lubbock was the winner of the quilt raffle given by the Greater Antioch Baptist Church during the Lynn County Harvest Festival that was held September 26 in Tahoka.

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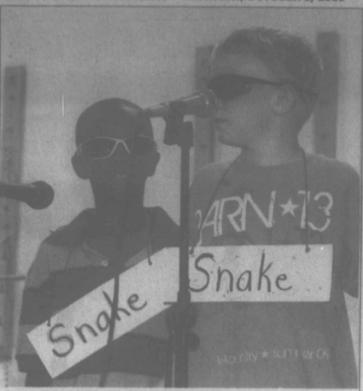
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Cool snakes... Noah Williams (left) and Cameron Tekell participated as snakes in their performance of "Life Cycles". Tahoka Elementary 2nd grade students performed this musical program, under the direction of Vivian McAfee, on Wednesday, September 30.

3D Band set for marching contests

The Tahoka 3D Band will be marching Saturday, October 10, at 3:15 p.m. at Lubbock Lowery Field at the Pre-Contest Festival, and asks all 3D band fans to come out and show their support.

The U.I.L. Region Marching Contest will be held Saturday, October 17, at Lowery Field at 12:15. "The support shown by Tahoka at the marching contest is wonderful and greatly appreciated," stated Carroll Rhodes, director of the 3D Band.



Volunteers, leaders sought for "Friends of the Library"

The "Friends of the City-County Library" in Tahoka was formed about a year ago, but the group is in need of leadership and focus. A meeting will be held on Monday, October 12 at 6:00 in the meeting room of the Life Enrichment Center to decide the future of the group. Anyone interested in serving with the "Friends" group is invited to the meeting.

"Friends of the City-County Library" is a volunteer-run, nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting and supporting the services, resources and needs of the library. They may choose how to support the library, including serving the community by assisting with library programs for children, teens, adults and seniors citizens, such as story time, summer reading programs, homebound book delivery, etc. Volunteers may also serve the library as clerical help, processing books, shelving, decorating for holidays and housekeeping issues. Additionally, the "Friends" may spearhead fundraising efforts and encourage gifts, endowments and memorials, and are advocates on behalf of the library in regards to policy, budget and materials/services provided at the library.

"I would love for the Friends to continue and grow. If the group was more organized, the potential is there for much more funding that the library greatly needs. In addition to funding, the library could benefit from the skills that Friends members could bring to the table, such as help with staffing, marketing, advising, etc.," said Claudia Guin, Library Di-

"As library director, ideally I should work with the group but have no leadership role," explained Guin. "The purpose of the group is to act as an outside source to benefit the library. What the group needs most is a couple of very strong, motivated, organized leaders to take charge of the organization," said Guin.



"Life Cycles" ... On Wednesday, September 30, the Tahoka Elementary 2nd grade class performed "Life Cycles", a musical program that included dialogue about various aspects of life cycles. The children have been rehearsing for six weeks during music class taught by Vivian McAfee.



Wilson SCHOOL MENU

October 12-16

Monday: Cinnamon roll Tuesday: Burritos Wednesday: French toast Thursday: Pig in a blanket

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Tuesday: Hamburger w/ trimmings, baked beans, baby carrots w/ ranch,

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Thursday: Sausage wraps, pinto beans, baked chips, pineapple orange

Friday: Meat & bean chalupas, Spanish rice, lettuce/tomatoes, applesauce

New Home SCHOOL MENU

October 12-16 Breakfast Monday: No School Tuesday: Banana mini-loaf Wednesday: Breakfast burrito Thursday: French toast sticks Friday: Churros or poptart Lunch

Monday: No School Tuesday: Nacho supreme, lettuce/ tomato, beans, Spanish rice, peach

Wednesday: BBQ sandwich, pork n' beans, chips, banana pudding Thursday: Popcorn chicken, carrot/cucumber, mac & cheese, green beans, mixed fruit

Friday: Hamburger/cheese burger, trimmings, fries, cookie

collection sites available in Oct.

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has announced upcoming collections of Agricultural Waste Pesticides. The TCEQ organizes free, regional collections of unwanted or unused (waste) pesticides throughout the state as part of the Agricultural Waste Pesticide Collection program.

The free collections, conducted rain or shine, give agricultural producers who use pesticides in Texas an opportunity to dispose of unwanted products that may pose a hazard to them, their families, and their surrounding farming and ranching communities. The program is strictly voluntary and no one is required to participate. All this is done at no expense to them.

The participants do not have to identify themselves. However, there is a short survey in which the participants are asked a few questions.

The next collection event will be Monday, Oct. 12 from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Crop Production Services, 880 Industrial Drive in Slaton (contact Mark Brown, County Extension Agent, 806-775-1680), and on Wednesday, Oct. 14 at Agriliance, 101 Loop Hwy (US 83) in Seagraves (contact Terry Millican, County Extension Agent,

432-758-4006). Read about safely rinsing and recycling agricultural chemical containers through the links found at at www.tceq.state.tx.us.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - TISD

The Tahoka Independent School District will hold a Public Hearing on October 13, 2009 to discuss the District's Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas (FIRST) rating for the 2007-08 school year. The meeting is required by law. The meeting will be at the administration building located at 2129 North Main Street, Tahoka, Texas. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be held in conjunction with the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees. The District's rating for the 2007-08 is "Superior Achievement".

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - NHISD

New Home Independent School District will hold a Public Hearing at 7:00 p.m., October 12, 2009 at the school library at 225 N. Main, New Home, Texas to discuss the District's Financial Integrity Rating System (FIRST) Report. The hearing is required by law and will be held in conjunction with the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees.

The District's rating for financial accounting year 2007-2008 is Superior

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Lynn, Texas: (A los votantes registrados del Condado de Lynn, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. November 3, 2009, for voting in a special election to vote on Constitutional Amendments.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el noviembre de 3 de 2009 para votar en la Elección Especial para Elección Sobre Enmiendas A LA Constitución. LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES:

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Lynn County Courthouse- Basement Courtroom between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning October 19, 2009 (entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el Octobre 19, 2009) and ending on October 30, 2009(y terminando el Octobre 30, 2009). Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para

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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 27, 2009.

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en adelantada por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el: Octobre 27, 2009.) Issued this the 5th day of October, 2009.

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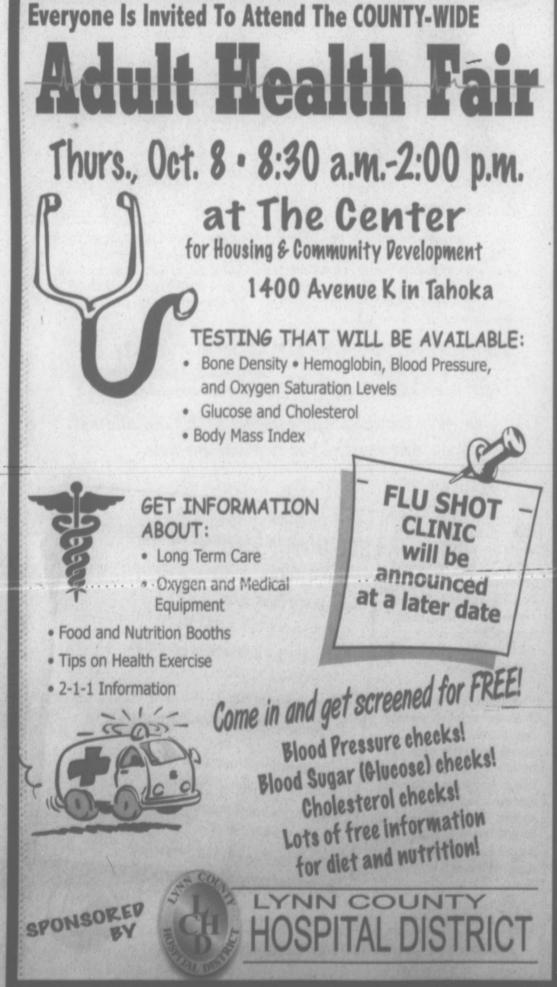
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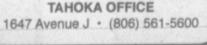
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Tahoka 3-D Band ...

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