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### Pullers, Riders and Rocks

**Brad McCoy issues challenges at Chamber Banquet** 



BUSINESS OF THE YEAR—Subway, owners Yvonne Peevy (from left), Denise and Tim Coulter. Keith Lawrence (from left) presented the award.

Still looking like he could suit up, pull a helmet down over his head and go out for a long pass, former ACU football standout proved to be an engaging speaker at the Chamber of Commerce banquet last week. Brad McCoy has been instilling values in young men since his days as graduate assistant in the football program at ACU. Along the way, his teams have amassed an enviable record of 147 wins, 63 losses and 2 ties. Leaving his trademark of success in San Saba, Kermit, Hamlin and Jim Ned, McCoy is now riding herd on one of the finest programs in Texas at Graham High School.

Introduced by Karen Lenz, McCoy spoke about the role of perceptions in our lives. How we deal with perceptions of ourselves and other people as well as their perceptions of us is pretty much what defines us. Each person in the audience was encouraged to search his or her own heart to determine if we really accept the most of ourselves. McCoy offered the suggestion that we should not "limit our challenges, but rather challenge our limits." The real challenge then becomes seeing how much more we can do... for our churches, for our community, for our business and organizations. Small communities that continue to meet challenges successfully are the ones that stay on the map.

McCoy shared some interesting stats from a survey of Fortune 500 companies in which they were asked to categorize their employees into PULLERS (those who are willing and



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capable of acting as leaders), RIDERS (those who just go along with the group) and the ROCKS (those who like to get in position to stop progress). The companies collectively rated 29 percent of their employees as Pullers, 54 percent Riders and 17 percent as Rocks.

McCoy's challenge to the audience at this point was to try to get everybody in our collective associations to move to the next level; thus making all the groups in town stronger and more productive.

The glint of fatherly pride in his eyes was hard to miss as he shared stories of his three sons, most notable at the time being Colt, the starting quarterback for the University of Texas. He and wife Debra will certainly have a full schedule this fall, as they try to catch all of Colt's games, while keeping up with Chance at ACU games and of course, his own games with Case, a senior at Graham High School.

Admitting that he was a black and red football fan at heart, Chamber president David Estes confessed that he did enjoy watching Colt leading the orange charge-except for one game a

Estes presided over the annual gathering in the Family Life Center of the Baptist Church. Approximately 100 folks enjoyed the fajita dinner catered by Mexico City Cafe and a full Lawrence.

evening of success stories. Debbie Gosnell shared an

update of progress by the EDC. She recognized the Wagon Roadside Cafe, Montgomery's Automotive and Parker Iron Works as the New Businesses of the Year. Other businesses being helped by the EDC this past year have been Hardwick's, as they have expanded into a year round operation and Pancake's Home Stitchin', who can now offer wider services through the acquisition of additional technical equipment.

The Subway Shop was recognized as the Business of the Year. Keith Lawrence presented the annual award to Tim and center chief financial officer Denise Coulter and Yvonne Peevy. What started in 1996 as one little sandwich shop in the old Lawrence Feed Store on South Main has grown dramatically as the Coulters have expanded steadily into the fast food market. After opening shops in Cisco and Clyde, they took on Abilene, where they now operate five successful eateries. Coordinating the entire operation from the local site, they currently have 70 employees on their payroll making them truly deserving of the award.

The fun-filled cake auction brought the evening to a close as Wimpy McCoy worked the crowd for \$550 for the goodies donated by Arlene Stephenson, Dee Harrell, Kathy Chesshir, Shirley Smith and Wilma

> Submitted by Arlene Stephenson



#### Belton Truck Driver Killed in One-Vehicle Accident

By Vanda Anderson Editor

July 20th, Curtis Carl Kielman, age 64, of Belton, was driving a cattle truck down Highway 36 18-wheeler.

was directly behind the truck roof of the motel. Miraculously when the incident occurred. He the motel building did not receive stated that the truck was any physical damage. traveling west when it suddenly veered to the left.

There were no vehicles coming

Around 11:20 a.m. Monday, stop sign at Chestnut Street and

if he could help the driver. He accident.

down the left lane and no one in noted that he was slumpt over and the parking lot at Village Market the doors were locked. Dillard when the 18-wheeler took out the took a metal bar and broke out the window. "A nurse appeared on the crossed over to the front lawn at scene about that time and I helped 36 West Motel. It hit a small tree her into the truck to check on the and finally came to rest within man. The truck was out of gear when he suffered an apparent 12--18 inches along side of the and I wondered if the driver had heart attack and lost control of his motel. Justice of the Peace kicked it out to slow it down," Burlie Taylor stated that the Dillard remarked. Kielman was Gene Dillard, of Cross Plains, truck's antenna was touching the pronounced dead by J.P. Burlie

Kielman drove for a company out of Teague and the trailer was Dillard followed the truck to see full of cattle at the time of the

### Baird, Cross Plains rural health clinics to benefit from stimulus funds

of the Albany News.

By Kathrun Stapp

Callahan, Shackelford and Stephens counties community health clinics will benefit from the federal stimulus package to boost health care for low income patients.

The Shackelford County Community Resource Center of Albany will receive \$374,110, the U.S. Department of Health and ready being spent. Human Services announced last

The funds come from the U.S. Department through the In-Grants, the White House an-

nounced Friday. SCCR is seeing five to 10 new patients daily, according to SCCRC executive director Susan Jones. It's projected to add 2,000 patients within another

The SCCRC clinics will use the funds to implement electronic medical records systems connecting their multiple locations.

"We are looking at a few different systems right now," said

Editor's Note: This article ap- Meagan Marshall. "I'm going on- three people who had lost jobs billing and other operations before we invest our money in

> Health centers that serve the poor are among the first places the federal stimulus package is being spent.

> The stimulus law sets aside \$2.5 billion for free and low-cost health clinics, and a big chunk of it-about \$500 million-is al-

An electronic records system is extremely expensive, counting the costs of equipment and Health and Human Services training personnel to make it work. Susan Jones, executive creased Demand for Services director of Shackelford County Community Health Center Community Resource Center, said that electronic records will greatly improve the efficiency of

the organization. SCCR primarily serves patients in Shackelford, Stephens and Callahan counties, Jones said. Services provided include health care, dental care and counseling services at clinics in Albany, Breckenridge, Cross Plains and Baird, the newest one.

The new funding will enable the Shackelford County Community Resources Center to hire more patients in Texas.

peared in the July 16th edition site to see other clinics and how to work on the electronic mediwell their systems interface with cal records transition, Jones

> and underinsured as well as indigent patients and insured pa-The clinics mainly serve the

The clinic serves the uninsured

see people with insurance, Jones The clinic charges on a sliding

uninsured, but SCCR clinics also

Low cost health clinic executives say the money will allow them to keep their doors open as the rolls of uninsured patients grow. An estimated 64 million people use rural health clinics, a number that is expected to rise as people lose their jobs and health insurance.

"I look at the stimulus bill as one step to health care reform," said Maggie Elehwany, vice president for government affairs and policy at the Washingtonbased National Rural Health Association. "It isn't everything."

The Shackelford County Community Resource Center received a \$150,004 grant in late March. Those grants were expected to provide health care to 149,445

#### 9 Students Attending EMT/ECA Course

The Cross Plains EMS (16), Charles Chesshir (13), John will be a welcome addition to our Volunteers were called for Swift (13), Debra Childers (12.5) Cross Plains roster of committed nineteen 911 EMS ambulance and David Holmes (12.5) are serving volunteers. runs for June. They drove, serving more than double shifts! attended and served 108 volunteer Attendants and drivers.

like "that much". However, with nine dedicated students. to accomplish the timely 19 Emergency Responses, every day your trained and committed over 250 hours of study members were on call 24 hours plus review, clinicals with for a total of 2,160 hours! That is participating hospitals, National

Currently, rather than the usual some like Scott Bland (18), self-discipline, commitment and Donnie Dillard (16), Mark Ring intensive EMS training. And each forms.

hours providing professional 2009 Professional EMT/ECA services as trained and qualified Course (Emergency Technician/ Emergency Medical Technicians, Emergency Care Attendant) The 108 hours may not seem July 7 at the EMS ambulance bay

This demanding course requires 125 hours of scheduled classes, Testing, and state licensing.

and intended 6 shifts a month, accomplished a new measure of

How much do we need these The 3 month intensive new volunteers? As the above figures demonstrate, they are greatly and urgently needed. Likely bureaucrats do not began as scheduled on Tuesday, understand but this class is another example of local community leaders serving, recognizing the need, stepping up to the plate and 'taking care of itself', doing what we can. It's the real America.

We also still need drivers. Please call Scott Bland Each graduate will have (254-725-7535 and leave a message) or David Holmes (254-725-7141) for member ship

> Submitted by **David Holmes**

#### CORNERSTONE BIBLE CHURCH

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Walter Pope

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#### **Rev. Doctor Roy House** Zuefeldt

The Reverend Doctor Roy House Zuefeldt passed away after a lengthy illness on July 14, 2009. He was preceded in death by his wife Katy of 63 years in January of this year.

He was born September 26, 1925 in Dallas to Arthur and Maude Ellen Zuefeldt. He is a graduate of Sunset High School in Dallas. During World War II he was an officer in the Navy where he served on a mine sweeper in the Pacific. Upon graduation from high school he was one of the youngest persons to enter Texas A&M. He graduated from the University of Texas with a degree in chemical engineering where he then went Brownwood, died peacefully to work for Texaco as one of their on July 14, 2009, at his home, youngest engineers.

After doing that for a few years, he felt God's calling for him to be a minister. He then attended McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago and won a scholarship to obtain his, Texas to Norrell and Zelda Barr Doctorate from the University of Long February 17, 1929. He Edinburgh, Scotland.

While studying in Scotland he and Katy adopted a daughter from Germany. Upon his return to Texas he served as minister for a Presbyterian Church in Cross where he carried a 4.0 grade Plains. He then was a pastor average in Campusology. for Polytechnic Presbyterian About that time "Uncle Sam" Church of Fort Worth. Then he became pastor for Northminister Presbyterian Church in Dallas, where they adopted a daughter and then a son from the Salvation Army home in Fort Worth.

Central Presbyterian Church in Abilene. While serving the Lord, he served on many boards and committees within the church as well as being on the Board of the Presbyterian Children's Home in Waxahachie, The Salvation Army was also a short term missionary in Thailand. He served as visiting minister to churches in Scotland and England.

He has published several books on the Saints of the Church and Presbyterian Church of Abilene.

He will be remembered as one who never forgot a face or name. He had a quick wit about him and could turn almost any situation to one where laughter was abundant. He had a brilliant mind and played a mean game of chess with anyone who dared.

He dedicated his life to serving the will of God and that was very apparent in the people he helped. He will be missed by so many. A dedication of his life will be held Wednesday, July 22, at 2:00 p.m. at First Central Presbyterian Church in Abilene.

Survivors include his daughters, Ellen Arnold of Round Rock and Mary Katherine of Dallas; his son, David Zuefeldt and his wife Julie of Austin; three grandsons, Sean Rawson and Taylor and Cameron Marks of Austin.

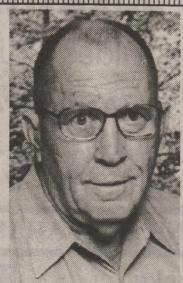
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N.L. LONG, JR.

#### N.L. Long, Jr.

N. L. Long, Jr., age 80, of surrounded by his family and faithful pets J. R. and Tiger.

A Celebration of N.L.'s life was held on Saturday, July 18, 2009 at the Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel.

N.L. was born in Dressy, attended Dressy Grade School and graduated from Cross Plains High School with the great and famous class of 1946. Later he attended Texas A&M and Tarleton University pointed his finger at N.L. and said "I need you," so for the next two years he served in an Engineer's Battalion ending up in Greenland.

On July 17, 1953, he took Ann Holland as his bride, with He became pastor of First Rev. Walter Chapman performing the double ring ceremony. The couple celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 2003 by spending several months in lovely Ruidoso enjoying the mountains, and the weather.

N.L. worked for Ameradaand YMCA to name a few. He Hess Oil Co and then in 1959 N.L. moved to Brownwood and served as a deputy sheriff for Brown County under Ray Masters and Joe Townsend. He later moved back to Callahan County and served as a deputy for Homer Price. N.L. later went the meaning of the stained glass to work for 3M Company where windows in First Central he worked until his retirement. He also farmed and ranched in Callahan and Brown Counties. He was a 32 degree Mason with membership in Brownwood Lodge #279, the Heart of Texas Shrine Club and was the best left-handed tambourine player in the Shrine Band.

The family would like to give special thanks to all of N.L.'s Red Wagon buddies who gave him more enjoyment than a person has a right to expect at 5:00 AM in the morning, Billy, Roland, Dudley, Pete, Walter B., Danny, Sam and Shirley, and Danny and all the other early risers. Special thanks also to all the gang that played dominoes with N. L. and let him win once in a while, Bill, L.G., Wayland, Jack, Howard, and others.

Thanks just isn't enough to say for all the Texas Bank Coffee Room Gang that listened daily to N.L. talking Republican/Democrat politics. N. L. is survived by his wife of 55 years, Ann Long of Brownwood, a son Donald Long of Cross Plains, a nephew Tracy Long and wife Tina of Katy, uncle C. A. Barr of Coleman, five cousins, Dorothy Arnwine of Merkel, Emma Coppinger of Miles, Charlsye Morriss of Lake Brownwood, Linda Lair of Belton, and Bill Harris of Baird.

N.L. was preceded in death by his parents, a brother Sammy Long of McCamey, and grandparents, Sam and Hattie Long and Charlie and Essie Barr, all of Cross Plains.

The family suggests that memorials be made to the Suez Temple Patient Transportation Fund, 2915 Loop 306, San Angelo, TX 76904. Condolences, memories, and

tributes can be left for the family at www.mem.com.

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### Courthouse News

**COUNTY COURTHOUSE** Roger Corn, Presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Graham W. Cox, theft by check.

Ricky J. Martinez, theft by

Lisa L. Wilson, theft by check.

Deborah Smith, harassment. Trevor L. Smith, driving while intoxicated (DWI). Israel Dela Garza, theft.

James M. McIntosh Jr., theft.

#### **Misdemeanor Minutes**

Tina Tedford, motion to withdraw as surety granted.

Vernon W. Bruton, Jr., plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, 75 days in jail, \$500 fine, \$310 court costs.

Timothy M. Douglas, motion to dismiss to interference with public duties granted for plea to other case.

#### **Marriage Licenses**

Gary L. Shelton of Clyde and Traci W. Haynes of Oshkosh,

Levi J. Stallings and Audrey K. Dunn, both of Clyde.

Wade M. Ayers and Kimberly A. Haynes, both of

Tony F. Held and Wendy N. McGhee, both of Baird.

**42nd DISTRICT COURT** John Weeks, presiding

#### **Civil Filings**

Christina Hatley and David G. Hatley, divorce.

LoAnn Learny Dennington and Jesse Ross Dennington,

William Wayne Floyd and Nylpha Boter Floyd, divorce.

#### **Civil Minutes**

Marion Perkins vs. Metropolitan Direct Property and Casualty Insurance Company; Metropolitan Property and Casualty Insurance Company; and Metropolitan Group Property and Casualty Insurance Co., order of dismissal with prejudice granted.

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Wednesday

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Ronnie B. White, Pastor

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### Barb's Cues

By Barbara Holmes Worcester

#### HOPE FOR TOMORROW

Tiredly, I walked out onto the Patio to shake the small area rugs. Thinking all the while of the other mundane things that needed to be done, I noticed the crocuses were just peeking through the cold, dark earth and the hyacinths were up ready to bloom. I sat down on the step to get a better look and felt the warm sun. It was cool, really too cool to sit outside without a jacket but I hardly noticed because the fresh, clean smell of yesterday's rain along with the morning sun put new energy into my soul.

For a few moments my heart sang; yes, right then every thing did seem right with the world. For a few minutes I was able to put aside the trials that beset me when I had stepped out into the fresh air. Evidence of renewal was everywhere. The further I looked the more evidence I saw. After the long winter and the weight of snow and rain the fragile little plants were anxiously pushing their way through the warming earth to once again brighten the lives of all who would take a moment to look at them.

I thought of the times that I had always felt I was too busy to just sit and drink in the beauties around me - seeing them from the car window was enough. But then on our wedding anniversary thirteen years before, my husband and I sat in the doctor's office as he announced a diagnosis of breast cancer.

The nearest treatment center was three hours away. The proposed regimen was I would take treatments five days a week and

could go home for the week ends. Treatments were marked off on the calendar but I could not understand why my body would not cooperate with me. Finally my doctor informed me that I was suffering the ill effects of radiation, called pneumonitis. Such was my new interruption. It manifested itself as a severe case of pneumonia. I struggled with extreme tiredness, severe coughing, chills and high fever. Unlike other respiratory diseases, it does not respond to antibiotics. Days dragged into weeks and I often thought bit-

terly, "When will this end?" Gardening and flowers had been my passion. Every day, I looked out the windows to see if I could see any of my flowers peeking through the earth as the snow melted. I told myself, "they will never make and neither will

This was a new way of living for me - discouragement had never been a part of my life but now. Early one morning my phone rang and a very busy religious leader asked me how I was feeling. As he continued to talk to me I began to hear answers I had been struggling with and praying about. For one of the Lord's busiest servants to take time for me was so gratifying and very humbling. Our conversation brought the relief I so desperately needed. Even though physically, there remained a mountain to climb, I had now received inspiration to help me understand some of the injustices of life.

The next morning dawned a beautiful spring day. I was determined that I would walk around the lawn and stop at

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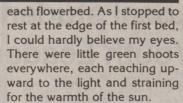
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HEALTH



Just like the perennials, I too had come through the long hard

Thirteen years later on our 50th wedding anniversary, the doctor confirmed that I did indeed have a battle ahead of me, this time the treatment would be chemotherapy.

I had once again come through a long, hard winter, battling cancer again. This time the battle was lymphoma and once again I had reached for the warmth and strained for the light. Light that only God could give. As He gently guided and I often resisted, His love continued. Everywhere I look this morning I see what is truly a gift from God. I will never again take life for granted. God is in His Heaven and that can make all right with

Yes, each day brings its own priceless miracle - the renewal of life and a promise of tomor-

By Dorothy Casper

#### Renewal

I have always had hope for tomorrow. However, living twenty two years with an incurable illness has dampened my enthusiasm for tomorrow. Not as many things speak to me. Like the story above, looking at the lilies in my flower bed came to my attention. They were a pure white with a freshness man can not create and had a beauty only nature can hold and contain life unexplainable.

Tomorrow holds promise only the creator can bring forth, and no one knows the possibilities it holds, regardless of the problems it may contain. We do not set the limits for tomorrow. We do not order the fullness tomorrow can contain and the Creator ordains the working thereof.

I have decided to embrace the possibilities of tomorrow. Since they are from the Creator the hope is unlimited and the joys may be beyond imagination. Who knows? Here is to tomor-

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1/2 cup (1/2 of 15 ounce can) Eagle Brand sweetened con- is available to homeowners who densed milk

3 cups shredded coconut 1 tsp. vanilla extract

Mix together Eagle Brand milk, coconut, vanilla. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto well-greased Hall. baking sheet, about 1 inch apart. at once. Keep separated until cool to prevent sticking together. Makes 30 cookies.

Priscilla Jordan

**Cross Plains Review** 

July 23, 2009

Alcoholics

Anonymous

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Cross Plains Church of Christ 433 N. Main (254) 725-6117

"I-Don't Love Her Anymore"

A forty year old man suffering through the classic "mid-life crisis", sat down to talk to a preacher about his problem. He explained how his marriage of twenty years was no longer satisfying or fulfilling. Finally, he reached the "bottom line". "I just don't love her anymore," he said, "What can I do?"

After a brief moment of reflection, the preacher said decisively, "As I see it, you have only one option." The man perked up with anticipation. Was the preacher going to suggest a divorce? Would he be free to pursue the thrilling life-style of the younger generation? What was the preacher's advice? "Seems to me that the only thing left for you to do is repent and start loving her again!" What does a person do when they realize such a situation exists? The Bible says, "Husband love your wives." (Ephesians 5:25) and "Wives love your husbands." (Titus 2:4).

To fail to love your mate is to commit sin. And sin always requires repentance if there is to be forgiveness. Be careful. Do not confuse commanded love with those things of an infatuated teenager. It is more than that. It is sacrificial love that seeks the interest of the one loved more than self. It is the kind of love Jesus has shown us (Ephesians 5:25).

I encourage you to join with us for worship and Bible Study this

Sunday at the Cross Plains Church of Christ.

Sunday Morning Bible Class..9:45a.m. Sunday Evening Worship....6:00p.m. Sunday Morning Worship.....10:45a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study...7:00p.m. Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

### LIBRARY NOTES

July 13-17, 2009

Patrons:	136
<b>Books Checked Out:</b>	133
Summer Reading	
Program:	37
Copies:	195
Reference:	5
Internet Users:	86
Interlibrary Loans:	5

**Donations:** City of Cross Plains

**Book Donations:** Tiffany McCaughren Nancy Robinson Masters

Memorials: Wilma Lawrence In Memory of Ellowayne Tatom

**Living Tributes:** Charles Rodenberger **Honoring Rusty Burke** 

**Volunteers:** Gerald Brown Mark Ring John Swift **David Holmes** Azalee Womack Leslie Jones Sue Bennett Michael Ellis Arlene Stephenson Michelle Kaiser Wilma Lawrence

**Book Donations:** Tiffany McCaughren Nancy Robinson Masters

#### **Helping Hearts** and Hands Need **Applicants**

Is your home in need of minor repairs: painting, plumbing, insulations and caulking?

The Cross Plains Area Housing Initiative would like to extend a hand to assist you with the help you might need. Free assistance are elderly, handicapped and/or

Applications are available now at the Senior Citizens' Center, Texas Heritage Bank and City

The application deadline will Bake in moderate 350° oven be the end of September and if until a delicate brown (about 8- you need any assistance filling out 10 minutes). Remove from pan the application, please call Pat Stephens 254-725-6819.

> This is a worthwhile community project that has been in action since 1998. Volunteers will be needed once again to complete these projects, so be looking for a date to be set in the fall of this

> We are excited and are looking forward to this year's endeavor. If you have any questions or would like information, please contact Roxie Thomas 254-725-6141 or Pat Stephens 254-725-6819.

#### Seniors May Qualify for a Power Wheelchair

Medicare's regulations now make it easier for seniors and others with debilitating conditions such as arthritis, stroke, heart and breathing problems, or diabetes, to obtain a power wheelchair at little or no cost.

Miracle on Wheels is trying to increase public awareness about the assistance options that allow seniors and the disabled to remain independent in their own homes rather than undergo difficult surgery or other expensively treatment, or resort to moving into a nursing home.

These assistance options are available to anyone with problems getting around their home, or who are in danger of falling due to their medical condition.

So those who are suffering from any condition that severely limits their mobility should call Miracle on Wheels at 1-866-200-6924 toll free to learn about qualifying now for a power wheelchair at little or no cost.

### SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER ACTIVITIES:

BY AMBER THOMAS

**WEEKLY ACTIVITIES** Monday, 27th-Movie Day @ 10:00am Tuesday, 28th- Exercise Class @ 11:00 am / Game Night

4:00-8:00pm / BINGO 5:30 pm Wednesday, 29th - Bring Old Photos to look at! / Bring a friend day and get a prize!

Thursday, 30th-Exercise Classes- 11:00am Friday, 31st- Surprise Day / BINGO 12:30 pm



SENIOR CENTER HOSTED A 42 TOURNAMENT ON BARBARIAN DAY—and had a great turnout. Over 20 people came to play, many from out of town! The tournament is a great tradition in this town. The winners of the tournament this year were a pair of sweet ladies who came from Coleman. Lydia Harper and Nita Woot came in first place! The each won a gift certificate to Wal-Mart! Pictured with the two ladeis is Troy Crockett who is the oldest citizen in Cross Plains who was able to participate in the tourament.

### **Farmers Market**

Do you have an abundance of den items please bring them to the that is designed for produce for and vegetables. the Seniors. If you have extra gar-

fruits and vegetables from your center and we will put them out garden? The Center has a table to help our seniors get fresh fruits

#### Senior Center can use your leftover Garage Sale Items

The Senior Center is always center. If you have had a yard sale, cleaning now and don't want to it until the sale. have a sale of your own, call the

collecting gently used items for a we would appreciate your fundraiser rummage sale. The donation of leftovers! We can plan is to have a sale in the Spring pick it up or you may bring it to and Fall when the City Wide Sale the center at 108 N. Main Street. takes place. If you're spring We have plenty of room to store

#### Do you know someone who can benefit from a Home Delivered Meal???

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Do you know someone that delivered Monday-Friday from would benefit from a Home 11:45-12:45pm. A hot, nutritious, and delicious meal is available for The Cross Plains Senior Citizen those who qualify. Please feel free

#### Fundraiser Garage Sale Set for Saturday, August 15

slae on Agusut 15, beginning at will also be needed as soon as 8:00 a.m. You will also have the lunch is over on Friday to help chance to fill a sack at 10 a.m. for sort sale items. If you are able to \$3.00 and noon for \$1.50.

Come and shop for a good let us know!

The Senior Center will have a cause, your seniors! Volunteers help, please call the Center and

### SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

JULY 27 -31

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toes, Bread & Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk FRIDAY- Catfish, Coleslaw,

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#### ...... SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

July 16, 2009

The Cross Plains I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in a regular meeting with the following members present: Tommy Ames, Jim Cook, Bryan Bennett, Michael Cowan, Donnie Dillard and Hoyt Foster.

The following administrators and guests were also in attendance: High School Superintendent, High School Principal, Elementary Principal, guests -Ken Thompson, Kim Crockett and Scott Byrd.

Prayer was led by Jim Cook. Minutes were approved as read.

They viewed and paid expenses for the month of June.

Motion was made by Bennett

and seconded by Donnie Dillard that they pay the bills.

Motion was made by D. Dillard and seconded by Bennett to approve DEC (Local) Policy and update 85. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Foster and seconded by Ames to approve minutes as read. For 6 Against 0 Motion was made by Foster and seconded by D. Dillard for proposed changes in cafeteria prices for 2009-2010. For 6 Against 0

The board went into executive session at 8:40 p.m. and returned at 10:55 p.m.

Motion was made by Bennett and seconded by Ames to adjourn. For 6 Against 0

### **Baseball Tryout and Hitting** Camp Schedules Announced for Coast to Coast Baseball

Coast to Coast Baseball would McMurry University like to invite local players (ages Abilene, Texas 10-18) to one of our upcoming Saturday, August 29 at 10 a.m. tryout events. At the tryout, our staff will evaluate your skills in four areas: hitting, fielding, arm strength and speed.

Players who are accepted to the program, may choose to represent the USA in competition in Puerto Rico, or work with top college coaches and pro scouts at one of our Arizona or Florida Camp and Showcase events held at a for MLB spring-training complex.

In addition to the tryout, an instructional hitting camp will be held the same day. The goal of the camp is to help players improve hitting fundamentals as well as their mental approach at the plate.

Events will be held at: University of Dallas @ Irving Irving, Texas Monday, August 10 at 10 a.m.

St. Edwards University Saturday, August 15 at 10 a.m.

**Spring Westfield HS** Spring, Texas Wednesday, August 12 at 10 a.m.

Pittman-Sullivan Field San Antonio, Texas Saturday, August 22 at 10 a.m.

Visit their website further directions: www.CoastToCoastAthletics.com.

Since the summer of 2001, nearly 2000 athletes (ages 11-12, 13-15, and 16-18) from 46 different states have participated in the Coast to Coast Baseball program. Their alumni now compete at every level of collegiate baseball ....and even professionally.

For more information, players and parents can visit our website. Register for one or both events on our website or by calling our

#### **West Texas Fair** 4-H Meat Pen **Show Deadline** is August 13th

The deadline for entering the West Texas Fair 4-H Jr. Rabbit Show is August 13th. The Jr. Rabbit show will be held on Saturday, September 19, 2009. The event is sponsored by Acco Farm & Ranch Center and Milliorn Rabbitry

\*\*FAIR SPECIAL: Purchase single rabbits from Milliorn Rabbitry for \$25 each.

This is a carrying cage show. No other cages will be available.

All rabbits must be bona fide property of the exhibitor and must be owned by the exhibitor at least 45 days prior to the day

If you are interested in entering in the Jr. Rabbit Show, please contact the Callahan County Extension office at (325)854-5835.

#### Submitted by: Hoss Sasin, CEA-Ag 2009-2010 4-H **Sheep & Goat Tag Orders**

2009-2010 Sheep & Goat Tag orders are due to the Extension office by August 24th. If you plan on showing Market Lambs or Market Meat goats at the local, county or major shows you must call in your tag order no later than August 24th. Major show tags are \$7.00/tag and County tags are only \$3.00/tag.

All tag orders must be paid

for by August 31st! Contact The Extension Office to place your tag orders at 325-

> Submitted by: Hoss Sasin, CEA-Ag

### Local students attend Farm Bureau Youth Leadership Conference

San Angelo - Attending the Texas Farm Bureau's 46th annual Youth Leadership Conference held at Angelo State University, June 22-26, were (left to right): Shawna Lewis of Cross Plains, Amanda Short of Abilene and Savana Wyatt of Cross Plains. The students were sponsored by the Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau. They joined more than 330 high school juniors and seniors from over 150 counties across the state.

The purpose of the conference is to provide the students with a better understanding of their American heritage, the capitalistic free enterprise system, and to inspire leadership development, according to Sam Snyder, president of the Callahan-Shackelford County Farm

During the weeklong event, students discuss topics such as the free enterprise system, constitutional government, Americanism, leadership and goal setting. Students are encouraged to meet with school and civic groups upon their return home to share what they've learned.

A representative of Angelo State University welcomed students to campus at Monday's opening session. Afterward, Chad Hymas of Utah, a motivational speaker, spoke about "Setting and Achieving your Goals." Students were captivated on Tuesday morning as Hymas shared his personal message of "Overcoming Adversity."



ATTENDING TEXAS FARM BUREAU'S 46TH ANNUAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE held at Angelo State University, June 22-26, were (left to right): Shawna Lewis of Cross Plains, Amanda Short of Abilene and Savana Wyatt of Cross

Charles Benton, TFB Field Representative, and Drew Alders, 2008 Free Enterprise Speech Contest winner, presented "Farm Bureau Scholarship Opportunities."

Dr. Jim Sartwelle, Texas A&M University, presented sessions on "Basics of Free Enterprise," Ronald Trowbridge, former assistant dean at Hillsdale College in Michigan, presented two-part sessions on Constitution," and Gary Evans, a registered investment advisor, offered advice on "Managing Money." In addition, the students participated in a program called "Congressional Insight," which allowed them to simulate a Congressional office and election

Damon Whaley, former TFB Talent Find Contest winner, provided entertainment on Tuesday. Damon is an accomplished musician, comedian and impressionist

At Thursday's evening banquet "Farm Bureau - Your Host" was presented by Kenneth Dierschke, president of Texas Farm Bureau and Miss Kelsey Craig, 2008 Miss Texas Farm Bureau, addressed the group. Special guest and motivational speaker, Clebe McClary, challenged the students to "Press on Regardless" with courage, determination and dedication to oneself and their

Students who complete the Youth Leadership Conference and have given a speech on free enterprise to at least five groups will have taken the first step toward qualifying for the Free Enterprise Speech contest, which awards more than \$19,000 in scholarships.

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# It's time to start getting 4-H

The West Texas Fair is just around the corner. Now is the time to start getting those 4-H projects ready to enter. There are a lot of different divisions you can enter. They include: Animals, Clothing and Textiles, Photography, Food and Nutrition, Crafts and many more. You can find the entry information and rules on the Taylor County Expo Center www.taylor countyexpocenter.com.

If you plan to enter a 4-H project in the West Texas Fair, please come by or call the Extension Office so that we will know who plans to participate. All entries for the Jr. Steer, Jr. Breeding Cattle and Jr. Breeding Sheep are due in the Extension Office by August

If you have any questions please contact The Extension Office. (325) 854-5835 Submitted by: Hoss Sasin, CEA-Ag

## project ready for **West Texas Fair**

#### **Callahan County DPS Report**

Calls received by the Callahan County Department of Public Safety from July 12, 2009 through July 18, 2009 include: Cases Investigated

Warnings—78 Complaints—27

Vehicle Accidents There were three vehicle accidents investigated during this time span.

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#### Reserve Seats for Football Season Go On Sale AUGUST 15TH

Reserve seats for the upcoming REMEMBER this school year sold at the Superintendent's game.

football season at Cross Plains is Homecoming, so please take I.S.D. will go on sale August 15, care of this as soon as possible. 2009, at the Buffaloes' first The price is the same \$5.00 per scrimmage. seat for a year. This only pays for After August 15th, they will be your seat, no admission to the

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#### Immunization Clinic in Callahan County Announced

Texas Department of State Health Services announce the Immunization Clinics in Callahan County as follows:

> Monday, August 10th Baird Cafetorium 400 West 7th Street 10 a.m. - 12 noon

**Cross Plains Housing Authority** 233 North Main Street 2 - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, August 12th Clyde First Baptist Church 216 Austin 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1:30 - 3 p.m.

Please bring your child's immunization records. If your child has Medicaid or CHIP, please bring their card.

For more information, call 325-754-4945.

#### Callahan **County Riding** Club Schedule

The schedule for the 2009 Callahan County Riding Club season is below. All regularly scheduled play days will begin with trainers/exhibitions at 6:30 and the events beginning at 7:00 pm. Check us out on the web for updates at HYPERLINK "http:///www. callahancountyridingclub.com" http:///www.callahan countyridingclub.com

JULY DATES Saturday, July 25th. **AUGUST DATES** 

Saturday, August 8th; Saturday, August 15th; Saturday, August 22nd; Saturday, August 29th.

Any rain-outs or make-up days will be held on the open weekend or on Fridays or Sundays, depending on weather and options of membership. If you have questions call Sue Underwood at 325-669-9411.

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INSIDE THE AMBULANCE- David Holmes showed the children all of the life-saving equipment and explained its purpose.



#### EMS and Firefighters Featured at Summer Reading Program

Cross Plains Public Library Summer Reading Program last treated to a tour of the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.

The team of Gerald Brown, Mark Ring, John Swift and David Holmes made the outing very exciting by letting the children have real hands-on experiences with the ambulance and fire

The functions and use of a

The children attending the variety of emergency equipment undecided as we have had a

Miss Sue's Little Readers had fun learning all about turtles and getting to make a little one to take

This week's program featured

K-9 Unit and their instructors. Next week's guest, on Wednesday, July 29th,

was shown and explained to the cancellation and are looking for enthusiastic kids, who always a replacement. Come and see Wednesday afternoon were enjoy the special visit to the fire whom we find to do the last Summer Reading Program for

> Remember Miss Sue's Little Readers start at 1 p.m. and the special programming starts at 2

Come and be with us as we celebrate the ending of a very successful summer!

#### Sales Tax Holiday August 21st - 23rd School supplies added to tax-free items

Texas shoppers get a break from state and local sales taxes on August 21st, 22nd and 23rd - the state's annual tax holiday. Lay-away plans can be used again this year to take advantage of the sales tax holiday.

As in previous years, the law exempts most clothing and footwear priced under \$100 from sales and use taxes, which could save shoppers about \$8 on every \$100 they spend. Backpacks under \$100 and used by elementary and secondary students are also exempt. A backpack is a pack with straps one wears on the back. The exemption during the sales tax holiday includes backpacks with wheels, provided they can also be worn on the back like a traditional backpack, and messenger bags. The exemption does not include items that are reasonably defined as luggage, briefcases, athletic/ duffle/gym bags, computer bags, purses or framed backpacks. Ten or fewer backpacks can be purchased tax-free at one time without providing an exemption certificate to the seller.

School Supplies - New in

The 81st Texas Legislature recently passed HB 1801 (2009) expanding the list of items qualifying for exemption from Texas state and local sales and use taxes during the annual sales tax holiday in August. Effective this year, in addition to clothes, footwear and some backpacks, Texas families also get a sales tax break on most school supplies priced at less than \$100 purchased for use by a student in an elementary or secondary school.

The following is an allinclusive list of qualifying school supplies (if priced less than \$100):

Binders, Book bags, Calculators, Cellophane tape, Blackboard chalk, Compasses, Composition books, Crayons, Erasers, Folders; expandable, pocket, plastic, and manila, Glue, paste and paste sticks, Highlighters, Index cards, Index card boxes, Legal pads, Lunch boxes, Markers, Notebooks, Paper; loose leaf ruled notebook paper, copy paper, graph paper, tracing paper, manila paper, colored paper, poster board, and construction paper, Pencil boxes and other school supply boxes, Pencil sharpeners, Pencils, Pens, Protractors, Rulers, Scissors, Writing

No exemption certificate is required - with one exception. If the purchaser is buying the supplies under a business account, the retailer must obtain an exemption certificate from the purchaser certifying that the items are purchased for use by an elementary or secondary school student. "Under a business account" means the purchaser is using a business credit card or business check rather than a personal credit card or personal check; being billed under a business account maintained at the retailer; or is using a business membership at a retailer that is membership based.

List of Clothing, Footwear and Backpacks, and Their **Exempton Status** 

TAX-FREE

Baby clothes, Backpacks for use by elementary and secondary students, Belts with attached buckles, Boots cowboy, hiking, Caps/hats baseball, fishing, golf, knitted, Coats and wraps, Diapers adult and baby, Dresses, Gloves (generally), Gym suits and uniforms, Hooded shirts and hooded sweatshirts, Hosiery, Jackets, Jeans, Jerseys - baseball and football, Jogging apparel, Neckwear

and ties, Pajamas, Pants and trousers, Raincoats and ponchos, Robes, Shirts, Shoes sandals, slippers, sneakers, tennis, walking, Socks (including athletic), Shorts, Suits, slacks, and jackets, Sweatshirts, Sweat suits, Sweaters, Swimsuits, Underclothes, Work clothes and uniforms TAXED

Accessories (generally) barrettes, elastic ponytail holders, wallets, watches, Backpacks - unless for use by elementary and secondary students, Baseball cleats and pants. Belt buckles (without belt), Boots - climbing, fishing, rubber work boots, ski, waders, Buttons and zippers, Cloth and lace, knitting yarns, and other fabrics, Dry cleaning services, Football pants, Golf gloves, Handbags and purses, Handkerchiefs, Hard hats, Helmets - bike, baseball, football, hockey, motorcycle, sports, Ice skates, Jewelry, Laundering services, Leather goods - except belts with buckles and wearing apparel, Pads - football, hockey, soccer, elbow, knee, shoulder, Personal flotation devices, Rented clothing (including uniforms, formal wear, and costumes), Roller blades and skates, Safety clothing, glasses, Shoes - bicycle (cleated), bowling, golf.

A word of caution: If you sell items that do not qualify for the exemption, you may not advertise or promise that you will pay your customers' sales tax. Additionally, you are prohibited from advertising that you will not collect sales tax on items that do not qualify. You may advertise that tax is included in the sales price of the taxable items that you

sell. however. For information on how to report tax on these sales, please visit Reporting Sales Tax on Tax-Free Items or call us toll free at (800) 252-5555.

#### Imitator to Appear in Baird on Sept. 5th

Las Vegas style entertainment is coming to Baird September 5th, featuring Kriag Parker with a two-hour Elvis Presley tribute that has been stunning audiences around the world.

Parker, with the Royal Tribute Band and Orchestra, has been hailed as the premier Elvis imitator from Las Vegas to London. He has been joined on stage and endorsed by Elvis' original singers including the Jordanaires, The Stamps Quartet and the Sweet Inspirations. He is managed by Charles Stone Management. Stone was the tour producer for Elvis from 1972 until 1977.

Baird Chamber of Commerce and sponsors are hosting the show at the Baird High School Auditorium. Chamber President Rick McElmurray said, "We are extremely fortunate to entertainment of this caliber." Concert goers are amazed at

Parker's uncanny likeness to Presley's look, vocal style and charisma. A Chamber spokesperson said the best evidence of Parker's popularity is seen in the number of people from around the area who have seen one of his performances and are buying tickets for the Baird concert.

Tickets are \$20.00 per person for the 7:00 p.m. performance. For tickets or information call the Chamber office at 325-854-2003 or Nancy at 325-854-1212. Tickets are also available from board members Rick McElmurray, Pat Parker, Donna Bell, Nancy Turnbow, Barbara Corn, Melba Defosses, Walt Tollett, Trudy Burks, Jason Martin and Felix Manion.





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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION** FOR WATER MUNICIPAL WASTEWATER **AMENDMENT** PERMIT NO. WQ0010434001 AND

**APPLICATION** PRELIMINARY DECISION. City of Cross Plains, P.O. Box 129, Cross Plains, Texas 76443, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a major amendment to TCEQ Permit No. WQ0010434001, to authorize a change in the method of effluent disposal from discharge to a receiving body of water to surface irrigation of 79 acres of non-public access agricultural land at the currently permitted daily average flow not to exceed 87,500 gallons per day. This permit will not authorize a discharge of pollutants into waters in the State. TCEQ received this application on January 22, 2009.

The wastewater treatment facility and disposal site are located approximately 2,500 feet west of State Highway 279 and 4,000 feet south of State Highway 36 in Callahan County, Texas. The wastewater treatment facility and disposal site are located in the drainage basin of Pecan Bayou Above Lake Brownwood in Segment No. 1420 of the Colorado River

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this permit, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements. The permit application, Executive Director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at Cross Plains City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Cross Plains, Texas.

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUB-LIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask question about the application. TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or is requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested

case hearing. OPPORTUNITY FOR A CASE CONTESTED HEARING. After the deadline the submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider all timely comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting a contested case hearing or reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trail in state

district court. TO REQUEST A CON-TESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, the Office of the Chief Clerk. In address, phone number; addition, you may request to be request for the contested case at the address below. hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the and public meeting requests request must designate the must be submitted to the Ofgroup's representative for fice of the Chief Clark, MC 105,

receiving facility or activity; provide the publication of this notice. regarding member's

group's purpose. Following the close of all applicable comment and request www.tceq.state.tx.us. periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and sioners for their consideration at 6114. a scheduled Commission Issuance Date: JULY 1, 2009 meeting.

The Commission will only grant a contested case hearing on disputed issues of fact that are

relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised in timely filed comments that were not subsequently withdrawn.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION. The Executive Director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration if filed, the Executive Director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and request to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

MAILING LIST. If you submit A public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive q Director's decision, you will be q added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by applicant's name and permit placed on: (1) the permanent in number; the location and dis- mailing list for a specific tance of your property/activities applicant name and permit relative to the facility; a specific number; and/or (2) the mailing descriptions of how you would list for a specific county. If you be adversely affected by the fa- wish to be placed on the cility in a way not common to permanent and/or the county 2 the general public; and, the mailing list, clearly specify which statement "[I/We] request a list(s) and send your request to contested case hearing." If the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clark

All written public comments

future TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin correspondence; identify an TX 78711-3087 or electronically individual member of the group at www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/ who would be adversely comments.html. within 30 days affected by the proposed from the date of newspaper information discussed above AGENCY CONTACTS AND the affected INFORMATION. If you need location and more information about this perdistance from the facility or mit application or the permitting activity; explains how and why process, please call TCEQ Office the member would be affected; of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at and explain how the 1-800-687-4040. Si desea interests the group seeks to informacion en Espanol, puede protect are germane to the llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information about TCEQ can be found at our website at

Further information may also be obtained from City of Cross any requests for reconsidera- Plains at the address stated above tion or for a contested case or by calling Ms. Debbie Gosnell. hearing to the TCEQ Commis- City of Cross Plains at (254)-725-

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Separate sealed bids for the construction of Wastewater **Effluent Irrigation Improve**ments will be received by the City of Cross Plains, TX until 6:00 P.M., August 11, 2009, at City Hall, 201 S. Main, Cross Plains, TX 76443, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud. The base bid includes the furnishing and installing of one center pivot irrigation system, piping, valves, electrical, controls, pump improvements, and incidentals.

The Contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, General Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans, and Specifications, may be examined at the following locations: City Hall, 201 S. Main, Cross Plains, TX and Jacob & Martin,

Ltd., Consulting Engineers 3465

Curry Lane, Abilene, Tx 79606 Bids will not be received from contractors who have not obtained original plans and specifications from Jacob & Martin. Bids shall be submitted on original documents and the entire specification book must be returned with bid. No faxes or copies of bid sheets will be accepted.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids. Bids may be held by the Owner for a period not to exceed 60 days from the date of bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders prior to awarding of the contract.

Copies of the Contract Documents and plans may be obtained from Jacob & Martin, Ltd., 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, TX 79606 (325-695-1070), upon

payment of \$50.00 (non-refundable). Checks should be made payable to the order of Jacob & Martin, LTD.

Bid Bond: A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the City Of Cross Plains, negotiable U.S. Government bonds (at par value) or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid shall be submitted with each bid.

> City of Cross Plains, Texas By: Ray Purvis, Mayor

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of Cross Plains has received a pending 2009 Texas Community Development Block Grant award from the Office of Rural Community Affairs under the Planning/Capacity Building Fund. We are soliciting proposals from professional planners to provide planning services. Proposals accepted until 4:00 pm on August 6, 2009 at the City Hall, Attn: City Manager at 201 S. Main, Cross Plains TX 76443. 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 submittals. Additional submission requirements are available by calling (254)-725-6661. Affirmative Action/EOE 19-

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

CROSS PLAINS I.S.D. IS AC-CEPTING BIDS— for the 2009-2010 school year on the following items: Milk and Fuel. Please fax or mail to Phil Mitchell, Superintendent, 700 North Main Street, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. Fax 254-725-6559. Bid deadline is 4:00 p.m. on August 14, 2009. 19-2tc

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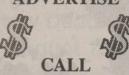
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**Cross Plains Review Deadlines** 

Ads Noon on Tuesday **Articles Noon on Monday**  Funds are available, benefits

TWC Adds Staff at Workforce Centers to Help Texans Find

Texas jobseekers now have more assistance available as 348 new staff members have been added to workforce centers across the state, bringing the number of TWC Employment Services staff to nearly 1,000. TWC has hired the temporary employment services workers through funding provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

provide jobseekers help with services including job referrals, career counseling, training and support, and employment services. In addition, the staff works with employers to post job openings and train their existing workforce.

term unemployment claimants who have received benefits for more than a year are being advised that there will be a delay in receiving the newlyenacted 13 weeks of state extended benefits. At the end of May, the Texas legislature approved the changes which allow for state extended benefits which have not been available since the early 1980s. This 13-week state extension is completely federally funded and is available to claimants that have exhausted 59 weeks of unemployment benefits.

extension will receive payments retroactive to the date their current benefits end. The delay in the 13-week state benefit extension stems from complex federal requirements that must be programmed into TWC's computer system. The requirements for federally funded state extended benefits are significantly more stringent

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# PUBLIC AUCTION

### "Estate of Tex & Rene Cloud"

Saturday, July 25th, 2009 506 Ridgeway St.

10:00 a.m. Clyde, Tx.

DIRECTIONS: In Clyde, Go East on Old Hwy 80, (FM 18) "Baird Hwy", 1 mile from the 4-Way stop sign, to Eastview. Turn left for one block. Auction is on the right.

NOTE: We charge a 10% Buyer premium, but we do not roll bids, or have anyone planted to bid against you.

FURNITURE: Antique Iron Bed frame, wooden desk & chair, nice older walnut cabinet, nice oak dining table w/leaf & 6 chairs, like new swivel rocker & ottoman, like new oak coffee table, nice drop leaf table (Pecan), 2 oak lamp tables w/glass tops, misc. table lamps, Samsung 27" TV, 1 nice upholstered swivel rocker, 1 nice upholstered recliner, New "Clayton-Marcus" upholstered sofa, 1 large wooden rocker, 1 "Craftmatic 1" single bed, 2 small tables w/casters, 1 double bed with headboard & matching lamp table, 1 small Maplewood desk, 1 large bookcase, 1 small bookcase, 1 Signature sewing machine in cabinet, 1 Singer sewing machine in cabinet, 2 wooden quilt holders, 1 antique chifferobe, misc. chairs & tables, 1-6 ft. fiberglass folding table, old wooden rocker, old Singer treadle sewing machine.

APPLIANCES: Nice GE Washer & Dryer, Nice Hot Point Refrigerator/freezer w/icemaker, 1 roll around microwave cart, 1 Norge chest type freezer, 1 Kenmore S/S Refrigerator/Freezer, misc. small appliances & utensils, miscellaneous dishes, pots, pans, glassware and a breadmaker.

YARD ITEMS: 13 HP, 30"Mulching John Deere GX 85 Riding Mower, gas Weed Easter, 7' yard windmill, misc. yard tools, weed blower, Weed Eater, misc. metal stands, 2 wrought iron chairs, 1 wrought iron plant cart, and 2 yard wagons.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS: Portable stereo & speakers, records, MacGregor Golf Clubs & Bag, Wilson Golf Clubs & Bag, Kirby Vacuum, I Bissell Power Force Vacuum, new 6 ft. step ladder, 1-4 ft. step ladder, 2 - 2 drawer file cabinets, 1 - 8 ft. folding table, AC/DC portable TV, 1 RCA Portable TV, 8 folding chairs, Realistic record player w/2 speakers, Handmade quilts, live plants, 16X Optical Zoom Panasonic Palm Sight Camera-PV-L557, and Christmas Decorations.

MORE MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS: Bar-B-Q grill, miscellaneous sewing material and notions, 1 small battery charger, 1 Hugo walker, 2 metal - 2 wheel walkers, 1 shower chair, Fisher Record Player w/2 speakers, 1 set of World Book Encyclopedias, record center w/glass doors and an old World War I

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extended benefits as soon as

AUSTIN -The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) is advising all currently qualified unemployment claimants that their benefits will be paid. Currently, more than 350,000 out-of-work Texans are receiving up to 59 weeks of unemployment

Benefits are paid through the Texas Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund, and during periods of high unemployment claim volume, interest-free loans are available to states from the federal government. Similar loans were utilized by TWC in 2003 resulting in uninterrupted payment of benefits.

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### County, city, school property values up in 2009

values, property tax values in Callahan County, as well as those in the cities of Clyde, Baird and Putnam increased over 2008 property tax values, according to Callahan County Chief Appraiser Bun Barry

The county chief appraiser released the 2009 property tax values for Callahan County, as well as those for the cities of Baird, Clyde and Putnam on Monday, July 20th. The property tax values are used by the Callahan County Commissioners and the city councils in Baird, Clyde and Putnam to establish the tax rate for the 2009-2010 tax year.

Barry reported Callahan County's combined property tax values for 2009 at \$490,588,484, an increase of \$7.7 million over last year's property tax values. Barry said the county's increased tax values are attributed to higher residential tax values, an increase in the oil and natural gas pipelines throughout the county and the new business personal property

He said Callahan County had \$19 million in new improvements throughout the county's tax

Despite the higher property values, Barry said there was a "significant" reduction in mineral values reported in the county. Barry said the Texas Comptroller required all counties in Texas to base the 2009 values on oil and natural gas using a "market condition factor." Barry said because of the "market condition factor" placed on oil and gas values in the county, the mineral values dropped by almost 60 percent this year. He said the price of a barrel of oil was based on \$36 this year. "It should have been \$95 a barrel," Barry said. He also said natural gas values in the county declined because of the "market condition factor" placed on the MCF (million cubic feet) natural gas. Barry said natural gas production in the county was based on \$4 per MCF. He said actually, the price and gas." Barry said. Barry said the oil and natural gas lobby

in Austin is big. Barry also said the Texas Legislature passed a bill that 100 percent of the veterans & veterans' disability tax values are being dropped this year. He said the county lost \$2 million in reduced VA and disability values. He also said those people who have had their taxes frozen

year amounted to \$7 million in property values .

Barry said he expects Callahan County's tax rate to be similar to last year's.

Barry reported the City of Clyde had \$105,172,140 in property tax values in 2009, an increase of \$2,522,440 from last year. Barry said the City of Clyde had an increase in home values this year, as well as picking up business personal property values.

Barry said the City of Baird had 2009 property tax values of \$41,358,503, an increase of \$1,341,458 from the 2008 property tax values. The chief appraiser said the City of Baird's increase is attributable to higher residential values and the business personal property values.

As for the City of Putnam, Barry said the City had total property values of \$3,087,050 in 2009, an increase of \$1,169,030 from 2008 property values. Barry said the biggest nad a good year if not for the increase in property values in reduction in mineral values Putnam was because of a new electrical facility installed by AEP last year within the city. He said AEP's electrical facility this year alone was valued at \$1,028,470. As for the Baird Independent

School District, Barry reported total property values in Callahan amounted \$106,851,550, an increase of \$5,136,470 over 2008 property values. Barry said the Baird ISD increase in values is attributable to oil and natural gas pipeline values. Barry said because of the "market condition factor" placed on oil and natural gas, Baird ISD saw a decline of \$2.7 million in mineral values. The chief appraiser said the pipeline values in Baird ISD were up \$6.4 million from last year.

Barry said because the Clyde Consolidated Independent School District boundaries include portions of Taylor, Jones and Shackelford counties, he only values Clyde CISD property located inside Callahan County. The chief appraiser said Clyde CISD had \$195,870,340 in total property values in 2009, of natural gas was as much as Barry said the big increase in taxing jurisdictions want to bring \$3 per MCF in 2008. "What's Clyde CISD property values was into the coffers. Barry said taxgood for the goose, is not good the completion of the Post Oak payers should be seeing public for the gander, when it comes to Wind Farm and values placed notices soon on what their efon those wind turbines. He said the Post Oak Wind Farm in Callahan County is valued at \$42.5 (Post Oak Wind Farm) in the room for Clyde," Barry said of and no later than the first week Clyde CISD's property values.

Farm property values through erty tax rates, tax notices will the Interest and Sinking (debt) before October 1st.

Despite a drop in oil and gas because of age or disability this portion of the school district's tax rate.

Barry said Clyde CISD lost \$2.3 million in reduced mineral values this year because of the "market condition factor." Barry said Clyde CISD did have gains in residential values as well as the business personal property

Barry reported the Cross Plains ISD had property values of \$60,461,727 this year, an increase of \$3 million over last year. Barry also said portions of Cross Plains' school district are located in Eastland and Brown county. Barry said the increase in Cross Plains ISD property values is due to higher pipeline values and residential and business personal property.

As for the City of Cross Plains, Cross Plains is the only city in Callahan County which does not impose a personal property tax. Barry said the Callahan County

taxing jurisdictions would have countywide.

As for what's selling in Callahan County, Barry said that tracts of land are not selling in the county. "The land market is dead in the county," Barry said. As for residential home sales, Barry said the level this year is just 40% of what it was one year ago. He said home owners with good credit and a large down payment are able to sell and buy homes in the county, but not much of anything else is selling.

As for the residential values, Barry said Callahan County resi-"reading the tea leaves." Barry said residential values in the county are still being adjusted higher based upon what's being bought and sold in the county. tial home values.

Barry said the property values for the taxing jurisdictions have now been certified and these taxing jurisdictions will now begin the process of looking at their effective tax rates to deteran increase of \$22,388,470, mine how much money those fective tax rates will be for 2009.

The chief appraiser said property tax rates for all the taxing million. "That's the elephant jurisdictions should be made available by the end of August of September. Barry said that However, the Post Oak Wind after his office receives the prop-Clyde CISD are only taxed on begin going out in the mail on or

### The Doctors Prescription for Health

Column written by Albert M. Kincheloe DO Medical Director Cross Plains Community Health Center, 200 N. Main St., Cross Plains, TX 76443. 254-725-4311

#### **Hotter Than Blazes!** Is it a heat stroke? Part 2

Last week, we discussed a serious health event called heat exhaustion. This week. we move on to the seriously bad brother of heat exhaustion, known as heat stroke. The major difference between heat exhaustion and heat stroke lies in the seriousness of the condition. While heat exhaustion is not a walk in the park, a heat stroke is a true 911 medical emergency.

A heat stroke occurs when the human body is placed in an environment of extreme heat. high humidity, or is involved in a high level of physical exertion in either of the preceding environments. If performing a high level of physical activity in an environment of high level temperatures when a high humidity is added- potential disaster lies in wait!

When a heat stroke occurs, the body can no longer eliminate the abnormal heat being produced within it. Whether dehydrated, or lack of ability to perspire occurs, the body's temperature is allowed to start rising to levels that are abnormally Temperatures exceeding 106°

have been observed to result. Infants, athletes, outdoor workers performing heavy exertion work, and the elderly are most at risk. Quite often dential values are much like certain medication's can put one at a higher risk of developing a heat stroke.

The symptoms of heat stroke begin logically with a person's body temperature exceeding a "As long as we stay in the safe range. Practically always, ballpark, values will continue to the person will no longer be increase," Barry said of residen- sweating, and the resultant dry skin may even appear reddened. A check of the person's pulse will reveal a rapid pulse rate, exceeding 100 beats per minute.

Weakness, nausea and quite often vomiting are common symptoms that often accompany a developing heat stroke. Not far behind will often follow muscle cramps and aches, headaches, and dizziness.

As the heat stroke remains untreated, one will see the person beginning to experience certain symptoms of strange behavior, confusion and even experience agitation and hallucinations

Finally, the development of seizures and coma occur before the final symptom- DEATH!

How does a heat stroke victim need treated? Fortunately, Common sense is the key. Dial 911 then do much of the following as you can while awaiting their arrival.

Treatment #1, and the most important thing to do- get the body temperature down! Cool! Cool! Cool!

The victim must be moved to an area that is cool and out of the sun. All possible clothing should be removed. This will obviously vary based on the locale, and who is assisting the

Now you want to cool the skin by applying cool water and if possible, utilize a fan blowing on the patient as you wet him down. While it may not seem like such a great experience for the patient, ice packs on the head, under the arm pits and even in the groin helps to lower the body core temperature. which is the ultimate goal of

While the person is being treated as we have mentioned, continuously check the body's temperature with a thermometer.

Once the ambulance arrives, the patient can then reach the emergency room where more advanced medical treatment can be received.

Prevention of heat strokes is simply common sense.

Most important of all preventive measures is to avoid dehydration. Closely following is to avoid vigorous physical activities in hot and humid weather.

For those whose work or other activities do not allow them to stay out of hot and/or humid environments, be sure and drink plenty of fluids. For most of us, sports drinks are an excellent choice to consume.

Caffeine containing drinks may actually cause dehydration.

A major culprit for contributing to dehydration is any drink with alcohol in it.

Dress for the hot sunny world in which your activities will take

Use common sense on taking activity breaks. Overworking is a heat stroke's close ally during hot weather.

Since we likely still have many hot days ahead. understanding how bad a heat stroke can be may prove useful. Also, the information may save a life, possiblly even

Until next time, may health, happiness and peace be yours. "We have forty million reasons for failure, but not a single excuse.

Rudyard Kipling

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#### ROBERT E. HOWARD WESTERN STORY SERIAL

MOUNTAIN MAN Continued

was crazy, and I throwed liver with this here bowie O'Tool and begun to stomp knife!" him, when somebody let bang pants started to fall down.

both hands, and O'Tool riz the east, a gang of horsemen and rushed at me, bloody and rode at a run. Everybody bellering, and I didn't dare let whirled and yelled: "Look out, go my pants to defend myself. here comes them Perdition So I whirled and bent over and illegitimates!" lashed out backwards with my done a cartwheel in the air, his in war?" head hit the turf, and he over the lower rope. There "McGoorty, come forth!" wasn't no question about him was, was he dead?

around the ring.

The Tomahawk men was cheering and yelling that I the crowd. had won fair and square, and somebody hollered: "Leave it McGoorty!" to the referee!"

"He knows our man won fair, me. and if he don't say so, I'll blow

bellered a man from Gunstock. "He knows it was a foul, and if By this time the crowd he says it wasn't, I'll carve his

At these words Yucca at me from the crowd and the keeled over in a dead faint, and bullet cut my silk belt and my then a clatter of hoofs sounded above the din, and out of the I grabbed 'em with timber that hid the trail from

Instantly a hundred right heel like a mule, and I guns covered them, and McVey caught him under the chin. He demanded: "Come ye in peace or

"We come to unmask a bounced on over and landed on fraud!" roared a big man with a his back with his knees hooked red bandanner around his neck.

A familiar figger, now being out. The only question dressed in cowboy togs, pushed forward on my mule. "There he A great roar of "Foul" is!" this figger yelled, pointing at went up from the Gunstock me. "That's the desperado which men, and guns bristled all robbed me! Them's my tights he's got on!"

"What's this?" roared

"A dern fake!" bellered the Gunstock men was cussing the man with the red bandanner. and threatening me, when "This here is Bruiser

"Then who's he?" "Sure," said Kirby, somebody bawled, pointing at

"My name's Breckinridge Elkins and I can "That's a lie!" lick any man here!" I roared,

getting mad. I brandished my fists in defiance, but my britches started sliding down again, so I had to shut up and grab 'em.

"Aha!" the man with the red bandanner howled like a hyener. "He admits it! I dunno what the idee is, but these Tomahawk polecats has doublecrossed somebody! I trusts that vou jackasses from Gunstock realizes the blackness and hellishness of their hearts! This man McGoorty rode into Perdition a few hours ago in his unmentionables, astraddle of that there mule, and told us how he'd been held up and robbed and put on the wrong road. You skunks was too proud to stage this fight in Perdition, but we ain't the men to see justice scorned with impunity!

To be continued.

July 23, 2009

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#### **2009 Property Tax Rates** in CALLAHAN COUNTY

This notice concerns 2009 property tax rates for CALLAHAN COUNTY. It presents information about three tax rates Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:	General Fund	Bridge Fund
Last year's operating taxes	\$1,345,289	\$468,835
Last year's debt taxes	\$0	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$1,345,289	\$468,835
Last year's tax base	\$413,083,489	\$407,186,903
Last year's total tax rate	0.32567/\$100	0.11514/\$100
This year's effective tax rate:		
Last year's adjusted taxes	\$1,329,073	\$462,996
(after subtracting taxes on lost property)		
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$406,102,066	\$397,801,642
(after subtracting value of new property)		
= This year's effective tax rate		
for each fund	0.32727/\$100	0.11638/\$100
Total effective tax rate	0.44365/\$100	
(Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds he	earings.)	
This year's rollback tax rate:		
Last year's adjusted operating taxes	\$1,329,073	\$462,996
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and		
adjusting for any transferred function tax increment		
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enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	notante an estate	in the special contracts
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$406,102,066	\$397,801,642
= This year's effective		Children Van
operating rate	0.32727/\$100	0.11638/\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum		
operating rate	0.35345/\$100	0.12569/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate for		
each fund	0.35345/\$100	0.12569/\$100
This year's total rollback rate	0.47914/\$100	THE COUNTY OF THE PARTY OF THE
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If CALLAHAN COUNTY adopts a 2009 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$0.44365 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2008 taxes by \$93,623.

Schedule A: General Fund

**Unencumbered Fund Balances** The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund Schedule B: General Fund

2009 Debt Service The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if appli

odes no sange	Principal or	Interest to be		
	Contract Payment	Paid from	Other	
Description	to be Paid from	Property	Amounts	Total
of Debt	Property Taxes	Taxes	to be Paid	Payment
Enter Text Here	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total required fo	r 2009 Debt Service			\$0
- Amount (if any)	paid from funds listed in Sch	edule A	Children and Charles	\$0
- Amount (if any)	paid from other resources			\$0
- Excess collection	ns last year			\$0
= Total to be paid	from taxes in 2009			\$0
+ Amount added i	in anticipation that the unit w	ill collect only 95.00% of its t	taxes in 2009	\$0
= Total debt levy				\$0
	Schedule	A: Special Road/Bridge Fu	nd	

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation. Type of Property Tax Fund

Schedule B: Special Road/Bridge Fund - 2009 Debt Service The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts

	Principal or Contract Payment	Interest to be Paid from	Other	
Description	to be Paid from	Property	Amounts	Total
of Debt	Property Taxes	Taxes	to be Paid	Payment
Enter Text Here	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total required fo	r 2009 Debt Service			\$0
- Amount (if any)	paid from funds listed in Sch	edule A		\$0
- Amount (if any)	paid from other resources			\$0
- Excess collection	ns last year			\$0
= Total to be paid	from taxes in 2009			\$0
+ Amount added	in anticipation that the unit w	rill collect only 95.00% of its	taxes in 2009	\$0
= Total debt levy				\$0

**This notice** contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 132 West 4th St., Baird, Texas 79504.

Name of person preparing this notice: Bun Barry
Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: July 17, 2009

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### **Connect to Energy Savings**

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- Check your air-conditioning filter every month and replace as needed.
- Keep windows that let the sun in covered when the sun is shining on them.
- Weather strip and caulk around windows and doors to prevent drafts.
- Close your fireplace damper when the fireplace is not being used.
- Use fans to help circulate the air in your house. Air-dry dishes in the dishwasher.
- Lower the temperature on your hot water heater to warm during the summer, take short showers and wash only full loads of clothes in the laundry.

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The Champ to beat this month, if possible, is Bob Caret, with Hunter Thomas coming in 2nd

Come join some real pros and try to win a prize! There is no cost to the tournament, if you would like to make donation to the center you may do so.

#### **Angelfood Ministries** now Taking Orders at the Senior Center

If you would like to order Angelfood, you may place your order at the Senior Center! The Center is open Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for your convenience.

The deadline to order is August 15, and pickup will be August 29. The pickup will be at the Center from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. If you have not tried Angelfood before, come by and look at the menu and try it for a month!

Balance

#### Arrest Made in **Theft Attempt**

On Saturday morning, July 11th, just after midnight, an alert neighbor notified the Sheriff's office of a possible burglary in progress behind the Elementary School in Clyde.

A vehicle had been seen turning in and turning off its lights at the construction site at the school.

Officers were immediately dispatched and upon arrival Deputy Ravenscroft found subjects loading construction material into a pickup.

Deputy Ravenscroft arrested one subject and a second person of interest was interviewed and released.

Clyde Police Department Tommy Morris assisted in this arrest, arriving on scene along with Deputy Ravenscroft. Subject Israel Delagarza, Hispanic male, 43, was taken to Callahan County Jail where he has been charged with State Jail Felony Theft, and is being held on \$3,000 bond. More arrests in this case are possible.

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### Monthly Pool Grand Ole Oplin fish fry dinner set for Saturday, July 25th

Everyone is invited out to the Oplin Community Center on Saturday, July 25th for a fish fry dinner with all the trimmings and a Saturday night dance benefiting the Oplin Community Center. Our community center was originally built in 1938 as the Oplin High School. Time has taken its toll and our building requires much needed repairs and maintenance, not just for now but for the future too. The Oplin Community Center hosts the Grand Ole Oplin each Friday night and is also available for reunions, meetings, elections, private parties; whatever the need may be. Our volunteers work hard to maintain our community center but we need your assistance and support to keep our building in good shape for

Our fish fry dinner with all the trimmings will begin at 5:00 p.m. at a cost of \$7.50 per plate (dessert and home-made ice cream will be available for an extra \$1.00). Our dance. beginning at 7:30 p.m. and ending at 10:30 p.m., will feature Muddy Creek playing all your favorite dancing tunes with admission being \$5.00 per person. We will also feature a bake sale during the dinner and dance. For further information or to make donations please call Judy Woodard at 529-3129.

So mark your calendar for Saturday, July 25th and gather the family and all your friends and come on out to the Oplin Community Center for an evening of good food, good music and a real good time. We appreciate your support.

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