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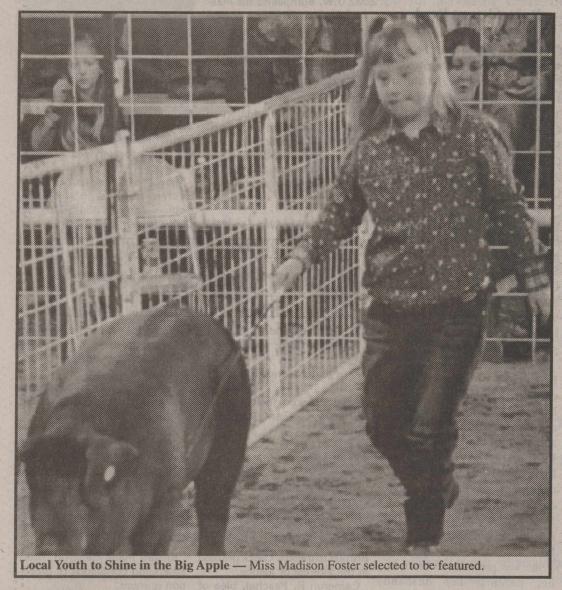


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**CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443** 

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## Cross Plains Resident to be Featured in Times Square in New York City

Madison Foster to help Kick Off Down Syndrome Awareness Month in Unique Video Presentation

Foster, daughter of Kyle and of Times Square. Penny Foster of Cross Plains, will September 22, as part of the Livestock Show. National Down Syndrome Society (NDSS) annual Times presentation kicks off Down Americans who Down syndrome. Square Video Presentation, which Syndrome Awareness Month in The mission of NDSS is to be the embodies the NDSS mission to October. The video presentation national advocate for the value, promote the value, acceptance will be followed by the 18th acceptance and inclusion of and inclusion of people with Annual New York City Buddy Down syndrome.

Madison is pictured with her appear in the bright lights Duroc pig she exhibited in the Down Syndrome Society is a of Broadway on Saturday, 2012 Callahan County Junior nonprofit organization with more

Walk in Central Park. This year, The photo of Madison, who has Buddy Walk events will be held Down syndrome, was selected in more than 250 cities across from over 1,000 entries in the the country, as well as select their quality of life, realize their NDSS worldwide call for photos. international locations, in life aspirations, and become Over 200 photographs will and around October. For valued members of welcoming appear in he video, which will be information about the NDSS communities.

NEW YORK, NY-Madison Sony screen, located in the heart www.buddywalk.org or call 800-221-4602.

About NDSS —The National than 350 affiliates nationwide The Times Square video representing over 400,000 people with Down syndrome. NDSS envisions a world in which all people with Down syndrome have the opportunity to enhance shown on the News Corporation Buddy Walk Program visit information visit www.ndss.org.

## Cross Plains Public Library Receives \$1,000 in Memorial Gifts

is honored to be the recipient of Foundation, and I was touched by lights on and the doors open. The two \$500 donations in memory of her gesture. She knew the generous support of our friends the late Isabel Brown Wilson, importance of libraries, especially and patrons are very much past Chairman of the Board of in smaller communities. This Directors for The Brown seems an appropriate way to Foundaion, Inc. of Houston.

a grantor of the Cross Plains Public Library with a gift for our 2012 Summer Reading Program in the amount of \$2,000.

Kathleen Patton (Katy) Hays, Chief Grants Officer for the so honored to receive these two of them in the Houston area. foundation, chose to donate \$500 wonderful gifts in memory of Isabel Wilson was one of three to our library in memory of Ms. Isabel Brown Wilson. Although sisters who oversaw the Wilson, who passed away on our library has been fortunate to philanthropic activities of the March 27, 2012. Ms. Hays wrote, receive several grants this year for "Mrs. Wilson directed a gift to our programs, we still need funds

The foundation recently became good she did very privately."

Ms. Hays' gift with another check

The Cross Plains Public Library your library from the Brown for operating expenses to keep the appreciated."

> Established in 1951 by honor her memory and all the construction magnates George and Herman Brown and their The Brown Foundation's Staff wives, Alice Pratt Brown and Matching Gifts Program matched Margarett Root Brown, the Brown Foundation has given out for \$500. Library board president more than \$1.25 billion in grants Wilma Lawrence states, "We are to a variety of organizations, most Brown Foundation.

Submitted by Michelle Kaiser

## THIRD ANNUAL MEMORIAL **RANCH RODEO SEPTEMBER 8**

The 3rd annual Memorial Ranch watching the ranch rodeo some boot scootin music in the

Rodeo, brought to you by including: cow milking, park, provided by the Callahan Turkey Creek Rodeo Club will be branding, pinning, the kids Divide band. Admission to the held this Saturday, September mutton busting, Shetland bronco dance is \$10.00 dollars with a 8th, the rodeo will start at riding, junior bull riding and new \$5.00 cooler charge. No glass 7:00p.m. dance at 9:00p.m. this year, magic carpet ride. Two, containers. The concession stand Come out to the rodeo grounds, support the local first will be open providing, hot dogs, located one mile west of Cross responders while enjoying the hamburgers, drinks and snacks. Plains on Hwy. 36, where you can rodeo. A portion of the TCRC For more information call 325accomplish 3 things, one night, proceeds will be given to them. 665-2419. one place. One, have a great time Three, starting 9:00p.m. will be

## "Murder at the 'Meet the Author" **Tickets NOW on SALE**

for October's The Big Read "Meet the Author" fare. "Everything Poe" celebration.

present "Murder at the 'Meet the be preceded by a "Pre-Carnage first choice of seating. General Author" on Saturday 29th in the Party" beginning at 5:30 p.m. admission for the play only is \$10 Cross Plains High School with non-alcoholic "POE-tions" and a limited number of programs Auditorium. This second play of and hors d'oevres (enough to fill will be available for purchase for our "Murder at the..." series is the any appetite) to fit in with the \$1.00 each. Tickets are now perfect "pre-kick-off" event theme of the library's usual available at the library.

Tickets for the party and play are

Cross Plains Public Library will The 7:00 p.m. performance will \$15 and include a program and

Submitted by Michelle Kaiser

## **Burn Ban** lifted

Callahan County has lifted the Countywide Burn Ban effective immediately.

The Burn Ban was lifted after most of the county received much-needed rainfall Friday, Sunday and Monday of last

The Callahan County Commissioners' Court will again discuss the Burn Ban at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

#### Countywide Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club Meeting Monday, September 10 The Cross Plains Athletic football, basketball, track and

planning meeting on Monday, baseball, softball and cross coun-September 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the try, to please mark you calendars gym foyer. This meeting agenda for this meeting. ers for the 2012-2013 year.

athletic programs including the shirts w/roster is \$18.00.

Booster Club will be having a field, cheerleading, tennis, golf,

includes homecoming activities, The deadline to order you fundraising, and election of offic-homecoming Buffaloes Football T-shirts will be Monday, Anyone wishing to be involved September 10th. Orders can be with the Booster Club to help with turned into Lurene or Krissi in the any activities that benefit all the high school offices. The cost of

#### Cross Plains I.S.D. Selected as Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce Business of the Month for September

continued a downward spiral in pulled in too many ways.

Cross Plains ISD was first built countless extra-curricular and Dobbins, High School Principal, in 1927. Although other schools sporting activities. Many of is also in her fourth year. Jeremy were built in and around Cross Cross Plains students participate Williams has recently replaced Plains before 1927, the new in virtually every activity, long-time Elementary Principal building of 1927 was the first causing some parents to be Margie Sowell. Ms. Sowell brick building. Enrollment has concerned that their child is remains with the system in charge

peak enrollment of 474 in 1999 state mandated testing results list waiting for the 2012 down to 339 total students in Cross Plains as one of the top Homecoming activities beginning schools in the nation, according on Tuesday, September 11 and Modern-day Cross Plains ISD to U.S. News and World Report. is well-known for its strong Superintendent of School Phil football game and dance on academic programs, well- Mitchell is starting his fourth year

The current location of the rounded agricultural classes and with Cross Plains ISD. Diana of federal and state programs.

recent years—going from the College entrance exams and The School District is anxiously concluding with the parade,

## **Cottonwood Country** Musical will be Friday, September 7th

Musical is Friday, September 7th. Serving begins at 5 p.m. and the Come hear your favorite music starts at 5:30 p.m. The musicians sing and play. Anyone proceeds from the kitchen go wishing to perform at the to the maintenance of the Cottonwood Country Musical, Cottonwood Community Center. call Cookie Robinson at For a night of good country 325-660-5771 for availability of music listening, come to a time on the schedule.

BBQ sandwiches and all the September 7th. trimmings will be served in the kitchen as well as the usual

2012 Cross Plains Buffaloes Varsity Football

Friday, September 7th

Petrolia (game at Jacksboro)

Come Out and Support the Buffs, Cheerleaders and Band

7:30 p.m.

The next Cottonwood Country sandwiches and desserts. Cottonwood

> Submitted by Cookie Robinson

## Saturday, September 15. lexas Heritage Bank We're Proud of Our Local Heritage' Member FDIC **Presents:** "What's Inside"

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Gas prices got you down? Shop in our hometown.

## **Time Capsule Burial After Homecoming Parade** The Cross Plains Public Library gathering items that will show

following the homecoming January 2061.

For over a year, we have been

invites you to join us for a brief future residents what life is life ceremony as we bury our "time today in Cross Plains. The capsule" in the library park capsule is set to be opened in

Submitted by **Judy Luter** 

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

#### **COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH** Sunday School ......9:45 AM Morning Worship......11:00 AM Evening Service... Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Time......7:00 PM David Braun, Pastor Church (254) 725-6266

## **Triple Cross Cowboy Church**

Every Sunday at 10:30 am Services held at 18071 CR 421, Cross Plains (1/2 mile North of Cross Plains city limits on Hwy 206)



Pastor:

Friendly Church

Al Taylor, Preacher Phone: 254-725-7522 Cell Phone: 325-370-6680

**Music Director:** 

Bible Teaching

## **Living Water Ministries Fellowship**

Restoring And Equipping The Saints

Sunday....10:00 am Wednesday....7:00 pm Pastor Max Evans

For Information Call (254) 725-7418

## **Pioneer Baptist Church**

<b>Dwaine Clowers</b>	Barbara Jo Medley
Sunday School	10:00am
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00pm
Wednesday Prayer Service	

#### **Rowden Baptist Church**

Pastor: Wayne Lenz **Music: Karen Lenz & Diane Woods** 

Bible Study...10:00 am Sunday Morning Worship...11:00 am

2990 Highway 36 at Rowden 12 Miles West of Cross Plains

## **First United Methodist Church**

Kevin Morton, Pastor

Office 725-7377 **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.

Parsonage 725-7694 **Sunday Worship** 10:45 a.m.

1000 North Main Street www.gbgm-umc.org/crossplains/

## First Presbyterian Church

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#### **Oplin Community Cemetary seeking** donations

The Oplin Community Cemetary will be adding a pavillion for services. Anyone wishing to make a donation to help cover the costs involved in building this pavillion can send their donations to either Shirley Landers or Doug Campbell. For further information or if you have any questions please call Doug Campbell at (325) 529-4301.

#### Comptroller's **Office Offers Vital** Resource for **Business Owners Looking** for Answers to **Their State Tax**

(AUSTIN) —During the month of September, the Comptroller's office will conduct eight free taxpayer seminars across the state. At these seminars, taxpayers can learn how to properly fill out tax forms, and file and pay taxes electronically. Information about e-services will also be available to help taxpayers manage their accounts online. Comptroller representatives will be on hand to answer questions and provide assistance to attendees.

Questions

"We want to empower Texas business owners by making resources and information accessible. Conducting these seminars and making our team of tax specialists available provides guidance for businesses," said R.J. DeSilva, spokesperson for the Comptroller's office.

A complete list of locations, dates and times of the taxpayer seminars is available at www.window.state.tx.us/ taxinfo/seminars.html. Those who are unable to attend the seminars can call the Comptroller's tax assistance line at 1-800-252-5555. Tax forms and tax information can also be found on the Comptroller's website, www.window.state.tx.us.

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#### **Ruby Sharon Reed**

Ruby Sharon Reed, age 75, of Cross Plains passed away Friday, August 31, 2012 in Brownwood. Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. Monday, September 3, 2012 at First United Metodist Church in Cross Plains with Kevin Morton officiating. Graveside service followed at 2:30 .m. in the Lakeview Cemetery in Winters.

Sharon was born May 24, 1937 in Winters, Texas to Daniel and Ruby (Bell Gresham, Sr. She graduated from Winters High School and went to Cisco Junior College, then attended Tarleton State University in Stephenville where she received her RN license. She was also a professional seamstress.

She is survived by her husband Bill Reed of Cross Plains; children Leeland Watson and Debbie Mueller, Terry Watson and Phyllis; Shari Watson Moore and husband Jess; David Shawn Reed and wife Vicky; a sister Priscilla Hodges; longtime caregiver Linda Reed; 40 grandchildren; 65 great-grandchildren; 5 great-great-grandchildren; and if a kid just showed up, they became another grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Raymond Earl Watson; Troy and Mae Watson; Daniel Gresham; Darrell Gresham and three sons.

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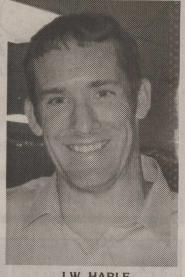
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Banner until 2011.

# J.W. Harle to Speak at First Presbyterian Church this Sunday

First Presbyterian Church of Baird will welcome J.W. Harle back as guest speaker this Sunday, Sept. 9th. Church members extend an invitation to local residents to join them for the worship service at 10:00 Sunday morning and especially hope that classmates and friends of J.W. will attend to hear his message. The church is located at 104 E. 4th Street in Baird.

A native of Baird J.W. will be speaking at the church in which he grew up. He is a 1995 graduate of Baird High School. In 2002 J.W. completed his Master of Physical Therapy degree at Texas Tech University. After receiving his Master of Theology from Dallas Theological Seminary in 2011, he accepted a position as coordinator of the Young Life youth ministry in Mason County. In addition to developing Christian youth programs for all ages and denominations in Mason and serving on the local ministerial alliance, he has preached at several churches this summer for vacationing



J.W. HARLE

serving as Diocesan Deacon at the Episcopal Retreat of the Dioceses of North West Texas this coming weekend. The retreat will be at the Quarterman Ranch north of Amarillo. Dr. Waters will return for services in Baird on Sept. 16th.

For more information contact Evelyn Hughes, 854-1119; Debbie James, 854-5940; or Pastor Dr. Mark Waters will be Ginny Roden, 854-1749.

Callahan County Court Roger Corn, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Alice S. Melton, theft by check. Charles C. Zara, terroristic threat.

#### **Misdemeanor Minutes**

Clyde G. Hall, plea of guilty to criminal mischief, 6 month probation, \$300 fine, \$264 court costs, \$100 restitution.

Chadwyck H. Baize, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of justice.

Cameron R. Paschal, plea of guilty to possession of controlled substance, 1 year probation, \$1500 fine, \$324 court costs.

Celeste J. Sanchez, motion to dismiss to driving while license invalid (DWLI) granted for plea to other case.

Angela Johnson, motion to dismiss to possession of marijuana granted for plea to other case.

Stoney Walker, motion to dismiss to open container granted for plea to other case.

Stoney Walker, motion to dismiss to possession of drug paraphernalia granted for plea to other case.

Stoney Walker, motion to dismiss to driving under the influence (minor) granted for plea to other case.

Stoney Walker, plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, 1 year probation, \$500 fine, \$424 court costs.

Steven Crowder, motion to dismiss to public intoxication a controlled substance.

granted for plea to other case. Steven Crowder, motion to dismiss to DWLI granted for plea to other case.

Jessica S. Wilson, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of justice. Travis Wheeler, plea of guilty

to assault - family violence, 30 days in jail, \$314 court costs. James L. Gibson, motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Patsy Jo Dugan, motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Kristan Marie Bancroft, order amending conditions of probation granted.

Richard Marshall, plea of guilty to DWI, 1 year probation, \$500 fine, \$424 court costs.

> **42nd District Court** John Weeks, presiding

> > Civil Filings

Larry Segura Sr. vs. Vicki Segura, divorce.

The State of Texas vs. \$1261.00 in US currency, seizure and intended forfeiture.

#### **Civil Minutes**

The State of Texas vs. trailer, default judgment granted. Dale Betcher vs. Tommy Dale Betcher and Connie L. Betcher, judgment granted.

> Criminal Information and Complaints

Sidney Walton, possession of

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

Calls received by the Callahan County Department of Public Safety from August 25, 2012 through August 31, 2012 include:

**Cases Investigated** Warnings—173 Complaints-46 **Vehicle Accidents** 

There were two vehicle accidents investigated during this

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## First Baptist Church

Sunday School 9:30 am

Sunday **Morning Worship** 10:45 a.m.

Sunday **Evening Worship** 6:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday

6:30 pm Prayer/Worship Youth Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Children's Power Hour 6:30 p.m.

#### Ronnie B. White, Pastor

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## Cottonwood News

Beverly Brown

fires over the weekend. Both last Friday. The group raised times the water truck also money for the Senior Center. responded bringing water to the scene for the firetrucks to refill Musical is coming up on Friday, kids. their tanks. We are so lucky to September 7th. Refreshments have this truck and a great group will be served in the kitchen. of firefighters in our community.

call the Sheriff's department and the Memorial Ranch Rodeo at the let them know that you will be Turkey Creek Rodeo Grounds for the Battle Creek Coon burning before you light the They will be helping with the gate Hunters Association is Saturday, 325-854-1444, and please be A portion of the proceeds from the barbecue dinner, this time there

careful when you burn. Brown and Gilbert Ibarra helped for Cross Plains High School. to the cookout. with the Lowe's Market

The Cottonwood Country

On Saturday, September 8, look A reminder that the Burn Ban is for members of the Cottonwood OFF. You can burn, but you must Volunteer Fire Control Group at Their number at the entrance to Treadway Park. September 22nd. Instead of a Memorial Ranch Rodeo goes to will be a hamburger and hotdog Roger Hinkle, Joe and Deana help local firefighters and EMS. cookout at the firehouse. Terstegge, Teri and Beverly September 15th is Homecoming Remember, bring your own chair

Cottonwood Volunteer Fire hamburger and hotdog fundraiser The parade starts at 2 p.m. on Control was called out on two in front of Lowe's in Cross Plains Saturday, September 15th. The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control will have trucks in the parade and coloring books for the

> The Cottonwood Homecoming will start at 5 p.m. at the Cottonwood Community Center. Come out and see your friends and classmates.

The last coon hunt of the season

## **ANNUAL COMMUNITY** WIDE SALE OCTOBER 6TH

The Annual Community Wide maps of sales given out to can be added to the map. Watch Sale, the first Saturday in residents and "drivers by". The this newspaper for detils in October 6th, is only one month sale will be advertised for 8a.m. coming weeks. To be one of the away. Sponsered by the local to 2p.m., with plenty of time to first to get your name on the list, chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, you join the Cancer Walk activities call Wanda Merryman at can join in by signing up for your later that day. If you want your 725-4492. A small fee of \$3.00 sale to be publicized by BSP, with sale to extend to a later time, that will be charged.

## September is National Voter Registration Month

retary of State Hope Andrade The deadline to request a ballot today is announcing September by mail is October 30th. is National Voter Registration her colleagues with the National Association of Secretaries of important announcement.

"Voting is every Texan's opportunity to make their mark on Texas' future," said Secretary Andrade. "Registering is the first step in the voting process. I urge Texans to check their voter registration status at VoteTexas.gov where to register and vote."

online, one-stop voter resource, www.VoteTexas.gov. They can tion." also find contact information for or county clerks around Texas. The early voting period in Texas state's online, one-stop voter

AUSTIN, Texas - Texas Sec- tinues through November 2nd.

The nation's secretaries of state Month. Secretary Andrade joins established September as National Voter Registration Month to encourage voter participation State (NASS) in making this and increase awareness of state requirements and deadlines for voting. September 25th is National Voter Registration Day.

"Secretaries of state want to encourage eligible voters to register and make sure their registration information is up-to-date before deadlines pass," noted and learn about how, when and NASS President Ross J. Miller, who serves as Nevada Secre-October 9th is the deadline to tary of State. "If your informaregister to vote in Texas to be tion is outdated or incorrect, or eligible to vote in the November if you aren't sure how to register 6th General Election. Texans can to vote, there is time to get it verify their voter registration sta-straightened out with your state tus or find information on how to or local election office, so you register to vote at the state's can cast your vote easily in the November 6th presidential elec-

For more information on voter all local elections administrators registration options and deadlines in Texas, please visit the begins October 22nd and con-resource, www.VoteTexas.gov.

To get your name on the Birthday Column, send your name and date of birth to The Cross Plains Review, P.O. Box 519, Cross Plains, Texas 76443, There is no charge for this service. To delete a name due to death or other reasons send name and birth date (Month and Day) or Call 254-725-6111



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## Tribute to Sharon Reed from her

She was born in Winters, Texas in 1937 and attended school there. In 1951 she married Raymond Earl Watson. Together they raised a family of two boys and adopted

They built a business and had a farm near Cross Plains where they lived. She helped Ray in their phone business. During that time she also earned her LVN license and worked in a hospital in Eastland. In her spare time she helped start an ambulance service Volume 2, the second Cross Plains in Cross Plains.

accident, she married Rev. Bill 'Heritage Bank, the Senior Reed, Sr., pastor of the Cross Center, Salamander's, Lawrence Plains United Methodist Church, and she adopted another son. As a Baptist all her life, she joined the Methodist Church. She Curls. The book is \$20. became an excellent pastor's

Meridian, Texas she established the ambulance service almost alone single-handed. She and her for 12 years.

began working in Hospice available in late August. nursing. She had a car accident became bad. Sharon continued Remembered Volume 2. to sew, as it was something she To order a copy of Cross Plains truly enjoyed.

worker. God blessed her with a to: very good life and she will be greatly missed by family and

Survivors include her husband Bill Reed Jr. and Gail, Sandy Urbanski, James Reed, Matthew Reed and Timothy Reed and shipping instead of \$4.50.

#### Plains Cross Area Genealogy **Society Meeting**

The Cross Plains Area Genealogy Society will host Lee Abernathy from the Callahan County Historical Commission at their September 10th meeting.

Mr. Abernathy will be speaking about the history of Callahan County. Please mark your calendars and join us at 1:00 pm at the Cross Plains Library to learn more about our county's history. Visitors are always welcome.

Submitted by Sylvia Lacy King

#### **Grand Ole Oplin to** host Muddy Creek on Friday September the 7th

The Grand Ole Oplin invites everyone each Friday evening for a night of good music and lots of dancing. On September 7th MUDDY CREEK will be joining us playing all your favorite two-steps and waltzes, on September 14th EXIT 277 will be here playing the kind of music that makes you want to get up and dance, on September 21st JERRY BAIERDETEXAS TRADITIONS will be joining us playing all your country favorites, and on September 28th MUDDY CREEK will be back playing some more of your favorite two-step and waltzes.

The Grand Ole Oplin is hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersection of F.M. 604 S. and F.M. 2926.

Admission to our Friday night dances are still only \$5.00 per person. Everyone is invited to bring a snack to be shared by all during the band's break. No Alcohol. No smoking. Our dances begin at 7:30 p.m. and end at 10:30 p.m.

So gather the family and all of your friends and come on out to the Grand Ole Oplin.

### Cross Plains Remembered Volume 2 Available NO

Cross Plains Remembered Remembered book is on the After her husband died in an stands and available now at Texas Farm and Ranch Supply, Cross Plains Review, Cross Plains Library or Connie's Cuts and

The new book features more photos, other material gathered at She earned her RN license at the scanning events at the Senior Tarleton State University and she Center this spring. In fact, so served as a nurse in various much material came in during hospitals. At one of their those scanning events that it appointments as a pastor in wouldn't all fit into Volume 2. Rather than condense the histories and not use some of the photographs, the material has husband Bill served as EMT's been divided into two books. So a third book, Cross Plains Upon going to Corsicana she Remembered Volume 3 will be

Family histories and photos, and ended her nursing career. school photos, photos of Burkett, Upon retiring her husband started Pioneer and surrounding areas, raising cattle and grain and she Veterans photos and lots of helped him until her health others are in the Cross Plains

Remembered Volume 2 or Volume She was a loving wife and a hard 1, send \$20, plus \$4.50 shipping

**Barbarian Festival** P.O. Box 741 Cross Plains, TX 76443.

We will send one out to you. Just Rev. Bill Reed, Sr; and children, specify which book you'd like us to send. If you'd like one of each or two of Volume 1 or 2, send \$6

Submitted by Teri Brown

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Cross Plains Review

## SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER ACTIVITIES:

Monday, 10th Excercise 11:00 Tuesday,11th Exercise 11:00

Wednesday,12th - Exercise 11:00/Girling Blood

Thursday,13th- Exercise 11:00/Zumba 5:15 Friday, 14th - Exercise 10:45/ Bingo 11:15

HOME DELIVERED MEALS MUST CALL TO ORDER, AND OR CANCEL A MEAL NO LATER THAN 10:00 A.M.

Do you have any talents that you would like to share? Call the Senior Citizens Center at 254-725-6521 so you can share your talent with the Seniors during lunch time.

#### SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

#### SEPTEMBER 10 - 14

MONDAY-Chicken Pot Pit/ THURSDAY-BBQ Sausage/ Kidney Beans/Fruit/Cookie/ Pinto Beans/Potato Salad/Bread/ Drink

TUESDAY-Cheeseburger/Lett/ FRIDAY-Tuna Sandwich/Pasta Tom/Pickle/Potato wedges/ Salad/ fruit/Drink Fruit/Drink

WEDNESDAY - Chicken Fajita/ Salad w/beans/ Spanish rice/ Fruit/Drink

Dessert/Drink

**MEAL IS SERVED -**11:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

#### Abilene VFW sponsors Bicycle Rodeo on Sept. 22nd

cycle Rodeo on Saturday, Sep- demonstration will take place. tember 22nd at 1049 Veterans Drive in Abilene.

9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Awards will be announced at etc. will be handed out. A bi-12:00 noon. You must be present

Awards will be given in three groups, including:

First and Second Grades Third and Fourth Grades Fifth and Sixth Grades

First place is \$50.00, second place award is \$25.00 and third place award is \$10.00 plus trophies will be awarded in group fourth and fifth grade.

Training wheels and pre-kindergarten and kindergarten awards will be \$10.00 for first place, \$7.00 for second place, and \$5.00 for third place, and trophies. You must be present to

All participants must wear helmets (we will have some available). All participants must be accompanied by their parents or a guardian over 18.

Refreshments for all participants and their parents will include hamburgers, hot dogs, snow cones, cotton candy. There will also be an air castle for the children to enjoy and a fire truck

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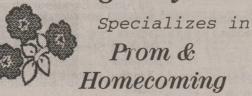
The Veterans of Foreign Wars for them to see. A coloring con-Post #6873 and Auxiliaries is test will be conducted on Patrisponsoring its 24th annual Bi- otic pictures and a flag folding

A safety inspection of bicycles will be performed and safety Registration will be held from literature on "Say No to Drugs" "Bicycle Safety", "Fire Safety" cycle obstacle course will also be available.

The Abilene Fire Department and a Law Enforcement Officer will be present for the bicycle



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2012

**Cross Plains** 

**Buffaloes** 

**Breakfast** 

September 7

First Baptist

Church

**Family Life** 

Center

7:00 a.m.

Open to ALL High

School Students,

Teachers, Staff,

**Coaches & Parents** 

Ask your neighbors, friends and them to the school. co-workers to collect tapes, too!

**School Codes are:** 51737 for the High School

51738 for Elementary. There will be receipt drop off

Please shop at Lowe's, save you boxes at the Elementary office receipts dated August 17, 2012 - and the High School office. The March 31, 2013 and send them grocery store will no longer be in to school with your child. collecting receipts, please take

> Fill out the entry form below and send it to school with your receipt tapes by January 15, 2013 to get a chance to win a \$500 Lowe's grocery gift certificate and an iPod Shuffle.

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Callahan Co. 4-H

A team of 5 can shoot 50

targets each at the Whiz Bang

field for \$125. Call to reserve a

There will also be another 5-

Stand field set up for 25 targets.

Cost will be \$10 per 25 targets.

\$6 per round (25 targets).

The Trap field will be open for

So if you're not finding the

amount of birds you would like

to, or you would like to hone

your bird hunting skills before you go out that afternoon, bring

your shotgun, shells, vest, eye

and ear protection and come out to shoot some clays.

Concession stand will be open.

For more information or to re-

serve a time for a team to shoot

5-Stand, call Kevin Meier at

(325) 665-7810.

time to shoot.

**Annual 5-Stand** 





Superintendent Phil Mitchell introduces new staff members At in-service luncheons.— Local groups honor school personnel. As a show of gratitude and respect of the CPISD employees, several local groups provided lunch for the staff during their week of in-service training prior to the start of the school year. A number of years ago, Project Pride started what has become a traditional and now community-wide event. The Masonic Lodge joins with Project Pride to serve lunch at the First Baptist Family Life Center. Additional help for that meal now comes from the Glory Be Women's group from the Methodist Church. Serving lunches on three other days were the Church of Christ members and both the Women's and Men's Ministry groups from the Baptist Church. What a beautiful gesture of support for the hardworking administrators, teachers and the entire support staff.

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#### 1st Annual Cross Plains Classic to Benefit **Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund** September 15th

**Shoot September 8** Come join us for the first annual Callahan County 4-H Shotgun Cross Plains Classic, September Sports will be holding the 9th 15th 7:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., a 5K annual 5-Stand Shoot on Saturevent in which all participants are day, September 8, 2012 at the encouraged to run or walk the Callahan County 4-H Shooting distance. There will also be a Sports Range between Clyde and Baird. Shooting hours will be 1-mile walk option. All proceeds between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 will go to benefit the local Cross Plains Community Cancer

> Those who pre-register (two weeks prior, i.e., deadline of September 1, 2012) will receive a T-shirt commemorating the

> There will also be a "Sleep-in" option for those who want to donate to the cause but are unable to participate in the event. Those who pre-register as a Sleep-in participant will also receive a

If you are unable to participate physically in the race, you can

sponsor someone who is. As this is also Homecoming for Cross Plains, classes can compete with

each other for bragging rights! Also you can participate in memory of someone or in honor of someone who is battling cancer. If you wish to choose any of these options, please express this upon registration.

You can contact Gary Moses 325-370-6678 or Roxie Thomas 254-725-6141 or 254-725-6436. Check out the website: http:// garymosesfitness.com/cpc2012 and click on Cross Plains Classic 5K to see promotion.

#### SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

2012-2013.

August 30, 2012

The Cross Plains I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in a called meeting with the following members present: Jack Shepard, Tommy Ames, Davy Crockett, John McWilliams, Michael Cowan and Bryan Bennett. at 8:10 p.m.

The following administrators were also present, Superintendent Phil Mitchell and High School Principal Dianna Dobbins.

Budget Amendment #2. For 6 Against 0

adopt the proposed Budget of Against 0

Motion was made by Cowan and seconded by McWilliams to move that the property tax rates be set as follows: For Maintenance and Operations \$1.04; for Interest and Sinking \$0.074; for a total tax rate of \$1.114; thus the tax rate will

be raised 3.89 percent more than

taxes last year. For 6 Against 0 Motion was made by Bennett and seconded by Cowan to approve of Callahan County Motion was made by Cowan and Extension Agent as Adjunct Staff, seconded by Shepard to accept namely Jerry Warren. For 6 Against 0.

Motion was made by Bennett Motion was made by Bennett and seconded by McWilliams to and seconded by McWilliams to adjourn at 9:13 p.m. For 6

## 2012 Homecoming Parade **Upcoming—Make Plans**

Cross Plains Homecoming Parade is Saturday, September 15th at 2 p.m. All floats, cars. tractors, bicycles, 4-wheelers and wagons are encouraged to participate. We would like to have every class represented.

The parade will begin at the school, go south down Main Street, north on Avenue D and end at the school. Parents of children on bicycles may want to pick them up at the lot north of Dollar

General. Bicycles, 3 and 4-wheelers and motorcycles will line up between the high school and junior high school buildings. Judging will begin at 1 p.m. YOU MUST BE THERE TO BE JUDGED.

For more information call Susan McNeel Childers 254-725-6498 or Roxie Thomas 254-725-6436. Submitted by

Susan McNeel Childers

Texas Department of State **Health Services Immunization Clinic** 

In Clyde Wednesday, September 12th 10 - 12 & 1:30 -3 **First Baptist Church** 216 Austin For your convenience Please call to schedule an appointment If no Answer please leave a

message. Please Bring child's immunization Records. If hild is on Medicaid or CHIP please bring the card. For more information please call 325-754-4945

## MY CHILD IS SMART. WHY IS READING SUCH A STRUGGLE?

When a student struggles invited! Comanche ISD, concerned might have as well as give tips on there! parents in the entire area are

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## **Texas School Discipline:** Making the Grade?

By Jeanette Moll Across Texas this week, nearly five million students will begin a new school year. As the first bell rings, youths break the seal on boxes of pencils, and begin writing in a fresh new notebook, the last thought we would want to cross their minds is whether or not their schools are safe. Unfortunately, school crime remains a significant concern in Texas. While the overall Texas crime rate has dropped dramatically in the last few years, it is unfortunately no safer in Texas public schools than it was fifteen years ago. In fact, across the country, current school discipline practices have failed to substantially increase public school safety. The Texas Public Policy Foundation recently analyzed years of data on violent crime victimization as well as referrals to the juvenile justice system from Texas schools, and found that the exact same proportion of violent crime, 13.3 percent, exists in schools today than in 1996. Moreover, because of the decreasing crime rate elsewhere, students today are proportionally more likely to be a victim of a violent crime on a school campus than off. While it is excellent news that overall crime is decreasing, we would have hoped to see significant gains in school safety in recent years. This is because in 1995 Texas, and many other states, implemented a statewide zerotolerance policy. Billed as the best way to keep students safe, the policy mandated the removal of students

committing certain violations

from school through expulsion or suspension. Texas version of zero-tolerance was gradually expanded to include not just violent or dangerous behavior, but also drugs, alcohol, and sometimes even relatively minor infractions. For example, under state law and district codes of conduct, students can be removed for making too much noise, tardiness, and repeated eating or drinking in an undesignated area. These draconian policies often remove students from the education system altogether and instead use the juvenile justice system as a method of imparting discipline. Given the high rates at which zero-tolerance policies are applied, 60 percent of Texas students have been suspended, expelled, or placed in an alternative educational setting, we would expect to see dramatic gains in school safety. But that isn't the case. And at the high costs for current disciplinary practices in one year, Texas schools spent \$327 million on security and monitoring and an additional \$232 million on alternative education programs for disciplined students, Texas taxpayers are getting a poor return on their investment.A new model for school-based discipline has emerged, and it is of rather simple origin; a return to traditional schoolbased discipline for most minor misbehavior. A tiered discipline system, wherein students are first warned, then placed in a skills building, family meeting, or conflict resolution type program, and then finally on the third

juvenile justice system, has proven to be incredibly effective at addressing school misbehavior. Clayton County, Georgia, was the first to adopt a tiered discipline system for minor misbehavior such as fighting. Since, referrals to the juvenile justice system have dropped 67 percent, the number of weapons brought on campus dropped 73 percent, and graduation rates actually increased 20 percent.Further, with each fewer student disciplined by the justice system, taxpayers can save a bundle, and courts can focus on truly pressing matters. These substantial gains, after just a few years of implementation, suggest that this new model presents a viable alternative to the onesize-fits-all zero-tolerance policies of yesterday. Texas schools should begin transitioning away from the inflexible policies that failed to correct student behavior or increase the safety of Texas schools. Instead, tiered discipline systems can provide sufficient local control while increasing the number of students who can safely stay in school and receive their full education.By rethinking zerotolerance policies, which have failed to create safer schools, Texans can keep more of its kids in school, off the streets, and cracking the books. Jeanette Moll is a juvenile justice policy analyst for the Center for Effective Justice with the Texas Public Policy Foundation, a non-profit, freemarket research institute based in Austin.

## Callahan Co. 4-H Fall Frenzy Horse Show is September 29th

The Callahan County 4-H Fall Clovers Only: Barrels, Pole, Frenzy Horse Show will be held Saturday, September 29th at the Callahan County Riding Club Arena located on County Road a \$50 cost cap for youth com-258 and FM 603, south of Clyde. petitors. The cost is \$15 per an adult and a 4-Her in the same

7:30 a.m. until 8:30 a.m. Classes will start at 9:00 a.m.

Classes include: Poles Western Horsemanship Hunter Under Saddle

Stakes Western Riding Halter Classes Barrels

Western Pleasure **Hunter Seat Equitation** Western Showmanship Western Pleasure (walk/trot), and Halter

The cost is \$10 per event with Check in will take place from event for adult competitors (no event! cost cap) and \$5 per event with a \$15 cost cap for Clovers Prizes include:

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The event will be following the State 4-H Horse Show rule book! Adult competitors can compete on more than one horse,

To enter, please contact Rose at the Callahan County Extension Office at (325) 854-5835 or pick up an entry blank from Reserve All Around Hi-Point the Cowboy Way in Abilene or the Clyde Feed Store in Clyde. Entry postmarked deadline without late fee is September

19th. Anything after must be postmarked by September 25th with a late fee of \$10 per event entered.







Offensive Play — Tristen Stephenson - Junior Quarterback - #10 - gets set to run a play.





Looking Good — Justin Willis - Junior Fullback - #44 - Catches a pass from Tristen Stephenson 1st down - 21 yard gain.

**Bv Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison** 

In the passing of Neil Armstrong, America has lost not sity of Cincinnati. And in fightonly a national hero, but a man ing to preserve America's of great character who served manned space-flight program, his country in more ways than

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We all know the highlights: moon's surface, those unformuch more. Neil Armstrong was, neer" - who preferred a private life to the public adoration so spotlight for Mr Armstrong. many would have reveled in. made him a true American hero in the classic, and far too rare, on both sides of the aisle. sense: his bravery, his intellect,

reluctance to accept celebrity. noted that his and his colleagues' accomplishments were the reall the reward he needed.

country as a Navy fighter pilot in ship of deep-space exploration. the Korean conflict, in the NASA space program and as a senior subsequent Senate hearing NASA official.

NASA, he continued to give back, as a professor of aerospace engineering at the Univerhe did his country a tremendous

service yet again. I first met Neil after he, Apollo those first historic steps on the 13 Commander Jim Lovell and Gene Cernan - the Apollo 17 gettable words, the day that held Commander and the last man not only the country but the on the Moon - wrote an open world transfixed. But there was letter questioning the Obama Administration's proposal to at heart, a dedicated engineer - abandon the moon program. It or, as he put it, "a white-sock, was a rare breaking of the tradipocket-protector, nerdy engi- tional silence on such matters and an even rarer step into the

They were not alone in their That was a key part of what concern - it was shared by experts and members of Congress

The initial Administration plan his talent, yes; but also his in- proposed cancelling the existability to seek adulation and his ing space exploration program and suspended plans to build a He didn't rush to the spotlight replacement for the space or pound his chest. He always shuttle, placing immediate reliance on commercial capabilities, which were undeveloped sult of hundreds of thousands of and unproven. Neil Armstrong people over years and years. He was particularly concerned about was a man who loved what he leaning too heavily on commerdid and was good at it; that was cial crew vehicles, rightly believing that NASA should have ulti-Neil Armstrong served his mate ownership and steward-

Upon his retirement from helped inform the 2010 NASA Reauthorization Act, and their unyielding advocacy helped get the bi-partisan bill passed, saving the nation's manned space

exploration program. They perfectly summarized why the program is both exceptional and necessary in their initial: "America's space accomplishments earned the respect and admiration of the world. Science probes were unlocking the secrets of the cosmos; space technology was providing instantaneous worldwide communication; orbital sentinels were helping man understand the vagaries of nature. Above all else, the people around the world were inspired by the human exploration of space and the expanding of man's frontier. It suggested that what had been thought to be impossible was now within reach."

America's space program con-

tinues to hold the world in thrall. Hundreds of millions of people have seen the amazing pictures beamed back by the Mars rover, knowing its continued exploration brings the next logical step in our space-flight program - a manned mission to Mars - that much closer.

And that is thanks to Neil Armstrong in more ways than

Hutchison, a Republican, is The astronauts' testimony at a the senior U.S. senator from

## Texas Prepaid College Tuition Enrollment Opens Sept. 1st

(AUSTIN)—Parents looking to cost \$82.92 per unit. make their child's college education more affordable can begin enrolling in the Texas Tu- and required fees across all ition Promise Fund™, the state's Texas public two-year schools, prepaid college tuition program, cost \$21.39 each. on Sept. 1st. The enrollment period runs through Feb. 28,

prepay all or part of a child's school that most closely matches undergraduate tuition and fees at Texas public colleges and universities at today's prices," said Texas Comptroller Susan amount of Type II and III units) Combs. "And we offer flexible payment options to help fit any required fees. family's budget as they save for college."

Promise Fund purchase prepaid year costs for the state's public one unit.

and required fees for the most For more information about enexpensive public four-year rolling in the prepaid college tuschool in Texas, cost \$115.92 ition program, including a colper unit.

weighted average cost of tuition Fund.com or call (800) 445and required fees across all GRAD (4723), Option 5. Texas public four-year schools,

• Type III units, priced at the weighted average cost of tuition

Under the plan, 100 units equal one academic year consisting of 30 semester hours of tuition and "This program is a great way to required fees at the Texas public the pricing base. Families can prepay for up to six years (600 Type I units or the equivalent of undergraduate tuition and

The plan's payment options include lump sum payments, Families in the Texas Tuition installment payments that include 8 percent interest or a "tuition units" that can later be pay-as-you go plan that allows used toward undergraduate tu- parents to gradually add more ition and required fees at schools units when the family budget ranging from Texas public com- allows. Payments can be as low munity colleges to four-year, in- as \$15 after an account is estabstate universities. Prices are lished by paying a one-time fee based on 2012-13 academic of \$25 and purchasing at least

The Texas Tuition Promise • Type I units, priced for tuition Fund is entering its fifth year. lege cost calculator, go to Type II units, based on the www.TexasTuitionPromise-

Former resident Josh Harrell is

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## **Boy Scouts Will Have Booths During Homecoming 2012**

The Boy Scout Pack 212 from Abilene will have two booths, one the scout leader for the pack. He outside Lowe's Market and the encourages you to support the other in front of Salamander's on Boy Scouts by purchasing these Saturday, September 15th tasty treats. beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Light Butter and Unbelievable are available in microwavable packages. Caramel and taffy flavored popcorn will also be on

**CROSS PLAINS** SCHOOL MENU

September 10 - 14, 2012 <u>BREAKFAST</u>

MONDAY- Eggs, Bisquit, Assorted juice TUESDAY- Muffin, Yogurt, Assorted juice, Milk

WEDNESDAY- Waffle sticks, Sausage, Assorted juice, Milk

THURSDAY - Hot or Cold Cereal, Toast, Assorted juice.

FRIDAY- Honey bun, Yogurt, Assorted juice, Milk

**LUNCH** 

MONDAY-Pizza, Baby carrots, Seasoned Corn, Rosy Applesauce, Milk

TUESDAY- Salisbury steak, Brown gravy, Whipped potatoes, Western Beans, Hot Roll, Sliced peaches, Milk

WEDNESDAY-Beef & Bean chalupas, Garden salad, Salsa, Spanish rice, Strawberries & Bananas, Milk

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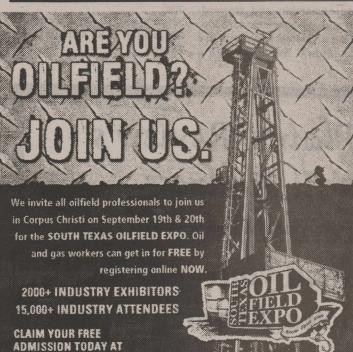


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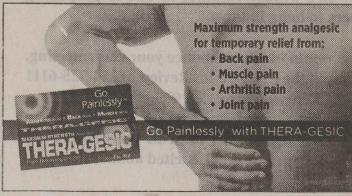
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# **Homecoming 2012**

## Class Meetings Announced

Class of 1947 and 1953 - Family Life Center at First Baptist Church. Open all Day for other classes to drop in for a visit.

Neil and Jo Veda (Fleming) Bush

Classes of the 1950's and 1960's - Welcome at the **Cross Plains Community Center all** day. If you have no place to meet come join the fun. **Bob Golson** 

Class of 1951 - Newton's Farm in Cross Cut (More Information Mailed Soon)

Class of 1952 - Home of Wilma Lawrence after the Homecoming Parade

Classes of 1954, 1955, and 1956 - Meet at **Church of Christ Activity Center** East Hwy. 36

Class of 1957 - First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 1000 N. Main St. Saturday, September 15th at 12 Noon Lunch will be catered by Bubba's BBQ. Classmates can return at 3:30 pm for the class meeting.

Class of 1958 - First United Methodist Church at 3:30 p.m. Bubba's BBQ will be served as "before the game" dinner. **Band Boosters sponsoring lunch at** school cafeteria at 11:30 a.m. —let's support the band and the Band Boosters.

Class of 1959, Class of 1981 and Class of 1992 -Home of Rolan and Sandra (Illingworth) Jones **North of County Show Barn** 

Classes of 1963, 1964 and 1967 - Home of Cliff and Connie Kirkham 20235 FM 2707

Class of 1965 and 1966 - Home of Jack and Barbara Baum - 100 2. Cypress (the Bryant House)

Class of 1969 - Benny Free's Shop (1 block north of Treadway Park) Meeting and Meal at 12:00 Noon

Class of 1970 - Treadway Park Under Shade Trees Leslie and Charlou Cowan

Class of 1971 - Home of Rusty and Debbie Reed (East of the football field)

Class of 1972 - Home of Charles and Kathy Chesshir - 1300 North Main

Class of 1973 - Home of Don and Susan (McNeel) Childers - 108 West Cypress Street

Class of 1982 - Main Street Pool and Surf Shop Main St. Janet (Reynolds) Flippin

Class of 1991 - High School Room #108 Roger and Michelle Rudloff

Class of 1999 - Home of Denise and Tim Coulter 12631 FM 880 East, Cross Plains Jessica Taff

Class of 2000 - First Baptist Church Playground Jodi (Payne) Goode

Please contact Charlou (Richardson) Cowan with your class meeting places at clcowan@windstream.net as she is preparing posters to hang in town.

If you would like to announce your class meeting, please call the Cross Plains Review at 254-725-6111 or e-mail crossplainsreview@earthlink.net

Old photos are needed to print prior to the big event. Help get everyone excited about attending.

## Cross Plains High School ATTENTION Ex-Band Students Who Went on the Indi 500 Trip

A float honoring the Cross 1969 students were the youngest Pete Fountain. Plains High School ex-band students who traveled to the Indianapolis 500 Races back in (Calhoun) Jordan and Dr. Mickey Homecoming Parade.

If you went on the trip and was quite an experience. would like to ride on the float, participate, they might need to bring a larger trailer and they want to be prepared. Don't forget to would say!" call and let them know, as this is a great idea!

of 7th graders through 12th graders at that time. The Class of

members at the time of the trip. The youngest band student was lengthy and it was hot in those David White, who was 12 years new wool band suits that we had 1964 is being prepared by Karen old. This was a "trip of a worked so hard to purchase, but lifetime." Many of us had never we sure looked sharp!!!! (Freeman) Bush for the 2012 been out of the state of Texas and Remember selling all those light seeing all the states in between bulbs plus everything else????

please contact Karen Jordan in Indianapolis where other bands amazing trip. at 254-386-4769 or email from various states were also rarajordan@live.com. being housed. They were looking forward to talking about According to how many fascinated by our "southern old times. The band was a source drawls" and they would ask us to of pride for our community and talk. "Just say anything, they taught many of us responsibility

The high school band consisted One evening we attended a treasured forever. concert featuring clarinet player

The parade downtown was very Everyone worked diligently to get I recall staying in dormitories the funds together to make this

See you at Homecoming and I'm and dedication to a group effort. We even played baseball against It was some of the best days of other bands and had a great time. my life and the memories will be

Vanda Anderson-Draper

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Through Trees for America, everyone is encouraged to plant trees for the benefit of the envi ronment and quality-of-life. With one million members, the Arbor Day Foundation is the nation's largest nonprofit organization dedicated to planting trees.

Everyone joining this month will receive an eastern redbud, white pine, sugar maple, white flowering dogwood, pin oak, red maple, river birch, silver maple. northern red oak and Colorado blue spruce.

"This group of trees was carefully selected to yield year-round benefits in Texas, including beautiful spring flowers, cool summer shade, spectacular autumn colors and winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds," said John Rosenow, founder and chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation.

These trees will also add to the proud heritage of Texas' 73 Tree City USA communities," Rosenow continued. "For the last 36 years, Tree City USA has supported effective urban forest management across Texas, and planting these trees will enhance the state's tree-planting tradition."

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principal residence.

AUSTIN - The Texas Depart- required to present two acceptment of Public Safety (DPS) has able documents containing the applicant's name and address to establish proof of domicile in the state of Texas. The two documents must be issued by two different companies or agencies. Under certain circumstances, applicants who are unable to provide two acceptable documents proving domicile may be eligible to complete a Texas Residency Affidavit.

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Please bring a copy of any you would like displayed in our 325-660-5771. "Cottonwood School Gallery".

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> Submitted by **Cookie Robinson**

#### **Texas Transportation Commission Waives Fee** for Select Veterans Driving on State Toll Roads

Cottonwood Homecoming King

AUSTIN—In a gesture to honor for them to move through our those men and women who have made great personal sacrifices to ensure our freedom and protect our nation, the Texas Transportation Commission today approved granting free passage for select veterans on several Texas toll roads. The decision will benefit veterans who are either disabled or recipients of the Purple Heart and/or Congressional Medal of Honor.

In central Texas, those toll roads where some veterans will be able to drive free of charge include Loop 1, SH 45 North, SH 45 Southeast and SH 130 (Segments 1-4) in the Austin area. Additionally, qualified veterans will be able to travel free of charge on the Camino Colombia, which is SH 255 near Laredo and Loop 49 in Tyler.

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House Bill 3139, passed by the Legislature in 2009 and enacted in the Transportation Code (Section 372.053), stated that the state's toll authorities may develop a discount program for various veterans.

Governor Rick Perry recently called on the Transportation Commission to begin implementing a program that would help support Texas veterans getting around Texas with less financial burden.

"Our veterans are motivated by a higher calling that is rooted in the fundamental values of our nation," Gov. Perry said. "In Texas, we understand and appreciate the sacrifices the men and women of our armed forces make in defense of our freedom, and we consider it an honor to support them."

Currently, there are 7,360 specialty license plates indicating drivers are disabled vets, Purple Heart and Congressional Medal of Honor recipients in Travis, Williamson and Hays counties closest to the central Texas toll roads. Statewide there are 160,666 similar specialty plates.

"We are able to celebrate our freedom each and every day due to the unwavering sacrifice ministered via video to accu- on Facebook www.facebookof our military's brave men and women, so making it a bit easier numbers. After passing the toll ter www.twitter.com/txdot.

do," said Phil Wilson, Executive Director of TxDOT. "We thank Texas veterans for their service and hope the free use of our toll roads recognizes the price they paid for our freedom.'

The latest estimates show the cost of managing this program to be less than \$1 million annually. The Transportation Commission has asked TxDOT to implement this program for qualified veterans by January

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#### TxDOT to make paying tolls much easier for Central Texas drivers; Pay system to keep motorists moving

Texas toll roads will become even easier with today's approval to implement a permanent paythe need to stop and make cash payments for non-TxTag ve-

The Texas Transportation Commission, at its August meeting, gave the Texas Department of Transportation approval to eliminate the cash payment option for the Central Texas Turnpike System (CTTS). The CTTS consists of the following four contiguous toll highways serving the Austin metropolitan region and the Austin-San Antonio corridor: SH 45 North, Loop 1 and SH 130 (Segments 1-4) and SH 45 Southeast.

"Not only is TxDOT committed to enhancing safety, but also to ensuring Texas drivers get to where they're going with ease," said James Bass, TxDOT Chief Financial Officer. "By implementing a comprehensive 'pay- solutions for Texas by maintainby-mail' system in Central Texas, ing a safe system, addressing motorists will avoid any delays congestion, connecting Texas previously caused by lines at toll communities, and being a Best

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AUSTIN - Travel on Central equipment, driver's vehicles not enrolled in the program are billed through the mail. TxTag provides an easier way for drivers to by-mail system that eliminates manage their toll road driving payments and offers a discount that delivers greater value.

The commission also agreed to establish new toll rates on the CTTS facilities. The changes, which will become effective Jan. 1, 2013, make fees more compatible with other toll fees charged regionally, and provide for increases that will keep pace with the consumer price index in the future.

The Texas Department of Transportation

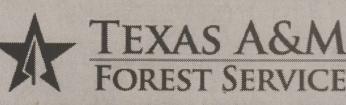
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## Texas Forest Service undergoing name change effective Sept. 1st

COLLEGE STATION, Texas -Effective Sept. 1st, the agency tasked with conserving and protecting the state's trees, forests and related natural resources will assume a new moniker: Texas A&M Forest Service.

The 97-year-old state forestry agency operates under the umbrella of The Texas A&M University System, one of the nation's largest systems of higher education with a network of 11 universities, seven state agencies and a comprehensive health science center.

The name change — which will affect all seven state agencies was proposed earlier this year by Texas A&M University Sys-



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way to better align marketing and that remains true both in and branding efforts.

"We support the Chancellor's decision, and we're eager to state of Texas, and we will conmove forward with our new name and logo. But we want to stress that changing our name will not affect how we do business," said Texas A&M Forest Service Director Tom Boggus.

"Service has always been one

tem Chancellor John Sharp as a of our agency's core values name and philosophy. We have a long, rich history of serving the tinue to build upon that."

Agency administrators have completed a logo-use inventory and are in the process of developing a plan to update all references to the previous name and

## Dyslexia Seminar in Comanche is Sept. 25th

"My child is smart." "Why is reading such a struggle?"

When a student struggles to read, parents search for answers. "One possible reason for reading difficulties is dyslexia."

If your child has been identified with dyslexia, or if you suspect dyslexia and would like to find out more, you are invited to attend Comanche ISD's seminar for parents of students with dyslexia. Although hosted by Comanche ISD, concerned parents in the entire area are in-

Scottish-Rite Hospital of Dallas is a national leader in dyslexia research and intervention. Dyslexia Outreach Coordinator,

Ms. Trish Quisenberry, M.Ed. will be in Comanche presenting information on how to help dyslexic students at home, Kindergarten through college.

She will answer questions you might have as well as give tips on working with a dyslexic student to maximize learning. Her information will pertain to all school districts.

The "Dyslexia Seminar for Parents" will begin at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, September 25th at the Comanche ISD Middle School Cafetorium located at 308 FM 3381 in Comanche, Texas. Childcare will be provided. Comanche ISD hopes to see you

## **Southern Baptist Convention** of Texas Cross Timbers **Southern Baptist Association Seminary Extension Course**

This fall we will be studying OT 103 Old Testament Survey, Part 1, a 3 hour course using the Commentary by Paul House and the one by Andrew Hill and John Walton. We will be meeting in Breckenridge Thursday evenings.

If your church has interest in joining our study in the fall (August 23rd - December 20th)

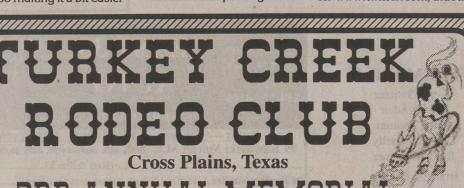
notify Baylis Pope at his home phone 254-725-7749. This is a Cross Plains number.

Again, we appreciate the opportunity to serve this association. Thank Cross Timbers for your support throughout the years.

Submitted by **Baylis Pope** 







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## Butterfield **Trail Days** in Bronte Set for Sept. 29th

The Butterfield Trail Days will be held Saturday, September 29th in Bronte, Texas.

Events will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., including arts and crafts and music at the Depot. Other events are being planned, including a fund-raiser lunch at the Depot by the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department.

A Kickapoo Cook-Off will be held with registration Friday, September 28th at 5:00 p.m. at the Depot. The cook-off will include judging on brisket, chicken and ribs.

A Fun Run will be held Saturday morning, with registration beginning at 7:30 a.m. at the Depot. The Fun Run is a fundraiser for the Class of 2014.

A Motorcycle Poker Run will be held on Saturday, with registration from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. at Fort Chadbourne. A Motorcycle Show will be held at the Depot following the Poker

For more information, call the Bronte City Hall at (325) 473-3501 or e-mail at www.brontetexas.org.

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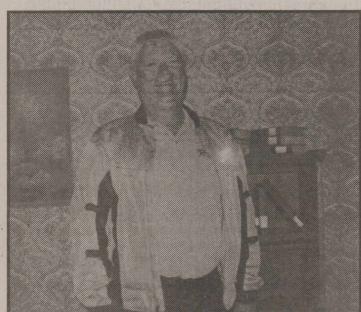


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Midland Visitor to Robert E Howard Museum — Jeff Parker from Midland was checking out his new motorcycle recently and decided Cross Plains was a good destination. In addition to the enjoyable ride, he truly wanted to visit the Museum as he has been a fan of Howard's writings for many years. He shared that he had once owned a comic book store in Mississippi and was especially attracted to the Conan comics and paperbacks that featured the work of Frank Frazetta. Perhaps best known for his fantasy oriented illustrations, Frazetta enjoyed world-wide fame before his death in 2010. Parker is a registered nurse in the critical care unit at Midland Memorial Hospital. However, he is currently on the software support team for the electronic health record department at the hospital. In his spare time, he enjoys riding in bicycle marathons; most recently in the "Hotter than Hell' ride at Wichita Falls. Interestingly enough, he knows another frequent Howard Days visitor and long distance bike rider, Mike Pettit from Garland. He found a few books to add to his collection, as well as a Museum t-shirt from Salamander's. Leaving with his treasures, he went in search of a good chicken fried steak before swinging by

## Wildlife, Drought & **Feral Hog Program** set for September 13th

The Callahan County Exten- Extension Wildlife Specialist in sion office will be having a Wildlife, Drought & Feral Hog Program on Thursday, September 13, 2012 at the Baird Community Center. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. with the program beginning at 9:00 a.m. The program is sponsored by Lone Star Ag. Credit.

Topics discussed will be: Effects of drought on our wildlife -Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension Wildlife Specialist in San Angelo. Progression of Wildlife Industry

Ricky Linex, NRCS in Hogs and interactions with na- County (325) 762-2232, Ext. 7.

San Angelo, and Laws & Regulations governing Feral Hogs -Pete Fincher, DVM Region 6 Director Animal Health Commission, Lampasas.

The fee for the seminar is \$15 if you pre-register by Monday, September 10th or \$20 at the door. A catered lunch is included with registration fee.

2 General CEU will be given for participants that have a Commercial, Non-commercial, and Private Applicators license.

You can pre register by con-Weatherford, Feral Hog & Predatacting the County Extension tor Control Efforts - Eric Lewis, Office of Callahan County (325) Cedar Ridge Aviation in Haskell, 854-5835, Taylor County (325) Landowners attitudes on Feral 672-6048, or Shackelford

## Changes to Form 1099-G and 1099-MISC for FSA **Producers and Vendors**

Callahan County USDA Farm said. Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Robert Frost, an- than \$600 in combined paynounced that calendar year 2012 ments should consult a tax advibrings several changes to the way FSA reports a producer's ments must be reported on their paying all red checks at this farm program payments to the tax return," he said. producer and to the IRS.

G would be issued to show all ject to backup (involuntary) program payments received from the Farm Service Agency,

regardless of the amount. "Starting with calendar year said. 2012, producers whose total reportable payments from FSA are less than \$600 will not receive IRS Form 1099-G (Report of Payments to Producers)," said Frost. Additionally, producers who receive payments from more than one county will only FSA office at (325) 854-1049 miles on a daily mail line. This receive one Form 1099-G if the ext 2. total of all payments from all

(Baird, TX), August 31, 2012 - counties is \$600 or more, Frost

"Producers who receive less sor to determine if these pay-

If the payments were subject In past years, IRS Form 1099- to voluntary withholdings or sub- the most of which is left at withholdings a Form 1099-G will be issued regardless of the total amount of the payments, Frost the addition of a splendid

> The same changes will apply to producers and vendors who normally receive IRS Form 1099- and sent to our foreman and in MISC from FSA.

> ing IRS reporting changes, please instant. Seventeen days contact the Callahan County traveling something like fifty

## Callahan County Library News

Books new to the library are: Backfire by Cahterine Coulter, A Foal is Born by Elin Ellingsen, Hero Horse, Iron Horse and Legend of the Island Horse all by Jenny Hughes. And from the cookbook drive: The Pies and Pastries Cookbook; Southern Living Cookbook Library, the Pillsbury Cookbook, Pillsbury Doughboy Family Pleasing Recipes and the Pilot club cookbook; quick and easy favorites.

From the Past:

Callahan County Clarendon Saturday, August 6, 1881 Vol. 2, No. 18

The Central Railway filed yesterday in the County Clerk's Office the plot of a new town in this county, as well as a new mortage on all its new lands, including all of Cisco. The new town is "Carbon" and is about eight miles south of Eastland, in section 33 at the head of Hunting Shirt Creek. The streets are named "Coal", "Jet", "Anthracite" "Coke," Asphalt, " &\*c., &c. from which we infer that they expect it to be the junction of the coal road from Stephen County.

The Eastland Review Mr. D. Richardson left last Wednesday morning for Fort Worth. He will return again tomorrow.

Ed Seay has gone to New York and Mrs. Seay accompanied him as far as McKinney where she visits

Mr. O.M.L. Parker has a new front to his store completed, and its presents quiet a credible

The Clarendon, not to be outdone, has a sign over its

office.

County Commissioners Court convenes next Monday. County Attorney Bell leaves next Monday for a visit to his old home in Virginia. Re. John Brown, of Abilene informs us that he will preach at Belle Plain tomorrow morning and at his place in the evening, where he will be pleased to greet a large congregation. Mrs. Perkings is now taking in washing at lower rates than ever done before at Baird. Family washing at 25 cents per doz. all work guaranteed. Apply at first tent just north west of Baird.

Mrs. and Miss W.A. West from Brownwood are at present visiting in Baird. They will move to this place in about a month.

Baird Station now is made a pay office, Mr. Callahan now office, which probably amounts to \$400. or \$500. per month, Baird, as a matter of course.

Our Post Office has also been considerably embellished by

Fast time-A letter mailed at Fort Griffin on July 15th last, care of the Clarendon, reached For more information regard- its destination on the 2nd must be a \*route.

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## Commissioners approve 2012-13 proposed budget, tax rate

The Callahan County Commisposed budget and proposed tax rate for the 2012-2013 fiscal day, August 30th at the County Courthouse in Baird.

The proposed budget for the 2012-2013 fiscal year includes a total budget of \$4,991.779.13. This budget includes \$3,482,088.92 for the General Fund and \$1,509,690.21 for the at 9:01 a.m. with Precinct #1 Road and Bridge Fund.

On a motion by Commissioner Bryan Farmer and a second by Commissioner Cliff Kirkham, the commissioners' court voted 5-0 to adopt the 2012-2013 proposed budget.

The commissioners' court also voted to adopt the 2012-2013 proposed tax rate. Callahan County's proposed tax rate is \$0.48137 per \$100 of property value. The proposed tax rate includes \$0.33878 per \$100 of property value for the General Fund and \$0.14259 per \$100 of property value for the Road and Bridge Fund.

Last year's total tax rate was \$0.46365 per \$100 of property

The proposed tax rate for the 2012-2013 fiscal year will raise the tax on the average home in Callahan County by \$9.14.

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On a motion by Commissioner sioners Court approved the pro- Kirkham and a second from Commissioner Farmer, the commissioners' court voted 5-0 to year during a brief commission- adopt the proposed total tax ers' court meeting held Thurs- rate of \$0.48137 per \$100 of property value.

Other agenda items brought before the commissioners' court

-Callahan County Judge Roger Corn called the commissioners' court meeting to order Commissioner Harold Hicks, Precinct #2 Commissioner Bryan Farmer, Precinct #3 Commissioner Tom Windham, and Precinct #4 Commissioner Cliff Kirkham present. Also present at the meeting were County Clerk Donna Bell and County Treasurer Dianne Gunter.

—Commissioner Farmer made a motion to adjourn the commissioners' court meeting at 9:11 a.m. Commissioner Kirkham seconded the motion and the motion carried with a unanimous



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