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**New Business in Town** — Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce Welcomes new business **Last Shot Boots**. Last Shot Boots is owned by Daryl & Lynn Green. It's located at 217 N. Main St., phone 254-270-0485. Email: lastshotbootstx@yahoo.com

## "Meet The Author" Guest Speaker Carlton Stowers

Author and journalist Carlton Stowers will be the guest at the Cross Plains Public Library's "Meet The Author" series to be held on Monday, August 26th at 7:00 p.m. in the Library Conference Room. Stowers will feature his book **Where Dreams Die Hard: A Small American Town and Its Six Man Football Team** as he illustrates the "life of a book" - from its inception as an idea, to finding a publisher, the writing process, reader reaction and more.

Among the over two dozen books authored by Stowers are **To The Last Breath** and **Careless Whispers**, both winners of the Mystery Writers of America's Edgar Allan Poe Award as the Best Fact Crime Book of the Year, **Scream At The Sky**, **Innocence Lost**, **Open Secrets** and his autobiographical **Sins Of The Son**.

Stowers' books have been selections of the Book of the Month Club, Literary Guild, Doubleday Book Club, Mystery Book Club, True Crime Book Club, Preferred Choice Book Club, Playboy Book Club, Military Book Club and Guideposts Book Club and five have been optioned by motion picture/TV production companies. **Careless Whispers** inspired the CBS Movie of the Week, "*Sworn to Vengeance*," and **Open Secrets** was the basis for the ABC mini-series, "*Telling Secrets*." **To The Last Breath** was included in *Readers' Digest's* prestigious Today's Best Non-Fiction anthology and his writings have been translated into German, French, Japanese, Swedish, Dutch, Afrikaans and Spanish.

He has also authored or co-authored a number of books on sports, ranging from **Marcus**, the autobiography of NFL standout Marcus Allen that spent six weeks on the Los Angeles Times bestseller list, to **Dallas Cowboys: The First 25 Years**, which reached No.1 on the *Dallas*

*Morning News* bestseller list. An Article he wrote on football in a small Texas town was selected for inclusion in the 2004 Best American Sport Writing anthology and evolved into his book, **Where Dreams Die Hard**, which *Morning News* columnist Judy Alter ranked as one of the Ten-All-Time Best Books on Texas.

As a collaborator, he has written books with western movie icons Roy Rogers and Dale Evans (*Happy Trails*), Olympic pole vaulter Billy Olsen (*Reaching Higher*), former FBI Special Agent Larry Wansley (*FBI Undercover*), teacher Trent Jones (*Where The Rainbows Wait*) and private investigator William Dear (*Please...Don't Kill Me*). **Within These Walls**, written with former Texas prison chaplain Rev. Carroll Pickett, was the winner of the Texas Writers' League's 2002 Violet Crown Award as the year's best book of Texas non-fiction and a finalist for the PEN Southwest Literary Non-Fiction Book Award. Stowers' **Partners In Blue**, a 100-year history of the Dallas Police Department, received a 1984 citation from the Dallas Police Association.

He has written non-fiction children's books, **A Hero Named George** and **Hard Lessons**, which have been used by numerous elementary schools in their anti-drug and anti-gang programs. His most recent children's book, **Strength Of The Heart**, was co-authored with Marcus Allen.

Stowers' articles have also appeared in such publications as *Sports Illustrated*, *TV Guide*, *Time*, *People*, *Parade*, *Good Housekeeping*, *American Way*, *Boys' Life*, *the New York Times* and *Paris Match*. **Death In A Texas Desert**, a collection of crime stories he wrote for the *Dallas Observer* was published in 2003.

Before turning to freelance writing, Stowers worked for

several Texas newspapers, spending the last 12 years of his career with the *Dallas Morning News*.

He has earned numerous national and state awards for his journalism. A 17-time finalist in the annual five-state Dallas Press Club competition, he has won eight Katie Awards. He is a four-time winner of the Stephen Philbin Award given by the Dallas Bar Association and has received a Texas Gavel Award from the state Bar of Texas for Outstanding Legal Reporting. He has earned a Community Action Network Media Award for Exceptional Merit, was a finalist for the Eugene Pullian Journalism Writing Award, has received six Lone Star Awards from the Houston Press Club, and has been cited by the Texas Headliners Club, Associated Press Managing Editors Association, the UPI Editors Association, the APEX Awards, North American Travel Journalists Association and the Dallas-Fort Worth Association of Black Communicators.

In 1997 Stowers was honored as Author of the Year by the Friends of the Duncanville Library and in 2001 he was inducted into the Texas Institute of Letters. He is the recipient of the A.C. Greene Literary Award for Lifetime Achievement and the Best Southwest Bookfest Distinguished Author Award.

In 2010 he was inducted into the Texas Literary Hall of Fame and in 2011 was inducted into the Big Country Athletic Hall of Fame and named by the Press Club of Dallas as one of the Living Legends of North Texas Journalism.

So, be sure to join us on Monday, August 26 at 7:00 p.m. Stowers will be available to autograph copies of his latest books following the presentation. Light refreshments will be served.

Submitted by:  
Michelle Kaiser

## City Announces New Requirements Concerning Brush

The City of Cross Plains would like to notify its citizens that beginning immediately, it will no longer chip large amounts of brush. Residents are encouraged to discuss with Frankie Hyles, Director of Public Works, the amount of brush they will have BEFORE stacking it out to be chipped. If the amount exceeds the limits the city will chip,

residents will have to haul their own brush.

The City does provide a place to haul your brush at no charge. Residents should also be aware that if you hire a contractor to cut your brush, you should also hire them to haul the brush to the City's brush pit.

Once the resident is notified that

the City will not chip or haul the brush, the resident must remove the brush within 30 days to avoid crating health hazard by harboring rodents and other vermin. If the brush is not removed within the 30 day time period, the City will remove the brush and a charge will be assessed to the property owner.

## School Starts Monday, August 26th

Students will be starting off the new year with a "Meet the Teacher" on Friday, August 23rd, from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. Cross Plains Elementary begins Monday, August 26th at 8:00 a.m. The cafeteria will open for breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Classes will dismiss at 3:37 p.m.

Students who are not bus riders must be dropped off and picked up on the west side of the school only. The north and east parking lots are off limits to non-school personnel traffic. Please do not drive behind the school (east side) for safety reasons.

If you visit the school you will be asked for a copy of your ID to keep on file in the office. All visitors must come to the office prior to going anywhere on campus during the school day. Anyone not wearing an office

issued visitors pass will be asked to leave the campus.

Home football games should be fun and exciting for our students, however, the most important aspect for the school must be their safety.

Students need to be accompanied by an adult and sitting in the stands.

Students will only be allowed to leave with an adult. Please do not allow them to bring in footballs or other items that will be thrown.

The stadium and parking areas are off limits for throwing footballs and other objects. Students will not be permitted to loiter or play around the concession stand area. This also applies to the track, playground and practice fields. Animals are not allowed in the stadium

unless they are service animals.

Much like any school event, students must obey the student code of conduct. These rules are not meant to sound negative as I am a huge supporter of extracurricular events that we believe build community pride and involvement. All schools need community involvement in order to be successful. However, the rules are enforced to provide an atmosphere for all students, parents and fans that will promote security. I hope that everyone's experiences at the games are positive and memorable. Come help cheer on the team, cheerleaders and band as we show them our appreciation for all their hard work this season.

Submitted by  
Jeremy Williams  
Elementary Principal

## State Accountability Rating For Cross Plains High School

Cross Plains High School (grades 7-12) recently received their state accountability rating from the Texas Education Agency. The state rates schools in 4 categories: Student Achievement-based on the percentage of test scores at or above the satisfactory level (all students); Student Progress-a weighted composite based in the percentage of test scores that met or exceeded progress measures on reading, writing and math-growth is evaluated by subject and by student group; Closing Performance Gaps-based on improving academic achievement of economically disadvantaged students and the two lowest

performing ethnic groups at each campus or district; and Postsecondary Readiness- based on high school completion rates and the percentage of students graduating on the Recommended or Distinguished plans.

Cross Plains High School received the highest marks possible for a campus as they met the standard in each of the performance indexes AND they received distinction designation in all categories! The distinction categories are: Academic Achievement in Reading/ELA; Academic Achievement in Mathematics; and Top 25 percent Student Progress. There were approximately 3600 campuses

that earned one distinction, but less than 150 high school campuses earned all 3 distinctions. This makes Cross Plains High School stand out as being one of the highest ranked high schools in the state.

Congratulations to all the student, teachers, administrators, and staff who work so hard each day to see our students succeed. It takes the entire team at school, home and in the community to achieve this level of success, and Cross Plains High School says thank you to everyone for 'buying-in' and working hard to accomplish this honor

Submitted by:  
Diana Dobbins  
CPHS Principal

## Cross Plains ISD New Policy

There are some changes at Cross Plains ISD for the 2013-2014 school year that are being shared so parents and students will be prepared prior to the start of school.

There will be NO backpacks, purses, satchels, or bags of any type allowed in any classroom or gathering place on the entire campus. Bags and purses are to

be placed in the student's locker upon arrival to school and will not be allowed to be carried to any classroom, the cafeteria, or any common area. This action is a result of recommendations from the safety audit conducted at our school. Thank you in advance for cooperating and understanding this new policy.

### Cottonwood Country Musical cancelled

Regretfully, the August 23rd Cottonwood Country Musical has been cancelled due to illness.

The next Cottonwood Country Musical is scheduled for September 27th. See you then.

Thanks for your support.  
Submitted by:  
Cookie Robinson

## Cross Plains Public Library Receives \$10,000 from Dodge Jones Foundation

The Cross Plains Public Library's friends at the Dodge Jones Foundation in Abilene have done it again - this time with a check for \$10,000! This summer, library grant writer, Ginny Hoskins, assisted by board members Judy Luter, Marsha Ossowski, and Ann Beeler, contacted over 20 foundations asking for their help to add and replace some items needed throughout the library and the Dodge Jones Foundation generously responded. "This money will put a huge dent in the \$13,500 needed for ceiling fans, a new water heater, bulletin boards, furniture and an internal video monitoring system," stated Hoskins. "We are so grateful for

this grant."

The Dodge Jones Foundation, previously donated \$25,000 to the library for construction of the Children's Discovery Center. It was founded by Ruth Legett Jones, philanthropist and civic leader, in memory of her only son, Grenville Dodge Jones, who died as a youth. Through the foundation, she and her family built a legacy of active service and financial dedication to improve Abilene and surrounding communities. The library board and staff are grateful to the foundation for its VERY generous gift!

Submitted by  
Michelle Kaiser

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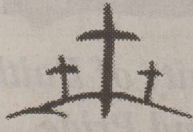
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## CHURCH DIRECTORY

### 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)



**Al Taylor, Preacher**

Phone: 254-725-7522  
Cell Phone: 325-370-6680

### Pioneer Baptist Church

**Pastor:** Dwaine Clowers  
254-725-6268

Sunday School...10:00 am  
Sunday Morning Worship...11:00 am  
Sunday Evening Worship...6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service...7:00 p.m.

**Music Director: Barbara Jo Medley**

### 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**

### 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

### COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School .....9:45 AM  
Morning Worship.....11:00 AM  
Evening Service.....6:00 PM  
Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Time.....7:00 PM

**Thomas Estes, Pastor**  
Church (254) 725-6266

Friendly Church

Bible Teaching

### First United Methodist Church

**Kevin Morton, Pastor**

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

Parsonage 325-624-5634  
Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m.

1000 North Main Street  
[www.gbmg-umc.org/crossplains/](http://www.gbmg-umc.org/crossplains/)

### First Presbyterian Church

**SUNDAY SERVICE 9:00 AM**  
**MUSIC- CONNIE SWIFT**  
**LEAD SINGERS: 4 HIS GLORY**  
**Pastor Kathy Monroe**  
**208 N. Ave. D**

### CROSS PLAINS CHURCH OF CHRIST

433 North Main Street  
Cross Plains, Texas 76443  
Minister: RICK AUSTIN

**SUNDAY:**  
**Morning Worship: 10:45 A.M.**  
**Bible Class: 9:45 A.M.**  
**Evening Worship: 6:00P.M.**  
**Wednesday: Evening: 7:00P.M.**  
**Ladies Class - Wednesday:**  
**10:00A.M. (at the church activity center on East Hwy 36)**  
**Office: (254-725-6117)**  
**Cell Phone: Rick - (918) 348-6859**

## OBITUARIES

### Norma Sue Pollard

Norma Sue Pollard, age 79, passed away Saturday, August 17, 2013 at her home with her family by her side. Funeral services will be at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 23, 2013 at the Church of Christ in Cross Plains with Rick Austin officiating; burial will follow in the Clear Creek Cemetery in Brown County. Visitation will be on Thursday, August 22nd at 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mrs. Pollard was born in Bangs, TX on May 21, 1934 to Claborn and Etha (Counts) Newsome. She married Terry Pollard in Brownwood on September 6, 1953. She was a homemaker and had her Real Estate License and was a member of the Church of Christ of Cross Plains.

She is survived by her husband Terry Pollard of Cross Plains; sons, Terry James Pollard of Austin, Norman S. Pollard of Cross Plains, Chris Pollard and wife Laurie of Wylie; daughters, Susan Nurre and husband Pat of Spring, and Michaelle Pollard of Cross Plains; sister Martha Bundy of McKinney; 6 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, 3 brothers and 1 sister.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Church of Christ, PO Box 576, Cross Plains, TX 76443

### Maxine Wise

Maxine Wise, age 85, of Jacksboro, passed away Saturday, August 17, 2013 at the Jacksboro Healthcare Center. Memorial services will be Saturday, August 24, 2013 at 2:30 p.m. At the First Baptist Church with Pastor Ronnie White officiating.

She was born on August 19, 1927 in Anna Rose, TX to VOLLIE and Minnie Lee (Kelley) Norris. Maxine married Alton Wise in Houston. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

She is survived by her daughters, Barbara L. Worley of the Cottonwood community, Shirley M. Jakeway of Virginia and Carol Janeen of Pitchford, TX, and a brother Raymond A. Bullock; 13 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild.

### Treva Ann (Rouse) Garrett

Treva Ann (Rouse) Garrett, 66, of Hurst left this earthly body to meet her Savior and await the coming of a host of loved ones on August 14, 2013.

Treva was born to the late Melvin and Johnnie Rouse on January 4, 1947 in Abilene, Texas. She attended Cross Plains High School, where she met the love of her life, her husband of 49 years, Tommy Garrett. They were married in Cross Plains on June 6, 1964. They lived in Brownwood and Ft. Worth before moving their young family to Hurst.

She was a devoted homemaker, wife and mother, and as her children grew up, she began a career in retail and worked several years at Mervyn's and Khol's where she made many lifelong friends. She had a passionate love of music and was a strong believer and follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. She was the heart of her family, and loved unsparingly and unconditionally. She was preceded in death by her father, Melvin Rouse; her mother, Johnnie Rouse; her brother, John Rouse; and her sister, Roselee Singleton.

She is survived by her husband, Tommy, and three children: Jack (Rhonda) Garrett; Matt (Mischelle) Garrett; and Gailanne (Steve) Smith; three grandchildren, Devyn Garrett, Morgan Smith and Brady Garrett, as well as several loving nieces and nephews.

A funeral service celebrating her life was held Saturday, August 17, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at Forest Ridge Funeral Home, 705 Airport Freeway, Hurst, TX 76053. Reverend Walter Pope officiated and a burial ceremony was held at Atwell Cemetery.

"Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her." Proverbs 31:28

### 4th Street Church of Christ Cisco

The 4th Street Church of Christ in Cisco, Texas is having a week-end meeting on September 6, 7, and 8th. Services will start at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday nights and at 10:30 Sunday morning. There will be a potluck dinner on Sunday after church. Our speaker will be Pat Mannon from Huntsville, Arkansas. He will be speaking on the importance of the doctrine of the Bible. Brother Mannon has a heart full of love for the Lord and His work. He is an excellent speaker and all who share in this meeting will be edified by being there. The church is located on the corner of 4th and J street in Cisco. We invite you all to come and worship God with us. For further information call Don Cantrell in Clyde at 254-210-2102 or Aldon Westbrook in Rising Star at 254-643-3223 or Robert Allen at 254-442-4519.

### Callahan County DPS Report

Calls received by the Callahan County Department of Public Safety from August 3, 2013 through August 16, 2013 include:

**Cases Investigated**  
Warnings—132  
Complaints—71  
DWI—2  
Driving While License Invalid—2  
Possession of Marijuana—2  
Public Intoxication—1  
Fugitive Arrest—1  
**Vehicle Accidents**

There was one vehicle accident investigated during this time span.

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### Faith Apostolic Church

Sunday-----2:00

Prayer for Vigil  
John 8:32

**"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free"**

16075 County Road 459  
Cross Plains  
Pastor Len Smith

For information call 325-206-0277

**Call For Prayer Anytime!**

## Courthouse News

### Callahan County Court Roger Corn, presiding

#### Misdemeanor Filings

Ralph G. Rodriguez III, theft by check.

Cody L. Allen, driving while intoxicated (DWI).

Rolando Silva, DWI.  
Sandra A. Godfrey, assault causing bodily injury - family violence.

Bradley Childers, assault causing bodily injury - family violence.

Jennifer A. Gravely, possession of controlled substance (less than 2 oz.).

#### Misdemeanor Minutes

Ronda Dean Cato, motion to withdraw as surety granted.

Brandon L. Rice, motion to dismiss motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Charles C. Zara, motion to dismiss to terroristic threat granted, sentenced to prison on another case.

Daniel R. Swanger, plea of guilty to assault - family violence, 90 days in jail, \$100 fine, \$264 court costs.

Jason D. Wilson, motion to dismiss to possession of drug paraphernalia granted for plea to other case.

Jerry W. Lobstein, plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, 30 days in jail, \$250 fine, \$264 court costs.

Rhonda R. Dunklin, plea of guilty to DWI, 10 days in jail, \$500 fine, \$424 court costs.

Rhonda R. Dunklin, agreed order for new trial granted.

Ray F. Decker, Jr., plea of guilty to DWI, 45 days in jail.

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\$100 fine, \$424 court costs.  
Anthony Ramirez, plea of guilty to possession of controlled substance, 45 days in jail, \$324 court costs.

#### Marriage Licenses

Brian Lee Curtis and Jozsef Horvath, both of Baird.

William B. Windham and Samantha C. Dickson, both of Cross Plains.

Jacob P. Johnson and Kristy A. Levitre, both of Clyde.

#### 42nd District Court John Weeks, presiding

#### Criminal Indictments

Cameo Dugan, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

#### Criminal Information & Complaints

Eloy Rios, aggravated assault.

#### Criminal Minutes

Oscar R. Meza, judgment revoking probation granted.

#### Civil Minutes

Kamala C. Hughes and Orion Russell Scott, divorce granted.

Regenia Gay Hawthorne and Joseph Leon Hawthorne, divorce granted.

In re: order for foreclosure concerning 1956 County Road 119, Baird, Tx. 79504 under Tex. R. Civ. Proc. 736 and Kenneth R. Smith Jr. and Debbie Smith, order granting petitioner's application for expedited foreclosure.

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## Burgers & a Band at First Presbyterian!!

This Saturday, August 24th, the First Presbyterian Church of Baird will have an evening of Bluegrass and Gospel music with the popular area band, Salt Kreek, providing the entertainment.

We are starting with burgers on the grill at 6:00, followed by the free concert about 7:00 in the sanctuary of the church.

Salt Kreek is a talented bluegrass band well known around the Abilene area and

also other area churches. If you would like to join us for a burger and trimmings, just call Debbie James at 854-5940 or Pat Parker at 854-1488 to reserve a plate. Or, feel free to join us and enjoy the concert at 7:00.

A love offering will be taken for the band during the concert. Please join us for burgers and a Band this Saturday!!

## Callahan County denied FEMA/State funding on County Road damages

During the week of July 14-18, 2013 Callahan County received some much needed rainfall throughout the county. The rain totals varied from 5 inches to 18 inches. Much of the eastern and southeastern portion of the county receiving up to 18 inches of rain during this time causing major damage to many of the County Roads, low water crossings and bridges from north of Putnam to Cottonwood/Admiral area to south of Cross Plains.

A Declaration of Disaster was filed by the County Judge on July 16, 2013 requesting State and/or Federal assistance to help

with the damages caused to the County Roads, low water crossings and bridges.

Estimated damages totaled over \$1.5 million for the repair of these areas which is not possible with the current Road & Bridge budget.

This request was denied on August 2, 2013 due to the State threshold of \$34.4 million not being met.

As a result of this denial Callahan County will not receive any type of monetary assistance to help with the repairs and resulting on the County Roads, low water crossings and bridges.

### First Baptist Church

**Sunday Morning 10:45 a.m.** **Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.**

**Sunday School 9:30**

**Wednesday**

6:30 pm Prayer/Worship  
Student & Children Ministries 6:30 p.m.

**Ronnie B. White, Pastor**

**Tim Tolosa, Worship/Discipleship**  
**Jared Huntley/Students**

(254) 725-7629 301 N. Main, Cross Plains, TX 76443  
[www.firstbaptistcp.com](http://www.firstbaptistcp.com)

# Cottonwood News

Beverly Brown

Monday, August 26th is the first day of first day of school for the kids. Watch out for the big yellow bus as it picks up and drops off the kids here in Cottonwood. Keep an eye out for the kids getting off and on the bus.

Wade Calhoun of Abilene passed away last Tuesday, August 13th, and was buried here on Friday in the Cottonwood Cemetery. Our prayers go out to his wife Verna and to the family.

We express our sincere sympathy to Barbara and Donnie Worley and her family in the loss of her mother, Maxine Wise of Jacksboro. Memorial service will

be held this Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at the Cross Plains Baptist Church.

On August 30th, the Friday before Labor Day, the Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Group will be kicking off the weekend with a cookout at Lowe's Market in Cross Plains. Fire Chief Joe and the firefighters will be serving hamburgers and hot dog hot off the grill from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The event is a fundraiser for the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department to help raise money for their new building.

Also at the cookout, Lowe's

Market will be giving away Blue Bell ice cream to the first 90 kids.

There will also be a **BAKE SALE** along with the cookout. This is a good time to pull out your cookbooks and try something new, or whip up one of your tired-and-true favorites for the bake sale.

We are happy to report that Bill Nickerson is at home from the hospital and is recuperating.

David Weaver of Corpus Christi chauffeured his mother, Mary Ella Weaver, his aunt, Dena Nickerson and friend, Beverly Brown, on a trip to Abilene last Wednesday.

## Thank You!

Thanks to the 100 plus who came out to celebrate Alice Roby's 90th birthday! The cards and "pennies" were appreciated! Thank you to everyone!!! It's a wonderful life!!

Love to you all,

Alice Roby, Jean, Jim, Ruthie, Connie & families.

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## Cross Plains Review Deadlines

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### Bubba's BBQ Smokehouse

Best BBQ Brisket and Smoked Sausage in West Texas  
10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Monday thru Saturday

Sandwiches --(brisket/sausage/chicken).....Sm. or Lg.....\$4.00 & \$5.00  
Turkey Legs.....\$6.00  
Chips (Lay's or Cheeto's).....\$1.00  
Tea & Sodas(coke, diet coke, dr. pepper, diet dr.pepper, pepsi, diet pepsi or sprite).....\$1.79  
Peach Cobbler..... 4 oz. \$.99..... pint \$5.00

**Plates: (All plates come with 2 Sides)**  
#1..(1) Meat (1/2 lb)....\$8.99 #2..(2) Meat (3/4 lb)....\$10.99 #3..(3) Meat (1 lb)....\$12.99  
Combo Meal #1 - Large BBQ Sandwich, Chips, Drink.....\$6.50  
Combo Meal #2 - Small BBQ Sandwich, Chips, Drink.....\$5.50

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**FAMILY PACK SPECIAL**  
2 LBS. Meat, 2 Pint Sz. Sides -- \$24.00

<b>By The Pound</b>	<b>Sides</b>	<b>Condiments</b>
Brisket.....\$9.00 lb	Potato Salad, Beans & Cornbread, Coleslaw	Pickles, Onions, Jalapenos,
Sausage (Hot/Mild).....\$9.00 lb	Single Serving.....\$ .99	BBQ Sauce, Hot-N-Spicy Sauce and Mustard
Ribs.....\$9.00 lb	1/2 Pint.....\$2.00	(Tax Not Included)
Chicken Breast.....\$5.50 lb	Pint.....\$4.00	

Come on by - 401 E. Ave. A & Hwy 36, Cross Plains (254)270-0040

## LIBRARY NOTES

### Library Hours

Monday 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
Tuesday 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
Wednesday 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
Thursday 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
**CLOSED FRIDAY**

### August 12-15, 2013

Patrons	108
Books Checked Out	110
Programs	9
Copies	37
Internet	41
Wi-Fi	7
Interlibrary Loans	2
Reference	12

### Book and Miscellaneous Donations

Mary Dunn  
Reggie and Suzi Pillans  
Thomas Duquette  
Sherri Maxwell  
Karen Richey  
James Warlick

### Volunteers

Helen Parson  
Polly Beeler  
Sue Bennett  
Ginny Hoskins  
Richard Burns

## Senior Citizens Center Activities

AUGUST 26 - 30, 2013

Monday, 26th - Exercise 11:00

Tuesday, 27th - Exercise 11:00

Wednesday, 28th - Exercise 11:00/Blood Pressure Check Girling

Thursday, 29th - Exercise 11:00/BINGO 11:15

Friday, 30th - Exercise 11:00



## SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

AUGUST 26 - 30, 2013

Monday - Vegetable Beef Soup/Combread/Pickled Beets/ Dessert/Drink

Tuesday -Sweet & Sour Chicken/Steamed Rice/ Broccoli/Cauliflower/Fortune Cookie/Dessert/Drink

Wednesday -Oven Baked Fish/Coleslaw/Baked Beans/ Hushpuppies/Dessert/Drink

Thursday - Taco Salad/(lett/ tom/cheese)/Pinto Beans/Chips/ Dessert/Drink

Friday -Cheeseburgers/(lett/ tom/pick/onion)/Oven Baked Fries/Dessert/Drink



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

## Hot Dog Lunch— Marker Unveiling

Please join us as the City of Cross Plains provides a free hot dog lunch on Friday, September 6th from noon to 1:30 p.m. at Treadway Park. At 12:30, the Callahan County Historical Commission will unveil the new replacement Texas Historical Marker at the foot of the Treadway Bridge.

The Fort Mason-Camp Cooper Military Road marker commemorates the route for U.S.

2nd Cavalry and supply wagons from San Antonio to Fort Mason to Camp Cooper in campaigns of 1851-1861 against Plains Indians. Robert E. Lee traveled this road during his early military days. The original marker, which had been damaged, was erected by the Callahan County Historical Survey Committee in 1967. Don't miss out on hot dogs and history!

## !!SURPRISE!!

Come Help Us Celebrate 90 Years of Life With A Surprise Birthday Party

Guest of Honor:  
**Betty Beggs**

Saturday, August 24, 2013  
at 2:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church  
in Cross Plains

Come and show your love for a remarkable woman on her "90th" birthday.  
Everyone is Invited

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**Kiwanis Club of Cross Plains  
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The Cross Plains Public Library**

invites all pre school age children to participate in a **FREE** Vision Screening Day.

Screening will be held at the Cross Plains Public Library on Wed. Sept. 4th from 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM

Testing will include screening for:  
— Strabismus (muscle balance problems)  
— Amblyopia (lazy eye).

Waiver and Permission slips are available at the Cross Plains Library and Texas Heritage Bank. They will also be available the day of testing.

— Submitted by Kiwanis of Cross Plains

## Health Tips for the New School Year

As the new school year gears up and to-do lists get longer, make sure to put your child's health on the list.

Updating vaccinations, scheduling annual physicals and alerting your child's school about allergies and illnesses are crucial steps to ensure their academic success, according to the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP).

"Children need to feel their best in order to learn, and schools need to be able to provide for students' daily health issues as well as special needs, accidents and emergencies," says O. Marion Burton, MD, of the AAP.

You can ensure a safe and happy year for both parent and child with a little planning.

**Vaccinations**  
Thanks to immunizations, most children in the United States today lead much healthier lives than generations past. And while vaccines have reduced many infectious diseases to low levels in the United States, vacationers can bring old and new diseases back into the country. Measles, for example, is still prevalent in other parts of the world and has been linked to recent outbreaks in the U.S. Unvaccinated children are at risk.

That's why routine, up-to-date vaccinations are as important today as they have ever been. There may be tears, but the pain associated with most immunizations is minor. Consult your pediatrician about keeping your child's vaccination schedule up to date.

**Food Allergies and Illnesses**  
If your child suffers from food allergies or other health issues

that require management during the school day, be sure to contact the school nurse and update your child's health plan at school. This will ensure that proper steps are taken if the child develops symptoms while at school, and that his or her activities are not restricted unnecessarily.

A child's health can change from year to year or even month to month, so make sure the school is well aware of how to handle new conditions or restrictions. Parents should also check that you have provided the school with any special medications your child needs.

**Annual Physicals**  
Along with your child's regular annual physical, aspiring athletes should get a sports physical before the start of the season. Children's bodies are vulnerable to injury, and as youngsters move through middle childhood becoming bigger, stronger, faster, and more aggressive the incidence of injuries rises.

Make sure your athlete wears a well-fitted helmet, mouthpiece, face guard, padding, eye gear, protective cup, or other equipment appropriate for the sport. Of course, regardless of whether your child is on a competitive team or not, parents should promote physical activity for all kids.

For more tips for a healthy school year, visit: [www.healthychildren.org](http://www.healthychildren.org).  
Discussing health issues with your pediatrician before the start of the year helps children, parents and school staff ensure students' health and safety all year long.



**Cross Plains I.S.D. will be closed on Monday, September 2, 2013 in observance of the Labor Day Holiday.**

**Classes will resume on Tuesday, September 3rd at regular time.**



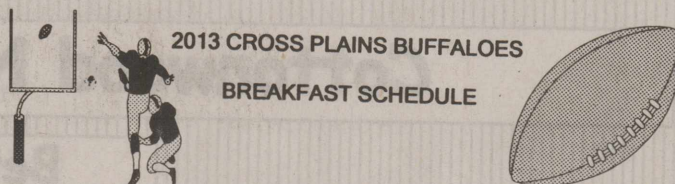
### CROSS PLAINS SCHOOL MENU

#### August 26-30 BREAKFAST

Monday-Cereal, Texas Toast, Fruit, Assorted juice, Milk  
Tuesday-Breakfast Pizza, Fruit, Assorted juice, Milk  
Wednesday-Sausage Kolache, Oven Roasted Potatoes, Fruit, Assorted juice, Milk  
Thursday-Waffles, Sausage, Fruit, Assorted juice, Milk  
Friday-Cinnamon roll, Bacon, Fruit, Assorted juice, Milk

#### LUNCH

Monday-Chicken Fajitas, Charro Beans, Seasoned Corn, Salsa, Orange smiles, Milk  
Tuesday Country Fried Steak, Mashed potatoes, Gravy, Savory Green Beans, Roll, Strawberry Cup, Milk  
Wednesday-Beef and Cheese Chalupas, Refried beans, Salsa, Garden Salad, Rosy Applesauce, Milk  
Thursday- Chicken Spaghetti, Garden salad, Baby carrots, Apple Slices, Breadstick, Milk  
Friday - Fish or Chicken, Cornbread, Sweet Potato Fries, Black eyed Peas, Sliced peaches, Milk



DATE	BREAKFAST LOCATION	TIME
August 30	First Baptist Church	7:00 a. m.
September 5	First United Methodist Church (Thursday)	7:00 a. m.
September 13	Cottonwood Baptist Church	7:00 a. m.
September 20	Bye	
September 27	Church of Christ	7:00 a. m.
October 4	First Baptist Church	7:00 a. m.
October 11	First United Methodist Church	7:00 a. m.
October 18	Cottonwood Baptist Church	7:00 a. m.
October 25	Church of Christ	7:00 a. m.
November 1	First Baptist Church	7:00 a. m.
November 8	First United Methodist Church	7:00 a. m.
November 15	Cottonwood Baptist Church (playoffs)	7:00 a. m.
November 22	Church of Christ (playoffs)	7:00 a. m.

## AT&T Stadium in Arlington to host all football title games

All 2013 University Interscholastic League football state championship games will be played at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, the UIL announced Thursday, August 15th.

For the first time, all 11-man and six-man football championship games will be played at the same location. For the past four consecutive years, the Conference 1A six-man football championship games have been played at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene.

"For the first time ever, all football state qualifying teams will have the unique and extraordinary experience of playing at AT&T Stadium," said UIL Director of Athletics Mark Cousins, Ph.D. "We will work with AT&T Stadium and the Dallas Cowboys organization to make this year's championship event the best yet."

The 2013 football state championships will mark the fourth year all games in all conferences will be played at pre-determined locations. The UIL has determined the site for the Conference 5A football state champi-

onships since 2006. The schedule for each championship football game is listed below.

AT&T Stadium-Arlington  
December 14, 2013  
Conference 1A Six-Man Division I - 12:00 p.m.  
Conference 1A Six-Man Division II - 3:00 p.m.  
December 19, 2013  
Conference 1A 11-Man Division I - 10:00 a.m.  
Conference 1A 11-Man Division II - 1:00 p.m.  
Conference 2A Division I - 5:00 p.m.  
Conference 2A Division II - 8:00 p.m.  
December 20, 2013  
Conference 3A Division I - 12:00 p.m.  
Conference 3A Division II - 4:00 p.m.  
Conference 4A Division I - 8:00 p.m.  
December 21, 2013  
Conference 4A Division II - 12:00 p.m.  
Conference 5A Division I - 4:00 p.m.  
Conference 5A Division II - 8:00 p.m.

## He's Only A Boy

Please don't curse the boy down there,  
He is my son you see.  
He's only just a boy you know.  
He means a lot to me.  
I didn't raise my son dear fan  
For you to call him names,  
He may not be a superstar,  
It's just a high school game.  
So please don't curse those boys down there,  
They do the best they can.  
They never tried to lose a game,  
They're boys and you're a man.  
The game belongs to them you see,  
You are just a guest.  
They do not need a fan like you,  
They need the very best.  
If you have nothing nice to say,  
Please leave the boys alone.  
And if you have no manners,  
Why don't you just stay home.  
So please don't curse those boys down there,  
Each one's his parents son.  
Win, or lose, or tie, you see,  
To us they're NUMBER ONE!

## Little League Cheerleading Sign Up

It is time to sign up for Little League Cheerleading again. Forms will be sent out the first day of school. You can also pick up forms at the clinic or from Carrie Hutton starting now. Forms & money can be sent back to the elementary office by Friday August 30th or returned to Carrie Hutton or Lajean Long. There will be a meeting held on Monday September 2nd at 6:00 pm at the First Baptist Church. All forms & money are due back at that time. No sign ups will be accepted after that. We will measure for new uniforms that evening. If you are unable to

attend the meeting, contact Carrie Hutton before that date to set up a measuring time. This year we will offer a used uniform buy back program. If your girl has outgrown her uniform or is not participating again this year you can bring the uniform to the meet to be considered for buy back. Depending on the condition of the uniform we may buy it back for a fee less than its original cost. Girls needing uniforms, will have the option to buy a used uniform at a discounted price. For questions contact Carrie Hutton at (254) 433-0841

## Want to Write Your Elected Officials?

Here are their addresses:

#### Austin

**Rick Perry**, Governor, Room 200, State Capitol, Austin, Tx 78711.  
**Harvey Hilderbran**, State Representative, District 53, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Tx 78768-2910. Phone 512-463-0536.  
**Troy Fraser**, Texas Senate District 24, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Tx 78711 or call (512)463-0124.

#### Washington

**Barrack Obama**, President of the United States, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.  
**Randy Neugebauer**, Congressman, 19th Tx District, 500 Chestnut St. Suite 819, Abilene, Tx 79602. Phone (325)675-9779. For email access, go to <http://randy.house.gov>.  
**John Cornyn**, 517 Hart Senate Building, Washington D.C. 20510. Phone 202-224-2934. Fax 202-228-2856. For email access, go to <http://Cornyn.Senate.gov>.  
**Kay Bailey Hutchinson**, 284 Russell Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Phone 202-224-5922. Fax 202-224-0776. For email go to <http://Hutchinson.Senate.gov>.

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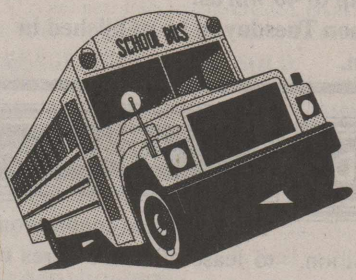
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## 2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR

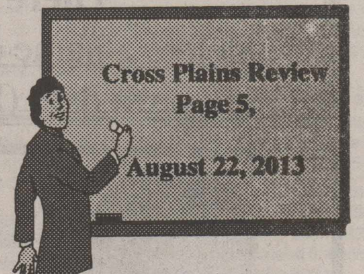
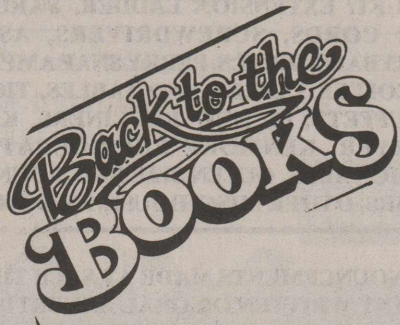
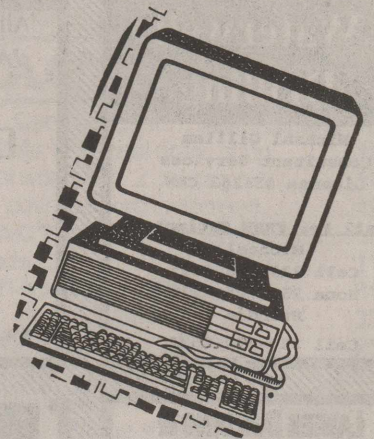
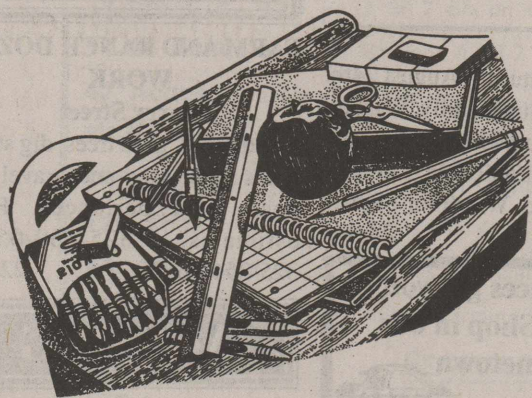
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### *Elementary Faculty and Staff*

**Pre-K** — Jamie Apple  
**Kindergarten** — Deanna Golson and Janice Phillips  
**1st Grade** — April Cowan and Terri Hunter  
**2nd Grade** — Crystal Webb and Paula Winfrey  
**3rd Grade** — Leslie Lawrence/Assistant Principal and Melissa Richards  
**4th Grade** — Kelli Hyles and Patricia Cook  
**5th Grade** — Nora Odom and Karri Shepard  
**6th Grade** — Casie Morgan and Vickie Walker  
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**Dyslexia** — Karen Richey  
**PE** — Daniel Kelley and JoJo Morgan  
**Band/Music** — Matt Sowell  
**Aide** — Debra Childers, Brenda Montgomery, Beverly Pope and Tiffani Parker  
**Principal** — Jeremy Williams  
**Secretary** — Amber Kleiber  
**Custodian** — Verna Mathews and Mark Kelley

### *High School Faculty and Staff*

**JH Math/Coach** — Mykia Anderson  
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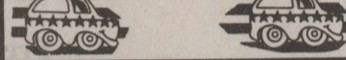
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### MISSING

Lost — 2 black heifers on or about July 16th. Diamond brand, red ear tags. Call 817-201-0867.

### (REWARD)

### NOTICE OF BIDS

The City of Baird will be accepting bids on a 2000 1/2 ton Dodge Pickup. It is a V6 short bed with a 5 speed motor. Current mileage is 62,552. For additional information, please call City Hall at (325) 854-1212.

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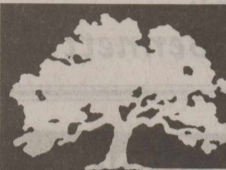
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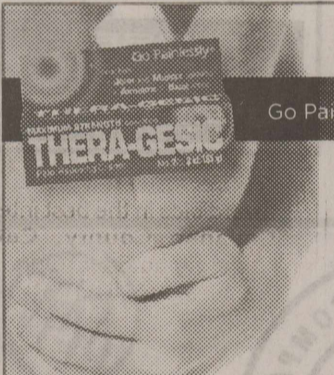
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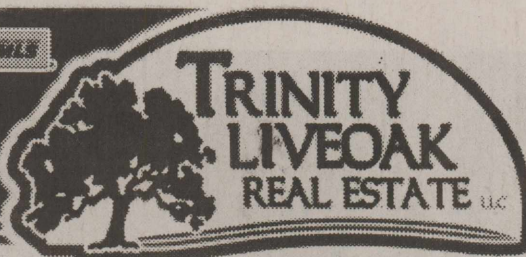
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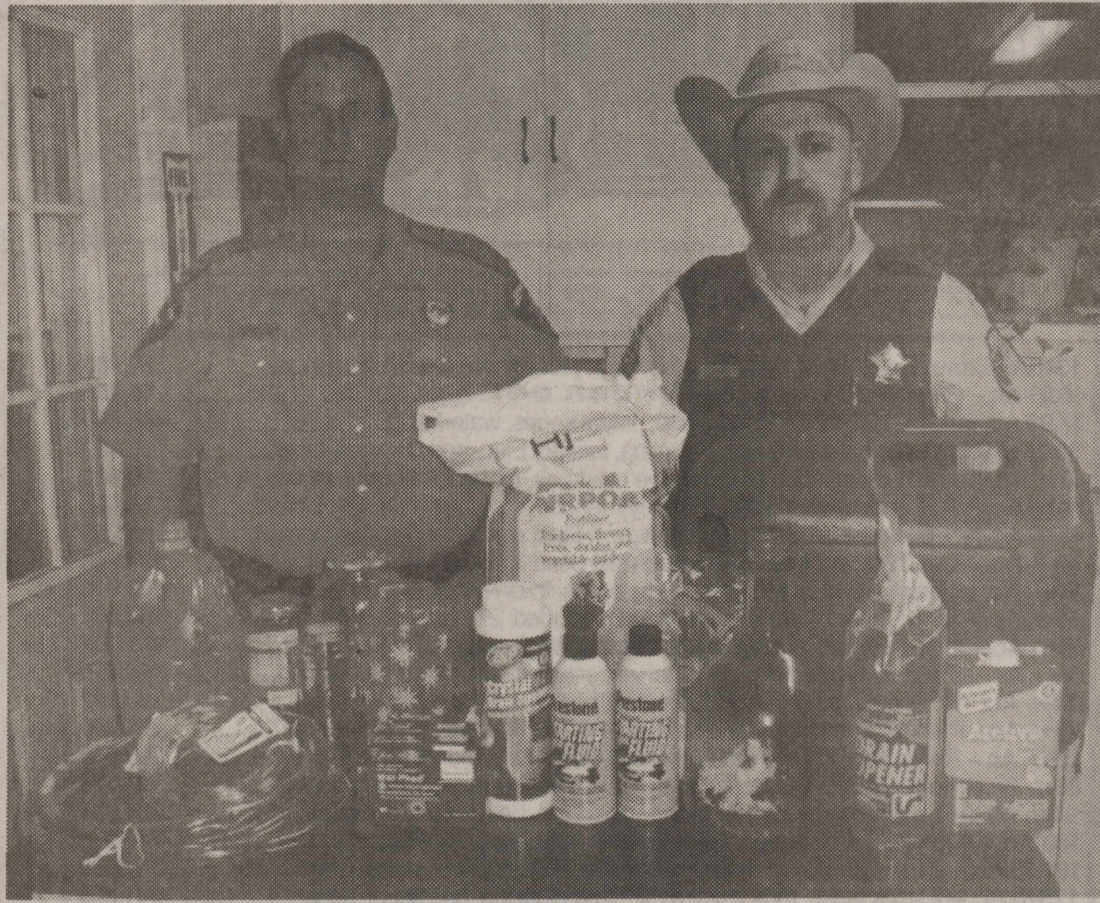
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**HARMFUL DRUGS CONFISCATED**—Department of Public Safety Trooper Brent Berry, left, and Callahan County Deputy Rick Jowers, right, are shown with some ingredients confiscated during a traffic stop on State Highway 36 on Sunday, August 18th in Callahan County.

## Traffic stop on Highway 36 Sunday results in drug seizure

By Callahan County Sheriff Terry Joy

Through the combined efforts of Callahan County Sheriff's Department and Department of Public Safety a substantial amount of ingredients for the manufacture of methamphetamines was seized. Thanks to the dedication to duty and observation skills, Callahan County Deputy Rick Jowers and Department of Public Safety Trooper Brent Barry were able to protect citizens once again from the manufacture of harmful drugs.

The stop of a suspicious vehicle by Deputy Jowers on Highway 36 on Sunday, August 18th resulted in the seizure of harmful materials. Working together, Deputy Jowers and Trooper Brent Barry, searched the stopped vehicle, confiscated the methamphetamines ingredients, and arrested the occupants of the vehicle.

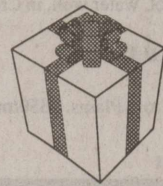
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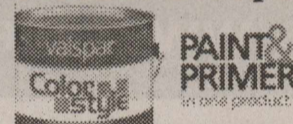
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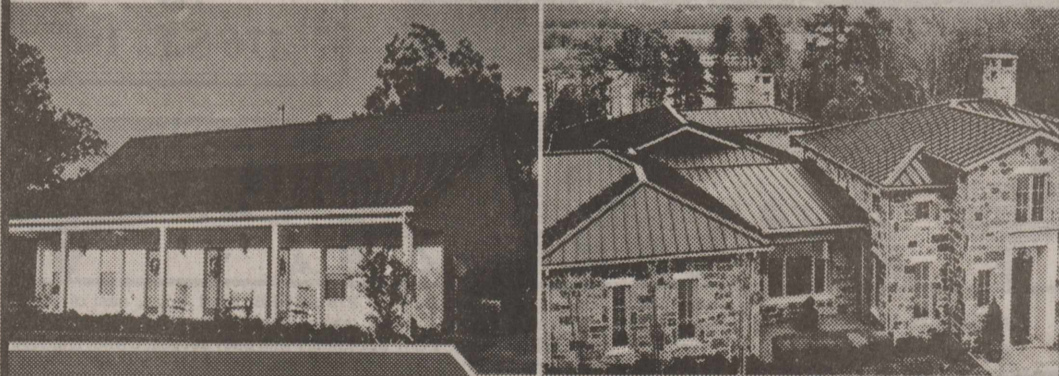
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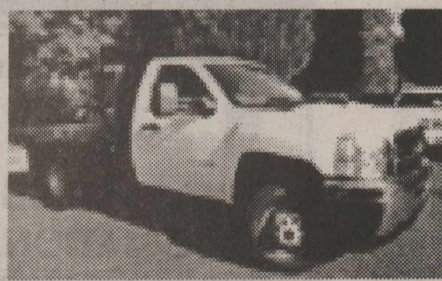


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# 90 Years Young — Alice Roby

Over 100 friends and family helped Alice celebrate her 90th birthday with a party at Cliff and Connie's home on Saturday, August 19th. Birthday cake, punch and snack foods were enjoyed by all. Four photo boards were displayed with pictures of Alice and her family. A great time was had for a great lady!!!!

Alice (Santleben) Roby was born on August 16, 1923 to Ed and Opal Santleben, the second of three children. Her daddy was foreman of the Kennedy Ranch in Sabinal, Texas.

At the age of 3 years she fell into a wash pot of boiling water and was burned severely. The doctor stayed all night with the Santlebens thinking she would die before morning, but God had other plans. She was saved and has led an eventful and interesting life to say the least.

She grew up, attended school and graduated from Sabinal High School in 1940. She was a beautiful girl then, and she is a beautiful woman now.

Alice had four children, Jean, Jim, Ruthie and Connie, all who adore and admire her for the legacy she has lived before them. She and E.G. had years of ranch managing including the McClure Ranch in Cross Plains. Before then, she owned and operated several restaurants and E.G. ranched, hauled cattle and was an auctioneer.

In 1968 E.G. and Alice moved from Cross Plains to Cloudcroft, New Mexico to the Circle Cross Ranch, then back to Texas in 1972. E.G. managed the Edwards Hereford Ranch in Spur, Texas. The 17,000 acre ranch was home to a cow-calf operation. There were between 500-1,500 cows/calves to oversee at all times.

In 1976 when E.G. died, the



Alice Roby

Edwards asked Alice if she would stay on as foreman of the ranch. She agreed to a 6 month trial period and then decided to stay on. She attended the United Breeders Association school at Texas Tech University in 1982 to learn to AT (artificially inseminate) cattle. She was a very successful breeder and strengthened her arms lifting bar bells.

In 1984 Alice was featured on national television in a program called Woman Watch, produced by Ted Turner. She was also featured in 33 newspaper and magazine articles including the *Abilene Reporter-News*, *Lubbock Avalanche*, *Uvalde Leader News*, *Cross Plains Review* and others. *The Texas Hereford*, *The Cattleman*, *Country Woman* and

many more magazines including one published in England, also published articles about Alice.

She was declared a *Yellow Rose of Texas* by the governor of Texas in 1988. That honor is reserved for women who have lived in Texas and contributed to ranching and living the country life. She has certainly done that for 90 years.

Alice is mother to four grown children; Gigi to 11 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Alice moved back to Cross Plains in 1990 after retiring at 68 years of age. She is and always will be our "Yellow Rose of Texas".

Submitted by  
Connie Kirkham

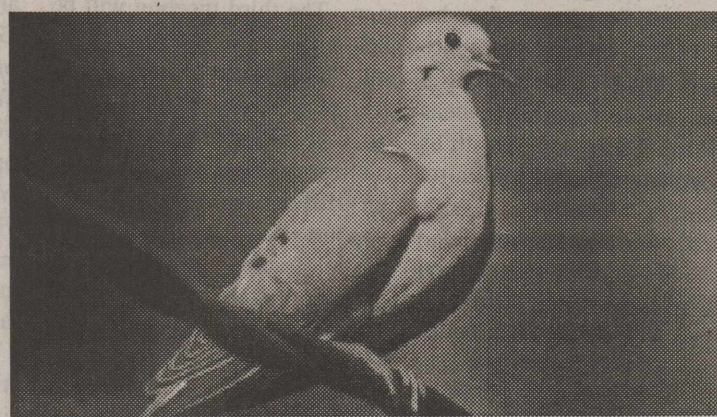
## Season begins in Callahan County Sept. 1st Texas Dove Season Prospects Look Bright

AUSTIN — Texas dove hunters should see plenty of opportunity this fall as conditions are shaping up for an above average season, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD). Dove season kicks off Sunday, September 1st across most of the state.

Texas dove hunters number upwards of 250,000 and collectively bag between 5-6 million doves during the 70-day season. Thanks to new rules approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) this year, hunters can possess up to 45 birds — three times the daily bag limit. Previously, the possession limit was twice the daily bag. Daily bag limits still apply.

The USFWS also approved for this year an expanded Special White-wing Dove Area (SWWDA) in South Texas. The SWWDA will now extend eastward along its current boundary and continue south along Interstate 37 from San Antonio to Corpus Christi, effectively doubling its current size.

"For the last two decades, white-winged dove populations have steadily expanded both their numbers and their geographical extent," said Dave Morrison, Small Game Program Director with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. "We



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believe, and the Service agrees, an expansion is appropriate to take advantage of additional hunting opportunities."

To take advantage of the earliest possible opening dates for the special area, the season will run Sunday, Sept. 1st through Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 2nd, and then reopen Saturday, Sept. 7th and Sunday, Sept. 8th. The daily bag limit during the combined four-day season is 15 doves in the aggregate to include no more than two mourning doves and two white-tipped doves and hunting during the early season in the SWWDA is permitted only from noon to sunset.

Dove season in the North and Central zones will run concur-

rent from Sept. 1st-Oct. 23rd and Dec. 20th-Jan. 5th. The South Zone dove season is set for Sept. 20th-Oct. 27th and Dec. 20th-Jan. 20th, with the regular season in the SWWDA Sept. 20th-Oct. 23rd and Dec. 20th-Jan. 20th.

According to Shaun Oldenburger, TPWD's Dove Program Leader, hunters can expect to see an increase from last year in dove numbers.

"It appears that breeding dove numbers have increased from last year in many regions of the state," he said. "Increased precipitation helped improve dove production and generate ample food supplies. It should be a good season."

## Winters Dove Fest Set for Saturday, September 7th

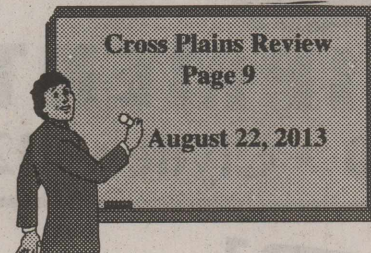
Winters Dove Fest will be held Saturday, September 7th. A barbeque brisket lunch, drink and dessert, entertainment and chance for door prizes are available for \$10 per person (child plate \$6). Free lunch will be provided for active military. Lunch will be served from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Winters Community Center on FM 1770, 3 blocks east of US 83.

The Schedule of Events include:

- All Day - Dove Hunts - locations around Winters
- All Day - Promotions and Sales at Winters' businesses
- All Day - "Fill the Boot" Winters VFD, Downtown
- All Day - Art Show, Downtown
- 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. - Clay Pigeon Fun Shoot, Rodeo Arena Road
- 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. - Winters Gun and Knife Show, Downtown
- 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. - Motorcycle Fun Run

- Community Center
- 10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. - Karate and Tai Chi Demonstrations Downtown
- 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. - Hunters Appreciation Barbecue Community Center
- 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. - Entertainment, Community Center
- 10:30 a.m. to End of Live Auction - Silent Auction Community Center
- 11 a.m. - Begin Drawing of Door Prizes, Community Center
- 1:30 p.m. - Children's Story & Activity Hour Winters Library
- 1:30 p.m. - Live Auction, Community Center
- Following Live Auction - Raffle for 7 Guns, Community Center.

You are sure to have a good time. For more information, visit Facebook "Winters Dove Fest".



## 4th Street Church of Christ Cisco

The 4th Street Church of Christ in Cisco, Texas is having a weekend meeting on September 6, 7, and 8th. Services will start at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday nights and at 10:30 Sunday morning. There will be a potluck dinner on Sunday after church. Our speaker will be Pat Mannon from Huntsville, Arkansas. He will be speaking on the importance of the doctrine of the Bible. Brother Mannon has a heart full of love for the Lord and His work. He is an excellent speaker and all who share in this meeting will be edified by being there. The church is located on the corner of 4th and J street in Cisco. We invite you all to come and worship God with us. For further information call Don Cantrell in Clyde at 254-210-2102 or Aldon Westbrook in Rising Star at 254-643-3223 or Robert Allen at 254-442-4519.

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Three meetings are scheduled for you to tell us what history you think is important. The first meeting will be in Cross Plains on September 17, in the Cross Plains Public Library at 149 N. Main Street at 6:30 p.m. The second meeting will take place at

Vada's Eats & Sweets at 331 Market Street in Baird at 6:00 p.m. The third meeting will be held on October 8th in Clyde at the Pizza House located at 725 S. Access Road at 6:00 p.m. If possible, please bring for our files addresses, copies of photos and any information you have to support your ideas.

Historical Markers can commemorate a building, business, person, organization or event. To qualify for a Recorded Texas Historic Landmark, a building must have maintained its historic architectural integrity

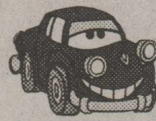
for at least the last 50 years.

Markers are intended to educate and promote tourism. Callahan County currently has 31 throughout the county. Looking for Texas Historical Markers close to you? Did you know there's an app, "TexasMarkers," for that? You can also search the Texas Historical Commission Atlas at <http://www.thc.state.tx.us/preserve/texas-historic-sites-atlas>

Please feel free to attend any of the meetings. For more information, call CCHC chair, Judy Luter, at (254) 725-7222.

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## Hamburger Cookout—FREE Ice Cream for the Kids

Free Blue Bell ice cream for kids—Friday, August 30th at the Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Cookout in front of Lowe's Market. The event is a fundraiser for the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. Come and get a fresh-grilled hamburger, hot dog or chili dog for lunch between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The kids can enjoy free Blue Bell ice cream, available for the first 90 kids. Along with the

hamburgers and hot dogs, there will be a Bake Sale, also benefitting the Cross Plains VFD. Donations of baked goods, pies, cakes, cookies, etc. are needed for the sale.

Let's all get together and help the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department with their new building. Plan now to bake something or come by and get a cake or pie, and a hamburger or hot dog.

## Shady Oaks Golf Course to participate in Patriot Golf Day

The General Manager of Shady Oaks Golf Course, Brian Nagy, announced the club's participation in the annual Patriot Golf Day. Golfers and guests will be able to contribute to this worthy cause beginning August 30th and continuing through September 3rd.

Patriot Golf Day is a joint initiative of the PGA of America and the USGA. Patriot Golf Day enlist the support of public and private golf facilities across the country. The funds collected and

donated will support the Folds Of Honor Foundation, providing post-secondary educational scholarships to the children and spouses of service members killed or disabled while serving in America's Armed Forces.

Golfers will be informed that they may donate \$1, if they wish, for each round of golf. Guests can donate in the pro-shop at Shady Oaks Golf Course. For more information visit [PatriotGolfDay.com](http://PatriotGolfDay.com).

## Rural America and the Affordable Care Act

By Jon Bailey,  
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Center for Rural Affairs

On October 1, 2013, many Americans will begin purchasing insurance from health insurance marketplaces. As they begin to research and purchase insurance, millions for the first time, the cost in premiums for their choice of coverage will be a major consideration. Affordability will determine the success of the primary goal of the Affordable Care Act - enrollment in health insurance exchanges to increase insurance coverage and reduce the nation's uninsured.

The new healthcare law provides tax credits and subsidies to make health insurance more affordable for many. A new Center for Rural Affairs report (<http://files.cfra.org/pdf/ACA-subsidies.pdf>) summarizes these provisions, how they will work, and their importance to rural Americans.

Rural residents are responsible for nearly 22 percent more of their total health care costs (premiums and out-of-pocket costs) than are urban or suburban residents. Rural areas also have generally lower incomes. Com-

bined with higher uninsured and underinsured rates, more rural residents are likely to be eligible for cost-sharing assistance and receive more valuable health insurance through the new health insurance marketplaces.

Cost-sharing and limiting out-of-pocket medical expenses will be crucial for many rural families. The proportion of rural residents with nearly every chronic disease or condition is higher than in urban centers. And rural residents receive fewer regular medical check-ups and routine diagnostic tests than they medically and statistically should. Cost-sharing will allow many rural Americans to obtain the tests and check-ups they should at lower cost, thus potentially enhancing their long-term health.

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The Center for Rural Affairs was established in 1973 as an unaffiliated nonprofit corporation under IRS code 501(c)3. The Center for Rural Affairs was formed by rural Nebraskans concerned about family farms and rural communities, and we work to strengthen small businesses, family farms and ranches, and rural communities.

## DPS boosts patrols for Labor Day enforcement period

AUSTIN — The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) will increase DWI patrols from August 19th - September 9th, which includes the Labor Day holiday weekend. DPS troopers will focus DWI patrols in high-risk locations at times when alcohol-related crashes are most frequent. The enhanced patrols that target impaired drivers are funded through a grant from the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT).

"Keeping Texas roadways safe for all travelers is a vital concern for DPS, and these increased patrols are designed to save lives by getting intoxicated drivers off the road," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "The Department urges drivers to mark the Labor Day holiday responsibly by utilizing safe driving practices and not drinking and driving."

During the Labor Day enforcement effort last year, DPS troopers made 1,879 DWI arrests, and approximately 503 of those were the direct result of the increased patrols. Last year during this same time period, DPS enforcement also resulted in 24,779 speeding

citations, 3,890 seat belt/child safety seat citations and 4,062 no insurance tickets. In addition, troopers made 1,238 fugitive arrests, 895 felony arrests and 889 drug arrests during routine patrol operations.

DPS offers the following tips for safe travel during the Labor Day holiday:

- Don't drink and drive. Designate a driver or take a cab.
- Eliminate distractions, including the usage of mobile devices.
- Buckle up everyone in the vehicle - it's the law.
- Slow down - especially in bad weather, construction areas and heavy traffic.
- Slow down or move over for tow trucks and police, fire and EMS vehicles stopped on the side of the road with emergency lights activated - it's the law. Starting Sept. 1st, the law also applies to TxDOT vehicles.
- Don't drive fatigued.
- Drive defensively, as holiday travel may present additional challenges.
- Make sure your vehicle is properly maintained before your trip begins.

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## Callahan County Agricultural newsletter for August

### Proposed voluntary traceability system

During the Cattle Industry Summer Conference in Denver last week, participants heard of a potential voluntary, incentive-based program for tracing calves and feeder cattle. Jim Collins, director of industry relations with the Southeastern Livestock Network, presented a report from the Cattle Industry Animal Traceability (ATS) Working Group to the NCBA's Cattle Health and Well Being Committee.

Collins says the working group has focused on developing a framework for a voluntary traceability system to support beef exports and domestic demand.

USDA this year launched their Animal Disease Traceability (ADT) system, but it covers limited classes of cattle, focusing mostly on mature breeding cattle. USDA plans to address traceability of calves and feeder cattle in a later rule-making process, after the ADT system is up and running.

The working group has spent the past 18 months developing a concept that would support the ADT system. The proposed voluntary ATS system would work as a public-private partnership with private, non-profit oversight to assure confidentiality of data in the system. It would essentially create linkages with existing private systems that currently provide age-, source- and process-verification services for producers involved in value-added marketing.

Animal-health officials would be able to query the database under approved circumstances to trace cattle, such as in the case of a disease outbreak.

The ATS system would use radio-frequency ID (RFID) to maintain the speed of commerce. Collins says the system would provide financial incentives, allowing producers to receive premiums for cattle that qualify for export or other value-added markets. It also would facilitate voluntary transfer of information from feedyards to cow-calf producers. Collins says their proposal would provide traceability for animal-health purposes while leveraging the

strengths of existing technology and protecting the viability of existing process-verification programs.

### The role of vaccination in an FMD outbreak

If foot and mouth disease (FMD) ever emerges in the United States, vaccination probably would play a role in our control strategy. The nature of the disease, however, makes vaccination a complex issue. Speaking at last week's Beef Industry Summer Conference, veterinarian John Zack, with USDA/APHIS Veterinary Services outlined how vaccination would fit in various outbreak scenarios.

Historically, vaccination has been viewed as a secondary strategy, primarily because the FMD-protective antibodies in vaccinated animals mimic those resulting from exposure. However, attitudes regarding vaccination as an early intervention strategy are changing. Other elements of a control strategy include biosecurity and "stamping out," or destruction of animals in an affected area.

Zack says APHIS has set three primary FMD response goals:

1. Detect, control and contain FMD in animals as quickly as possible.
2. Eradicate FMD using strategies that seek to stabilize animal agriculture, the food supply, the economy and protect public health.
3. Provide science- and risk-based approaches and systems to facilitate continuity of business for non-infected animals and non-contaminated animal products.

If it becomes apparent that stamping out will not achieve control, containment and eradication of FMD, alternative strategies will be considered. Zack outlined several strategies that could come into play, depending in part on the size of the outbreak and the virulence of the virus.

- Stamping out - This could be used exclusively if the outbreak is contained within a relatively small area where culling of animals could eliminate the virus and prevent its spread.
- Stamping out with vaccina-

tion to kill - In an area with high concentrations of livestock, the logistics of killing and disposing of large numbers of animals in a short time would be daunting. This strategy would involve vaccinating animals in an affected area and surrounding buffer zones to prevent spread of the virus until those animals could be properly depopulated and disposed of.

- Stamping out with vaccination to slaughter - This strategy would involve stamping out on the infected premises, with vaccination used within the surrounding control area and vaccinated animals sent to slaughter.

- Stamping out with vaccination to live - This would involve stamping out of clinically affected and in-contact susceptible animals and vaccination of at-risk animals outside the control area. Vaccinated animals intended for breeding, slaughter or other purposes live out their useful lives.

- Vaccination to live with no stamping out - This could be used in protection vaccination zones outside control areas.

Upon news of an outbreak, the Secretary of Agriculture would activate the North American FMD vaccine bank, operated in cooperation with Canada and Mexico. The challenge would then be to produce adequate doses of the appropriate vaccine based on the serotype of the outbreak, maintain a cold chain and distribute doses to veterinarians in the field. In addition to the North American Vaccine Bank, U.S. officials likely would need to purchase vaccine doses on the international market. Supplies of vaccine might struggle to meet demand, especially if an outbreak were to occur in an area with high livestock density.

For more information, visit USDA's National Center for Animal Health Emergency Management website.

### Why are farm kids so healthy?

A new study from the National Farm Medicine Center seeks to find why farm kids are healthier than their city cousins.

According to the American

Farm Bureau, the study will look at why childhood exposures unique to farm environments promote immunologic development that limits the severity of childhood allergic diseases and asthma.

The Center, along with the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, will follow 200 babies from the Marshfield, Wis., area over the next two years. Half of the babies will be from farm families and half from rural families not living on farms.

The study is being funded by a \$5 million grant from the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. For more information, call the study hotline at 1-800-512-5488.

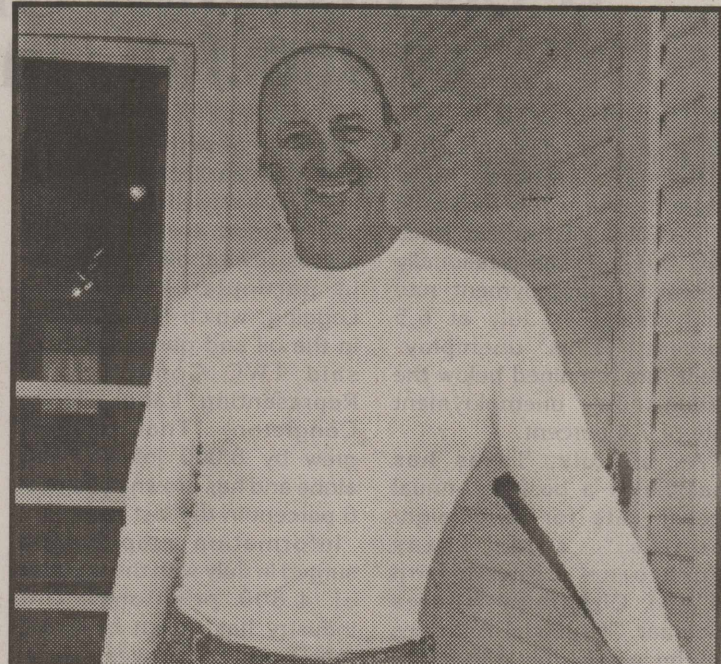
Last year, another study found that kids who grow up on farms grow up with regular exposure to dust, pollen, animals and manure, which encourages a more robust immune system compared to the more hygienic city life. In fact, farm kids are 30 to 50 percent less likely to develop allergies or asthma than those who live in the city.

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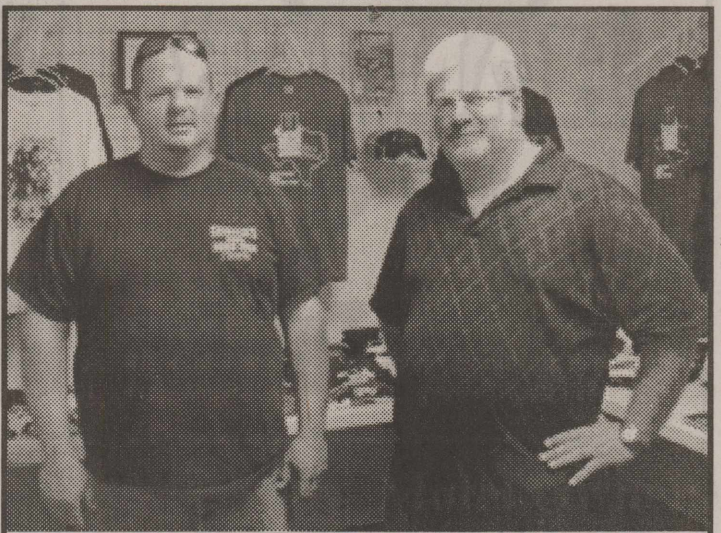
Due to the increasing cost of postage and our shrinking postage budget, the Callahan County Extension office is having to make some changes in the way that the Ag. Newsletters are distributed. The newsletter is currently posted on the county website and mailed to producers. However, at some point in the future we will be going to email only. We are asking producers to email the County Extension office at [Callahan@ag.tamu.edu](mailto:Callahan@ag.tamu.edu) with your email addresses.

Sincerely,  
Jerry Warren  
County Extension Agent

Educational programs for the Texas AgriLife Extension are open to all people without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age or national origin. We will seek to provide reasonable accommodations for all persons with disabilities for this meeting. We request that you contact the County Extension Office as soon as possible to advise us of the auxiliary aid or service that you will require.



**Doctor of Neurophysiology Visits Museum** — Dr. William H. Cooke, Director of the Laboratory for Applied Autonomic Neurophysiology at the University of Texas, San Antonio. The primary focus of this laboratory is the "study of human cardiovascular and cerebrovascular regulatory mechanisms." As he pulled into the parking area at the museum on his motorcycle, he quipped that such a ride is a great stress reliever! His interest in the Conan stories as a young teen-ager paralleled his own interest in body building and using his imagination to take him to different worlds and times. Since that beginning, Cooke has branched out into several of Howard's other stories as well as interest in Howard's life as a writer. To that end, he has retraced Howard's journey from Peaster to Cross Plains, as written about in letters to friends. He was delighted to be directed to the series of books published by the Robert E. Howard Foundation Press that share the collected letters of Howard's. A neurophysiologist-definitely a first at the museum.



**REH Visitors** — Eric Woodward and Stan Lejeune took a break from their jobs to come to Cross Plains just to visit REH Museum last week. Woodward works as a sub-contractor installing fire sprinkler systems in the Lake Charles area and Lejeune is a professor of Biology at the Delgado Community College in New Orleans. Like so many visitors before him, Woodward became interested in Howard's stories via the comic book route as a teen-ager. His tastes have since expanded to several other genres, and he is currently interested in westerns. Another avenue of the comic books he has pursued are the fantastic covers created by the late Frank Frazetta. To this end, the guys had visited the Frazetta Home and Museum in PA a few years ago and continued to be impressed with the art of Frazetta. Laden with books and t-shirts, the pair stopped by Jean's for lunch before heading to Brownwood to see the Howard related sites.

# Obscure agency could gain power with water measure

By Neena Satija

The persistence of drought conditions across Texas brought extra attention on the once-obscure Texas Water Development Board this legislative session, as lawmakers approved a major overhaul of the agency's leadership.

And with a major financing proposal before voters, the power of the state agency, which has just under 300 employees, is poised to grow. Stakeholders will be watching to see if the new board can become a major player in shaping what Texas needs in the coming decades a comprehensive strategy to ensure adequate water supplies in a booming state.

Starting Sept. 1st, Gov. Rick Perry will replace the current board by appointing three full-time government employees, who will make \$150,000 a year. The board would also have control over \$2 billion in a revolving fund for water supply projects across the state, should voters approve creating such a fund in November.

The agency, not even a tenth the size of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, has been the state's water infrastructure bank since 1957, doling out money for various infrastructure projects. It has a current outstanding bond portfolio of \$5.5 billion.

"The impact this agency has on the state is tremendous," said Melanie Callahan, the board's executive administrator. "The responsibilities with which we've been entrusted are huge."

Lawmakers have been critical of how the board has operated. Sen. Troy Fraser, R-Horseshoe Bay, chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee

and a proponent of the shake-up, called the current board "reactionary."

"I want them to be proactive instead of reactive," Fraser said, adding that he felt the board did not communicate enough with its own staff, legislators or regional planning groups.

Callahan and the current board members have declined to comment on the board overhaul until their terms expire.

But former board members say they're concerned that the new board would be less representative of the state.

"I worry that the political pressure will go where the votes and population centers are rather than where it makes the most sense," said Jack Hunt, who served on the board from 1998 to 2010. He said rural and disadvantaged communities that need the loans the most often get left behind.

Fraser hopes that the new board, rather than being "just a bank," will "basically become salesmen," traveling the state to help regions develop water plans and projects. The new law requires that one member have a background in engineering, another in law or business, and another in public or private finance.

His concerns reflect an increasing sense of urgency that the ever-growing state needs to develop a more comprehensive water strategy and that the board should play a bigger role in that effort. Critics of the current board say members simply loan out money for a "laundry list" of water projects, with no real direction or larger goal.

"You can see that the current trajectory isn't working," said Laura Huffman, director of the Nature Conservancy's Texas of-

fice. The new board members, Huffman said, should not "just look at projects as they're coming in, but help do some shaping."

That has not historically been the role of the board, which loans money for projects that include sewage treatment, desalination plants and water main replacement. Right now, the board ranks projects based on conservation efforts and when the additional water supply would be needed.

The amendment up for a vote in November would require a more stringent prioritization method that would be developed by a separate committee, and could include measures like cost-effectiveness. Such a method will likely take at least one to two years to develop, at which time the new funds would become available.

That would add a large burden on the shoulders of the TWDB and its board members, who vote on every loan, and the agency has so far resisted such a burden.

Callahan said that for many years, the board had access to enough money to give loans to everyone that needed them, and prioritization wasn't necessary. But that may change if the new \$2 billion fund is approved, because the financing is likely to be attractive to many entities.

Should the voters approve the \$2 billion in November, the board says it will have to spend \$1.9 million more over the next two years to administer the funds, which includes hiring 12 full-time employees. Changing the board's structure will cost an estimated \$2.4 million, including the salaries and benefits of the new board members and their supporting staff.

Andrew Sansom, executive director of the Meadows Center for Water and the Environment at Texas State University, said the new prioritization system would be a challenge.

"No matter what kind of restructuring takes place, it's going to still be very, very difficult to say, when two projects have equal merits, how do I decide between San Marcos and Lockhart," he said.

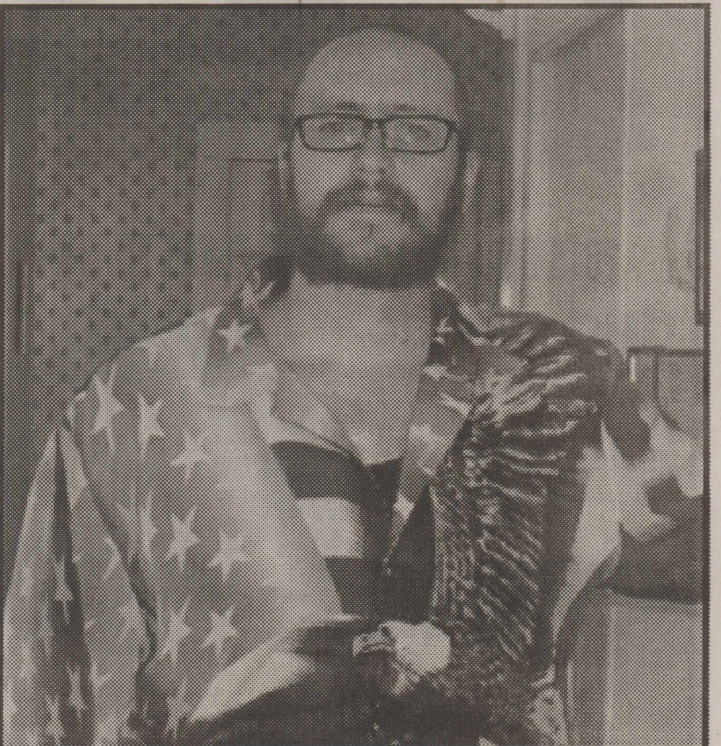
At the same time, a new ranking system, and a bigger role for the Texas Water Development Board members, could have a measurable and important effect on what water infrastructure projects actually get built in the coming decades.

"I think there's stuff out there that we probably shouldn't have built," Sansom said, referring to reservoirs that have lost much of their initial supply due to evaporation. "Hopefully, those would get weeded out under the new structure."

Nearly two dozen people have applied for appointments to the board since the law was passed. And privately, many legislators and observers have mentioned Carlos Rubinstein, a TCEQ commissioner, as a favorite for chairman.

Even if voters approve the \$2 billion water financing proposal in November, there is still a lot of work for the board to do. The current "wish list" of water supply plans across the state would cost a total of \$53 billion.

"\$2 billion isn't even going to scratch the surface of that," Sansom said. "The biggest danger in the passage of this bill is for us to believe that if we go out and spend a couple billion dollars and build a bunch of things, that this problem will go away."



**REH Visitor** — Justin Whitney of Houston continued the steady stream of visitors at the REH Museum last Tuesday. After working for years as a broadcasting engineer for Fox Sports, he is currently devoting full time efforts to his writing. True to his interest in Howard, he is writing a fantasy novel that promises to be completed soon. In addition to his interest in the fantasy realm and the comics, he is currently delving into the tales of Steve Costigan, Howard's boxing protagonist. Promising to return with friends, he left with several books to prove to those friends that he had been here.

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# Texas Economy Grows by 19,900 Jobs in July

AUSTIN — The Texas economy added 19,900 seasonally adjusted total nonfarm jobs in July for a total of 293,000 jobs added since July 2012. Texas' seasonally adjusted unemployment rate held steady in July at 6.5 percent. Texas' unemployment rate remained below the nation's July unemployment rate of 7.4 percent.

"As of July, Texas has maintained a positive annual growth rate for 39 straight months," said Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) Chairman Andres Alcantar. "Financial Activities led the way in July with 9,000 added jobs; the largest monthly increase in that major industry since 1998. We encourage job seekers to visit their local Workforce Solutions office to find current employment opportunities."

This was the sixth monthly gain in the past seven months

for Financial Activities. The monthly growth brings the over-the-year total jobs added in the industry to 19,000.

"It's good to see growth across several different fields in particular Mining and Logging, which includes jobs in the oil and gas industries," said TWC Commissioner Representing Labor Ronny Congleton. "That industry grew by 8,000 jobs in July alone and has grown by almost 6 percent in the last year."

Information employment surged in July with the addition of 4,800 positions. This industry has grown by 6,300 jobs over the last year for an annual growth rate of 3.2 percent.

Trade, Transportation, and Utilities also saw positive job gains over the month in Texas, adding 3,200 jobs for a total of 53,000 jobs added over the year.

"The private sector continues to lead the way for our state's

economy, adding more than 278,000 jobs over the last year," said TWC Commissioner Representing Employers Hope Andrade. "Our 3.1 percent annual growth rate compares favorably to 2.1 percent for the private sector nationally."

The Midland Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) had the lowest July unemployment rate in the state at 3.5 percent. The Odessa MSA came in second at 4.2 percent and the Amarillo MSA third at 5.1 percent (not seasonally adjusted).

Audio downloads from TWC Chairman Andres Alcantar on the latest labor market data are available at: [HYPERLINK "http://www.texasworkforce.org/news/press/2013/press-releases-2013.html#pressReleaseAudio"](http://www.texasworkforce.org/news/press/2013/press-releases-2013.html#pressReleaseAudio)

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# Second public hearing on County tax rate is Friday

The Callahan County Commissioners' Court held the first public hearing on the 2013-2014 tax rate during a meeting held at the County Courthouse in Baird on Monday, August 19th.

The proposed tax rate for 2013-2014 includes the General Fund of .336239¢ per \$100 of property valuation and the Road and Bridge Fund of .142469¢ per \$100 of valuation for a total tax rate of .478708¢ per \$100 of valuation. The new tax rate is lower than the present tax rate which is .48137¢ per \$100 of property value.

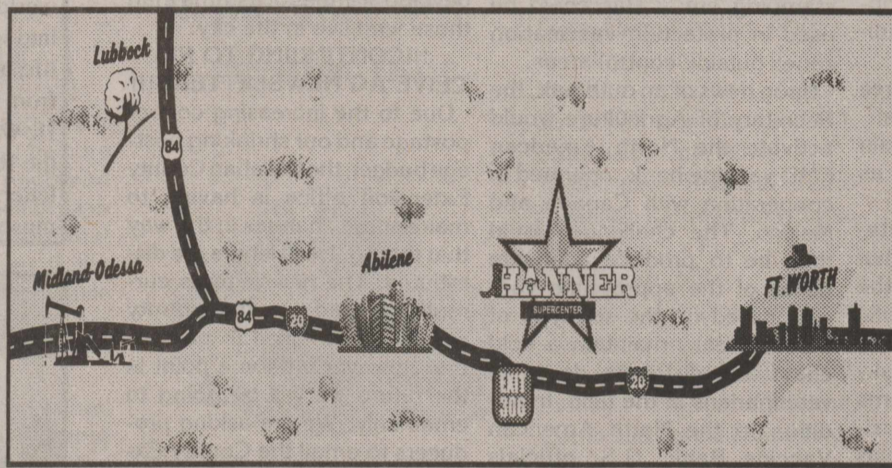
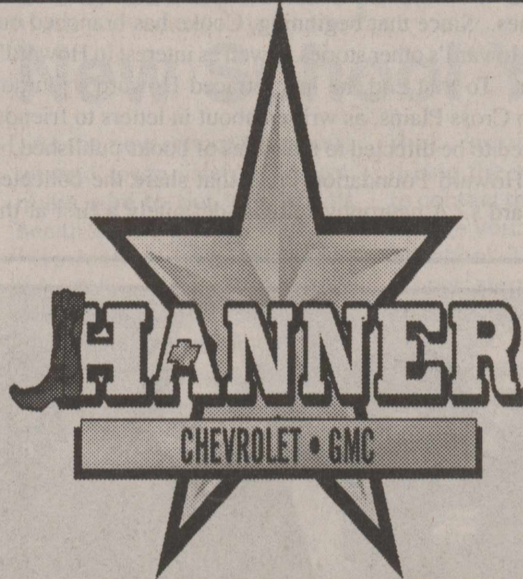
There were no public comments.

The second public hearing is set for Friday, August 23rd at 9:00 a.m., at the Commissioners' Courtroom at the County

Courthouse in Baird.

Callahan County Judge Roger Corn called the commissioners' court meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. with Precinct #1 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 Donna Bell, County Clerk, and County Treasurer Dianne Gunter. Also attending the meeting were Tonvia P. Gryniewicz and Matt Stubbs.

The commissioners' court meeting was adjourned at 9:22 a.m. on a motion by Commissioner Farmer and second by Commissioner Kirkham, with a vote of 5-0.



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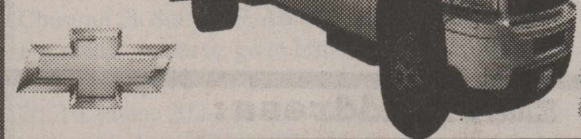


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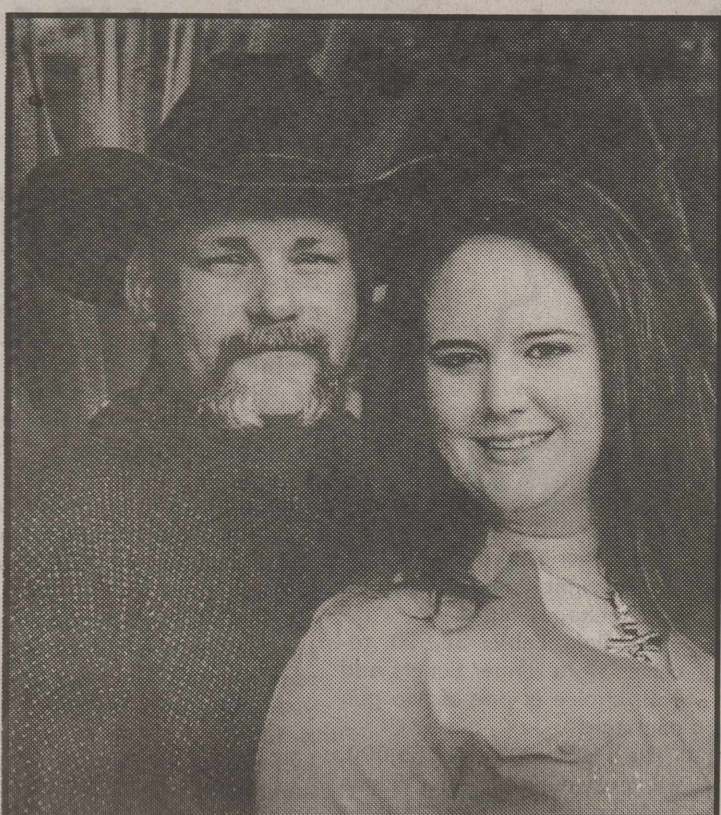


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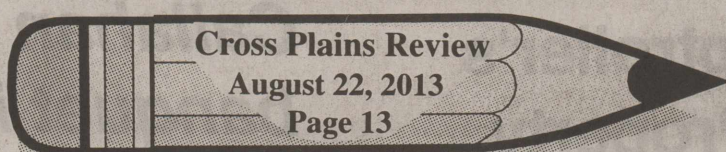
**Wyatt and Wilkerson**

LeaJean A. Wyatt and Walt E. Wilkerson Jr. have announced their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Tony Wyatt and the late Terry Jane Wyatt of Cross Plains, Texas. She is a '99 graduate of Cross Plains High School and a '03 graduate of Texas A&M University in Galveston. She is employed by Rising Star ISD as a Science Teacher.

The groom-to-be is the son of Walt and Debbie Wilkerson of Cisco, TX. And Jack and Cheryl Hart of Hawley, TX. He is a '98 Graduate of Cisco High School. He is employed by Basic Energy Company as a driver.

The couple are planning a October 26th, wedding at The First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains, TX.



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The Big Country Chapter of Texas Master Naturalist is happy to provide an opportunity to the public to learn more about these elegant little fliers on August 24th, from 9AM to 12 Noon. Our speaker will be Mark Klym, co-author of the book, Hummingbirds of Texas. Mark works as a wildlife diversity biologist with Texas Parks and Wildlife and is coordinator of the Hummingbird Roundup and Texas Wildscapes programs. He is from Canada and studied at Lake Superior State University, where he

received degrees in Biological Science and in Fisheries and Wildlife Management.

Mark's program will cover identification of hummingbirds typically found in Texas. The presentation will also help you to manage your surroundings to make them attractive and safe for these tiny visitors. Our workshop will finish with explanation of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Hummingbird Roundup program; this program is an important source of information to biologists concerned with the birds' movements and habits and will give you an excellent way to begin your career as a "Citizen Scientist."

The Hummingbird Workshop will be presented at the Taylor County Extension Office located on the grounds of the Taylor County Expo Center on the morning of August 24th, from 9 to 12 noon. There is no admission or pre-registration. Please join the Big Country Master Naturalist for this great opportunity to learn about some of our most beautiful and fascinating birds.

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## PR Daily Honors Comptroller's Office for Unclaimed Property, Scholarship Foundation Outreach

AUSTIN — PR Daily recently honored the Texas Comptroller's Office for excellence in outreach and promotion of two programs aimed at helping Texans: the Comptroller's Unclaimed Property Division and the Texas Match the Promise FoundationSM.

PR Daily - an online website that follows trends and opinions on public relations, marketing, social media and media - awarded the Comptroller's office as a part of its 2013 Nonprofit PR Awards. The Comptroller's efforts were honored after being judged among the works of more than 200 nonprofits and state and local government entities.

The Comptroller's office received honorable mentions in the Best Press Release and Best Traditional Marketing Campaign categories. PR Daily specifically honored a key staff member and two teams for their contributions: Delane Caesar, Chief of Information

Outreach, Data Services and Transparency; the Comptroller's Unclaimed Property Division; and the Comptroller's Texas Match the Promise team.

The campaign and press release both were used in outreach efforts to spur public awareness of the Comptroller's Unclaimed Property Division and the Match the Promise Foundation scholarship program.

The Unclaimed Property Division provides Texans opportunities to search for forgotten money, file claims and donate to the Texas Match the Promise Foundation. The Foundation encourages families to save for college by awarding matching scholarship and tuition grants to deserving Texas children whose parents have made a commitment to save for their child's education through the Texas Tuition Promise FundTM, the state's prepaid college tuition plan.

Both the Unclaimed Property and the Match the Promise teams have celebrated recent milestones. In July, the Comptroller's office celebrated the return of \$1 billion in unclaimed property since 2007, which exceeds the amount returned in the 44 years before 2007. And in March, the Texas Match the Promise Foundation awarded its first-ever round of scholarships and grants to 60 Texas students.

Texans can search for their unclaimed property at [www.ClaimItTexas.org](http://www.ClaimItTexas.org), and anyone wishing to learn more about Match the Promise Foundation or donate to the fund providing scholarships and grants to deserving Texans should visit [www.MatchThePromise.org](http://www.MatchThePromise.org). To view a full listing of PR Daily's awards, visit [www.prdaily.com/Awards/NPA2013.aspx](http://www.prdaily.com/Awards/NPA2013.aspx).

## Cross Plains' retail sales in 2013 are 5% higher

The City of Cross Plains' one percent city sales tax payments in 2012 are higher by over five percent, according to the Texas State Comptroller's office.

Texas State Comptroller Susan Combs reported the city's sales tax payment on Wednesday, August 7th.

Cross Plains' 2013 sales tax payments for the year totalled \$147,460.14, which is 5.95 percent higher than the \$139,176.45 in sales tax rebate payments collected in 2012.

The payment to the city for July 2013 was \$21,099.43, which is 11.82 percent higher than the \$18,868.24 payment made in July 2012.

Texas Comptroller Susan Combs said today, Wednesday, August 7th, that state sales tax revenue in July was \$2.2 billion, up 7.3 percent compared to July 2012.

"Texas sales tax revenue has increased for 40 consecutive months," Combs said. "The retail trade sector bolstered the latest growth in monthly revenue, and collections from the construction and the oil and natural gas sectors continued to show growth."

Combs will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts their August local sales tax allocations totaling \$671 million, up 6.2 percent compared to August 2012.

Combs distributed \$443.3 million in August 2013 allocations to Texas cities, which is up 6.0 percent from August 2012 and higher by 6.6 percent year-to-date.

She reported \$42.7 million in August 2013 allocations to Texas counties, which is higher by 5.3 percent compared to August 2012 and higher by 7.9 percent year-to-date.

The Texas transit systems received \$150.5 million in August 2013 sales tax allocations, which is 5.8 percent higher than August 2012 and up 7.2 percent year-to-date.

Special Purpose Taxing Districts received \$34.5 million in August 2013 allocations, which is 10.6 percent higher than August 2012 and higher by 12.7 percent year-to-date.

Total sales tax allocations were \$671.0 million in August 2013, which is 6.2 percent higher than August 2012 and up 7.1 percent year-to-date.

The sales tax figures represent monthly sales made in June, as well as April, May and June sales by businesses that report tax quarterly.

For details of August sales tax allocations to individual cities,

### CROSS PLAINS SALES TAX PAYMENTS

	2012	2013
Total yearly sales tax payments	\$139,176.45	\$147,460.14
Total monthly sales tax payments	\$18,868.24	\$21,099.43

counties, transit systems and special purpose districts, locate the Monthly Sales Tax Allocation Comparison Summary Reports on the Comptroller's Web site at [www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/allocsum/compsum.html](http://www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/allocsum/compsum.html).

Other Callahan County towns reporting sales tax payments include:

—The City of Baird reported that sales tax payments in 2013 started the year 11.34 percent higher than the 2012 payments. The city has received \$91,333.52 in 2013, while the 2012 tax payments to the city totalled \$82,030.33.

Baird's monthly payment for July 2013 was \$15,228.00, which is 22.20 percent higher than the \$12,460.97 payment made in July 2012.

—The 2013 sales tax payments in the City of Clyde are 10.83 percent higher than the payments made to the city in 2012. The sales tax rebates for the City of Clyde have amounted to \$404,997.09 in 2013. The 2012 payments to the city during the same payment period were \$365,396.82.

The City of Clyde's monthly payment for July 2013 was \$58,904.88, which is 4.33 percent higher than the check in July 2012 of \$56,459.44.

—The City of Putnam reported the 2013 payments to the town totalled \$8,816.93, which is lower by 16.14 percent from the 2012 payments to the city in the amount of \$10,514.67.

Putnam's tax payment for the month of July 2012 was \$1,039.18, which is 35.15 percent lower than the \$1,602.56 payment made in July 2012.

—Countywide, sales tax payments for 2013 in Callahan County are higher by 9.29 percent compared to the 2012 payments in the county. Callahan County towns received sales tax payments in 2013

amounting to \$652,607.68 while the 2012 payments to the county towns totalled \$597,118.27.

The tax rebates in Callahan County for the month of July 2013 was \$96,271.49, which is 7.69 percent higher than the \$89,391.21 payments made in July 2012.

Merchants collect the state and local sales tax and send it to the Comptroller's office with their tax returns. The state keeps its 6 1/4 percent share and returns the local one percent sales tax each month to the local governments. Cities and counties may levy a combined tax of up to two percent above the state's sales tax.

Clyde businesses collect 2.00%, including one percent for the City of Clyde, one-half of one percent for the Clyde Economic Development Corporation and one half of one percent to reduce property taxes (Proceeds to benefit the Clyde Volunteer Fire Department).

Cross Plains collects 2.00% in local sales taxes, of which 1.00 percent is allocated to the city and 1.00% is allocated for economic development in the town.

Baird collects 2.00% in local sales tax of which 1.00% is allocated to the city, 0.50% is allocated to the community's economic development corporation and 0.50% of one percent to reduce property taxes.

Putnam collects 1.00% in local sales tax of which all 1.00 percent is allocated to the city.

All local sales taxes must be approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city or county expenses. Most areas put the money in their General Fund and use it for normal operations like fire fighting, maintaining roads and law enforcement, the Comptroller said. Some cities use up to an additional one percent of city sales tax to help fund local economic development and to reduce property taxes.

## Callahan Co. Friends of the NRA banquet is fast approaching

The first-ever fund-raising banquet for the Callahan County Friends of the National Rifle Association will be held at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, located at 217 Oak Street in Clyde, on Saturday, September 7, 2013. The banquet will begin at 5:00 p.m., with the doors opening and the banquet should conclude around 9:00 p.m.

The Little Pit restaurant in Clyde will cater this year's banquet.

The menu for the banquet will include: brisket, sausage and two vegetables, with tea or coffee and peach cobbler for dessert.

The banquet ticket price is \$25.00 per person. This year's banquet will be a non-alcohol event. Tickets for this year's banquet are available from any Callahan County Friends of the NRA member or can be purchased at the Clyde Journal.

The Callahan County Friends of the NRA will also be selling tables at this year's banquet. The table prices include:

The Friends of the NRA is offering a Special Table package for the Callahan County Banquet. The Special Table for Eight is \$1,750, which includes a Colt AR-15 LE 6900 556 with a 16 inch barrel.

A Basic Table of Eight: \$200, will receive eight dinner tickets.

The Bronze Table: \$750, will receive eight dinner tickets and



a gun package. The Silver Table: \$1,500, will receive eight dinner tickets and gun package. The Gold Table: \$2,500, receives eight dinner tickets and your choice of one of two gun packages. The Platinum Table: \$5,000, will receive eight dinner tickets and your choice of two gun packages.

Tickets can be purchased by either check, cash or credit card. Make checks payable to Callahan County Friends of the NRA. Tickets for this year's banquet can be purchased from Don Boles Insurance Agency in Clyde, Longacre Gun Shop located at 358 Chestnut in Abilene, Amy Day, Don Boles, Kevin Meir, Dennis Van Vleet, Charles Branton, or Mike and Lyn Walker.

Also, in conjunction with this year's banquet, the Callahan County Friends of the NRA are selling raffle tickets for a Colt LE6900 AR-15. Only 400 tick-

ets will be sold for this rifle. The drawing will be held at the Callahan County Friends of the NRA Banquet. You need not be present to win. Ticket prices are \$10.00 each. Pre-affle tickets for the Colt LE6900 AR-15 can be purchased from any Friends of the NRA committee member or can be purchased at the Clyde Journal.

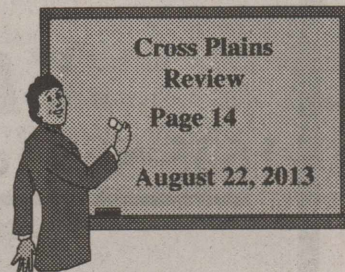
Proceeds from this raffle will benefit the West Texas Friends of the NRA and the NRA Foundation. Mike Walker and Reggie Pillans are co-chairmen of the committee which will be putting on this year's banquet. Michelle Ratliff is secretary of the committee, Lyn Walker is treasurer of the committee.

Jack Cannon, Senior Field Representative for the NRA said the Friends of the NRA is a grassroots offshoot for the NRA Foundation 501 C nonprofit organization. He said the NRA Foundation is a nonpolitical organization which has held some 1,100 fund-raising banquets nationwide over the last year. He said the Friends of the NRA donated over \$250,000 to support youth shooting sports, FFA organizations, 4-H shooting sports clubs, Boy Scouts, Junior ROTC, law enforcement organizations, as well as educational, historical, and gun safety course and more than 175 other programs.

## Linedance club offers beginners classes

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