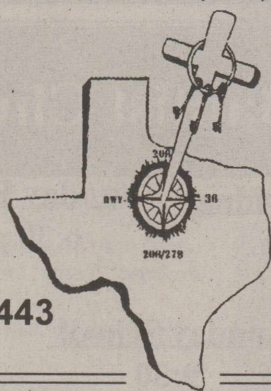


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The Quirky Turkey signals the The First United Methodist Church's Annual Lord's Acre will be coming up soon - on Saturday, November 11th. All the details inside.

## Rehab Open House set for November 10th

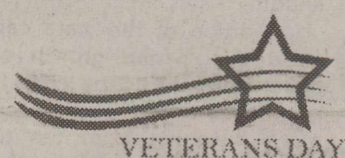
Rising Star Nursing and Rehab and Mid-Tex Hearing Centers of Brownwood are teaming up for free screenings on Friday, November 10 from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. Mid Tex hearing will be offering free public screenings at first come first served. Rehab Synergies will be providing

tours of the Outpatient Therapy Clinic and the new equipment we use. Rising Star Nursing and Rehab will offer free blood pressure and blood sugar testing to the public. Find out more on Facebook or call Barbara at 254-643-6700.

## City of Cross Plains to Recognize Veterans

The City of Cross Plains realizes the importance of honoring our veterans. The United States would not be able to enjoy the freedoms that we have without the sacrifice of men and women of the military and their families, through the years to protect and serve our country, in times of war and peace.

To honor these heroes, the Cross Plains Senior Center will host lunch, provided by the City



of Cross Plains and it employees will be on hand to serve the meal on Friday, November 10, 2017 at 11:45.

Lunch will be provided free of charge to all Veterans.

## Beware of a New Phone Scam Going Around

Be aware of a new scam going around. The scammer will call you on the phone stating that they have a workorder to come out and disconnect your electric services because you haven't paid the bill.

They will tell you how much you "owe" and direct you to a location where you can

purchase gift cards in the amount you need to keep your electricity from being turned off.

This scam targets businesses, as well as, individuals.

If you get one of these calls, hang up. Call your utility company and report the call to the Sheriff's Office.



Football Sweetheart and Beau - Hannah Crockett and Creed Goode

## Angel Tree at the Bank Applications Available

Applications for this year's Community Angel Tree at the bank are available at Resource Care Community Health Center and Texas Heritage Bank. If you are the parent/guardian of a child/children (infant through school age) that lives in the Cross Plains school district and is in need, please complete and return the application to either location by Tuesday, November 21.

## Buffalo Breakfast at the Main Street Pool House this Friday, Nov. 10th

This Friday, November 10th, the Buffalo Breakfast will be held at the Main Street Pool House for the Cottonwood Baptist Church

Breakfast will be served to the football players, coaches, cheerleaders, and band members at 7 a.m. followed by a short devotional.

The Buffaloes travel to Miles to face off against the Bulldogs on Friday night.

## Craft Fair

The Cross Plains Public Library will be hosting their annual craft sale on Friday, December 1st, from noon until 5 p.m. and Saturday, December 2nd, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 1000 N. Main, Cross Plains. Local crafters and vendors will have booths for your shopping enjoyment and the library will again provide FREE gift-wrapping service. Cost for an 8 x10 booth is only \$10 - contact the library at 725-7722 to reserve your spot now!

## Want To Write Your Elected Officials?

Here are their addresses:

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Greg Abbott, Governor, Room 200, State Capitol, Austin, TX. 78711. Phone: (512) 463-1762.

Jim Keffer, State Representative, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78768-2910. Phone 512-463-0656.

Troy Fraser, Texas Senate District 24, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, TX 78711 or call (512) 463-0124.

Washington  
Donald J. Trump, President of the United States, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20000. Phone: (202) 456-1111.

Mike Conaway, U.S. Congressman, 6 Desta Drive, Suite 2000, Midland, TX 79705, Phone: (202) 225-3605, e-mail: conaway.house.gov.

John Cornyn, U.S. Senator 517 Hart Senate Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Phone 202/224-2934. Fax (202) 224-2934. For email access, go to <http://Cornyn.Senate.gov>

Ted Cruz, 455 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Phone (202) 224-5922. For email go to <http://Cruz.senate.gov>.



Organizing the Hunters Feed - Board Members and Organizers for last Saturday's Hunters Feed - Front, left to right: Jamie Roberts, Teri Brown, Terrie Parum, Kathleen and Lee Tippy, Christine Allen, Dee Martin, David Estes and Kris Sparks. Back: Connie Kirkham, Ray Decker, Bryan Bennett and Amanda Knight. Photos from the Hunters Feed inside.

## Jackilann Shepard Named in Big Country Top Ten

Jackilann Shepard, distance runner, Jr., Cross Plains - Took seventh place at the state meet in Class 1A, finishing with a time of 12 minutes, 32.42 seconds, placing here at Number Four in the Big Country Top Ten.

A three-year varsity runner, Shepard has now earned two straight trips to state.

Other Top Performers listed: Larson Walker and Dobbs McWilliams, distance runners, Cross Plains, placed 10th as a team at state.



Jackilann Shepard

## GED Classes Available

The Cross Plains GED classes held at the library on Monday nights from 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm and Tuesday nights from 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm have experienced a great start. Our enrollment is up to 8 students and we are moving along quickly in our preparation for the GED test and certification. Please join us if you are in need of GED certification. Contact Chele Walker at 903-227-9651 for further information.

This can be a weekly enclosure if all parties agree.

## Veteran's Day Services Lunch, and Program on Friday, November 10th

Veteran's Day Services will be held at the Cross Plains Area Veteran's Memorial this Friday, November 10th at 9 a.m.

The American Legion raise and lower the flag in honor of the veterans in our community that have served our country.

Elementary students will sing patriotic songs.

Then at 11:45, Veterans will

enjoy a free barbeque lunch served by City employees at the Senior Center.

At 12:45, the American Legion will present a Veteran's Day program for the High School Students.

Guest speakers will be Tom Marlatt, Brent Barry and High School Principal Brad Jones.

## Dance at Senior Center on Monday, Nov 13th

Come dance the night away at the Cross Plains Senior Center on Monday, November 13th, starting at 6:30 p.m.

Music and entertainmen provided by Margie Hartsfield, who has performed at the dances in the past several

months. Everyone has had such a good time.

Snacks and beverage provided. Dinner is potluck.

Only \$5 admission. Everyone 55 and older is invited to come and have a good time!

## Thanksgiving Bake Sale Coming Soon!

Thanksgiving Bake Sale Coming Soon!

Thanksgiving is just around the corner! Are you tired just thinking of all the cooking and baking you have to do? Let us do some of the work for you! The Cross Plains Public Library is holding their annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale on Tuesday, Nov. 21 st , from 11:00a.m until 7:00p.m. - or until we are sold out - in the library's conference room. Friends of the library will be busy baking lots of treats for

your holiday table: pecan pies, pumpkin pies, fudge, divinity, homemade breads, cakes, cookies, and lots more! If you would like to place an order, (e.g., Italian cream cake, pumpkin pies, rolls, fudge, sugar-free cakes, etc.) call the library before Nov. 16th at 254-725-7722 and reserve your items now! Don't miss out!

This is our largest fundraiser each year, so we welcome your baked goods to sell, as well as buy!

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# CHURCH DIRECTORY

## COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School .....9:45 AM  
 Morning Worship.....11:00 AM  
 Ministry Activities  
 Youth Meet at Pool House.....6:30PM  
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 Friendly Church Church (254) 725-6266 Bible Teaching

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

## Pioneer Baptist Church

**Pastor: Dwaine Clowers** **Music Director: Barbara Jo Medley**  
 Phone: 254-725-7574  
 Sunday School.....10:00am  
 Sunday Morning Worship.....11:00am  
 Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00pm  
 Wednesday Prayer Service.....6:00pm

## Living Water Ministries Fellowship

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**Pastor Max Evans**  
 For Information Call (254) 725-7418

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**Pastor: Wayne Lenz**  
**Music: Karen Lenz & Diane Woods**  
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 Sunday Morning Worship...11:00 am  
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## First United Methodist Church

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**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)**  
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**Cell Phone: Rick - (918) 348-6859**

## First Baptist Church

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**Sunday School** 9:30  
**Wednesday** 6:30 pm Prayer/Worship  
 Student & Children Ministries 6:30 p.m.  
**Kenneth Reiter, Pastor**  
 (254) 725-7629 301 N. Main,  
 Cross Plains, TX  
 www.firstbaptistcp.com

## OBITUARY

### Billy M. Queen

Billy M. Queen, 75, of Cross Plains, passed away Monday, October 30, 2017 in Abilene, Texas.

Billy was born on October 23, 1942 in Lampasas, Texas to the late Lester and Olga Min-Queen. He married Elaine Dufner on November 18, 1966 in Lampasas, Texas. Bill was a retired carpenter, Jack of all trades and was known as a hard worker. He was known for being a man of his word and will be missed by his family and longtime friends.

Bill is survived by his wife, Elaine; 2 daughters, Brenda Renee Queen and Regina Ann Queen; 5 grandchildren, Amanda Sturgeon; Hannah El Saleh, Norma Lee Queen, Tempy Ann Queen, Jacob Shubert; 2 great grandchildren, Conner and Henry; siblings, Wilda Mullins, Larry Queen and wife, Margaret, Linda Sue Cabaniss, Rebecca Lynn O'Hair and husband, Jerry; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends.

Bill was also preceded in death by a daughter, Rhonda Elaine Shubert.

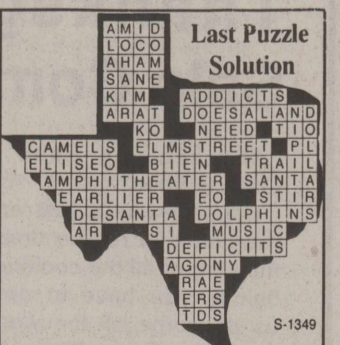


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**From the Past**  
**Callahan County Clarendon**  
**Saturday October 28, 1882**  
 Vol. III, No. 30

**Local News (con't)**  
 The following is the weight of the watermelons brought to this office during the season: A. J. Chapman brought two weighing twenty-nine and forty-four pounds; J. M. G. Baugh, one weighing 21 ½ pounds; M. H. Allen, one weighing 20 ½ pounds and Thos. McCoy, one weighing 49 ¾ pounds, which entitles Mr. McCoy to the premium - a years' subscription to the Clarendon.

No portion of the state can excel this in the growth of sweet potatoes. The crop is simply immense and specimens weighing from ten to fifteen pounds each are not uncommon. Judge Ireland, on his visit to this section last week, was much surprised to see such fine ones, and he ordered a barrel of them to be shipped at his own cost to his home in Seguin, just to show what might be grown here.

Mr. Smith, living on Turkey Creek in this county, has sold this season from off three acres, \$270 dollars worth of potatoes, and says the crop is now about half gathered.

Mr. Dan Craven sold this week 550 head of his sheep to Mr. John Linch, of Bradford, Pa. This gentleman has been prospecting for a short time in Baird and Callahan county and pronounces this county good enough for him. He has bought several sections of land on Hubbard Creek and will at once open a sheep ranch. He is a man of wealth, being engaged in the oil business in his state, and will prove a valuable acquisition to our population.

There are two other men with him, but we have not heard whether they will invest here or not. One of them, we are sorry to say, has been on the sick list for a few days, but is up and about again.

The Baird Jockey horse races commenced last Saturday and continued on Monday and Tuesday and finished up with a foot-race on Wednesday, at which, as usual, the man who came out ahead won the race. Our school under the able management of Prof. Oliver and Mrs. Lewis, is still on a boom. There are now enrolled in school, 101 scholars, and more coming.

A Brakeman Falls from a Stock Car

Last Wednesday afternoon, as a train of loaded stock cars was coming down Baird hill and when a little below the cabin of the watchman who keeps a lookout over the high trestles on the hill, a brakeman, well known here, named Charles McClure, was tripped by a loose board on the top of a car and was thrown upon the rocks below. Conductor Moore says it was impossible to stop the train on the hillside, so he hurried on to town and gave the alarm and as soon as it could be done, the switch engine was started out, which almost flew up the hill. The missing man was found and the watchman and his wife were with him and administering to him as best they could. He was placed upon the engine and brought to town and taken to the City Hotel and his wounds dressed by Dr. West. His left arm was considerably bruised, his right hand and left foot were both sprained and swollen and his face is very much bruised, several of his teeth being knocked out. It was at first thought that he was internally injured, but this is not the case. Charley has many friends here, is a steady, sober and industrious boy and his misfortune is regretted by all.

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### Calendar

Have a Happy Thanksgiving!! We have so MUCH to be thankful for!!

12-5 Taylor Co Tax Properties, 300 Oak, Ab, TX -10am

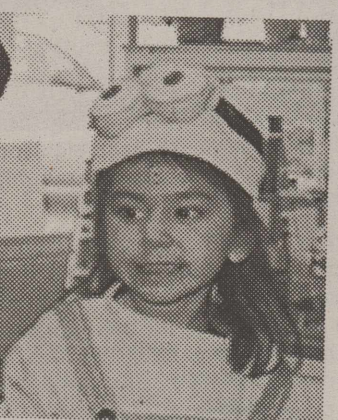
12-9 AAA Storage Units, 1350 Tracey Lynn, Ab, TX-10am

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# Trick-or-Treaters Visit Local Businesses

Hundreds of trick-or-treaters turned out last Tuesday evening on Halloween for the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce Trick or Treat at the Businesses event. Businesses owners dressed up and handed out candy to the costumed kids.



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Dustin Neighbors, son-in-law of Susan Schaefer, spoke to the Kiwanis on Tuesday morning. Dustin updated the Kiwanis on the Robotics Program he is implementing at the Cross Plains High School.

Thank You!

Thanks to the businesses, sponsors, and individuals who donated raffle items and door prizes and who worked so hard to make the Hunter's Feed a huge success.

We couldn't have done it without you!

- The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce

ADVERTISE IN THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

# Shepard Places Seventh at State Cross Country Meet

By Al Pickett  
Special Writer

Cross Plains' Jackilann Shepard earned a top-10 finish Saturday at the University Interscholastic League Class 1A girls state cross country meet at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock.

Shepard, who is a junior, ran a 12:32.42 over the 3,200-meter course to place seventh. Jorja Bessonett of Cumby Miller Grove was the girls' individual winner in 12:01.23.

The Lady Buffaloes did not qualify for the state meet as a team. The only other Cross Plains girl to compete Saturday was Macee Steigler, who finished 48th in a time of 13:31.77.

The Cross Plains' boys cross country team placed 10th among 16 teams in the Class 1A boys state meet. Freshman Eddy Calvagna was the top finisher for the Buffaloes, running an 18:38.67 over the five-kilometer course to take 61st place individually.

Other Cross Plains runners were Roby Odom (71st, 18:50.41), Jevon Tillery (95th, 19:24.73), Dawson McWilliams (96th, 19:27.49), Cody McWilliams (108th, 19:50.94), Larson Walker (118th, 20:17.02), and Kolby McKinney (136th, 20:59.28).

Cross Plains scored 255 points. Cumby Miller Grove was the team champion in the Class 1A boys meet with 32 points.



Coach Michelle Allen with Jackilann Shepard



CPHS Boys Track Team, consisting of Kolby McKinney, Dobbs McWilliams, Larson Walker, Eddy Calvagna, Roby Odom, Jevon Tillery and Cody McWilliams. Shown here with Cross Country Coach Michelle Allen.

## Senior Citizens Center Activities

Nov. 13th -Nov. 17th

Monday-13th Exercise 11:00/Dance Night 6:30-8:30  
Tuesday-14th Exercise 11:00  
Wednesday- 15th Exercise 11:00/(Happy Birthday)/  
Foot Care with Kindred at Home of Eastland  
Thursday-16th Exercise 11:00/Reading with 3rd  
Graders 9:45 and 1:05  
Friday-17th Exercise-11:00 /Bingo by Kindred at  
Home of Eastland

Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center seeks to nurture our aging population through nutritional, social and educational programs our goal is for all Seniors, both well and frail, to utilize our services to enrich their lives.

## SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Nov. 13th -Nov. 17th

Monday 13th-Chili Thursday 16th-Chicken  
Dogs,Cheese, Onion, Rel- Fajitas Salad, Chips and  
ish, Chips, Fruit, Cookies Salsa, Dessert

Tuesday 14th Tomato  
Soup, 1/2 Pimento Cheese Friday 17th- Hamburger  
Sandwich, Crackers, Fruit, Steak, Potatoes with Gra-  
Cookies vy,Carrots, Bread, Dessert  
Wednesday 15th-Tur-  
key and Dressing,Roast-  
ed Sweet Potatoes, Green MEAL IS SERVED -  
Bean Casserole, rolls, des- 11:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.  
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Monthly Menu may be picked up at the Senior Citizen Center

Email Any School  
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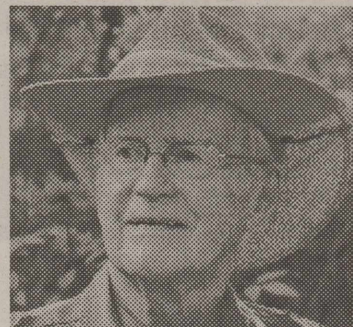
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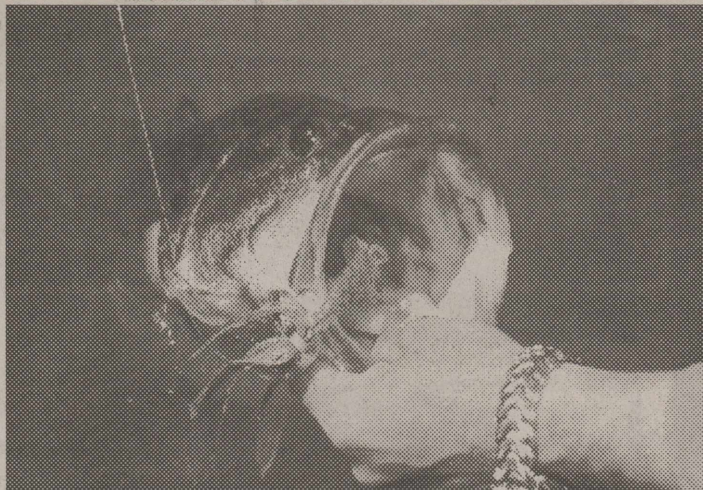
### The Times - and Rules - Are a- Changing

Every year, about this time, serious big bass fishermen start getting restless. Wonder why?

Well, for the past 31 years, the Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPW) Toyota ShareLunker competition has started on October 1, running through April 30 of the following year. It allows - even encourages - anyone who catches a largemouth bass weighing 13 pounds or more to enter in the competition. There were rules about weight, certification, care of the fish, and how to get it entered. All 13-pound or better entrants received a replica mount of the fish, plus a lot of recognition, including being guests at the awards dinner at the Texas Freshwater Fisheries Center, in Athens. The person catching the largest fish entered in each competition season receives some equipment and clothing, a lifetime fishing license and probably has his picture in many statewide newspapers and outdoor magazines.

That was certainly the case of the two anglers who each broke the state largemouth bass record back in 1986 (Mark Stevenson: 17.67 pounds) and 1992 (Barry StClair: 18.18 pounds). Mark's record would still be the record if Barry hadn't hauled in a larger bass five years and two months later. Barry's record still stands, and hasn't had much of a challenge since established. Both those record bass, by the way, were caught on rod and reel in Lake Fork.

So, you can see why serious big bass fishermen get restless. It was a big deal. But it was more than just another fishing contest. It was a conservation quest by TPWD. If the successful angler agreed to relinquish his catch, TPWD



Beginning January 1, 2018, largemouth bass eight pounds and larger may be entered in the Toyota ShareLunker competition. Photo by John Jefferson.

fisheries biologists would race to the lake of catch, and transport the fish to Athens in a special fish-hauling truck. It would be examined scientifically, and, if it was a healthy Florida-strain bass, it would be put into the breeding program for spawning. Its offspring and those of other female bass in the program are used to stock Texas lakes. That's what makes Texas a premier destination of bass fishermen throughout the continent.

I started this by saying, "Every year, about this time..." Well, if you know such a restless bass fisherman, give him something to calm him down and explain that the rules have changed. Few 13-pound bass have been caught in the fall, but if competition were open, many

would try. The competition, however, won't open until January 1, 2018. It will run throughout the year, but only bass caught between Jan. 1 and Mar. 31 will be accepted as broodstock for spawning.

"This provides the greatest opportunity to obtain eligible fish for spawning while minimizing the risk of additional handling and possible mortality," said Kyle Brookshire, ShareLunker program coordinator. Hot weather hauling is reduced.

New rules will allow entry of fish eight pounds and larger, expanding participation. More anglers will receive prizes and recognition. Research will also benefit. All rules and prizes will be announced closer to Jan. 1. Stay tuned.

JJ

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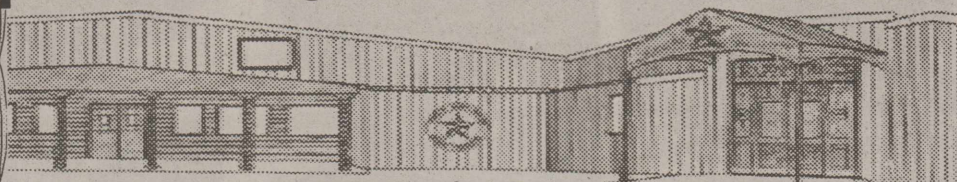
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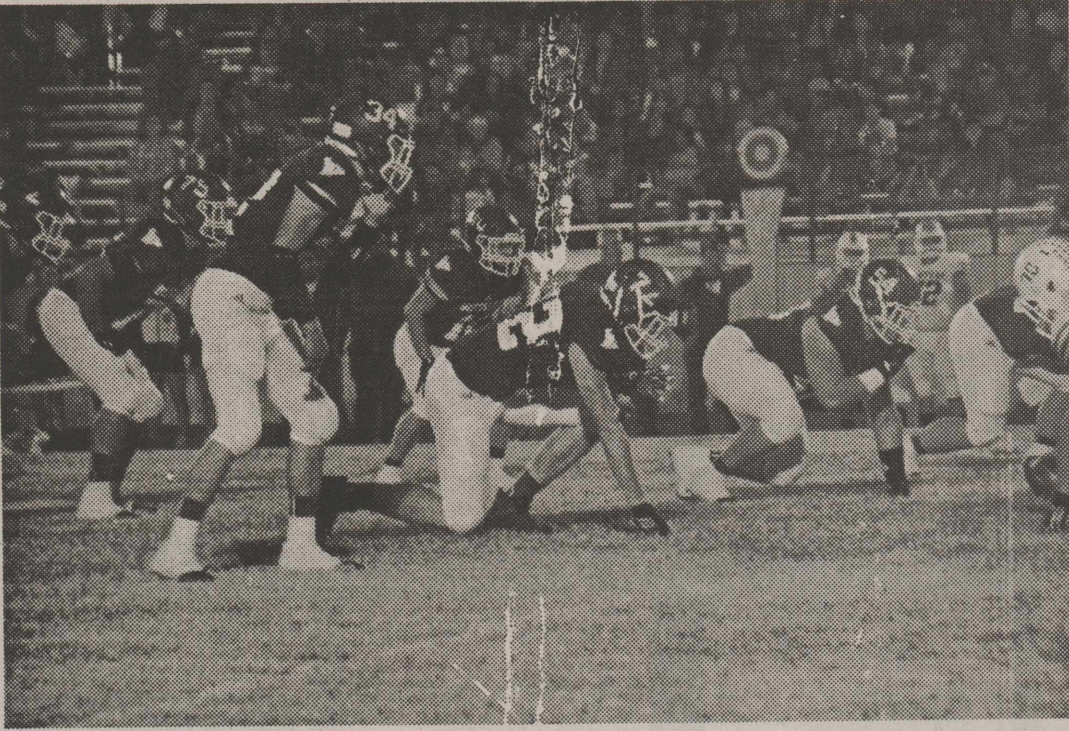
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## Winters Hold Off Cross Plains 34-28

By Al Pickett  
Special Writer

Winters scored two touchdowns in the final two minutes of the first half to grab a 14-0 halftime lead and then held on to upend the Cross Plains High School football team in a District 6-2A Division II football game Friday. The win moves Winters (4-5, 3-1) into second place in the district standings, while Cross Plains (5-4, 2-2) falls into third place.

The fourth quarter saw a wild flurry, however. Cross Plains scored on a two-yard pass from Caleb Hernandez with 4:52 remaining. The Buffaloes failed on the two-point conversion run, leaving Cross Plains behind 28-26.

Cross Plains then tried an onside kick on the ensuing kickoff, but Slater Lindley of Winters returned the kick 45 yards for a touchdown, stretching the Blizzards' lead to 34-26. Cross Plains, however, blocked the subsequent extra-point kick, and Tipton returned the block for a safety, pulling the Buffaloes back to within six, 34-28.

Cross Plains then drove to the Winters' five-yard line on the final drive of the game but lost the ball on a fumble, allowing the Blizzards to hang on for the victory.

Kaiden Petree scored on a 68-yard dash, and Creed Goode, who rushed for 102 yards, scored on runs of 11 yards and one yard in the second half for Cross Plains, setting the stage for the wild final five minutes.

Winters quarterback Chris Diaz rushed for 105 yards and two touchdowns. He also had 65 yards passing, including a 45-yard TD pass to Joey Garcia and a 10-yard touchdown toss to Lindley.

Cross Plains, which has already clinched a playoff berth, will close out the regular season with a 7:30 p.m. game Friday at Miles (2-7, 1-3).

Winters 0 14 6 14-34  
Cross Plains 0 0 14 14-28

### SCORING SUMMARY

Second Quarter  
Winters - Chris Diaz 1 run (run failed), 1:55  
Winters - Slater Lindley 10 pass from Diaz (Diaz run), 0:10  
Third Quarter  
Cross Plains - Kaiden Petree 68 run (Petree run), 11:08  
Winters - Diaz 1 run (run failed), 3:18  
Cross Plains - Creed Goode 11 run (run failed), 0:30  
Fourth Quarter  
Winters - Joey Garcia 45 pass from Diaz (Troy Hernandez run), 11:52  
Cross Plains - Goode 1 run (pass failed), 7:17  
Cross Plains - Ty Tipton 2 pass from Caleb Hernandez (run failed), 4:52  
Winters - Lindley 52 kickoff run (kick blocked), 4:42  
Cross Plains - blocked PAT returned by Tipton for safety, 4:42

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Winters	Cross Plains
First Downs	19	17
Rushes-Yards	46-202	38-326
Passing Yards	65	34
Comp-Att-Int	3-5-0	5-7-0
Punts-Avg.	2-39	1-37
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards	8-65	7-63

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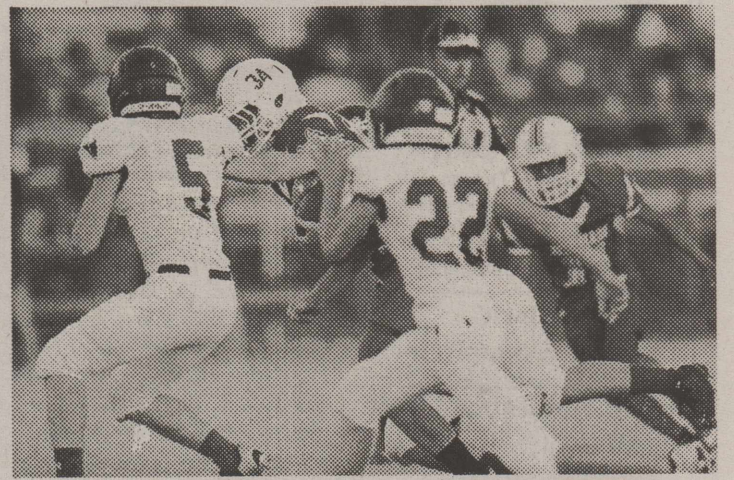
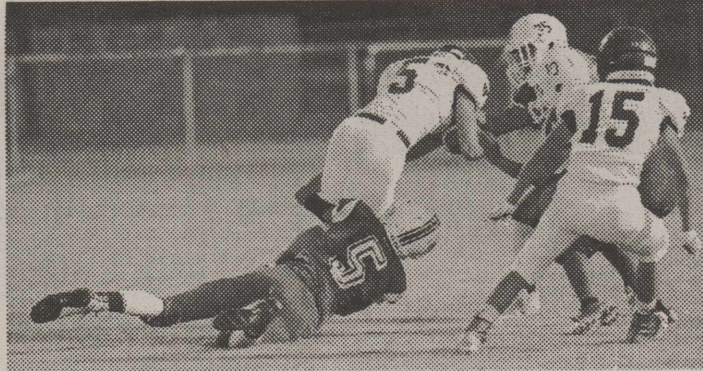
**RUSHING** - Winters: Chris Diaz 24-105, Slater Lindley 6-18, Nick Brown 3-13, Joey Garcia 1-0, Troy Hernandez 11-42, Jovan Young 1-23. Cross Plains: Creed Good 15-102, Kaiden Petree 7-80, Caleb Hernandez 10-78, Joe Crockett 5-53, Jevon Tillery 1-13.

**PASSING** - Winters: Chris Diaz 3-4-0, 65 yards; Jovan Young 0-1-0. Cross Plains: Caleb Hernandez 5-7-0, 32 yards; Ty Tipton 1-1-0, 2 yards.

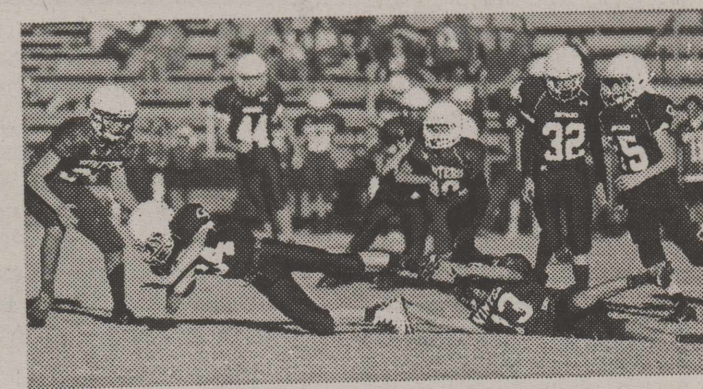
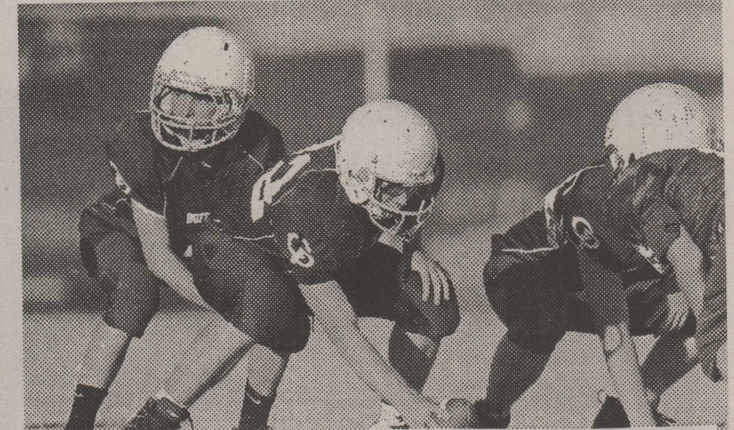
**RECEIVING** - Winters: Joey Garcia 1-45, Slater Lindley 1-10, Zach Rodriguez 1-10. Cross Plains: Kaiden Petree 4-11, Sterling Switzer 1-25, Ty Tipton.

## Junior Varsity Fights Close Game with Winters

The Junior Varsity's Football Season ends in a close game with Winters which saw the JV Buffaloes fall to the JV Blizzards, 8 to 6.



## Junior High Buffaloes Football at Winters



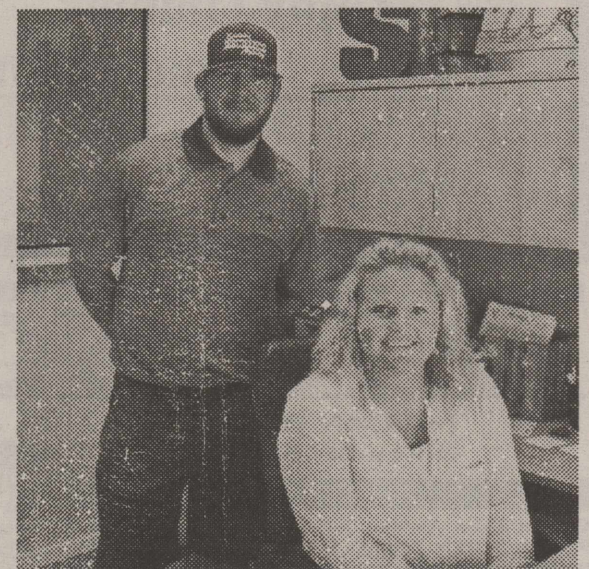
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From the Cross Plains Review... 65 years ago, February 21, 1952.

Buffalo football lettermen received new jackets last week: Gerald Foster, Jim Cade, James Barr, Bobby Vaught, Bobby Oliver, Carlos Prater, Herman Wiley, Billy Harris, Charles Barnard, Bobby Dillard, Dwayne Wilson, Jimmy Clifton, Danny Myrick, Morris Cavanaugh, Donald Beeler, Vernon Phillips, Kenneth Beeler, Jay Hughes, Leonard Bodine, Clarence Wilson, Joe Coppinger. Frank Rundell was the coach; Paul Huntington, Asst. Coach.

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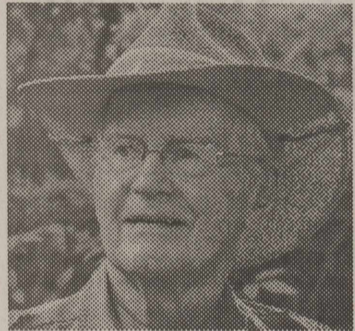
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#### STRIPED BASS BONUS

A friend, Bob Linder, told of his recent striped bass fishing jaunt on Lake Buchanan on the first really chilly day in Central Texas. The thermometer read "39 degrees."

Linder said the trip across the lake was "a little breezy" — perhaps the understatement of the season. Linder, his wife, and son fished with striper guide, Max Milam.

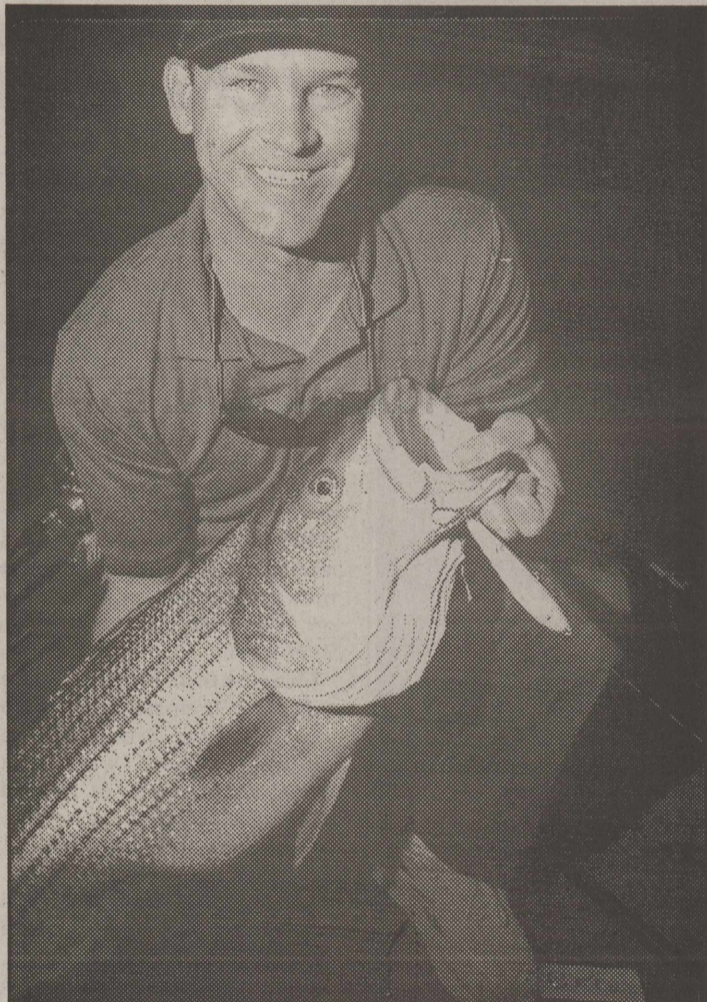
He added that the three of them limited out with a 15-fish combination of stripers and hybrid stripers, and one large white bass, in just one hour! And, they caught them all at the first place they fished. The legal limit is five stripers, at least 18-inches long, per fisherman — not five stripers and five hybrids.

Lake Buchanan, and most large Texas lakes, has been heavily stocked with striped bass for years. Back during the drought, the Lake Buchanan Conservation Corporation, with their money, and permission from Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPW), began stocking the lake with hybrid stripers — female striped bass cross-bred in hatcheries with male white bass. The resulting hybrid is chunkier than pure striped bass, and well-suited for shallower, warmer lakes than the deep, open water lakes required for the pure breeds. Physically, they look alike to casual observers. Generally, pure stripers are long and slender, as opposed to hybrids, which one guide describes as "little footballs." Stripes on the true stripers are distinct and several extend to the tail. Hybrids' stripes are broken.

Both striped bass and hybrids have two rough "tooth patches" on the backs of their tongues. Hybrids are shaped more like white bass, which only have one tooth patch. The TPW Outdoor Annual — the regulations pamphlet — has illustrations and descriptions on page 38.

It wasn't surprising that stripers turned on with the cold front that morning. The species originated in cold water, and prefer it. In Lake Buchanan — and other large lakes — both stripers and hybrids exist and are often caught on the same trip. Milam said the Linders boated 12 hybrids and three pure stripers.

Neither variety will pass up



Mike Hastings shows his 22-pound, four-ounce striped bass from Lake Travis. The state record is 53 pounds, caught in the Guadalupe River below Canyon Dam. Photo by John Jefferson.

sunfish or small bass, but usually dine — and gorge — on shad, considering it more economical to chase large schools. More bait to the bite! They don't feed as voraciously during the summer as they do in the fall and winter, preferring instead to hang deep in the coldest, oxygenated water.

Running the catch-dates of the top 50 stripers caught in Texas, it's apparent the big 'uns were caught from February through May after stuffing shad all winter. Females are also heavy with eggs, then. Stripers aren't

known to spawn in Texas, except in Lake Texoma and perhaps in the Red River, but egg sacks could develop, adding weight.

The best bait is live shad, although some are caught every year on artificial lures. Max Milam's father, Ken, was a pioneer striper guide, and has often said, "It's more productive to feed 'em, rather than try to fool 'em!"

After removing any red meat from the filets, they're fine eating.

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**ACROSS**

- 1 in the middle of 5 crazy
- 6 TXism: "went over like \_\_\_\_\_ in a synagogue"
- 7 a mentally ill woman went \_\_\_\_\_ by drinking Mineral Wells "Crazy Water"
- 8 Basinger of 2006 "The Sentinel" with TX Eva Longoria drug abusers
- 9 TXism: "fast as \_\_\_\_\_ up a ratler"
- 18 TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ office business" (sells a lot)
- 21 how TX George Foreman beat Joe Frazier in 1973 (abbr.)
- 22 TXism: "I \_\_\_\_\_ that like a duck needs an umbrella"
- 23 this Kleberg ran the King Ranch
- 24 long-necked humped mammals
- 30 where JFK was shot in Dallas (2 wds.)
- 34 this Pete succeeded Gib Lewis as speaker of the TX House (init.)
- 35 Spanish form of "Elisha"
- 36 TXism: "esta \_\_\_\_\_ (good)"
- 37 TXism: "tough as a drive steak"
- 39 El Paso's "McKelligor Canyon"
- 43 Mr. Claus
- 44 TX growers can harvest apples \_\_\_\_\_ than anyone in the U.S.
- 45 "\_\_\_\_\_ Siecke State Forest"
- 46 TX JoBeth Williams 1980 film "Crazy"
- 47 Gen. Antonio Lopez \_\_\_\_\_ Anna fought against TX independence
- 49 they perform at SeaWorld San Antonio
- 52 first cattle brand recorded in TX
- 53 Mexican "yes"
- 54 TXism: "foot stompin' \_\_\_\_\_"
- 55 shortfalls
- 58 extreme pain
- 59 TX actress Meredith Mac \_\_\_\_\_
- 60 hesitation sounds
- 61 Fri. night scores

**DOWN**

- 1 TX Johnny Horton's "North to \_\_\_\_\_"
- 2 "Texas \_\_\_\_\_ Weekly" newspaper in Rocksprings
- 3 TX Kenny sang "Til \_\_\_\_\_ It on My Own"
- 4 first roofed stadium "Astro \_\_\_\_\_"
- 9 "in the year of our Lord" abbr.
- 10 TX Kenny sang "I \_\_\_\_\_ You"
- 11 \_\_\_\_\_ Park, TX
- 12 TX Tanya sang "Can \_\_\_\_\_ You Tonight" (1980)
- 13 TX A&M's "Corps of \_\_\_\_\_"
- 14 Cowboys first coach (init.)
- 15 college admissions test
- 17 "\_\_\_\_\_ Restaurant & Chili Parlor" in Grapevine
- 19 TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ the bud" (stop early) wallet stuffers
- 24 this Clint was in "Space Cowboys" with TX Tommy Lee Jones (init.)
- 25 pie \_\_\_\_\_ mode
- 26 silent actor
- 27 in TX: "Mission San Francisco de la \_\_\_\_\_"
- 28 this TX Jim was a PBS journalist
- 29 dirties your jeans
- 31 TX rancher Chuck Norris film (abbr.)
- 32 TXism: "it ain't \_\_\_\_\_ in cement" (changeable)
- 33 throw something away (2 wds.)
- 38 hijinks & pranks
- 40 Mexican "taunt"
- 41 TXism: "active as a fox in a \_\_\_\_\_ house"
- 42 spaciousness
- 48 popular Verdi opera
- 50 TX \_\_\_\_\_ Holcombe Pickens helped shape "Southern belle" stereotype
- 51 tire inflation abbr.
- 56 a heron seen in East TX bayous
- 57 Crowell is the seat of this county

## Cross Plains Community Calendar

November 10 - Friday, Veteran's Day Meal at the Senior Center. Veteran's eat free. 11:45 a.m.  
 November 10 - Friday, Rising Star Nursing and Rehab Open House, 1-4 p.m.  
 November 11 - Saturday, Veteran's Day.  
 November 11 - Saturday, Lord's Acre, First United Methodist Church.  
 November 21 - Tuesday, Library Bake Sale, 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
 November 22-24 - Thanksgiving holidays. School's out.  
 November 23 - Thanksgiving.  
 December 1 and 2 - Friday and Saturday, Craft Fair  
 December 3 - Sunday, Christmas Cantata, First United Methodist Church, 4 p.m.  
 December 6 - Wednesday, ASAP Program, Cross Plains Public Library, PJ's, Hot Coco and The Polar Express, 4-5 p.m.  
 December 7 - Thursday, Santa Claus Comes to Town & Christmas Parade, Kiwanis and Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce.  
 December 18-January 1 - Christmas Holidays, School's out.  
 December 31 - Sunday, New Year's Eve.  
 January 1 - Monday, New Year's Day  
 January 11, 12 and 13 - Thursday - Saturday, Callahan County Jr. Livestock Show

## Free seminar offers help for those coping with grief set Nov. 11th

Hendrick Hospice Care and Elmwood Memorial Park and Funeral Home are offering an opportunity to learn about healing during the holidays at Grief and the Holidays: Grieving, Remembering & Celebrating, Saturday, Nov. 11, from 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. The seminar will be held in Hendrick Hospice Care Center's Davis Bereavement Center, 1651 Pine St.  
 For those who have lost a loved one, the holiday season can be a painful reminder of their loss. However, there are steps people can take to give the holidays a new meaning and experience healing. Topics at the seminar include: basic grief information, ways to care for yourself during the holidays, exploring coping strategies, ideas for honoring a loved one and finding spiritual strength.  
 Grief and the Holidays is offered as a free community service. For more information or to make a reservation, call Hendrick Hospice Care at 325-670-6999 or 1-800-622-8516. Reservations are required.

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 \*Nominee's Biography (you may attach additional pages)  
 \*Reason for Recommendation (you may attach additional pages. Supporting documents such as newspaper articles and pictures)  
 Nominees Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Market at Clyde Nov. 11th at Chamber Building

Clyde is privileged to be home to one of the few markets that is truly a craft market. Market at Clyde is a small craft market with an unusual array of hand crafted, hand made and home cooked merchandise. Everything at Market at Clyde is made by local artist, artisans and home cooks. Merchandise other than hand made or hand crafted is not allowed at this market, therefore shoppers are assured that what they purchase is a one of a kind and unique creation. Do not miss this shopping opportunity on Saturday, November 11, 9AM-4PM.  
 The home cooks have extended themselves to help you set your table for the holidays. There will be a large assortment of baked goods including yeast breads, sweet quick breads, cookies, brownies, snacks and more. And don't forget the jams and jellies. The selection will make planning for those family, church and work parties much easier. Many of these cooks also take special orders and will deliver to your home. Be sure to visit with these cooks as you shop.  
 This is the time of year to think of decorating your home as well as shopping for gifts. Market at Clyde is dedicated to helping you in this area. There are many styles of wood craft from scroll saw art, rustic wood or finely turned and polished decorative wood decor. The sewn fabric decor is high quality workmanship at reasonable prices. Other items include beautiful jewelry by an award winning jewelry artist, fun jewelry, Christmas ornaments, fine art, hand made soaps and ointments, a line of baby clothes, crocheted caps, scarves and gloves and so much more.  
 Another attraction will be the opportunity to purchase a raffle ticket to win a beautiful quilt made by the local Quilters Guild. Proceeds from the sale of the ticket go to a local charity or cause.  
 To learn more about Market at Clyde go to the Facebook page The Market at Clyde, Texas. If you are a local artist, artisan, home cook or crafter and you would like a booth email themarketatclyde@gmail.com or call 325-518-3939

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## Many Attend Jeremiah 29:11 Benefit Dinners

The benefit dinners for Jeremiah 29:11 Project were a great success! We served sixty seven meals at the two night event.

Great food and fellowship was enjoyed by all.

We had some wonderful cooks. Shirley Smith cooked all day me. Ashley Hall of Vagabonds cooked our prime rib. Cliff Kirkham was the quail man. All were delicious.

The Jeremiah 29:11 project feeds the children of Cross Plains a hot meal during the summer months. These meals are prepared by the great staff at the Cross Plains Senior Center. Other volunteers

deliver daily to the children. The organization sends a bag of nutritious food/snacks for the weekend for each child and the Cross Plains Public Library and other generous donors gives each child a new age-appropriate book each week.

We ar a worthy cause. A community that takes care of its seniors and its children is doing a lot right.

Thanks to everyone who came out, gave their time or finances to help. Joe Perry provided beautiful dinner music each night.

- Submitted by Connie Kirkham



Russ and Diana Miller, Arnie Smith and Vicki Larimore



Diane Smith, Richard Parr, Bob Kirkham, and Diana Miller



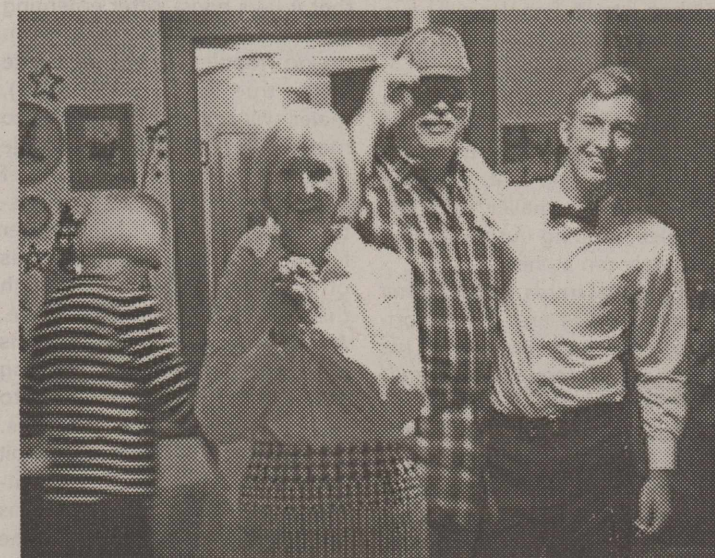
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Joe Perry on the piano



Jack Larimore and Peggy Boatwright Hamilton



Connie Kirkham, Max Evans and Jack Larimore



Jan and Gary Bond

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THANK YOU

A huge thanks to everyone who helped with or attended our Jeremiah 29:11 Benefit Dinners. Ashley Hall of Vagabonds cooked our prime rib to perfection. The Butcher Block got our meat for us. Awesome!!! Joe Perry played beautiful dinner music!

To those who prepared our delicious cakes and puddings for our offering!, thank you.

To the cooks, servers, dish washers, we are so thankful and blessed!

Blessed Beyond Measure  
Jeremiah 29:11  
Whitney Henderson  
Connie Kirkham  
and the Children of Cross Plains

## CPHS Band Placed 11th at State Competition



The Cross Plains High School Marching Band placed 11th at the UIL 2017 State Marching Band Championships at the Alamodome in San Antonio on Monday. Congratulations Band and Band Director Cathryn Rasbury on your performance.

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### From the Cross Plains Review - 65 Years Ago Feb. 21, 1952

From the Cross Plains Review... 65 years ago, February 21, 1952.

CPVFD gets new firetruck capable of fighting rural and city fires.

Cox Grocery Store is undergoing repairs and redecorating. The walls and ceiling have been repainted in soft pastel colors. Light fixtures have been repaired and refinished.

Seven sets of twins are enrolled in school this year: Elvin and Alvin Hutchins, third grade; Clayton and Claxton Joy, seventh grade; Barney and Bonny Pancake, freshmen; Verna and Vernon Baum, freshmen; Thelda and Velda Crow, freshmen; Billy and Bobby Redell, freshmen; Shirley and Herman Weaver. Billy Freeman has a twin but he is not enrolled in school this year.



Band Sweetheart and Beau - Wesley Alexander and Cheyenne Shields

## Many Vendors this Saturday Market at Clyde Free Breakfast and Gift Cards to Honor Military Veterans

The Clyde Chamber Building will be filled to capacity this Saturday, Nov 11, with vendors and activity. The best of local crafters, artisans, artist and home cooks will fill the main room.

Market at Clyde and other sponsors will be honoring Military Veterans with a free breakfast. All others may eat by making a donation. All of those donations will be given to Texas Sentinels, a non-profit dedicated to assisting disabled veterans and their families. A member of Texas Sentinels will be present to visit with those interested in the organization and to accept the donation at the close of the day. The breakfast is being cooked by members of a Fountain Gate Clyde Life Group. Groceries for the breakfast are provided by donations from United Supermarket in Clyde, Hanner Auto Supercenter of Baird, Rose and Steve Kniffen of Clyde and First Financial Bank of Clyde. Generous Merchants have also given gift cards to be given to the veterans. Through

out the day drawings will be done to give away twelve gift cards ranging in value from \$10 to \$50. At 3:30PM a final drawing will determine the winner of the grand prize, a package of \$100 in gift cards. Sponsors donating gift cards for the drawings include Walmart Highway 351, 5C Smokehouse Clyde, Robertson Hams Baird, Chicken Express Clyde, Sonic Clyde, Subway Clyde and Cross Roads Market & Bistro Clyde. Market at Clyde expresses thanks and gratitude to all of those partnering with them to honor our Military Veterans.

This is the weekend to shop for beautiful hand tooled leather items such as purses, gun holsters and more. Wood craftsmen offer finely finished exquisite creations as well as rustic wood furniture and signs. Crochet items range from Santa caps, Christmas ornaments, kitchen items, scarfs for your table or beautiful caps, gloves and scarfs to keep you warm this winter. From the kitchen find home baked yeast breads, quick breads, cookies, other

baked items, jams, jellies and more. See a full line of baby clothing perfect for welcoming the new infant as well as sweet keep sake boxes. Soaps, creams, salves and ointments are made with care and pure ingredients. This is also the season to shop for that unique hand crafted or hand made jewelry that you will find in many styles. If you love art you will find paintings displayed not only with the vendors in their booth but also filling the hallways. There is no way to list all of the wonderful handcrafted and hand made items to be found at Market at Clyde. To see pictures of a few of the items go to the Facebook page Market at Clyde, Texas.

If you are an artist, artisan or crafter and are interested in finding out more about Market at Clyde email themarketatclyde@gmail.com or call 325-518-3939. Market at Clyde is a non-profit organization dedicated to encouraging local talent and creativity and providing an outlet for marketing locally created merchandise.

## Cisco College Meat Judging Team Concludes Successful 2017 Season

Cisco, Texas (November 3, 2017) – The Cisco College Meat Judging team has just wrapped up a successful 2017 season, and made Cisco College history as the first student ever, Hannah Griffith, was named a Second Team All American!

The Meat Judging Team kicked off the 2017 season with a grueling eight day competition run at the National Western Stock Show in Denver, Colorado where the team received 6th place overall. Center Parks earned a 4th place individual award in Beef Grading and overall the team finished 4th in Beef Grading and 5th in Overall Beef.

Additional awards included:  
Beef Judging Team – 6th place  
Lamb Judging Team – 7th place  
Pork Judging Team – 6th place  
Total Placing Team – 6th place  
Total Questions Team – 6th place

On January 29th, the Meats Team competed at the Ft. Worth Livestock Show and Additional awards included:

Beef Grading Individuals – Hannah Griffith, 12th place  
Beef Grading Teams – 5th place  
Lamb Judging Individuals –

Jurnee Thomas, 11th place  
Total Placing Individual – Jurnee Thomas, 9th place  
Total Placing Teams – 6th place  
Beef Judging Teams – 5th place

Alternates Contest:  
Araceli Cardona – 16th place  
Shelby Smith – 19th place  
Kyler Conde – 20th place

The Cisco College also had a strong showing at the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest. The Cisco students were split into two teams at this event. The Blue Team had a 6th place Overall Team finish and the Black Team finished in 7th.

Additional awards included:  
Beef Grading Teams – 5th place  
Lamb Judging Teams – 5th place  
Lamb Judging Individuals – Hannah Griffith, 5th Place  
Total Placing Individual – Shelby Smith, 2nd place  
Beef Judging Teams – 5th place

The Cisco College Meat Judging team started off the Fall 2017 judging season by competing at Beef Empire Days. This event was held at Garden City Community College in Garden City, Ks. The team placed 4th overall at this event.

Additional awards included:  
Beef Grading Teams – 3rd

place  
Beef Grading Individual – Hannah Griffith, 3rd place  
Beef Judging Teams – 4th place

Lamb Judging Teams – 4th place  
Pork Judging Teams – 4th place  
Total Questions Teams – 4th place

Total Placing Teams – 4th place  
Alternates Contest – 4th Overall - Araceli Cardona

The Cisco College Meat Judging Team also competed at the American Royal in Omaha, Neb. and placed 4th in the Total Contest. The team also had its very first TOP 10 Individual finish of the season, Hannah Griffith in 6th place.

Additional awards included:  
Beef Grading Teams – 3rd place  
Beef Grading Individual – Hannah Griffith, 5th place  
Beef Judging Teams – 4th place

Lamb Judging Teams – 4th place  
Pork Judging Teams – 4th place  
Total Questions Teams – 4th place

Total Placing Teams – 4th place  
The 2017 Intercollegiate Meat Judging contest season concluded on Sunday, Oct. 29th with



## Wild About Texas

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### Long-nosed Leopard Lizard

Contrary to what many scientists believe, common names do serve a purpose in the natural world. As rapidly as "lab-rats" change the scientific nomenclature, there is no possible way for everyone to keep up. Now granted, some common names can be downright silly. Groundsnakes, night snakes and Brownsnakes are all common names that come to mind that are too broad to categorize purposely. However, some critters have names that do depict a general appearance or other characteristic that aptly describes them, and one such example is a lizard that calls certain portions of western Texas home; the Leopard Lizard.

The Long-nosed Leopard Lizard (*Gambelia wislizenii*) is the lone species of this genus that lives in Texas, and even at that it has an especially limited area of distribution. If one is looking at a map of its distribution in this great state, the range can best be described as the shape of a "c". It can be observed along a line adjacent to the New Mexico border from El Paso to Odessa, and then again in a line from El Paso along the Rio Grande river to near Marathon. It also occurs southward deep into western Mexico, as well as westward to Nevada, Utah, and eastern California.

The habitats that this conspicuous lizard prefers can be described as arid gravelly and sandy plains that are sparsely peppered with short mesquite and creosote bushes. It is in these shady areas where it will take refuge during the hottest portions of the day. Many individuals are observed as they dash from one area of cover to another.

Although at first glance the Leopard Lizard does not appear overly gaudy, upon closer inspection a wide array of distinctive spots and colors become noticeable. The background coloration tends to closely match the habitat in which the lizard is found with individuals found in sandy areas typically lighter in hue than ones that are observed



Long-nosed Leopard Lizard (*Gambelia wislizenii*)

in gravelly areas. There are numerous darker spots outlined with white that are randomly placed along the backside; these spots are larger toward the spine.

This is one of the few animals in the animal kingdom where the females "out-color" the males during breeding season. During this time, particularly when gravid, females will have bright orange spots and bars along the sides.

Males are the larger sex, achieving total lengths of up to 15 inches, although most are just under one foot. Females are slightly smaller than the males, topping out at approximately ten inches.

Leopard Lizards, just like other lizard species, are "cold-blooded", or ectothermic. This means that they do not generate heat from the inside of their body, as mammals and birds do, but rather are dependent on outside sources for heating and cooling. They are active throughout the day from early April to October, and unlike many other reptile species, the high metabolism of this lizard enables it to be observed during the hottest part of the summer afternoons.

This species of lizard is an opportunistic carnivore, feeding on almost any smaller animal that it can fit into its gigantic mouth. It prefers to feed on

large insects such as lubber grasshoppers, although studies of this species stomach contents show that it will feed upon any invertebrate animal that wanders close enough to its hunting site. Studies have also shown that it will also feed on smaller lizards, even ones of its own kind.

The Leopard Lizard is oviparous, which is a fancy way of saying that it lays eggs. After emerging from the winter-long brumation period (reptiles do not hibernate in the true sense of the word), males will search out females to mate. After mating, the female will lay a medium-sized clutch of eggs (between 3 and 9) in moisture retaining soil. Older, larger females can lay multiple clutches of eggs per summer, although this is not a frequent occurrence. After approximately two months of incubation, the 3 1/2 inch long young emerge fully prepared to fend for and care for themselves.

This lizard species is quite a bit more skittish than its closely related kin the Collared Lizard which is a gregarious basker. But like the Collared Lizard, the Leopard Lizard, when frightened, has a habit of lifting its front legs and tail off the ground in a bipedal motion, running much like a miniature Tyrannosaurus Rex.

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## The Texas History Minute

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### Medal of Honor Recipient Macario Garcia

A young man escaping the poverty of a foreign land, dreaming of a better life, and becoming a hero for his adopted nation may seem too fantastic for a jaded age, but it is the true story of Medal of Honor recipient Macario Garcia, an immigrant and World War II veteran. Like many of his generation, he fought with courage on the battlefield and at home to defend the United States and its ideals to build a better nation.

He was born January 2, 1920, in Villa de Castano, a tiny village in Mexico. Garcia was one of ten children born to destitute farm workers. In 1923, to improve their fortunes, they came to the United States, like so many other immigrants from so many other lands. They settled in the Sugarland area, just outside Houston. As soon as he was old enough, Garcia joined his parents working in the fields. Like many other farm workers, he worked hard, but his education was sporadic.

In 1942, Garcia enlisted in the army. America had become his home, and his home had been attacked. He was determined to serve in its defense. An infantryman, he was wounded at the Allied invasion of Normandy on D-Day in 1944. Awarded the Purple Heart, he soon returned to duty. He later earned the Bronze Star as well.

In November 1944, as American troops were beginning to push into Nazi Germany, Garcia and his men found themselves in a desperate battle. They were pinned down by machine gun fire, and Garcia was wounded. He carefully crawled to a position near the machine gun nest, hurled a grenade, and shot three enemy troops to take out the gun. A second machine gun opened fire, and Garcia again crawled over to also take it out single-handedly. The men were saved, and the army's position was secured. For his actions, he was given the Medal of Honor.

President Harry S. Truman presented him with the medal in a White House ceremony on August 23, 1945. Shortly afterward, his native land of Mexico awarded him the Merito Militar, one of the highest awards in the Mexican Army, for his valor. Garcia was honorably discharged in 1946, leaving with the rank of staff sergeant.

For many veterans returning home, it is often difficult to fathom how much they have changed because of their experiences while so little has changed for those they left behind. Such was often the case for World

War II veterans. Garcia himself would discover this much to the horrors of himself and the nation when he stepped into a restaurant in Richmond, just outside Houston, in September 1945 – not even one month after the war ended and his White House appearance.

Garcia's face had been in newspapers all over the Houston area. His story was well-known by this point. In spite of his service, in spite of his heroism, in spite of saving the lives of his fellow soldiers on multiple occasions – putting his own life at risk to save others -- the restaurant owners refused to serve him because his skin was not the right color. Insulted, Garcia began arguing with the owner. The owner then beat him with a baseball bat. To make matters worse, police arrested Garcia and charged him in the incident.

Garcia had shed blood defending his adopted country and the freedoms for which it stood. Now his blood was shed because of bigotry. Journalists across the nation condemned the treatment of the Medal of Honor recipient. Former Gov. James Allred stepped up and served as his attorney. Through his powerful defenders, Garcia was able to win delays for a trial. In 1947, prosecutors quietly dismissed the case.

Afterward, he was able to get his American citizenship in 1947 and worked with civil rights groups to fight segregation and other unjust laws. He returned to school and earned his high school diploma in 1951.

He eventually landed a job as a counselor with the Veterans Administration. Here, he spent the rest of his career helping his fellow veterans. He remained active in his support of civil rights. He spoke to various veterans groups, schools, and civil rights groups as the years passed. On November 21, 1963, he met President John F. Kennedy at a reception in Houston the day before his tragic death in Dallas. In December 1972, Garcia was critically injured in a car wreck. He died on Christmas Eve at the age of 52.

In the years after his passing, the Medal of Honor recipient was further honored. In 1983, Houston's new army reserve center was named in his honor. In 1994, a middle school was named for him in Sugarland, and Houston later named an elementary school and renamed a street after him. Honor led to a life well-lived.

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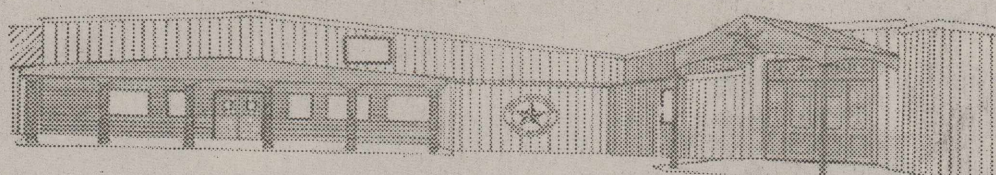
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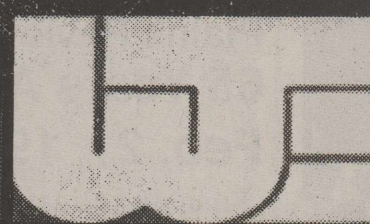
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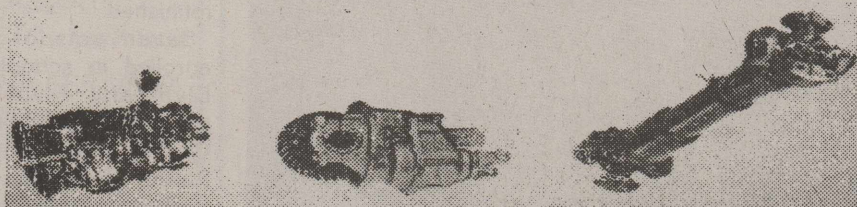
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# 22nd Annual Hunters Feed a Huge Success

Over 300 hunters and their friends joined the City of Cross Plains on Saturday, stopping by to enjoy the beautiful day, swap hunting stories, and consume a great lunch of pulled pork sandwiches, cookies, chips, and a drink.

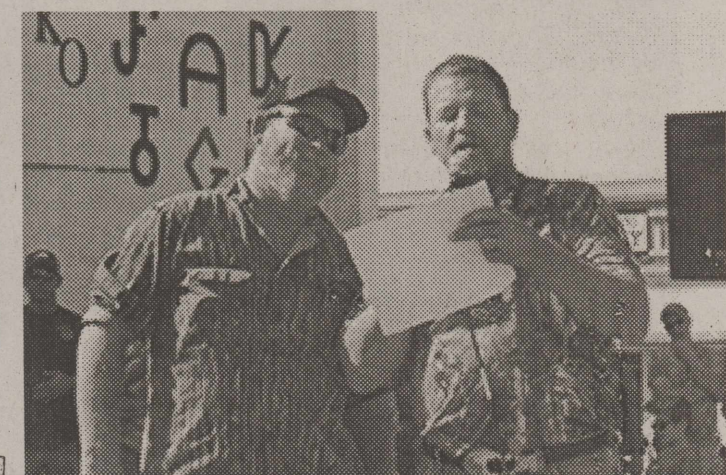
Hunters were represented from all around the Callahan area, plus a few that traveled from as far away as Michigan and California.

More than just lunch was on the menu for Saturday; local businesses, hunters, and firearm enthusiasts joined together to provide over 160 door prizes. Hunting knives, Camp Chairs, Henry Rifle mugs, Turkey Calls, Cooler Bags, and Gift Certificates for local restaurants, deer feed, deer processing, plus discounts on taxidermy and auto repair, were just some of the great prizes that were handed out.

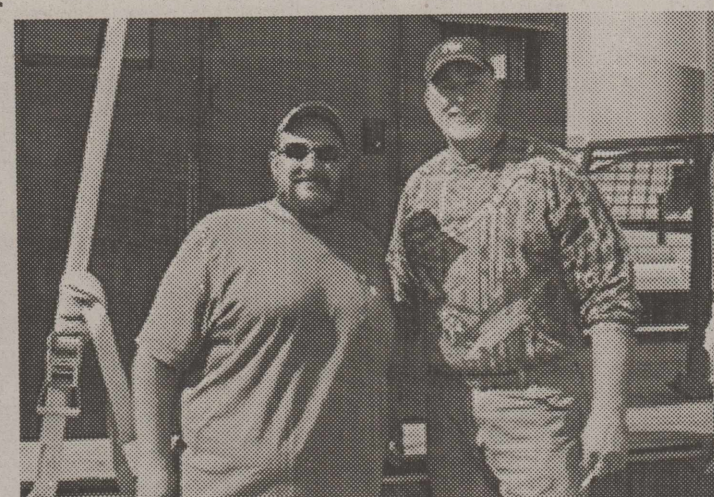
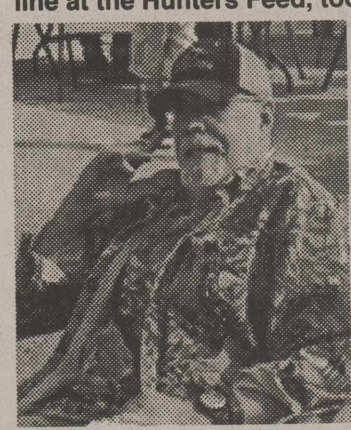
The big raffle winners were: Jeff Sotzen winning the 4x8 FiberGlass Deer Blind (graciously provided by J&L Sales and Spark Insurance), Jimmy Joy took home the Boss Hawg 4x8x3 Steel Hog Trap, and Bill McGlaw is now the proud owner of the CrossFire 600 Corn Feeder.



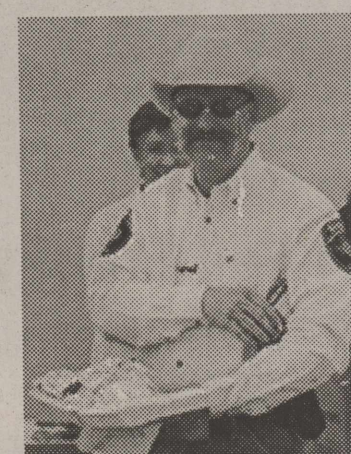
The 4-H Bake Sale at the Hunters Feed. 4-Hers helped with the door prizes and serving line at the Hunters Feed, too.



All the Way from Michigan



Jeff Sotzen, winner of the Deer Blind with Chamber President David Estes



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## Political Calendar

The Cross Plains Review is authorized to publish the following political announcements for the office filings in the Republican Primary Election set for Tuesday, March 6, 2018.

### For Callahan County Judge

**Gerry Scott Kniffen**  
Political advertisement paid for by Gerry Scott Kniffen, 4322 FM 604 South, Clyde, Texas 79510, Joanne Kniffen, Treasurer.

**Bobby Don Lovell**  
Pol. Adv. paid for by Bobby Lovell for Callahan County Judge, PO Box 166 Clyde 79510.

**Nicki Harle**  
Political advertisement paid for by Nicki Harle, PO Box 605, Baird, Texas 79504, Ginny Roden Campaign Treasurer.

All political calendar advertising for the Tuesday, March 6, 2018 Republican Primary Election is payable in advance, at a cost of \$100.00. A free press release and photograph will be published one time with each announcement.

## Courthouse News

Callahan County Court  
Roger Corn, presiding  
42nd District Court  
James Eldson, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings  
Civil Minutes

Roger McPherson, possession of dangerous drug.  
Michael Shaun McDaniel, theft by check \$20-\$500.

**Misdemeanor Minutes**  
William F. Patterson, motion to dismiss to driving while license invalid granted for plea to other case.  
Amber Collins, motion to dismiss to assault granted for plea to other case.

**Criminal Minutes**  
Dennis D. Stender, motion to revoke probation granted.  
Jonathan J. Garcia, motion to revoke probation granted.

Edward Andrews, motion to dismiss to possession of dangerous drug granted for plea to other case.  
Adan Flores, Jr., motion to dismiss to possession of marijuana granted for plea to other case.

**Marriage Licenses**  
Daniel Alan Wright and Wendy Laynette Phillips, both of Clyde.

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## Another Rehab Success Story

Recently we had two individuals return to their communities after successful rehab at Rising Star Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Below are pictured Dale Bishop and Ginny Nieto. Both successfully completed strict therapy regimens ordered by their physician that strengthened them to a point where they could return home safely. They both said

"this was a place they would both recommend to others" and "everyone treated me so nice". We are blessed to have had them stay with us and see them both in their respective communities. For more information like us on Facebook, or call us a 254-643-6700, or find us on the web at [www.risingstarnursing.com](http://www.risingstarnursing.com).



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# Remembering our Veterans

"We fought for America's freedom

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We fought for your future And the right to remain free. For we saw what freedom meant

To those not blessed with Liberty.

For you and yours We would gladly give our life.

We faced the fears and perils of battle

We braved the endless turmoil and strife.

Please remember us veterans And the sacrifices we made for you.

Please share the blessings of freedom.

Proudly wave the red, white and blue."

(lines from "VETERAN" by Lynne Carey)

American Veterans Day is the national holiday every November 11th recognizing the brave men and women who have served our country loyally and honorably in the military during war or peacetime and for any length of military service. It is the annual tribute to all of these military veterans, living or deceased, for their patriotism, love of country and willingness to serve and sacrifice to protect and defend the United States, our Constitution and precious American liberty. There are 20 million veterans living in the United States with 1.5 million of them residing in Texas.

Veterans Day is a legal public holiday and official flag display day pursuant to federal law (5 United States Code 6103). All federal government offices are closed and state, county and city governments are expected to fly the American flag. Lawful requirements for respecting, handling and displaying the flag are found at 4 United States Code 1. The correct spelling is "VETERANS DAY", the attributive with no apostrophe



(Veterans' Day and Veteran's Day are not correct). When it falls on a Saturday like this year, Friday is the holiday for federal employees. When it falls on Sunday, Monday is the federal employee holiday.

Observed since 1919 by presidential proclamation and then congressional resolution, this November patriotic holiday first became federal law in 1954 when enacted by the US Congress and signed by 34th President DWIGHT EISENHOWER who advised the American people "In order to insure proper and widespread observance of this anniversary, all veterans, all veterans' organizations, and the entire citizenry will wish to join hands in the common purpose."

Veterans Day is always celebrated annually on November 11th because the World War I armistice was declared at the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month in 1918. It should not be confused with Memorial Day on the last Monday in May honoring military members who died in the service of our country or Armed Forces Day on the third Saturday in May honoring men

and women currently serving in the military.

The military mission is to defend our nation against its enemies and the sworn military service oath contains the patriotic pledge to "support and defend the Constitution of the United States...and bear true faith and allegiance to the same". Knowledge of, compliance with and respect for our secular Constitution is essential to faithful military service. 16th President ABRAHAM LINCOLN stated it succinctly "Don't interfere with anything in the Constitution. That must be maintained for it is the only safeguard of our liberties."

Among surviving veterans who have sworn and served this sacred oath, there is a solemn, silent and special bond as a result of our shared military service, including the painful memory of comrades killed who gave "all". It is the heartfelt belief of those of us who gave "some" that serving our country and its constitution was one of the greatest privileges of our lives and one we will always cherish.

On this Veterans Day, please consider giving a veteran your heartfelt hug or hardy handshake to show genuine gratitude for his or her patriotic service. It will be appreciated more than you know.

"The willingness with which our young people are likely to serve in any war...shall be directly proportional to how they perceive the Veterans of earlier wars were treated and appreciated by their nation."

- 1st President GEORGE WASHINGTON  
"As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words, but to live by them."

- 35th President JOHN KENNEDY  
"...and we're going to take care of our great, great, great veterans."

- 45th President DONALD TRUMP  
"How important it is to recognize our heroes and she-ros!"

- American poet & writer, Pulitzer Prize nominee & Presidential Medal of Freedom recipient MAYA ANGELOU  
John Compere  
Retired Army airborne officer, disabled Vietnam veteran & West Texas rancher

## Rehab Open House Set for November 10th

Rising Star Nursing and Rehab and Mid-Tex Hearing Centers of Brownwood are teaming up for free screenings on Friday, November 10 from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. Mid Tex hearing will be offering free public screenings at first come first served. Rehab Synergies will be providing tours of the Outpatient Therapy Clinic and the new equipment we use. Rising Star Nursing and Rehab will offer free blood pressure and blood sugar testing to the public. Find out more on Facebook or call Barbara at 254-643-6700.

## Home Delivered Meals Available

As we age and our health changes, sometime we may need a little help. The Cross Plains Senior Center offers home delivered meals Monday - Friday to residents living within a 2 mile radius of Cross Plains.

These meals are packaged and then delivered to the front door of home-bound persons over 60 years old. If you or someone you know could benefit by receiving a nutritious lunch please call the Cross Plains Senior Center at 254 725-6521.

If there are people in need of this service outside the delivery area, please contact us and we will explore options available.

The Cross Plains Senior Center seeks to nurture our aging population through nutritional, social, and educational programs. Our goal is for all Seniors, both, well and frail, to utilize our services to enrich their lives.

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## Breakfast to Honor Veterans and Fund Raiser for Texas Sentinels Nov 11th

Market at Clyde is honoring all Veterans by serving them a breakfast on Veterans Day. On Saturday, Nov 11th from 9AM-11AM all veterans and active military will be served free. Others are encouraged to eat as well. Non Veterans eat by making a donation. All of those donations go to Texas Sentinels Foundation. This is a Foundation dedicated to providing housing for disabled veterans and their families. There will be representatives from Texas Sentinel present to visit with anyone wanting to know more about the program.

Market at Clyde's main purpose is to showcase the talent of local artist, artisans, crafters and home cooks they are always looking for a way to give back to the community. Serving the many Veterans in the area a meal is a way for Market at Clyde and the community to give back to those that have given so much. It is anticipated and hoped that many Veterans

will attend the breakfast. There will be abundant food prepared so that others may attend and make a donation to honor those Veterans by making a donation.

Several local businesses have given gift cards that will be presented as gift prizes to the Veterans. All Veterans that attend the breakfast or Market at Clyde will be eligible to enter a drawing for the gift certificates. The first prize gift will be a total of no less than \$75 in gift cards. There will be at least three other generous prizes as well. All businesses making donations will be recognized for their generosity to the Veterans. Names of sponsors are not being published yet because donations are still coming in and Market at Clyde would like to recognize each one. If you would like to be a sponsor and have not had the opportunity to donate call 325-518-3939 or email themarketatclyde@gmail.com.

If you are a local artist, artisans, home cook or crafter and would like a booth call or email to request a booth. At this time there are a few spaces available.



### November 12

Caleb Champion  
Gary Fulcher  
Larry Tatom  
Hazel Lucille Lee Wilson  
Mrs W.R. Ervin  
Gary Combs  
Tommy Purvis  
Billy Charles McMillian  
Tommy Ray Lee  
Beth Ringhoffer  
Georgia Gray

### November 13

Taylor Dillard  
Addison Long  
Kala (Franke) Stout  
Jackie Strickland  
Debra Jean Waldraff  
Aaron Teasdale  
Gregory Turner  
Rick Latson  
Jerry Davis  
Zoie Candice  
Michelle Lee  
Johnny Cowan  
Wanda Walker  
Deborah Griswald  
Meagan M. Barnett

### November 14

Dianna Jones  
Jackie Thomas  
Jessie Gardner  
Joanna (Harris) Beck  
Amanda Rivard  
Becky Dillard

### November 15

Bentley Kenneth Hall  
Shyla Ray Smith  
Haley Jones  
Boyd Dillard Jr.  
Mrs. Eugene Ferguson  
Johnny Strength  
Jim Blackwell  
Larry Chesir  
Tony Beggs  
George Canales  
Amanda (Dillard)Hagler  
David Wayne Watts  
Alva I. Key

Jeffery Hutchins

Kay Burkett  
Joe Nunn  
Jenny (Morgan) Gallaway  
Larue Williams  
Jerry Matthews  
Stanley Oatrick Garrett  
Becky Storch  
Chrystal Canales  
Joseph Dillard

Sandra Niger  
Wendy Calhoun  
Billie W. Kelly

### November 18

Logan Grant Broadus  
Kenneth Hutchins  
Alton Watson  
Betse Rosson  
Herbert R. Ellis  
Florence Thornton  
Donna Jennings  
Mike Wilson  
Bobbie Sue Chambers  
Christopher Dore  
Samantha Mills

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<b>L U N C H</b>	Calzone Marinara Sauce Tuscan Vegetables Garden Salad Peaches Milk Variety	Grilled cheese Beef-Veg. Soup Multigrain chips Baby Carrots Diced pears Milk Variety	Turkey & Dressing Roll & gravy Sweet Potatoes Green beans Fruit cup Cranberry Sauce Milk Variety	Chicken Fajitas Charro Beans Garden Salad Salsa Cinnamon Apples Milk Variety	Beef or Chicken Patty on bun Oven fries Fresh Veggie Cup Hamburger garnish Mixed fruit Milk Variety

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The Centennial Quilt Featured at Saturday's Lords Acre at the First United Methodist Church.

## Centennial Quilt Featured at Lord's Acre this Saturday

One of the more unique items for sale at the Lord's Acre on November 11 at the First United Methodist Church is the quilt that was made by local quilting clubs in celebration of our 100th anniversary. During the 2011 year-long celebration, the Cross Plains, Pioneer and Cottonwood groups worked together to make the beautiful quilt that was raffled off. Jane Bonner had won the quilt and after using it just a few times, she stored it away. When sale items started showing up, Jane remembered the quilt and decided to donate it back to the Lord's Acre auction.

Each of the 24 ladies participating in the project made a different block, most of them traditional designs and utilizing a wide variety of colors. Such well-known designs are familiar to most quilters ... the log cabin, school house, Sunbonnet Sue, Ohio star, nine patch, windmill, churn dash and the basket.

The Pioneer club contributed 11 blocks from Lou Grider, Glenda Phillips, Barbara Medley, Frankie Smith, Trish Hutton, Jean Alexander, Marqueta Westbook, Norma Tucker, Sandy Hutton, May Jones, Olena Ezzell and Laverne Hutton. Representing the Cross Plains group were Nicole Clark, Cindy Clark, Helen Parson, Polly

Beeler, Joyce Odom, Lena Gage, Daisy Holcomb, Wilma Lawrence, Azalee Womack and Kathie Anderson. Sue Bennett and Laverne Childress from the Cottonwood club each contributed a block.

The blocks were sewn together by the ladies and quilted at the American Legion Building. As this was such a large quilt, it provided hours of stitching, laughter and sharing of daily happenings. The money from the raffle went into the general Centennial fund to be used for promotional expenses.

It's a safe bet to say that many of the quilters learned the art from their mothers and grandmothers. For many, many years quilts were a practical necessity and were often made from fabric scraps left from other quilts, shirt tails and cloth sacks that chicken feed came in. This last interesting fabric was undoubtedly a source of aggravation to the grain elevator workers, as the farm wives had the men sort through the tall stacks of chicken feed to get the right number of matching sacks. The sacks were then made into school clothes and the left-over fabric went into a sack for quilting fabric.

Several of these quilters have since passed away while most of the others are still quilting

at some level. Joyce Odom, Azalee Womack, Frankie Smith, Daisy Holcomb, Lou Grider and Laverne Hutton all left prized quilts for their families to enjoy. Some of these treasurers have probably already been passed on to grandchildren.

Lou Grider was one who left quite a legacy of her talents all over town. Her simple appliqued pillows found their way into various fund-raisers for organizations, to new comers and to friends in general. The Methodist Church has auctioned off dozens of her pillows and pillow tops at the annual Lord's Acre over the years. John Fred McWilliams is often the high bidder for her pillows and now has enough for a king sized quilt, if he just find somebody to put it all together for him.

Lou left a huge supply of pillow tops to the Prayer Team at the Church and each prayer quilt made by the ladies at the church now features one of her quilted squares. Cherry Shults has made a lap throw from the prized pillow tops that will be in the live auction at the Lord's Acre.

Cecil Barton probably said it best ..... "you know you've got it made in Cross Plains when you get a Lou pillow."

## The Recipe Corner

### Italian Hot Dish

Prep Time: 30 Minutes Bake Time: 40 Minutes

#### Ingredients:

- \*1-1/2 cups uncooked multigrain bow tie pasta (about 4 ounces)
- \* 1 pound lean ground beef (90% lean)
- \* 1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms, divided
- \* 1/2 cup chopped onion
- \* 1/2 cup chopped green pepper
- \* 1 teaspoon dried oregano
- \* 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- \* 1/4 teaspoon onion powder
- \* 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- \* 1 can (15 ounces) tomato sauce
- \* 1/2 cup shredded part-skim mozzarella cheese, divided
- \* 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese, divided

#### Directions

1. Preheat oven to 350°. Cook pasta according to package directions for al dente; drain.
2. Meanwhile, in a large nonstick skillet coated with cooking spray, cook and crumble beef with 1/2 cup mushrooms, onion and green pepper over medium-high heat until no longer pink, 5-7 minutes. Stir in seasonings and tomato sauce; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 15 minutes.
3. Place pasta in an 8-in. square baking dish coated with cooking spray. Top with meat sauce and remaining mushrooms. Sprinkle with 1/4 cup mozzarella cheese and 1 tablespoon Parmesan cheese.
4. Bake, covered, 35 minutes. Uncover; sprinkle with remaining cheeses. Bake until heated through and cheese is melted, 5-10 minutes. Yield: 4 servings.

# Lord's Acre

## Sat. Nov. 11, 2017

A great time of fun and fellowship with all monies going into local missions

#### LITTLE STORE

9-6:15  
lots of hand made items and home made goodies, FUMC Cookbook

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6:30.....  
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