# The Stratford Star 

50 cents

Meeded Interested People To Serve
$\qquad$ serve on the Depot Museum Board! Board meets on 3rd Tuesday of each month and has on two main projects for the year.
Feel great by helping to do a
worthy civic service.

## Community Invited <br> Brisket Dinner \& All The Trimmings <br> Community Methodist Jr. \& Sr. High Inted Mouth Brisket Dinner \& all the Trimmings. Sunday, Feb. 2, 12 Noon. Methodist Fellowship Hall. Free Will Offering. <br> St. Joseph's Der <br> Wurst Fest <br> $\begin{aligned} & \text { St. Joseph's } \\ & \text { coming February }\end{aligned}$ rr Wurst Fest is i <br> Sherman County Junior <br> Livestock Show Se

Sherman County Fair and $5,6,7$. Something new for the Sherman County Fair. A Craft Show and Sale will be held in the Exhousarn 1 while the Fair will Commercial Exhibits will be moved to the Agriculture Building. The special contest for bakers this
year will be Peachy! Best Peach Pie or Cobbler. A contest will be held to choose the Jamboree Theme so be thinking and watch for particulars in March.
Fair Superintendents are
needed in Baked Goods and Culinary, Clothing and Handwork and help is needed for all superintendents to register entries
on Thursday 2:00 to 6:00.

## Stratford Rifle \& Pistol Club Annual Meeting To Be Held

Stratford Rifle \& Pistol Club annual meeting for 1997 to be ald 8 p.m. at the Range at 720 East,

## Girl Scout Cookies On

Stratford Girl Scouts will be
holding the annual Girl Scout cookie sale beginning January 24
until Feb. 9. Girls ages $6-16$ will until Feb. 9 . Ging
taking orders.
Money earned goes to local troop activities, support of Yucca
Girl Scout Council and individual girl members for campership money to attend Girl
camps or resident camp.
Please support Stratford Girl
Scouts in this important fund Scouts. in this important fund
raiser. If you need to order cookies please call Gale Shafer at
$396-2294$.

Do You Have Pictures Of The Snow? Did you take some spectacular
pictures of the Snow? Keep them handy for the Sherman Co. Fair Sept. 4, 5, 6.

## Holiday Craft <br> Items Needed

Before all the Holiday Crafts are put far away. Keep those
special handmade items out for

Sherman County Junior Livestock Show Set For February 5-8, 1997 The 52nd Annual Sherman County Stock Show will be held on year, the Show will have approximately 154 hogs, 12 steers, 4 heifers
and 23 lambs. All sters and and, 23 lambs. All steers and heifers must be in place by 4:00 p.m. on
Wednesday 5 th. All swine and lambs must be in Wednesday 5 th. All swine and lambs must be in place by $4: 00$ p.m. on
Thursday, February 6th. The Livestock Show
February 6th at 7:00 p.m. The Heifer Show will be held after the steers are shown. Steers and heifers will be judged by ham Jackson, Meat Science Instructor and Judging Team Coach at Texas Tech University.
The Swine Show will be held on Friday, February 7th at 9:00 a.m. The lamb show will be held immediately following the Swine Show. Pee younger. John Weathers, Ag Science Teacher at Lubbock Cooper, will judge the swine and lambs.
The contest will start at 10:00 a.m. and hen Saturday, February 8th. The contest will start at 10:00 a.m. and have three divisions-Junior
Youth, Senior Youth, and Adult Youth, Senior Youth, and Adult.
p.m. The sale order for the Sale will be swine steers and 8th at 1:00 G.m. The Champions and Reserve Champions will be sold at the
beginning of the auction. beginning of the auction.
Everyone is encouraged to attend the Stock Show to see all the
livestock and support the $4-H$ and livestock and support the $4-\mathrm{H}$ and FFA members of Sherman County. The Concession Stand will be open during the Stock Show with
hamburgers, Chili, baked potatoes, homemade pies, candy and drinks

Stratford Family Medical Clinic
The Stratford Hospital District Board of Directors, in a special operations of the Stratford Family Medical Clinic, effective February 1 1997. In the notification to the current clinic management, Baptist S Anthony's health Systems, the board expressed appreciation for their at this time Stratford is capable of managing its own clinic.
P.A. John Schmidt and his very capable staff will continue seein continue as they have in the past. Dr. Ahn My Do of Dumas will Clinic and Coldwater Manor.
The Hospital District will continue to ealth Clinic and as a Veterans Administration the clinic as a Rural wish to assure the community of Stratford that the Hospital District uality prirectors and Administration is committed to providing top uality primary medical care for our district," said David Boggs, P.A. Schmidt
P.A. Schmidt says, "It will be business as usual for all Stratfor resident not currently using the clinic to cond hisf invite any Stratfor Don't Forget-SCDC Annual Meeting Thursday,
January 3Oth 7p.m. At Hioh School Carfeteria January 30th 7 p.m. At High School Cafeteria

## Brief Training

 To Be HeldLollipop Junction Annual Mexican Food Supper Scheduled Saturday

The annual Mexican foo supper sponsored by the Board of
Directors for Lollipop Junction is scheduled for Saturday night at the High School Creteria p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Advance tickets are $\$ .00 .00$ p.m. Advance
$\$ 3.00$ for children wits and 3.00 or children with children $\$ 6.50$ and $\$ 3.50$ at the door. The menu consists of homemade refried beans, salad, and chocolate ake with iced tea and coffee providing entertainment for the
meal. They will be doing the has been great fun!

> Sherman Co. Child Weifare Board o Report Suspected Aguilar Kathie Altman - 396-5611 Arlene Baker - 396-5318 Laura Dahl - 827-7476
Patsy Harland - 827 - 75 Patsy Harland - 827-7568 Viola Kautz - 396-2058
Jerry Stewart - 396-5554 Jerry Stewart - 396 -5554
Child Protection Services Clit 935-4375

Sue Hudson has announced brief training for those interested
in becoming a volunteer driver for he Road to Recovery program
Training will be held on Januar 30 at 5:00 p.m. in the Middle
School Library. The sessio hould not last longer than one
hour. For more information pleas. For more informatio
916 contact Sue Hudson at 396

## Golden Nail Award

Honor someone in you
rganization by submitting the name for the Golden Nail Award or more information. Februar 17, 1997 is the deadline for the

## Arts Around

The Panhandle

## resents "Nunsense II" Feb. 14

 15, 16 matinee $20,21,22$. Dalhart Community Theatewill host "Always-Patsy Cline will host "Always-Patsy Cline"
Amarillo Little Theater traveling Amow. March 14
March 15 , Perryton community "Lawman and the Ladies" Dinner Theater as a fund raiser for Make-
A-Wish.

## March

$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Dinner } & \text { Theater } & \text { Depot } \\ \text { Thuseum } \\ \text { Dearly }\end{array}$



## Lasley Retires

J.A. Lasley was presented with a special recognition at Scot

Luncheon held January 23 . Luncheon held January 23. She will be retiring as Chamber
Manager at the end of January. She has held that position for the
last nine years. She says she is last nine years. She says she is looking forward to retirement and
has made many plans. Shown I to r- J.A., George Harding and has made many plans. Shown I to r-- J.A.A., George Harding and
Gaynelle Riffe. Good luck and best wishes J.A.
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Look for the ridiculous in everything and you will find it.
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## Area Chamber

Banquets To Be Held
Some area Chambers of
commerce have schedule annual banquets scheduled their are invited and encouraged to attend one or more of these events as ambassadors for Stratford. The Tuet schedule is as follows: Sacurday, February 1-Dumas \&
Tuesday, February 25-Dalhart Saturday, March 15-Friona Tuesday, March 25-Stratford Tuesday, April 1-Borger For additional information regarding tickets and times,
contact the Chamber office 396

## CASA 69, Inc. Planning

 7th Annual Kids For Kids EventCASA 69, Inc. Board

Ne call 249-2684.
Nearly an eighth of the world's
land surface is arid,
than ten inches of rain a year.
mbers, staff and volunteers are hard at work planning Kids for be held on Saturday, April 26, will Pendleton City Park, in
Stratford, Texas.

Court Appointed Special
Advocates (CASA is a non-profit
organization that provides trained Advocates (CASA) is a non-profit
organization that provides trained community volunteers to speak up
for abused and neglected children for abused and neglected children
whose home placement is being decided on by the court.
Kids for Kids is a special day children while raising money for CASA 69 , Inc. Money raised will be used to help recruit, train and
supervise the volunteers who work with the children of the 69th
$\qquad$
Several activities will be
planned for the day including: The Walk n Roll, game and food

Anyone interested
participating in Kids in
sponsoring a game or food booth

4-H Project RRUARY 13, 1997:
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1997:
7:00 P.M. - Buyer's Appreciation Banque

Lone Star Park Opens
Beginning April 17, live
Thoroughbred racing begins at new $\$ 96$ million Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie. Group outings are available for 20 or more people. Reminder available for cor or more people. Depot Museum Dinner
Social, chartions as well as wedporate Depor
functer 3-22-97 receptions, and birthday events can be accommodated within this
new entertainment complex. The new entertainment complex. The Reminder: March 22nd is
first racing season runs from April 17 through July 27 . $\quad$ for the annual Dinner Theate contact the Chamber of sponsored by the Depot Museum Commerce office, 396-2260 for Food and Fun! Plan to attend.

## Livestock Show Schedule

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, February 1-2, 199
Bring Steers to Bar
MONDAY, February 3, 1997:
8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barr TUESDAY, February 4, 1997:

8:00 A.M. -5:00 P.M. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barn
WEDNESDAY, February 5, 1997
4:00 P.M. - Bring Swine into Barn
5:00 P.M. - Weigh Steers
THURSDAY, February 6, 1997:
4:00 P.M. - Weigh Lambs
7:00 P.M. - JUDGING OF STEERS FOLLOWED BY JUDGING OF HEIFERS
FRIDAY, February 7, 1997:
9:00 A.M. - JUDGING OF SWINE FOLLOWED BY PEE WEE SWINE SHOW - FOLLOWED BY PEE WEE LAMBS

SATURDAY, February 8, 1997
10:00 A. M. - LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST (For All Exhibitors and Adults) PREMIUM SALE SALE ORDE

Swine
Steer
Lamb contact Evlyn Schmidt ( $396-2380$ )
or Kristi Walden (769-4467) for a registration form. All registrations. must be in no later than hanks for your participation and Reminder eater 3-22-97

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## Imagination Station To Host Community Talent Show

On Saturday, march 1st the FUN begins! The Imagination
Station is hosting Stratford's first Station is hosting Stratford's first
Community Talent Show at $7: 00$ p.m. in the Stratford High School Auditorium, and
to participate.
This Community Talent Show promises to be a great evening for
the whole family. Local nalent the whole family. Local talent of all ages may perform skits, songs,
music, comedy routines, etc music, comedy routines, etc. These
acts should not exceed 5 minutes in length, and must be suitable for family viewing. (G-rated, please!)
A piano, sound system, and A piano, sound system, and
spotight will be provided. Any spotight will be provided. Any
additional equipment, scenery,
instruments, lights, or costume instruments, lights, or costumes
will be the responsibility of the performers. The Imagination
Station will accept the first 15 Station will accept the first 15
suitable acts to register. (The rest will get first shot next time!) A panel of judges will also be on hand to award cash prizes to th op three entertainers.
This Talent Show will be can enjoy together, and we would love to have you participate. Wha nspiration gifted friends and neighbors haring their unique talents with
confidence, enthusiasm, and pride?
To get in on the FUN, please


K's Interiors Newly Remodeled
Shown above in her newly remodeled store, K's Interiors, is Kay Flores. K's Interiors is adding to their stock a small line of clothing, jewelry, purses and belts. K's Interiors has that special gift for your
Valentine. Come by and See what K's Interiors has done and see what they have to offer! K's Interiors is alentine. Come by and Se

## Low-Fat Mexican Food

 Training Friday
## Check Out <br> The Library

Story Time for 3 and children will begin on Wednesday February 5 th. Programs start at
11:15 and be over by 12:00 noon. The theme for the spring session
will be based Classics. We welcome your children to come for this fun time
and learn about books and the library
new adult fiction: AirframeMichael Crichton, Fallen Man-
Tony Hillerman, Laws of Our Fathers-Scott Turow, My Gal
Sunday- Mary Higgins Clark, and Remember
McNaught.
others are: Murder At The National Gallery-Margaret
Truman, Murder She MeowedRita Mae Brown, Sea HuntersClive Cussler, ${ }^{\text {Fold }}$ Twin-Ken
Follett, Hornet's ${ }^{\text {Test-Patricia }}$ Cornwell, and Clinic-Jonathan Kellerman.
Also: Say You Love Me-
Johanna Lindsey, Secret Affair Also: Say You Love Me-
Johanna Lindsey, Secret Affair Barbara Taylor Bradford, Silen
Honor-Danielle Steel, and Gif books Legend-Jude Deveraux and Petersburg-Emily Hanlon. Non-fiction: Robert
work-Slouching work-Slouching $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Toward } \\ \text { Gomorrah. Two cookbooks }\end{array}\right]$ Simply Delicious Recipes for
Diabetics and Secrets of lactoseree cooking. William C. Kroen,
PHD has written a Guide For Grownups-Helping Children Cope with the loss of a Loved One. Need help with cover letters More than 100 examples from other correspondence you need in your job hunt can be
book, Cover Letters


The Hundred Years War (1337 10 143) extended over the reigns
of five English and five French of five

4-H Clothing Meeting Wednesday

The next meeting of the 4 -
Clothing Project group will b
Wednesday, January 29, 1997 4:00 p.m. in the meeting room o me County Extension Office. A this project are invited to attend.

## Stockshow <br> Concession <br> Update

## Plans for the concession to be

 held during the county Stockshow have been made. All 4-H familiehave been sent a letter informin have been sent a letter informin
them of their food and worl assignments. If a family has no receive this information, they are
asked to call the County Extension asked to call the County Extensio
Office and learn of thei responsibilities. The dates for th
eventare February 5 through 8 th.

## Time To Order <br> Tree Seedlings

## Special Photo Exhibit To Be Held

The Imagination Station Boar special photo exhibit featurin windmills. The photos are
selections from T. Lindsay Baker's book Blades in the Sky which book Bades in the Sky which B.H. "Tex" Burdick between 1923 nd 1942.
This traveling exhibit will be times Local and area schools will be invited to share the history of this vital part of ranching history in the rural areas of
other parts of the West.

## Come and relive the story of indmillers who endured

 windmillers who endured theblazing sun, sandstorms, blisters rattlesnakes, and perils to life and limb to build windmills and dry area.
Watch the newspaper for exac days and times during February delayed because of a change in the delayed because of a change in
museum loaning the exhibit.
If anyone in the Stratford area If anyone in the Stratford area
has windmill knowledge, artifacts,
materials or local historical materials or local historical
information please call Evlyn at information please call Evlyn at
$396-2380$ or any of the Now is the time to order your Imaginatio
ree seedlings for spring planting, Trustees.
Pease call the Sherman County at 396-5517 for more information or to place your order. Remember
your windbreaks and landscape plantings!
Pleasure is nature's test, hers sign of approval.


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Quicken6 Computer Shortcourse Set For February 17-28

A two day introduction to
Quicken6 for Windows 95 Quicken6 for Windows 95
computer shortcourse will be held computer shortcourse will be held
on February 27 and 28 at the Sherman County Exhibit Building. The course will begin at $9: 00$ a.m.
and end at $3: 30$ p.m. each day. The course is limited to 14 participants.
A $\$ 75.00$ registration fee will b charged to cover the cost of the Computers and teaching materials Couples that share a computer ge,
to attend for one registration fee. Quicken6 for Windows 95 is an
inexpensive, easy to use financial nexpensive, easy to use financial
ecord keeping program that is
widely used by aricuture widely used by agriculture
producers. In the two-day training,
each participant will have access to a computer to learn Quicken6 in a hands-on setting. Participants will
enter transactions in the register enter transactions in the register
and write check screens. They will
learn categorize by type of income and expense, to split and memorize transactions, and to develop meaningful reports. No
prior computer experience is

To reserve a place in the shortcourse, please place in a check Sherman County Extension Office or call
the course will be limited to the

## Looking For A Pip----

I am looking for 42 PIPS. Do you know where I might find know what a PIP is, it is a Player In Progress Now do you know what a PIP's is a state wide program. It was founded by
Claude Texda Land from near by Claude, Texas. This program was designed for youth who are
enrolled in kindergarten through 6 grade. It, the program, teaches the basic fundamental skills of basketball.
handling.
This program has been active cross the state in previous years while this is Stratford's inaugural year. D'Lynn Reed, local director
was first introduced to the was first introduced to the
program through fellow teachers in the Dumas School system. saw a great opportunity to help our youth get
handling skills.
D'Lynn rounded up her staff of assistants, Brenda Bell, Nan
Ashley, Sheila Lanning and ViAnn Reed. Notices about the program were sent out to the kids. Later a Brenda Land. The rest is
history This group of 42 PIP's has been practicing since October, for an hour and a half on Thursday nights. They have preformed twice
between the Lady Elk and Elk basketball games. Each performance has been a differen show for the public.
This Tuesday January 28th will be this groups final performance
of the year. This program will the year.
highlight K-1 and 2 progr will
grades highight K-1 and ${ }^{\text {performing the }}$ Star drill. The 3
and and 4th grade, will be doing the
shuffle passes while the 5 and 6 th grade will be doing the star drill with two basketballs.
Come out and see two grea
games against Boys Ranch. But this half time you won't want to entertained by a fine group of PIP performers.

Christmas Island is one of the
argest islands in the Pacific formed largest islands in the Pacific formed
by coral. The first European to reach the island was British
explorer James Cook on Christmas explorer Joar
Day, 1777.

11 Years, 3500 Babies In Dumas Women's Health Center

Normal and kigh riskpregnancies Gynecologic cancer screening Breast cancer screening Infertility and family planning Menopause and hormone problems
Dr. Turfan I. Baykan, M.D. Specializing $2 n$
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THE STRATFORD STAR, THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 19973


## Basketball

On January 20, 1997 the 7th lost by 1 to Spearman 19-20. Carly grade boys beat Sunray 41-23. Mathews was high point with 8
Skyler Walden was high point with points followed Ashley Brown and Skyler Walden was high point with points followed Ashley Brown and
15 points followed by Adam Bell
wam Grifh 10. This past weekend the game - Stratford 42 each. 2nd
-Gruver 5 . wth grade boys won 1st at the Pame - Stratford 32 - Gruver 5.
Gruver Tournament. 1st game - followed by Jessica Yo Yaung with 10 Gruver Tournament. 1st game - followed by Jessica Young with 9 point was Skyler Walden with 17 Perryton 52 . Carly Mathews had 7 points followed by Adam Bell and each. 2nd Game. Stratford 47 high point with 17 points followed The 8th girls white team beat
high point with 17 points followed Sunray $12-6$ on Jan. 20. Elena
by Adam Bell with 8 . Final Game Stratford 46 - Perryton 23. Skyler high point with 4 each Walden was high point with 13 girls blue team beat Sunray 38 th points followed by Adam Bell and Jessica King was high point with The 8th grade boys beat and Shelli McCarver with 6 point The 8th grade boys beat each. The 8th grade girls also
Sunray $50-33$ on January 20, 1997. earo Carlos Ortega led in scoring with brought home the first place win
14 followed by Corey Naugle with the Gruver Tournament held
this past weekend 13 points and Sid Resendes with this past weekend. 1st Game
10 points. The 8th Grade boys Stratford 42 - Spearman 38. High also won 1st at the Gruver point was Kara Brownlee with 18
Tournament Tournament held this past points foilowed by Jessica King
weekend. In their first game they with 9 points and Brenda Aguiler weekend. In their first game they with 9 points and Brenda Aguilera
beat Spearman $40-22$. Carlos
with
8 points. 2nd Game Stratford Ortega was high point with 11 with 8 points. 2nd Game Stratford
points followed by Tommer 24. Jessica King was points followed by Tommy Keener
with 9 and Sid Roint pesendes with 8 point 16 points followed with 9 and Sid Resendes with 8 by Kara Brownlee with 7. Final
points. 2nd game Stratford 31 points. 2nd game Stratford 31 , game Stratford 44 - Perryton 27
Gruver 12. Carlos Ortega and Sid
Jessica King game high of Resendes 10 points each. Final followed by Brenda Aguilera with Game Stratford 27 - Perryton 25 . 10 points.
Carlos Ortega was high point with Carlos Ortega was high point with The 9th grade boys beat
11 points followed by Corey
Naugle and Sid Resendes with 5 Surray $37-34$ on Jan. 20 . Andy The 7th
The 7 th grade girls blue team Pam Griffin was on Jan. 30, 19-23. points followed by Carly Mathew whith 4 points. The 7 th grade girls Marca Ew lost 9-14 to Sunray. 4 points followed by Tracy Tobias

participated in the Gruver
Tournament held this past
weekend. In their first game, they

McAlister led the Elks with 16
poins followed by Woilden filh 11 points. Nathaniel
Wn Jan.
24, the J.V. Elks lost to WT $32-53$ 24, the J.V. Elks lost to WT $32-53$
Levi James was high point with points followed by by wavid 9
punsaker and Nathaniel Wavid with 6 points each.
The J.V. Lady Elks lost to
Canadian on Jan. 21 with a score oint with Oralia Vital was high Rocia Aguilera with 3 pollowed by an. 24, the J.V with 3 points. On WT 51-40. Tai Ann Brownlee was y Keri Wish with 11 points followed On Jan. 21 with 10 points. Canadian 39-44 Lessica Slks lost was high point with 12 points oints. The Lady Elks lost to WT 2-66 on Jan. 24. Jennifer King was high point with 17 points 14 points.
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The Varsity Elks beat WT 61 . Aguilera was high point with 19 oints followed by Ryan Davis Stewart - 7, J.B. Presley - 6 , Coby Galla - 4 and Justin Starnes with 2 . After this game, the Elks record
for the year stands at $21-2$ and $5-1$
District.

Three Teams Shows Most Improvement
If someone was handing out Ortega's number 5, Chris Ortega, ertificates for most improved was playing like a house on fire. eams, three teams this week Shoopingeleven field goals for 22 of the three teams won their games, one team still remains
winless. They are $3 / 4$ girls, winless. They are $3 / 4$ girls,
Naugle/Bell's team, Coby Galla's $5 / 6$ boys and the $5 / 6$ girls team of Kathy Riffe.
In their opening game on January 18, Naugle's girls, they
were held scoreless, but not this week. They were lead in scoring by Holly Heatwole and Whitney Kautz with 2 points each. Adding points from the free throw line
were Tiffany Knight and Amber Keener with 1 point each. Assisting their team this week were Shannara Ricks, Ramie
Stewart, Crystal Garcia, Stephanie Stewart, Crystal Garcia, Stephanie
Seilar, and Ashley Brooks. Shari Hudson and Donita Robertson's team had to work a little harder this week for their econd team win. Naugle's girls worked hard on their team
defense and rebounding. Speed defense and rebounding. Speed scoring with 10 points from the Kield, Kayla Robertson
contributed to the team totals with 4 points and Lindsay Stein with 2 . Jaclynn Skaggs, Samantha Pulliam, Cheyenne Zieman,
Yadira Ortega and Aleacia Helton Yad heather Robertson showed improvement on the court with more controlled ball handling. will Hudson's team be able to keep up the
stay tuned!
In game two Ortega boys met
up against Shafer's $3 / 4$ boys.
ine four times, adding two more points for a total of 24 points. It as also awesome to see the face
on Connor. Vincent as he stepped to the free throw line to shoot on a foul. His eyes lit up like a
Christmas tree. While the first one Christmas tree. While the first one
fell, the second rolled on the rim and fell off. The same held true
for for Timmothy Garcia with his 2 points from the field. mark Mille hoot two, but was unable to connect. Chad Johnson, Brady Bell \& Matthew Ricks, aided thei assists and rebounds.
renth
and
Shafer's boys kept up during he first quarter. Keeping within wo points of Ortega's team, the Shafer 4 Ortega with a score of quarter Shafer's team got into foul rouble, sending Ortega's team nto bonus shooting. With the firs half ended with Shafer's tean trailing by on
of 11 to 12 .
$\qquad$ Ortega's team scored tharter while Third quarter scored six mored Ortega 18
Shafer 11. The final amer heated final quarter of the ungry for a win. Both sides than before. Scoring and until the final buzzer rang. After the dust settled, the score stood Ortega 27 Shafer 21.

Gym nast of The Month for January at Kelly's Gymnastics is
elsie West. Chelsie is able to do standing back handsprings,
 round-off back handsprings and consecutive back handsprings. upcoming gymnastic meet in Dumas. Chelsie is the daughter of Roger \& Kris West.

Look What's New In Stratford!
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Phone 396-5004 Stratford or 935-7008 Dumas
CYNTHIA LOVE - OWNER

Haynes lead in scoring with 11
vints, Jarred Ewers and Jesse Daniels both had 4 points each While Walter Spurlock ${ }_{\text {contributed }}^{\text {Brown, }} \underset{\text { Johny }}{2}$ points. Caleb Brandon Davis and Bradford Mclver remained a contributing hreat in defense for their team. Game three was the first of two
for Coby Gallas team. This team or Coby Gallas team. This team being most improved. In Galla's first game of the day he squared

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LOOKING AHEAD
February
1-Mexican Food Supper, Lollipop Junction Day Care
6-7-8 Sherman County Livestock Show \& Sale
11 Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper United Methodist Men 16 Der Wurst Fest - St. Joseph Church
17-Stockshow Buyers Appreciation Banquet
March
1- Talent Show - Imagination Station
6-7-8 5th \& 6th Grade Basketball Tournament Chamber of
7-World Day of Prayer - Host Baptist Church
13-14- Stratford ISD Invitational Golf Tournament
22-Depot Museum "Dinner Theater" - "Dearly Departed" One Ac
Play Performance
Performance
25-Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet Silent Auction "Citizen",
April
4 -8th Grade Prom
5-Jr. Sr. Prom
26-CASA's "Kids For Kids"
Stratford Park

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Riffe and
$\mathcal{M} r$. and $\mathcal{M r s}$. Allen Mcclure invite you to share in the joy of the marriage uniting their children Saskia Nanise Browning and Steven Micfael $\operatorname{Mc}$ Clure on Saturday, the eighth of February nineteen fundred and ninety-seven at five o'clock in the afternoon First United Methodist Church 500 Main Street Stratford, Texas

The Van is Coming!
The Van is Coming!


Sales Representative Cynthia Leach and The CellularOne Van will be in Stratford at Gophers. CellularOne now has local \#'s in Stratford.

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## Births



Tyler Keith Robbins would like to announce the birth of his
baby brother Cameron Jarrod baby brother Cameron Jarrod,
Dec. 18th, 1996. Parents are Bill and Lynn Robbins of Goodwell, OK. Grandparents are Randy and Gale Godsey and Wes and Helen
Robbins of Burlington, CO. Robbins of Burlington, CO

DeWayne and Jamie Kelley are proud to announce the arrival January 21 at 4:23n. p.me in Abs born
Jilene, Texas. He weighed 6 lbs .8 ozs .
and was $191 / 2$ inches long. and was $191 / 2$ inches long. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Maternal } & \text { grandparents are } \\ \text { Robert and Janie Randall of }\end{array}$ Stratford. Maternal great grandmothers are Ruth Naugle of Stratford and Jeane Randall of
Spring Hill, Kansas. Spring Hill, Kansas.
Paternal grandparents are
Fred Kelley and the late Linda Kelley of Amarillo. Paternal great grandparents are Elbert Kelley nd F.D. and Billie Mayhue of Amarillo.


Girl Scout Cookies On Sale
Marietta Combs' Brownie Troop 147 is shown above with boxes of Girl Scout Cookies that they are selling now until February 9th. Be sure and get your box ordered! Shown from left, Shannara Ricks, Rebekah Griffin, Haley Buckles, Katelyn Reed, Emily Shafer and Francis Tenorio


## 100's Day Celebrated

Once again it was the 100th day of school. The first-grade classes of Kathie Altman, Desine Garza, and Mary Pat Williams celebrated with Hundreds Day on Tuesday, January 21. The class flipped over 100 pancakes and counted many groups of 100. All the students contributed to the collections of 205 stuffed 100th ball on the pile. Pictured above are first graders: Gerry Garay, Austin Riffe, Darcy Rosales, Andy Pale, Steven Ortega, Kevin Srader, and Eric Ortiz, along with Superintendent Vernon Paul.


The longest game in hockey history was two hours, 56 minutes
and 30 seconds when the Detroit Red Wings beat the Montreal Maroons $1-0$ in the sixth period of overtime at the Forum, Montreal at 2:25 a.m. in March of 1936 .

## Sherman Co. Depot Museum Calendar

Monday, Feb. 3 - Joyce McBryde Tuesday, Feb. 4 - Judy Oquin Wednesday, Feb. 5-Gail Rhoades Thursday, Feb. 6 - Margaret Reed Friday, Feb. 7 - Timmie Brown Monday, Feb. 10 - Marge Pilch Tuesday, Feb. 11 - Louella Johnson Wednesday, Feb. 12 - Mattie Baskin Thursday, Feb. 13 - Ann Wells Friday, Feb. 14 - Dicy Stephenson Monday, Feb. 17 - George Jeffcoat Tuesday, Feb. 18 - Mary W. Wisdom. Board Meets at 1 on Feb. 18 Wednesday, Feb. 19 - Betty Lou O'Brien Thursday, Feb. 20 - Helen Taylor Friday, Feb. 21 - LeVerne Lasley Monday, Feb. 24 - Nita Taylor Tuesday, Feb. 25 - Joyce Hart Wednesday, Feb. 26 - Anne Pulliam Thursday, Feb. 27 - Barbara Bouldin Friday, Feb. 28 - Billie Ann Ellison
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> PUBLIC NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Sherman County, Texas, will
convene in Regular Session on convene in Regular Session on
Monday, February 10, 1997 at 9:00 a.m., in the Commissioners
Courtroom in the Sherman Courtroom in the Sherman
County Courthouse, to select a County Courthouse, to select a
depository for county funds for depository for county funds for
March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1999, according to Article
2544, Texas Revised Civil Statues. Any banking corporation,
association, individual banker in the state of Texas, desiring to be selected as County Funds Depository shall make application
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## For Sale



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time the cooper＇s weam from going to teams．Elizabeth Tims was high the free throw line to only one of 10 points．Following Tims was
time．Dylan Everett，was the only Veronica Maldonado with 2 and scorer for Cooper＇s team with 3 Erin Ashley with 1 point．Others
points．While Galla＇s team made 3 contributing to the teams effort points．While Galla＇s team made 3 contributing to the teams effort
of the 4 free throws．Marcus were Juana Aguilar，Raniel of the 4 free throws．Marcus were Juana Aguilar，
McAlister in the first half had 5 Bumpas and Alicia Adams． points，Levi Artho had 8 and Robin Daniels was high point
Matthew Taliaferro contributed 6 ．with 12 points，Deidre Tarver Matthew Taliaferro contributed 6．with 12 points，Deidre Tarver
The score at half ended with Galla followed with 6．America Ortega
19 Cooper 3． Galla＇s boys were hungry for a gave it her all，but before fouling Galla＇s boys were hungry for a out placed 4 points on the board．
win，after coming off a loss last Candice Rodgers contributed 2 ．
week to John Ashley＇s team．The Final score week to John Ashley＇s team．The Final score Riffe 24 Lasley 13 ． scoring did not let up in the Other girls playing hard for
second half of the game．For Riffe＇s team were Lauren Walton second half of the game．For Riffe＇s team were Lauren Walton，
Cooper＇s team Carson Buckles put
Heather Seilar and Carley Bryson． 2 points up on the scorebooard in In the fifth and finat game it
the third．While Marcus had 2，was the second game of the day Matthew and Levi with 4 each．was the second game of the day The third quarter Galla＇s team for Galla．The team faced John
pulled away with a score of 29 to 5 ．Ashley＇s $5 / 6$ grade boys．Galla pulled away with a score of 29 to 5 ．Aeing 1－1 and Ashley coming in
The final quarter scoring was with a record of $2-0$ ．While both
evened up but coming a little too eved up but coming a little too teams experienced wins．Galla＇s
late for Cooper＇s team．Josh team was ready to play basketball
Williams late for trapeled to the free team was ready to play basketball
Williams hungered to even up the score
throw line for bonus shooting from their last encounter throw line for bonus shooting from their last encounter against
while he was unable to connect．Ashley＇s team Todays game was a Dylan Everett helped his toam out．Ashley＇s team Todays game was a by scoring 8 points．Final point into foul trouble last week，Galla＇s
totals for Cooper＇s team were team had to play conservative totals for Cooper＇s team were team had to play conservative
Everett 11 and Buckles 2 points．
basketball．This week，the fouls Levi Artho on a hot streak were not as often and the of 18 points．Matthew Taliaferro Leading in scoring on Galla＇s with 10 points．Marcus McAlister points．Followed by Marcus contributed 2 points．Final score Taliaferro with 6 ．Scoring two Galla 37 Cooper 13．points each were J．R．Tobias，Eric The $5 / 6$ grade girls game was York，Jason Roberts，Rafael
between Jode Lasley $1-0$ and Rueda． between Jode Lasley $1-0$ and
Kathy Riffe $0-1$ ．Riffe＇s team also Kathy Riffe 0－1．Riffe＇s team also After defeating Galla＇s team
earning praises for the most the week prior，John Ashley＇s
improved team of earning praises for the most the week prior，John Ashley＇s
improved team of the week．
team came into the game feeling Riffe＇s tough defense and fairly comfortable．At the end of height of Candice Rodgers，Carley the first quarter the score was tied Bryson and America Ortega was 4 up．Coby＇s team stunned
able to utilize it against Lasley＇s，Ashley＇s． able to utilize it against Lasley＇s，Ashley＇s team outscoring them in
Elizabeth Tims，Veronica the remaining three quarters．Top Maldonado and Tanya Whatley．scorer on Ashley＇s team was Jason Riffe＇s team took a two point lead Ashley with 9 ，followed by Dalton
against Lasley＇s girls．First quarter Sladek with 3 points．Also scoring against Lasley＇s girls．First quarter Sladek with 3 points．Also scoring
score Riffe 6 Lasley 4 ．The second were Carlos Rivera with 2 points score Riffe 6 Lasley 4 ．The second were Carlos Rivera with 2 points
half strong defense and and Jarred Nusz with 1 ．Eric
rebounding．Riffe＇s girls seized the Heatwole Manuel half strong defense and and Jarred Nusz with 1．Eric
rebounding．Riffe＇s girls seized the Heatwole，Manuel Maldonado opportunity to take a 9 point lead．and Brad Reed assisted the team
Erin Ashley on Lasley＇s team took in rebounds and steals．While Erin Ashley on Lasley＇s team took in rebounds and steals．While
a trip to the free throw line on a Ashley＇s team went down in a trip to the free throw line on a Ashley＇s team went down in
bonus trip．Erin was able to make defeat，they shot 50 percent from the first free throw but unable to the free throw line against Galla＇s connect on the second．Erin was $25 \%$ shooting．
the only player to score for February 1 beginning at $8: 30$
Lasley＇s team the second quarter． Lasley＇s team the second quarter．three will be four games with
While Riffe＇s Robin Daniels and plenty of non－stop action．Come While Riffe＇s Robin Daniels and plenty of non－s
America Ortega had 2 points each out and join us． America Ortega had 2 points each
and Deidre Tarver had 4.

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pressure．Rebounding offensively

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