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3 on 3 Basketball To Be At July 4th Celebration

Spirit Camp Coming Up

The Stratford Cheerleaders will be sponsoring 3 on 3 Basketball at the July 4th celebration. Cost is \$20.00 a team. For more information, contact Keisha Naugle at 396-2862 or 396-

Stratford Cheerleaders Spirit Camp will start on Tuesday, June 24 and run through Friday, June 27th. Cost is \$25.00 to attend and is for Kindergarten through 6th grade, for more information call Keisha Naugle at 396-2862 or 396-



Local Customer Wins Drawing

Gail Allen, right presents Karla Edmond with \$1500.00 worth of Savings Bonds. Karla's name was drawn during the promotional on KMRE, Dumas compliments of First State Bank - Stratford, Dumas, Dalhart.

Have You Any Black & White Photos?

Did you know that black and white photos will outlast color photos? There is a place for black and white pictures at the Sherman County Fair, Sept. 4,5,6.

Game Night At Scot Hall

Game night at Scot Hall Friday, June 13th at 7 p.m.

SCDC Conducts New Comprehensive Housing Survey

Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. will conducting Comprehensive Housing Needs Survey for the Sherman County area, including Stratford, Kerrick, Conlen and Texhoma. The SCDC will use this information to make decisions on strategies for new housing which best fits the needs of the residents and employers in our communities. The survey is completely confidential and you are not asked to sign your name.

Copies of these housing orchestra instruments. surveys are available in the Sherman County Tax office in the Sherman County Courthouse, in Stratford City Hall, in the for ages 8 and up. Sherman County Appraisal District office, the Elk Pharmacy, the Stratford Family Medical Clinic, and at the First State Bank. Locations in Texhoma will also be

If you would like to have a survey mailed to you, please call p.m. the SCDC office at 396-2897. Boxes and envelopes will be programs and enjoy available at these locations to convenience in your own ensure the confidentiality of the backyard! Full and partial

Please help us by filling out this needs survey. If you have any questions, or need further information, please call Lorie Vincent at 396-2897. Thank you in advance for your participation.

Sherman Co. Child Welfare Board To Report Suspected Child Abuse, Call Angie Aguilar - 396-2040 Kathie Altman - 396-5611 Arlene Baker - 396-5318 Laura Dahl - 827-7476 Patsy Harland - 827 - 7568 Viola Kautz - 396-2058 Jerry Stewart - 396-5554 **Child Protection Services**

935-4375 ALL CALLS CONFIDENTIAL

Main Street Art In June

The Imagination Station, 202 N. Main, announces the following Main Street Art programs still available for Stratford area residents ages 6 through adult:

programs in advance by calling Sherman Evlyn at 396-2380 or walking in presentation.

Dino Doins field trip to Clayton Lake State Park on Tuesday, June 24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A Backyard Adventure in the three state corner of Colorado, New Mexico and Oklahoma to explore fossils, dinosaur tracks, natural rock formations, Indian pictographs and historical artifacts on Friday, June 27, 9 a.m. to 5

Come and share these unique scholarship are available through the Steve Booth Memorial Station is a volunteer nonprofit organization

Hillbilly Jamboree Is Fair Theme

The theme for the 1997 Fair & Jamboree is Hillbilly Jamboree. two barbecue tickets. Six theme p.m. on June 18th for Dr. entries were proposed and the Kaufman to identify problems and

businesses, organizations, clubs, and individuals can plan their parade entries for September 6, 396-2081.



Going Away Party Given For "E.R."

E.R. Bell, who has served as City Manager since July 1, 1992 was given a going away party at D & T Headquarters on Tuesday, June 3 by fellow City Employees. Shown with E.R. is David Newcomb, right.

3 CEU's To Be Offered At SC Wheat Field Day

A Wheat Field Day will be held on Monday, June 16, 1997 at Gerald Wilhelm's farm south of Conlen. The Field Day will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will conclude around 11:00 a.m. Gerald Wilhelm's farm is located 3 miles south of Conlen on FM 807.

During the Field Day, will producers have the opportunity to view and evaluate irrigated wheat varieties planted behind corn. Dr. Brent Bean, Music to my Ears, guest artists Extension Agronomist-Amarillo, from the Amarillo Symphony will discuss performance of wheat Orchestra. On Thursday, June 12, varieties and varieties tolerance to violinist Mary Margaret Haredin freeze damage. Dr. Clay Salisbury, explores the strings section at 3 - Experiment Station Agronmist-3:45 p.m. for ages 5 to 11 and at Amarillo, will talk about weed 5:30 to 7 p.m. for ages 12 to adult. control and use of herbicides in Thursday, June 19, trombonist wheat. Dr. Harold Kaufman, Dr. Joseph Cox of WT A&M Extension Plant Pathologistintroduces the brass section and Lubbock, will address wheat on Thursday, June 26 Susan diseases and their occurrence in Martin Tariq will present High Plains. Dr. Kaufman will also instruments of the percussion give a brief discussion on the family. Times are the same as on possibility of ergot infesting grain June 12. Students and adults may sorghum in Sherman County. in register for one or more of the addition, an overview of 1997 County demonstrations will be given.

Three (3) CEU's will be Musicians will lead an interactive offered for recertification of music appreciation program using licensed private applicators, noninstruments from the strings, brass commercial applicators and and percussion "families" of commercial applicators. The CEU's will also count for recertification of Certified Crop

> For more information, contact the Sherman County Extension Service at (806) 396-2081

"Sick Plant" Clinic To Be Held For Local Residents

On Wednesday, June 18th, a "Sick Plant" Clinic will be held to Sherman County homeowners with disease and insect problems on their ornamental and garden plants. Dr. Harold Kaufman, Extension Plant Endowment Fund. Bilingual Pathologist from Lubbock, will be assistance will be provided during in Stratford to diagnosis plant all programs. The Imagination problems and identify proper control practices. The clinic is dedicated to sponsored by the Sherman County providing quality hands-on educational programming in the educational programming in the educational programming in the "Sick Plant" Clinic is designed.

The "Sick Plant" Clinic is designed. to help homeowners identify and control insect and disease problems in their lawns, trees, flower beds, and gardens.

Homeowners can bring plant George Harding submitted the samples to the Sherman County winning theme and will receive Extension Office from 2:00 to 3:00 selection was made by the answer questions. Dr. Kaufman employees of Coldwater Manor. will also be available for home With the selection of a theme, visits in the Stratford and sinesses organizations clubs Texhoma area. To schedule a



A good crowd enjoyed Stratford Grain's Annual Pre-Harvest Hot Dog Bash held on Thursday, June

His Life & Message Cause Change

Look at the life and influence of Jesus of Nazareth, the Christ, throughout history and you will see that He and His message always produce great changes in the lives of men and of nations. Wherever his teachings and influence have gone, the holiness of marriage, women's rights and voice in society have been schools and acknowledged, universities of higher learning have been established, laws to protect children have been made, slavery has been abolished and a multitude of other changes have been made for the good of mankind. Individual lives are also dramatically changed.-C.S. Lewis, Lew Wallace, and the apostle Paul to name a few.

Be a part of Stratford citizens who would like to continue sharing Christ's story within our community by donating to the JESUS video project. Please make your check out to "JESUS Video Project" and send your offering to the First State Bank, Stratford, TX c/o Doak Crabtree. Questions? Call Eddie Metcalf, Kathy Thomas or Jack Swain. Amount received \$3,391.14, Remaining amount needed: \$1,608.86.

Remember-Memorials may be made to Bonar Park. They will be greatly appreciated

Major Stock Show Steer Validation Set For June 17th

Steer validation for major livestock shows will be held on Tuesday, June 17, 1997. Steers will be validated from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 Livestock Building. A \$4.00 print supplies, and film. Any 1:00 p.m. for business as usual. Sherman County FFA or 4-H member planning to show a steer at a major livestock show in Texas must have their steer (s) validated on this date.

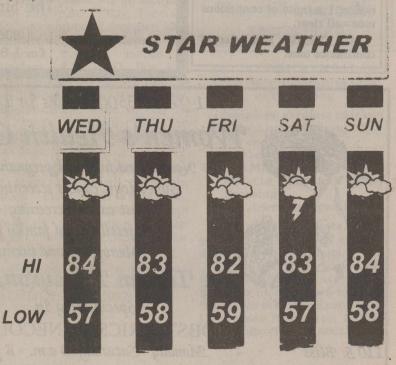
If you have any questions, please contact Michael Clawson, Sherman County Extension Agent, at (806) 396-2081.

To Be Closed

Tax Office

The Sherman County Tax Office located in the Courthouse will be closed on Thursday, June 19, from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. p.m. at the Sherman County to load on a new computer program that tracks our inventory. validation fee will be charged to We are sorry if this causes you any cover the cost of the ear tags, nose inconvenience. We will open at





Looking Ahead

Chamber Calendar

IMAGINATION STATION: MAIN STREET ART

4,5,18,19 Art in the Third Dimension (Sculpture)

5,12,19,26 Music to My Ears (Interactive with the Amarillo Symphony)

24-Dino Doin's (Field Trip_)

27-A Backyard Adventure! (Field Safari) June 30-July 3 Methodist Bible School

July 15-Southwest Passage (Hwy 54) Meeting

Aug. 4-"Stratford Night at the Dillas" game

Obituaries

James R. Johnson

Laura Ann Maples

James R. Johnson, 53, died Sunday, June 8, 1997.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Stewart, pastor, officiating. Burial was at Stratford Cemetery. Arrangements were by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mr. Johnson was born in Home. Hollis, Okla. He was a heavy equipment operator, for Sherman County for many years. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

December 22, 1964 at Stratford, was a homemaker. She was a

Tamara Seaton, both of Stratford; 10 years. his mother, Luella Johnson of Stratford; a sister, Nell Ingham of husband; two sons; James Řichard

be to the American Diabetes Louise Maples of San Antonio; 1 Association, 4242 Medical Drive, daughter, Carolyn Joyce and son-

Leona Mae Blazier

Dumas-Leona Mae Blazier-66, sisters. died Monday, June 9, 1997.

Wednesday, June 11th in First Pallbearers were grandsons and Baptist church with the Rev. Scott grandsons-in-laws. Willingham, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Dumas Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Ms. Blazier was born in He who laughs, lasts. Rapeljie, Mont., and was a former longtime Stratford resident. She had been a Moore County resident since 1977.

She retired from Monfort Inc. in 1993 after 14 year as a meat packer. She also worked for many years as a licensed beautician and nurse's aide. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

she was preceded in death by a son, Kenny Blazier in 1957.

Survivors include a son, Jerry E. Blazier of Brenham; three daughters, Terry Lee Stafford of Weatherford, Linda Gail Adams of Ponca City, Okla., and Debra Pendley of Dumas; three brothers, Robert Robuck Jr., Gilbert Robuck and Art Robuck, all of Montana; a sister, Betty Loberg of Mont.; Stanford, grandchildren; and 13 great grandchildren.

Family requests memorials be to Memorial Hospice, 224 E. 2nd Dumas, Texas 79029.

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Laura Ann Maples, 88, of Mineral Wells, Wednesday, June 4, 1997 at her

residence. Services were held on Friday, June 6 at 2:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Mineral Wells with Dr. Mark Bumpas officiating. Burial was in Woodlands Park by Baum-Carlock-Bumgardener Funeral

Mrs. Maples was born in Roby, TX on May 14, 1909. She married ember of First Baptist Church.

He married Lola Sanders, Mineral Wells for 23 years and seember 22 1964 at Stratford nurses aid when she lived at Survivors include his wife; two Pampa. She worked with predaughters, Deirdre Booth and school & nursery in Stratford for

She is survived by her Amarillo; and five grandchildren. and wife Mary Jo Maples of The family requests memorials Arlington and Tony Jack and wife Suite 7200, San Antonio, Texas in-law Durwood Ruegger of Hattisburg, Mississippi. She had eight grandchildren, fifteen great grandchildren, one brother Mac Carter of Dumas, TX and two

She was preceded in death by Services were held at 10 a.m. eight brothers and sisters.

-Mary Pettibone Poole

"The Boys Next Door" To Be Presented

The Guymon Community Theater will present The Boys Next Door on June 26, 27, 28 and 29. Performances begin at 8:00 p.m. except the Sunday matinee at 2:00 p.m. To make your reservations please call 405-338-0019 and leave a message, you will NOT receive a return call unless there is a conflict. Tickets are only five Arts Council.

Attention Junior & Senior High Band Members

appreciation program with members of the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra on Thursdays in June from 5:30 - 7 p.m at The Imagination Station. Check the Main Street Art article for names of the musicians and section of the orchestra. Registration is \$5.00 each week, and scholarships are available to cover the costs. Please call 396-2380 or register before each presentation. Meet professional musicians in Stratford as they share their knowledge and enthusiasm for music!

Girl Scout Day Camp July 14-18

Stratford Girl Scout Day Camp for all girls ages 5 to 17 will be held on July 14-18. This five day program will explore the worlds of Girl Scouting: out-of-doors, arts, people, well-being and today and tomorrow. Director Marietta Coomb will be asking for volunteer adult help to share skills, ideas and activities with all interested girls. Registered Girl may use cookie camperships from Yucca Girl Scout Council to pay for the camp and girls not currently registered as Girl Scouts can register.

Plan on a fun week in the outof-doors learning new skills and earning Girl Scout Try-Its, Badges or Interest Projects. Please call 396-2039 for a registration form or information.

FATHER'S DAY SPECIAL

June 15th

Barbecue At Noon

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Great Turnout "Splash Day"

The Memorial Day "Splash Day" had a great turnout for the Stratford Country Club. The morning started with a Junior Golf Scramble. The first place team included: Cliff Moore, Corey Naugle, Skyler Walden, Scott McAlister, and Billy Marshall. Second place team members were Lynz Browning, Joy Burkhalter, Nick Ashley, and Aaron Rhoades. dollars. This production is made 'The afternoon saw 66 participants possible through the Oklahoma in the Adult Scramble. The first place adult team was: Duane Pittman, Jon Engelbrecht, Will

Allen, Richard Ragsdale, Harold Oquin, and Judy Oquin. The second place position went to Mark Metzger, Brent Spurlock, Laura Spurlock, Lee Tarver,
Lance Brooks, and Ronnie
Come and share a music Brooks. The third place team consisted of B.A. Donelson, Jim Taliaferro, Bill Riffe, Kathy Riffe, Valerie McAlister and Chris Riffe.



Whales are born tail first. When giving birth, mother whales are often helped by other whales.

It is easier to stay out than -Mark Twain

Spearman Heritage Days

The annual Spearman Heritage Days will be held this weekend. Events include a main Street Craft Fair, Antique Car Show and Shine, Retail Sidewalk Sales, activity booths/games, as well as a week-long carnival and community activities. The Oldtimers' Reunion will be held Saturday at 1:00 p.m. at the Stationmaster's House Museum.

Stratford will have entires in the parade which will begin at 3:00 p.m., followed at 5:00 p.m. by a barbecue and live entertainment. The High Country Rodeo and a family dance featuring the "Regulators" will be held Saturday

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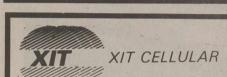
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Timi's By Timi Brown

merry or carefree when we wish at the Community Center. There readers a happy day this morning bedsteads.

There metal and iron here we wish are some metal and iron here because our friends - the family of bedsteads. James Johnson are mourning the loss of James by death. When his & Lynn Wells hosted an ice cream mother, Luella spoke to us of his "supper" Friday night at the death spoke to us of his death she Center. Special guests were Randy said that he was called to eternal and Lisa Irlbeck of Rome, Italy. life by congestive heart failure. They arrived Wednesday and left That she is thankful there was no Monday for Dallas before they left morning. Program ideas were received for next year's meetings. long period of terrible suffering Wednesday. for him. Bless you, friend for comforting us, as we tried to & Marihoward Engelbrecht with comfort you - due to the fact that grandchildren Eric & Alex Riffe, we have experienced the death of Holly Hussman, Megan, Aaron, a child. And so, we do wish our Jason Roberts.

Marinoward Engelorecht with Interaction, Topogram chairman; Margaret Reed, who is co-chairman for 1998 TFWC

who is 95 years young.

Robert Meek, Odessa visited with Baskin Brown while buying driver Lynn Wells were in meat for his mother. He said that Amarillo Thursday and from Scotters.

Director Jack and Vicki Gore better. spent the weekend in Houston, They also celebrated their order. wedding anniversary with their children while there.

Betty Lee and Patty, Jim Brown are in Amarillo today. Betty has a doctor's appointment concerning her back trouble.

Shirley Plunk was glad to be in church services Sunday. She is at home in Stratford while recovering from her car accident.

We enjoyed services at First Baptist Church in Stratford yesterday. Shut in members were given a glimpse of the successful Vacation Bible School held last week. We were informed again of the need of financial support to place the Jesus Video in each home in Sherman County.

Welcome to Stratford to little Stone Tarver who arrived Monday, June 2 to live with Carolyn, Lee and Deidre Tarver. This welcome is from your great great aunt by marriage Timmie Baskin Brown.

Hopefully the day will become brighter and Senior Citizens can be out of the house. Let us be sure to encourage our peers with shoulder pats and luv. We are all needy this week.

9th Annual Shine & Show To Be Held Saturday, June 14th

The Hansford Showtime Car Club of Spearman, Texas, will be hosting their ninth annual Shine and Show on Saturday, June 14, 1997, on the Hansford County Courthouse parking lot in Spearman. The show will begin at 10:00 a.m. and last until 4:00 p.m.

Scheduled activities include Pokey's pulling trucks, sale board, games and fun in general. Entry fee is \$5.00 per vehicle. There is no pre-registration and all types of vehicles are invited. All show registered vehicles will receive free dash plaques and goodie bags. All proceeds will benefit Spearman Volunteer Spearman Department.

The shine and show is being held in conjunction with the Heritage Spearman Activities for the entire family will be held throughout the day. Come join us for a day of fun on Saturday, June 14. For more information call Sam at 659-3019, Bruce at 659-5410 or Terry at 659-



Hares are most active in the spring. Their excited actions suggested the phrase "as mad as a March hare.'

A good listener is not only popular everywhere, but after a while he gets to know something.

-Wilson Mizner

Kerrick News By Marylou McDaniel

New items came in late at last breeders swine of the U.S. Happy Day to you, Sherman Saturday's Community Garage County Old Timers and Readers Sale, so it will be open again this this very gloomy Mon. a.m. - June Saturday, June 14, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.,

Others present included Ron

Congratulations to Jimmie and Virgie Mathews, Dr. Gary Alfred Pronger on 50th Wedding mathews, Bill Boren, Roy & Ciccy Anniversary and to Opal Bryant, Harris, Bill & Donna Gillenwaters, Marylou McDaniel.

Hank & Mabel Rogers with for an Garnet suffers all the time from appointment with Hank's doctor. rheumatoid arthritis. Prayers and All his tests were clear! He is now blessings Garnet, both personally on medication to help relax his esophagus and is slowly doing

Jo June McDaniel has been in where they attended the therapy at Dumas Hospital. She graduation exercises of son-in-law really needs another week to get who received a Doctors degree. her knee back in full working

> Donna & Bill Gillenwaters were down to see her Sunday.

James, Hampton & Parker Wells left June 3 and returned noon Sunday from World Pork Expo at Indianapolis. They took eight landrace and one York breeding swine. This meeting is for the top

Study Club

Members of Prospectus Study Club attended a Summer Workshop held at Federation Clubhouse in Amarillo Saturday

Making the trip were Marylou McDaniel, Prospectus president: peers a happy day.

Also Terry & Barbara

As for a calendar for the next Schoonover, Trisha Schoonover

week - we suggest that each with Reed & Rett, R.J. & Mary

person make his/her own.

Also Terry & Barbara

D'Lynn Reed, Top of Texas

District President-Elect; and

ViAnn Reed, club Texas Heritage coordinator.



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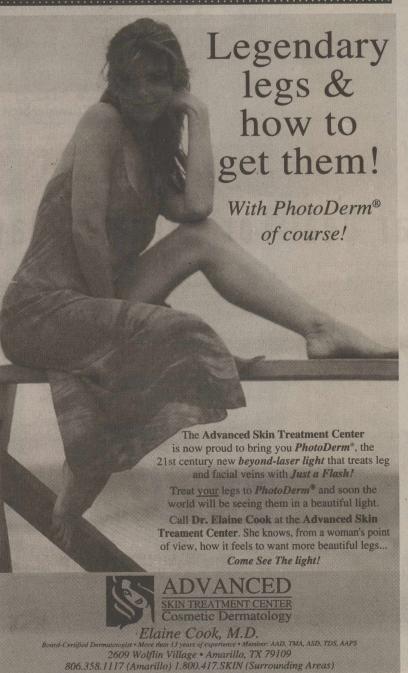
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Scot News By Jack Gore

Last week's Bingo game was reported that a good time was had by everyone even though I wasn't there I enjoyed a few days of in Houston. Game night will be this Friday, come and bring a friend that likes to play dominoes or other games.

Dorothy will be making the rounds to see a lot of Scotters about updating the history information. PLEASE HELP!!! When she comes around to see

Trip to Dodge City is in the making. Several have signed up and I will be setting a date later.



When fully ripe and ready for eating, tomatoes should be slightly

Strange, when you come to think of it, that of all the countless folks who have lived before our time on this planet, not one is known in history or in legend as having died of laughter. —Sir Max Beerbohm

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Dr. Syd Carnes - Interim Pastor

5th & Main Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am Morning Worship 10:45 am **Evening Worship 6:00 pm** Wed., Adult Choir 8:00 pm

First United Methodist

Rev. Mark Metzger 520 N. Main

Sunday School 9:40 am Morning Worship 10:50 am Junior High UMY 5:30 pm Senior High UMY 6:00 pm 5:00 pm Cable Ch. 3 for **Morning Worship Service**

St. Joseph Catholic **Rev. David Contreras**

6th & Wall Rectory - 5687, Parish Hall - 2298 No Saturday Mass

Sunday English Mass 9:00 am Sunday CCD 10:00 - 11:00 am CYO - Wed. 7:00-8:00 Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 am

Church of Christ

Jon Heatwole N. 3rd & Chestnut Sunday School 10:00 am Morning Worship 11:00 am Evening Worship 6:00 pm : Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

Calvary Baptist Gerald Clark

302 S. Main Morning Worship 10:30 am Children's Active Learning 10:30 a.m. **Evening Worship 6:00 pm** Wed. Bible Study & Fellowship 7:30 pm

First Baptist Bro. Jerry Stewart

702 N. 3rd Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:50 am Church Training 6:00 pm **Evening Worship 7:00 pm** Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Pastor Roberto Frescas County Barn Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.

Miercoles (Wednesday) Estudio Biblico & Servicio De Oraction 6:00 pm Servicio De Adoration 6:00 pm Se Cuidamos Susninos Durante El Servicio.



Engagement Announced

Herman and Dolores Montoya of Dumas, announce the engagement of their daughter Angela Dianne to Anthony Joseph Navarette. He is the son of Patricia and Ralph Aragon of Dumas and Armando Navarrette, Jr. of Albuquerque. Angela is the granddaughter of Nick and Lala Montoya. The couple plan a July 19, 1997 wedding at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Dumas. Angela is employed by Monfort, Inc. as an Accounting Supervisor. Anthony is employed by Monfort, Inc. as a Freezer Manifestor/EMT. He is currently attending Paramedic classes through Amarillo College.

Births

Tarver are very excited to

Lee, Carolyn and Deidre Lee

Grandparents are Bill & Katie

National HIV **Testing Day**

of announce the arrival of their son Planned Parenthood Texas and brother, Stone Waugh Tarver. Amarillo and the Panhandle is participating in born June 2, 1997 at 6:57 a.m. He National HIV Testing Day, Friday, weighed 6 lbs. 8 1/2 oz and was 19 June 27th, by offering free HIV testing. National HIV Testing Day 1/2 inches long. is sponsored by the Association of Allen of Stratford and Betty People with AIDS, and was Tarver of Cotulla, Texas. established to encourage people to get tested so they may:

*benefit from early detection if they test positive.

* to begin or continue behavior modification to prevent infection if they test negative.

"If you have ever thought you may have been exposed to HIV, the virus which causes AIDS, this is a wonderful opportunity to put your mind at ease---no matter what the test result." States Michael Timcisko, HIV Specialist at Planned Parenthood. "A positive test result does not mean that you will necessarily develop AIDS. It does mean, you should seek medical advice for the protection of your immune system. There are numerous new drug treatments on the market today, which make the virus virtually undetectable in the bloodstream. There are many people living normal lives with HIV infection.

"While a negative test results is good news to most, that result will be short lived if you continue to practice risky behavior. Such as sex without a condom, multiple sex partners, or injection drug use. The only way to prevent HIV infection is to make the necessary lifestyle changes to protect yourself and your loved one. Regardless of the test result, you should follow safer sex guidelines."

Free testing will be available at most Planned Parenthood Clinics throughout the Panhandle. In the Amarillo area you may walk in and be tested at the Downtown Clinic, 1501 S. Taylor---372-8731, the West Amarillo Clinic, 2300 Bell St. Suite 15--358-8499, and the Canyon Clinic, 1410 4th Ave.---655-0342.

Other Panhandle residents may take advantage of the free HIV testing at other Planned Parenthood Clinics in Canadian, Childress, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Dumas, Hereford, Memphis, Pampa, and Wellington. For more information call the Planned Parenthood Clinic nearest you.

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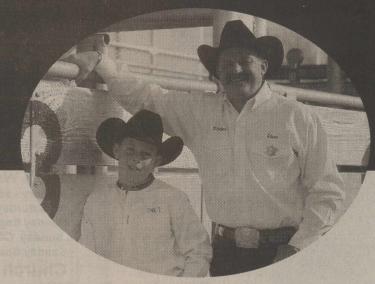
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Thurs. June 12 TB - Goldsox VS. Rangers 5:15 p.m. CP - Bears VS. Packers

6:30 p.m. LL - Indians VS. Braves 7:45 p.m.

Friday, June 13 TB - Astros VS. Goldsox 5:15 p.m.

CP - Eagles VS. Packers 6:30 p.m. LL - Giants VS. Indians

7:45 p.m., Monday, June 16 TB - Rangers VS. Longhorns

5:15 p'.m. CP - Yankees VS. Packers

6:30 p.m. LL - Braves VS. Giants

7:45 p.m. Tuesday, June 17

TB - Astros VS. Rangers 5:15 p.m.

CP - Bears VS. Packers 6:30 p.m.

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some wedding gowns, can

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from special with a reputable dry-cleaner to discuss the possible options. occasions provide a sense of continuity and richness to our lives. Rites of passage, in garments can be hand or machine particular, are often characterized washed satisfactorily at home. by special clothing or textile items. Christening gowns or country-style wedding gowns in cotton, linen or synthetic blend fabrics can often

Wedding gowns or christening gowns, for example, may be worn by subsequent generations or members of the same generation. Proper care and storage of textile heirlooms can prolong their longevity in family traditions.

special treatments or procedures guarantee pieces. Laundering can remove against textile deterioration or damage. A few simple precautions based stains. can help limit deterioration and maintain the textile for future use. necessary for specific types of Whether the expected storage stains. Be certain to rinse fabrics period is long or short term, thoroughly and do not starch if the following item will be stored. Chlorine consider (Note: bleach should be avoided. It can recommendations. Examples refer to wedding or damage fabrics and, if not christening gowns; however, thoroughly rinsed out, can cause recommendations generally apply continued deterioration over time. to other clothing and textile If bleaching is necessary, oxygen

*Cleaning-After wearing for an followed by thorough rinsing. event, the garment should be cleaned within several days or to use for a wedding or a weeks at the most. The longer soil christening, or to clean after use, and stains remain, the more do so with special care. Take them difficult they are to remove.

Many individuals quickly experience with historic textile examine a garment and seeing no obvious stains, believe no soiling has occurred; therefore, cleaning such as christening gowns and is unnecessary.

Over time, colorless soil and sometimes be hand-laundered at stains can age and discolor, as well home. This can be done using as damage fabric. Soil and grit delicate fabrics and washing the textiles. Food stairs textiles. Food stains can discolor garment (s) flat in the bathroom fabrics and attract insects. Sugar tub. stains, as might be found in soda or alcoholic beverages, dry clear supported by a fiberglass screen but over time turn brown and are underneath. Use it to lift the wet difficult to remove. Perspiration fabric from the tub. Fiberglass stains and body oils in fabric can screens are available from oxidize, turn yellow, and cause hardware stores. Wash the screen and first in soap and water to remove permanent damage deterioration.

*Drycleaning-Most wedding fabric. Excessive heat and gowns and some christening gowns require dry cleaning, especially garments made from silk, acetate, rayon or wool. Dry-cleaning removes oil-based stains including greasy foods, body oils, make-up and general soil that might collect at the hem of wedding gowns.

Dry-cleaning solvents alone do not remove water-and sugar-based stains. Be certain to tell dry cleaners about these stains, both type and location, so they can be pre-treated with appropriate

Tell the dry-cleaner that you want a fresh or filtered solvent. Soil from dirty solvent can redeposit on garments, especially light-colored fabrics.

Some dry-cleaners offer special treatments to kill fungi or bacteria. These treatments are not only unnecessary and more expensive, but may not be safe for humans wearing the garments in the future. Standard dry-cleaning solvents generally kill fungi and most bacteria without harm to

Occasionally, wedding gowns include recommendations to send the garment away for special cleaning. Before doing so, check

with your local dry-cleaner. The procedure may be both expensive and unnecessary. Some drycleaners offer processing that does not involve tumbling the garment. This would be a consideration for historic garments. Always work

Reducing Your Risk Of Cancer

(NAPS)—Cancer is a preventable disease according to a recent-Health. The report notes that nearly two-thirds of cancer deaths in the United States can be attributed to tobacco use, diet, obesity and lack of exercise.



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· Exercise regularly.

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 Avoid all tobacco products. · If you drink alcohol, limit con-

sumption to a moderate level. Taking these steps can have a positive impact on your health and an amulet was a good cure for a cough.

reduce your cancer risk. For more information about the Cancer Research Foundation of America, call 1-800-227-CRFA or visit the CRFA Web site at http://www.preventcancer.org.

Pointers For Parents

Learning To Read Can Be Child's Play (NAPS)—With the right friends,

learning to read can be child's play. What better friend is there to teach children that reading is fun than that lovable, snuggable bear, Winnie the Pooh.

For more than 70 years, charming Pooh has been a trusted companion to generations of children through books and television. In Disney's Ready to Read with Pooh, a Disney Interactive CD-ROM, one of literature's most cherished characters takes today's children on an interactive, educational reading adventure via the computer.

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Disney's Ready to Read with Pooh CD-ROM, the debut release in Disney's Learning Series, is available on Windows 3.1, Windows 95 and Macintosh formats for about \$35 to \$40.

The wryneck is also called the snakebird because, when threatened, it thrusts its head and neck out of its nest and hisses.

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Norris On **President's List**

ly released report from Harvard
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The President's List recognizes students who received a 4.0 grade point average for work tackled during the past semester. The students who qualified for the list maintained top grades while handling a class load of at least 12 semester hours.

From Stratford was Katherine Norris, daughter of Larry and Verlie Norris.

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Graham Recognized Local Student Honored At SMU

Dallas-Sarah Kathryn Graham of Stratford was one of approximately 35 students at Southern Methodist University to be recognized on April 25 at the annual Awards Ceremony of speed, cream Domino Sugar SMU's School of Engineering and and Country Crock 1-2 min-Applied Science. Graham, a junior utes. Add egg and vanilla; mix majoring in computer science and well. Add flour, baking powmathematics, received the der and salt, beating following award: *Departmental speed until well mixed. mathematics, Award in Computer Science.

comprehensive university located in Dallas. It offers undergraduate degree programs in Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences, Meadows School of the browned around edges. Cool. Arts, Edwin L. Cox School of Business, and the School of Engineering and Applied Science. Graduate and professional programs are offered in these schools and in Perkins School of Theology and the School of Law.

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1 tsp vanilla

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Decorate with frosting. Makes about 4 dozen cookies.

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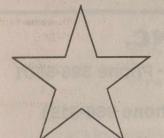
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The Lee Tarvers

We would like to say thanks to all the friends, neighbors & families that have helped us in any way in the past 3 weeks. The many phone calls, cards, visits, flowers, gifts & prayers all helped encourage Hank. We are thankful to say all the tests & biopsies came back negative. It will just take time to get back to normal strength.

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Superintendent office specifications.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Stratford Sales Tax Corporation will hold a public hearing on Thursday, June 19, 1997 at 10:00 a.m. at the Stratford City Hall. The hearing will address the commitment made by the Stratford Sales Tax Board to participate in the Taylor Building Project in the form of a loan to the Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. Comments will be heard in person at the public hearing on June 19, or by mail to Stratford Sales Corporation Board of Directors, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Texas 79084, no later than June 30, 1997.

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> **Stratford Independent School District Legal Notice**

Requests for proposals will be accepted at the Stratford Ind. School District Business office, 503 N. 8th Street, or mailed to P.O. Box 108, Stratford, TX 79084 until 2:00 p.m. Friday, June 27, 1997 for Cafeteria Equipment. Please contact the Business office for specifications. Any proposal received after that time and date will be returned unopened and not considered. Please mark your envelope as follows: Sealed Proposals. Proposals will be opened at 6:00 a.m. on June 30th, 1997. The district reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

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The Stratford Independent School District is accepting request for proposals for the following items:

Intercom and clock system work for the middle school, high school, Mary Allen Elem and Gymnasium.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING ON AN APPLICATION FOR A MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE TRANSFER STATION REGISTRATION

CITY OF STRATFORD, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Texas 79084 has applied to the Texas Natural District is accepting Commission (TNRCC) for a (Proposed Registration No. MSW40109) to Receptacles and wiring for the construct and operate a Type V-h school and middle school. TS municipal solid waste transfer The proposals will be accepted station. The proposed site until 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 27, and if appropriate and appropriate transfer solid waste transfer until 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 27, and if appropriate and appropriate transfer solid waste transfer until 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 27, and if appropriate and appropriate transfer until 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 27, and if appropriate transfer until 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 2:00 p.m., Friday, June 2:00 p.m., Friday, Frida

This application was received proposals will be opened at 6:00 on December 27, 1996 and will be subject to a technical evaluation We reserve the right to accept by the staff. Construction of the or reject any or all proposals. proposed facility may begin anytime after completion of the Please mark your envelopes, anytime after completion of the wiring proposals. Contact the completion of the technical completion of the technical evaluation and completion of the construction of the facility by the applicant, the Texas Natural Conservation Commission will authorize the facility to begin operation.

The TNRCC and the applicant will conduct an informal public meeting to discuss the proposed facility with the public and to receive and consider public comments on the proposed facility. The informal public meeting will be held at:

> 10:30 a.m.-Tuesday, July 1, 1997

Stratford City Hall-City Council Chambers 520 North Third Street-Stratford, Texas 79084

Information concerning the public meeting may be obtained by contacting Ann Scudday, telephone (512) 239-4756 or Charles Stavley, Municipal Solid Waste Permits Section, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas /8/11-308/, (512) 239-6688. telephone Information concerning the technical application may be obtained by contacting Michael Graeber, P.E., at the above address or telephone (512) 239-

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids or services such as interpreters for persons who are deaf or hearing impaired, readers, large print or braille are requested to contact Charles Stavley or Ann Scudday, Municipal Solid Waste Permits Section at (512) 239-6688 of 1-800-RELAY-TX (TDD) at least two (2) work days prior to the meeting so that the appropriate arrangements can be made.

Issued this 3rd day of June, 1997.

> Eugenia K. Brumm, Ph.D., Chief Clerk Texas Natural Resource **Conservation Commission**

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4 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves (about 1 1/2 lb.) cooked, cubed

1 cup red grapes 3/4 cup Miracle Whip® or MIRACLE WHIP LIGHT® Salad

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MIX all ingredients. Refrigerate several hours or overnight. Makes 4 servings.

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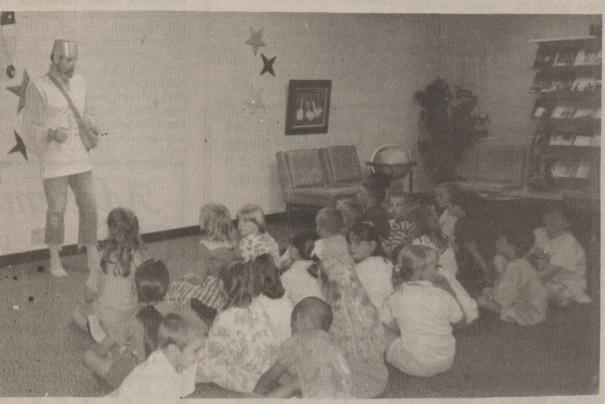
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"Incredible Johnny Appleseed" Comes To The Library

meeting was held on June 2nd. for June 9th. Sheriff Jack Haile Sixty-six children were present to brought his horse, saddle, and hear "The Incredible Johnny other related items that helped the to read or be-read-to at leas 15 librarian, from Killgore Memorial demonstrated how the cowboy hour and 45 minutes a week Appleseed." Library, Dumas, narrated the story used his rope in catching an reading. our young readers. He animal. appeared in historic costume. In cider vinegar played an important last an hour. part in the lives of the early

"The Incredible Horse and p.m. They will be there an hour, Summer Reading Club's first Rider" was the featured program also. Weaver, early day cowboy with his job. He minutes a day or spend at least 1

early days of our country, vinegar and 4th grades should be at the participates in one of the was often used as a cure-all. Apple library by 1:30 p.m. Activities will programs. The library is grateful

Those entering kindergarten need to be at the library by 3:00 enjoy reading.

We encourage our participants

First State Bank is providing Children entering 2nd, 3rd, swim passes for each time a child for this gift to our young readers.

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-The runway of the airport is terraced.

"Third Street is on the edge of town.

"The polka is more popular than disco or the

-Every sport is played on dirt.

-The flock of chickens in the south part of town occupies most of the discussion time at a town council meeting.

~The editor and publisher of the newspaper carries a camera at all times.

~You don't use your turn signal because everyone knows which direction you are going.

-You were born on June 13 and your family received gifts from the local merchants because you were the first baby of the New Year.

-You speak to each dog you pass by name, and he wags

~You dial the wrong number and talk for 15 minutes anyway.

-You're run off Main Street by a combine.

~You can't walk for exercise because every car that passes offers you a ride. ~You get married and the local paper devotes a quarter-

page story. ~You drive into a ditch five miles out of town and word

gets back before you do. "The biggest business in town sells farm machinery.

~A 55-year-old farmer is still referred to as Young

~You write a check on the wrong bank and it covers it for -Pickup trucks on Main Street outnumber cars 3 to 1.

"You miss a Sunday at church and receive get-well cards. ~Someone asks how you feel, then listens to what you have to say.

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