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Attention Powder Puff Players

Are you interested in playing on a powder puff football team? Please Contact Cheryl Galla at Lollipop to get your name on the list 806-366-5886.

VICTORY CAMP August 18th

4-H Achievement Banquet

Banquet will be Monday, August 20 at 7:00 p.m. at the County Exhibit Building in Stratford. All Sherman County 4-H members will be recognized for their project work and special awards be Rodeo Sept. 8 presented also. The highlight of the evening will be the and 9th announcement of the Sherman County Gold Star Winners and recognition of outstanding adult volunteers.

4-H Enrollment Night August 27 and 28

All Sherman County youth age 8 and enrolled in the 3rd grade through age 19 are invited to attend the annual 4-H Enrollment Night Monday, August 27 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the County Exhibit Building in Stratford. Texhoma area youth may enroll at the Enrollment Night scheduled for Tuesday, August 28th. For more information, contact Susie Spurlock at the Sherman County Extension Office at 366-2122,

Powder Puff Football Aug. 17th

Come join the fun as the women of Stratford strut their stuff and the men Cheer them on, at this year's Powder Puff Football Game. Kick off will be shortly after the Intra Squad scrimmage on Friday, August 17, 2001 at the Trinity Fellowship Dumas will football stadium. You still have be Sponsoring VICTORY CAMP time to vote for your favorite - Music, Skits, Puppets, Candy, Cheerleading Team. Remember Snacks, Gifts, and Fun. It will be you can see the Cheerleaders in held at Stratford Pendleton Park action during the game, with a on Saturday, August 18, 2001 at special performance at half time 8:00 p.m. Come Join The Fun. by each Cheerleading team. You by each Cheerleading team. You can do so at the following merchants: The General Store, Elk Pharmacy, Duckwalls, Rendon Headquarters, Betty's, Thriftway and First State Bank. Come have The 2001 4-H Achievement some fun, enjoy some great football action and support your local Daycare Center.

4th Annual Ranch

The 4th Annual Stratford Vincent Ranch Rodeo- will be at the accomplishments in her current again at the High school at 1:30 Stratford Rodeo Arena on Saturday, September 8, 2001 at her career with the Sherman 6:00 p.m. and on Sunday, County Development Committee crowned 2001 King & Queen. September 9, 2001 at 2:00 p.m. there will be a kids event: Calf Scramble at each performance.

stand benefitting the Angel Tree development and marketing Project.



Lorie Vincent

Vincent Certified By American Economic Development Council

Lorie Vincent, Executive Director of the High Ground of Texas, earned the designation of Certified Economic Developer (CED) at the May 5, 2001 administration of the exam in New York City.

With 10 years of economic the barbecue following. development experience, Ms. numerous has and previous positions. She began and is currently serving as the Executive Director of the High Ground of Texas. The High Vincent are co-chairmen of the There will be a a concession Ground is a regional economic event.

coalition that covers the northern 4-H Enrollment

State Champs Signs Are In

The State Championship signs to be placed on the outskirts of town are built. Painting of the signs will soon begin. We are hoping to have these signs up and ready for display as soon as possible.

Donations for these signs would be greatly appreciated. If you would like to make a cash donation to help with the cost of these signs, please contact Larita Butler at 366-5581 or go by City Hall

Donations would be greatly appreciated.

Old Timer Activities

2001 Old Timer activities hosted by GFWC/Prospectus Study Club begin at 9:30 a.m. with pre-registration and visiting at Stratford High School. The parade is slated for 11:00 a.m. and

Registration and visiting begins with the program at 2:00 p.m.

Bill & Selma Pendleton will be

Barbara Chumley and Patti Scramble and tee-time is 9 a.m.

4-H Achievement



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6th Annual Benefit Golf Tournament

Sherman County Circle of

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For more information contact at the Stratford Country Club on August 25-26. Pat Johnson 396-243, Kris Lasley-753-4421, Nelda Stacy 396-2238.

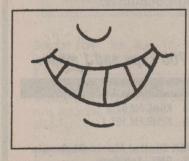
Entry Fee is \$120.00 per team.

Girl Scout Registration Night August 16th

Girl Scout Roller-skating Registration Night is on Thursday, August 16th from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.. at the County Barn in Stratford, TX. Refreshments will be served, bring your skates and scooters.

Brownie, Junior, Daisy, Cadette, Senior, Adult, Ages 5 and up.

For more information call: 1-800-546-2478 or leave message at 396-1043.



Lucy Hobbs Taylor was the first American woman to receive a degree in dentistry. She practiced from 1867 to 1907.

Sherman Co. Child Welfare Board To Report Suspected Child Abuse, Call Kathie Altman - 366-5611 Arlene Baker - 366-5318 Joyce Dodson - 366-5608 Patsy Harland - 827-7568 Jesse Resendes - 769-4454 Mike Talley - 366-2242 Michal Meyer - 827-7453

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There will be 20 Teams with a \$500.00 Entry Fee.

Admission is adult \$3.00 and child \$2.00.

Entry Deadline is Wednesday Committee, and is a director on August 15th. This is being the Panhandle Workforce sponsored by the Stratford Development Board. She is a Chamber of Commerce.

4-H Bake Show August 27th

The annual 4-H Better Bake pass Show will be Monday, August 27, 2001. Dropped cookies made from tests knowledge, proficiency, and scratch will be the competition judgement in all important areas baked good this year. Products of economic development. An should be entered no later than individual must have at least five 9:30 a.m. Monday at the County years of full-time professional Extension Office located in the activities, higher education, or Extension Office located in the activities, higher education, or Food and fun will be enjoyed The planning committee and 4-annex of the Sherman County accredited courses in economic by all who attend. All youth who H Council members will meet on Courthouse in Stratford.

The awards program will be the examination. held at 7:45 p.m. during the 4-H of the first year participants. The activities. Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

County 4-H Bake Show are Stratford Grain Company, Sunray Coop, Texhoma Wheatgrowers, elite group of CED's. Collingwood Grain-Stratford/Texhoma, West Texas Development Council is the Gas Company, and the Texas largest and oldest international Agricultural Extension Service.

Youth ages 9 or 8 years old and in the third grade through age 19 are encouraged to participate. Rules are available at the dedicated to the advancement of Sherman County Extension Office economic development through education the interchance of according to Susie Spurlock, County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences. Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability, or national origin.

What is defeat? Nothing but education, nothing but the first step to something better.

—Wendell Phillips

fifty-four counties in the State of Texas. In addition, Ms. Vincent Nights August serves on the Board of Directors of the Texas Economic Development Rural Advisory All Shormon Count

Educational

opportunities

member of the Leadership Texas Class of 1997.

CED The designation recognizes the professional economic developer and sets the Texhoma. standard for excellence within the profession economic of development. Candidates must a rigorous three-part certification examination which development to qualify to sit for

Certification maintenance is Enrollment Night activities. The required every three years and is top three winners will be achieved through participating in Extension Office. announced along with recognition education and other defined There are currently first place winner will represent more than 700 CED's throughout sponsored through the Texas Sherman County at the District I the United States and Canada. Cooperative Extension are open Bake Show to be held during the Historically, only 5% for the to all youth ages 8 years old and in applicants pass all parts of the the third grade through 19 years of Sponsors of the Sherman vinty 4-H Bake Show are vincent passed all parts on her level, race, color, sex, religion, first attempt and has joined this disability, or national origin.

> The American Economic economic development society, serving more than 2,800 economic development professional worldwide. The Council is dedicated to the advancement of education, the interchange of ideas and experience, and unified response to state and federal legislative issues that affect the community.

Banquet August 20th All Sherman County youth age Sherman County 4-H'ers will 8 and enrolled in the 3rd grade be recognized for their through age 19 are invited to accomplishments at the annual 4-attend one of two annual 4-H H Achievement Banquet to be Enrollment Night either Monday, held August 20th at the Sherman

August 27 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at County Exhibit Building. A the County Exhibit Building in highlight of the evening will be the Stratford or Tuesday, August 28 in announcement of the Gold Star Award, the highest honor given to Youth will learn of the variety a 4-H member.

of projects available through the The banquet will begin at 7:00 youth development program of p.m. with covered dish meal. The the Texas Agricultural Extension banquet is being coordinated by and how parents can become adult leaders, Brenda Johnson, involved also during the evening. Kristi Walden, and Cindy Russell. In addition, the Sherman County This group of leaders are being 4-H Bake Show Awards will be assisted by members of the presented Monday at 7:30 p.m. Sherman County 4-H Council.

Food and fun will be enjoyed plan to participate in the county 4-H program are reminded to come decorate for the banquet. For and complete an enrollment form more information, contact Susie at this time. For more information, Spurlock at the Sherman County contact the Sherman County Extension Office at 366-2122.

Stratford ISD Welcome Back To School **Hamburger Feed**

Thursday August 16 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. **High School** Cafeteria

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Stratford Centennial Jamboree

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Saturday, Sept.8 11:00 Parade (Prizes for Parade Entries) 12:00 Noon Free Barbecue Lions Club **Turtle Races and Games**

2:00 p.m. Old Timers Program Prospectus Study Club

6:00 p.m. Ranch Rodeo

Sunday, Sept 9 2:00 p.m. Ranch Rodeo Other activities are in the planning stage



Eva Jewell Holt Jones

Eva Jewell (Julie) Holt Jones, 71, of Amarillo, died Thursday, Aug. 9, 2001.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, August 11th in Texhoma United Methodist Church with Spence Moore, minister, officiating. Burial was in Texhoma Cemetery under the direction of Dawson-Welch Funeral Home of Texhoma, OK.

Mrs. Jones was born August 16, 1929, to Sherman and Mildred Holt in Rosebud, Arkansas.

She graduated from Texhoma High School in 1948 and attended nursing school in Amarillo, Texas. She was a member of the Grand Chapter of Texas Eastern Star. She married Garrett (Red) Jones in 1984.

Jewell was preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Colleen Burns and Georgia Lawrence; and a brother, Sherman Ross Holt.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Susie Boothby Clay Bible, written by Hope S. Warof Amarillo, Jamie Boothby shaw, a certified diabetes educator Trammell of Texhoma; one son, and registered dietitican, and Laddie Boothby of Canyon, TX; cookbook author Robyn Webb, is a one sister, Rela Sowersby of comprehensive food and nutrition Belton, TX; eight grandchildren, resource for people with diabetes. Sara Clay of Amarillo, Mitch, The book brings readers up to Brent, and Bethany Trammell of date on the latest advice for meal Texhoma, Heath Boothby of planning, carbohydrate counting, Arkansas, Jeremy vitamins, minerals and food Conway, Boothby of Canyon, Heather and preparation. Readers can learn Adam Boothby of Guymon, OK; about Nutrition Superstars-foods one great grandchild, Michaela such as avocados and wheat Boothby of Conway; several germ—that deliver a superior nieces and nephews.

The family suggests, in lieu of healthy food choices into meals. flowers, memorials be to the Texhoma Library, Texhoma 100 luscious recipes such as Chive Meals on Wheels, or the Khiva Corn Pudding, Fruit Shakes, Chi-Shrine Memorial Fund.

*** 'Tis not enough to help the feeble up, but to support him after. -William Shakespeare, **Timon of Athens**

Roy Douglas Harris

Stratford-Roy Douglas Harris, 81, of Lubbock and formerly of Stratford, died Thursday, Aug. 2, 2001 in Lubbock.

Memorial services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday, August 11, 2001 in the First Baptist Church of Stratford with the Rev. Jerry Stewart, Pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by White Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Mr. Harris was born May 23, 1920 in Kansas City, MO., to the late Charles Harris and Leonora Bibbee Harris. He was a lifetime resident of Stratford until moving to Lubbock in 1990.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Harris of Boise City, OK; three sons, Neil Harris of Canyon, Lanny Harris and Barry Harris, both of Lubbock, a brother, Herschell Harris of St. Simons Island, GA.; 11 grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

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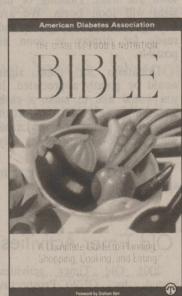
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Dear Editor:

Will this be the last Stratford Jamboree? Will it follow the color, sex, religion, disability or demise of the Fair? Out of the 33 national origin. cards send for the meeting on July 31, 10 people attended. Organizations represented, Depot Museum, SCOT, Chamber. We must be just too busy and don't want to be pressed to make a Maybe our commitment. community comes together enough to celebrate 4th of July, Jamaica, Sporting Events, Stock Show, etc. This event will not cease from lack of funds but lack enthusiastic volunteers. of Whatever, it has been a fun time and we have had some interesting p.m. and Bingo there at 7 p.m. activities. Keri Knight Treasurer Saturdays trip to "Texas" will be activities. Keri Knight, Treasurer and I are retiring from all this fun. Some of the others that have worked so hard to make the Jamboree successful have already retired. Perhaps there is someone who can motivate others. Let's make this the best. Parade with some really good floats from businesses and organizations, vintage cars and farm equipment, children's entries. The Lions Club needs at least a dozen volunteers to help serve the Barbecue which will be FREE. We have a volunteer for the turtle race so gather up those crawling turtles.

Please feel free to add interesting entries in the Parade. Call Stratford Chamber to enter you Parade entry for a Prize and to give an idea of the line up of the Parade.

> Gaynelle Riffe, Jamboree Chairman

> > Sign Up And

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Lunch 'N Learn To Meet Aug. 16

The Lunch 'N Learn Extension Education Club will meet on Thursday, August 16th at 12 noon in the educational room of the County Extension Office.

The program will "Additions-by Susie Spurlock, Sherman County Extension Agent.

Lunch will be served at a cost of \$4.00 per person. So that adequate arrangements can be made, members are asked to call the County Extension Office at 366-2122 by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 15th.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are opened to all residents regardless of socioeconomic level, race,



Last week's activities was game night Friday and musical on Saturday. Thanks to Mary Brannan and all those that helped for our 2nd annual musical Varsity Show. This week will be the birthday party on Thursday at 2 only if enough sign up by Thursday, August 16th. We need 10 or more to go.

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dreds of tips on ways to work such The book contains more than A new cookbook can serve as This sumptuous recipe for

with diabetes.

First Assembly of God

Grilled Chicken Breasts With Fruit Salsa Serving Size: about 4 ounces, **Total Servings: 4**

Fruit Salsa

- 2 cans (8 oz. each) crushed pineapple, packed in juice. drained
- 1 mango, peeled and cubed ¹/₂ papaya, peeled and cubed
- 2 Tbsp rice vinegar
- **1** Tbsp finely minced cilantro
- 1 Tbsp minced red pepper
- 2 whole chicken breasts, boned, skinned, halved (10 oz. meat each)
- 2 tsp olive oil Garnish: kiwi slices

1. In a medium bowl, combine salsa ingredients. Cover and refrigerate for 1 hour.

2. Preheat an oven broiler or outdoor grill. Brush the chicken breasts with the olive oil. Grill or broil the chicken about 7 minutes per side or until no pink remains.

3. To serve: Place fruit salsa on a plate using a few spoonfuls per person. Top with a cooked chicken breast. Garnish with

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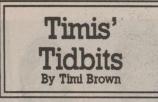
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Happy day to you Sherman County Old Timers, Reading It's Ice Cream Supper time! citizens this cooler 81 degrees Bring a freezer of ice cream or Monday, August 13, 2001.

Timi and Lorelyn are rejoicing for we were released out of our ICU campground Friday. It is so good to be at 811 N. 4th, Stratford, Texas so friends and family can Reunion was held Sunday, Aug. 12 come to see us.

On Tuesday, August 14, 2001 will start the 2001-2001 school year.

Timi hopes to be well and going places by Oct. 14, 2001 so she can be present at the school open house since she has been watching and admiring the work since the construction was started.

Congratulations to Phillip & Ruth Selby, Wilma & Ethel Marty on 50th Anniversary, Clevenger, Dalhart; Mary Olsen, Heather Stewart, Bridal Shower, Wayne Olsen, Jon & Mary Olsen, Cindy Cummings baby shower.

We are pleased to read out of Fe, NM; Ben Tom & Gayla James, the reporter of First Baptist Levi James, Trew, Cara & Allie Church that the services will be James, Jennifer & M'Lynn Wells, aired.

The grim reaper touched our Boise City; Mack Watts, Amarillo. friends and our community as well Brandi Wells returned last as Dalhart-we offer SCOT and week from a visit in Mississippi. personal prayer to the family of Kenna & Heath Colums have also Edna Ritter and to the families of been to Mississippi.

Roy Harris. With fall in the air we can hope Mabel Rogers Saturday and wish for cooler weather.

Amarillo. So in closing we hope our peers and friends will pat boys, Reed & Rett, spent four shoulders and spread luv u for luv nights at "Fred's Spread" near

still makes the world go round. Rye, CO. Dr. Gary Mathews and sister,

Marjory Munden went canoeing Sunday.

Kerrick

News

By Marylou McDaniel

It's Ice Cream Supper time!

something to go with it Friday,

7:00 p.m. to the Community

Center. Hosts are the Bill Gillenwaters and Ted Irlbecks.

biennial

at Kerrick Community Center.

Hosts were Ralph, Minnie, Ralph

James & Annette Hampton and

Blanche James, Boise City,

Mildred Crabtree, Amarillo; Don

& Martha Ellison, Parker Wells,

Charlie & Denton Crabtree,

Stratford; Paul & Ellen Rogers,

Buffalo, OK; Georgia Crabtree,

Oslo; Tom & Gwen Tiano, Santa

Kerrick; Lyman & Judy Potter,

Peggy Hawkins visited with

Brady, Trisha Schoonover and

In attendance were Frank &

Crabtree

The

Lynn Wells.

Nita Taylor & Buck Weaver attended the Boise City Cooperative Appreciation Dinner in Boise City on Aug. 7.

Bill & Donna Gillenwaters took grandchildren, Dasan & Jacy, home to Moreland, OK, after a week's visit.

Visiting with Ted & Joyce Irlbeck Thursday through Sunday was son Melvin of Dallas. Sister Belinda and Jim and Jason Roberts of Conlen came for a visit Saturday.

Marylou McDaniel came home Aug. 7 from seeing baseball games in Denver and enjoying cool weather at "Fred's Spread". She took off again Tuesday for the Braves and Florida Marlins games.

Mike McDaniel attended funeral services for Eva Jewell Jones, Texhoma, Saturday.

big patch before Stratford and 35 Elk coming across Dalhart firefighters got it out. This Springer. is the second time Schoonovers have had a fire in about the same

place! Bill & Pat Boren spent a

Kerry, Kelly, Kevin & Kole Carlisle, Ropesville, met the Borens in Amarillo Sunday to help

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couple of days last week in New Pat celebrate her birthday. They Mexico. They spent a night at enjoyed dinner and bowling. Platora. They saw a herd of about

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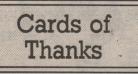
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Grinning

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Maybe a really great-look-ing person offers up a flirtatious beam. Maybe you're delighted about losing a few pounds or getting a new hairstyle. Or maybe you're smirking about a promotion, some inexpensive airline tickets or a new car.

Whatever the reason, smiling produces endorphins which work to make us feel even happier. And you have to admit, it's especially when yours looks fabulous

"A person who smiles when he or she walks into a room is thought to be confident, capable and well-adjusted," said Dr. Andrew Stewart, a psychologist. "And if you feel good about your smile, you're going to use it more often, which will consequently inspire positive feelings about yourself.

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It seems that cigarette smokers need to be extra careful. It looks like that is what started another fire from the highway about a mile southeast of Kerrick. Burned off a

enrollment. Scholarships and Discounts (580) 544-2200

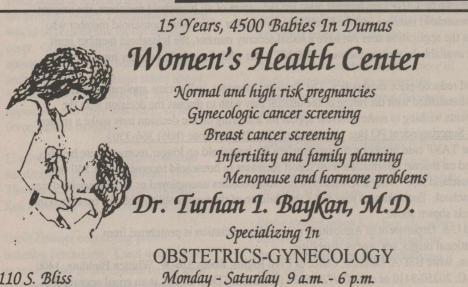
It's Back to School Time! Books are in hand... Tuition is paid . . . All you are lacking is an ATM or Check Card from First State Bank.

You may get an ATM card with any checking or savings account.

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Come in today and see Sherry Phelps or Cindy Larance or call 396-5521 for more information.





5th & Main Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am Morning Worship 10:45 am No Sunday Evening Worship 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 - Ev. worship - 7:00 p.m. St. Joseph Catholic

First Christian

Rev. Bob Sweeten

Father Darryl Birkenfeld

6th & Pearl Rectory - 366 - 5687 Sunday morning: 8:30a.m. (English), 10:30 a.m. (Spanish) Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before Mass. Christian Formation Classes: K-6th Grade, Sun. - 9:00 a.m.-10:15 Jr. & Sr. High, Wed. - 6:30-8:30 p.m **Church of Christ**

Mike Talley

N. 3rd & Chestnut Sunday School 9:30 am Morning Worship 10:30 am Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. **Calvary Baptist Stephen Schwenke**

302 S. Main - 806-376-4553 lv. message Sunday School - 10 a.m. Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. Wed. Service - 7:30 p.m. **First Baptist Bro. Jerry Stewart**

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

La Mision Bautista **Mision Bautista** 401 S. Wall 396-5376

Domingo-(Sunday) **Estuela Dominical 9:45 am**

Miercoles (Wednesday) Servicio De Adoration 11:00 am Servicio De Oraction 6:00 pm Servicio De Adoration 6:00 pm Susninos Durante El Servicio.

935-6599

Abundant Pardon

When Adam abandoned God, we did too. Is this fair? In athletics, when one player on a team commits an infraction, there is a penalty. The whole team suffers. Humanity is a team. When our forefather, Adam, did not play by the rules, the hole team suffered. We all lost. We show our membership on the losing team in many ways. We promise fidelity in marriage and think nothing of cheating. We like to the loss to cover mistakes. We pilfer pens pencils stranges totionany, whotever pilfer pens, pencils, stamps, stationary, whatever, from the office. We are petty thieves and robbers. We tell "white" lies, only the "good" kind. We need to return to the Lord. There is good reason to do so. Although we tend to be unforgiving and often vengeful, God is not like us. The way of God is the way of pardon and forgiveness. A teenage boy who pulls the trigger and kills his teacher suffers the penalty due for his crime. However, there is torgiveness in God. "Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return to the Lord, and He will have compassion on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon" (Isaiah 55:7) Jesus Christ died on a cross as a sacrifice for human sin. There is abundant pardon from God based on this sacrifice.

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Templo Hispano Eben-Ezer Pastor Roberto Frescas 205 N. Poplar - Hwy 287 Escuela Dominical 10 a.m. Serbicio De Adoracion 5 p.m. Meir Co Les Serv De Ador 5 p.m.

Kerrick Community Church

Pastor Roy Harris Community Building Sunday Morning - 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening-6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m. Wednesday

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Vows Exchanged

Ann Candler Wells of Dallas Maid of honor was Tara Fraser and Clinton David Vincent of of Dallas. Bridal attendants were Grand Prairie were married Carlee Colguin of San Antonio, Saturday, July 21, 2001 in the Kim Vinneman Cooper of Austin. Historic Little Church of La Villita Ashley Ibsen of southern France, at San Antonio. Officiating was Kelly King of San Antonio, and Rev. Don Somerville of Canyon Sarah Rodgers of Dallas. Lake.

Serving as best man was Will The bride is the daughter of Etheredge Borger. of Chip and Marsha Wells of Canyon Groomsmen were Connor Lake. Grandparents of the bride Vincent of Stratford, brother of were the late Rev. and Mrs. the groom, Brian Bickel of Joseph Candler Pickett and the Houston, Rhea Chumley of late Mr. & Mrs. Hoy N. Wells, Sr. Hereford, Kenton Odom of The groom is the son of Patti Austin, and Todd Wells of Vincent of Stratford and the late Scottsdale, AZ, brother of the Mike Vincent. Grandparents of bride. the groom are Harley and Daina

Starnes and Walter Vincent, all of Stratford, and the late Johnnie Vincent.



Yvonne Pittman, left, who helped first graders with thank you notes, shows some of them to Marsha Wright, GFWC/Prospectus Study Club President. A social time was enjoyed by club members Sept. 8th.

Prospectus Study Club News

of

Members

met at Sherman County Library, Aug. 8 at 4:30 p.m. just for a social time together. Marsha Wright, president, had some State awards Sanders, Joyce Hart, Mattie share, letters kindergarten, first and second Woodford graders.

Club presented kindergarten children with books, but did something different last spring for first and second grade students. First grade students went to the Amarillo Discovery Center. Their thank you letters were enjoyed by all

Yvonne Pittman, a former member, was welcomed back as an active member.

State awards are as follows: 1st, GFWC Education Dept., Special Projects; 1st, GFWC Public Affairs Safety, Youth Emphasis (safety helmets, sports flags, city park renovation); 1st, Public Relations; 1st, GFWC Fundraising & other fundraising; 2nd, TFWC Scorecard; Yearbook, Superior; 100% Subscriptions of Texas Clubwoman Magazine.

Yearbooks were distributed by Laurie Spurlock.

First regular meeting of the year will be Wed., Sept. 5, 4:30 p.m. at the Library. Coordinator of the Home Life Program is Margaret Reed. The Women's Awareness panel will have Dr. Perry Bassett, an area representative of Social Security, registered nurse discussing of what every woman needs to be aware to improve health. Members & Associates members are reminded that dues are due!

Refreshments of cookies and GFWC/Prospectus Study Club punch were served by the Social Committee, Shorty Albert, chairman.

> Others present were Liz from Baskin, Dorothy Haile, Mary Wisdom, Oline Caraway, Marylou McDaniel. Margaret Reed, Betty Brown, Ann Johnson, Linda Haynes, ViAnn



Kim Parsons was honored with a baby shower in the home of Nancy Kimball on Thursday, August 9, 2001. Shown from left, Lynda Cliston of Fritch, TX, Doris Parsons and Kim Parsons.

The first undersea federal park was the Key Largo Coral Reef Preserve. It was established in March of 1960.



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Greetings from the HEART OF CATTLE COUNTRY!

We are very happy to announce the purchase of TEXHOMA LIVESTOCK AUCTION, from Hickam Bros. Cattle Co. We want to continuc the Texhoma tradition of providing an auction market with excellent facilities plus marketing and the best care for your livestock.

Our new sale day is WEDNESDAY AT 11:00 A.M., beginning AUGUST 15, 2001. Feel free to call us anytime with your feedback and concerns in order that we may continue to be the leader in livestock marketing today. Our phone number is 580-423-7641.

We are excited about being able to offer a full-service auction market with an experienced staff ready to serve you. Please remember our new day and time and let us know how we can work for you.

CLAY MYERS-Owner-manager Phones: Home 580-426-2283 Cell: 580-651-7007

BRADY MEYER-Owner

TOMMY MITCHELL-Owner

DEAN THRASHER-Owner

JEANNIE COPE-Office manager

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Old Timer activities will be Sept. 8. Bill & Selma Pendleton are to be crowned King and Oucen.

Baby Shower Held

Ronni Nace Whatley and Brian Whatley were honored with a baby shower in the home of Leslie Reagan on Tuesday, August 7, 2001. Shown from left, April Whatley, Kenneth & Lavelle Whatley, Gina Ray Whatley, Ronni, Brian, and Tanya Whatley.

Stratford Independent School District has announced its policy for providing free and reduced-price meals for children served under the National School Lunch program and/ or School Breakfast Program. The cafeteria has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced-price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Foster children who are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Eligibility for the foster child is based on the child's income.

FAMILY	ANN	UALLY	MON	THLY	WEEKLY		
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5	26,871	38,240	2,240	3,187	517	736	
6	30,797	43,827	2,567	3,653	593	843	
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Application forms are being distributed to all households with a letter informing households of the availability of the free and reduced-price meals for their children. Applications also are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply for free and reduced-price meals, households must fill out the application and return it to the school. Applications may be submitted anytime during the school year. The information households provide on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and verification of data. Applications may be verified by the school officials at any time during the school year.

For school officials to determine eligibility for free and reduced-price benefits, households receiving food stamps or TANF only have to list their child's name and food stamp or TANF case number. An adult household member must sign the application.

Households that do not list a food stamp or TANF case number must list the names of all household members, the amount and source of the income received by each household member and the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. If the adult who signs the application does not have a social security number, the household member must indicate that a social security number is not available by writing the word "NONE". An adult household member must sign the application.

Under the provisions of the free and reduced-price meal policy, The Business Manager will review application and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the reviewing official on an informal basis. Parents wishing to make a formal appeal for a hearing on the decision may make a request either orally or in writing to Jim Taliaferro, Superintendent PO Box 108 Stratford, TX 79084 Phone (806) 366-3303.

Households that list a food stamp or TANF case number must report when the household no longer receives these benefits. Other households approved for benefits based on income information must report increases in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below the levels shown above.

In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability.

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City Council Minutes

COUNCIL MINUTES JULY 12, 2001

Stratford City Council met in Regular Session Thursday, July 12, 2001 at 7:00 with Mayor David Brown presiding and the following council members present: Joe Zak, Craig Bell, Marcus Lavake, Blake Confer, and George Harding.

Also present were: LaRita Butler, Interim City Administrator; Jon King, City Attorney; Jim Dewees, Chief of Police; Daryl Salmon, Cemetery, Parks Director, Animal Control for the City of Stratford; Linda Spurlock, Max Stephenson, Connie Oquin, Sandy Baskin, Wayne Smith, Ken Forthman, Public Works Director; Carol Zimmer, Tina and Don Duke, Lorelyn Powers, Garold McDaniel, Bill Pendleton, Becky Asher, Johnny Mungia, Gaynelle Riffe.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

APPROVE MINUTES

Craig Bell motion to approve the minutes of the June 12, 2001 meeting with changes, Blake Confer seconded, all in favor, motion carried.

PRESENTATIONS TO THE COUNCIL

Linda Spurlock questioned to the council on what role does the Cemetery Board play.

Kristine Olsen arrived at 7:05 p.m.

Daryl Salmon was present to discuss and explain to the council the new cemetery map. Mayor Brown stated he has always considered the cemetery board as an advisory board. Linda Spurlock is asking for a liaison person from the council to attend the cemetery board meetings. Discussion took place concerning the cemetery. Craig Bell stated this would be a good time to ask the current board members if they are willing to continue to serve on the Cemetery Board. Item 4b on the agenda (discuss appointing new cemetery board members) was then moved up on the

McDaniel stated that one report was a preliminary report and the officer did advise that the report could be changed on advisory from the chief. Officer McDaniel briefed the council on the

discretion's being made. Discussion took place. Tina Duke questioned on how a non-attending officer could change a report. Jim Dewees stated that are certain rules to follow before the report is filed with the state otherwise the report would be returned back to the department for corrections. Tina Duke stated she is worried about her kids. Mayor Brown told Tina not to worry about her kids. Carol Zimmer is asking that the officers look at policies on ticketing and discrepancies.

Sandy Baskin was present to ask for Sherman County Library funding. The library is asking for an increase of \$600 from the current budgeted amount of \$1200 to \$1800. Council will take this into consideration when the budget process begins.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

Discuss Classic Cable Franchise Agreement, renewable December 2001. The consensus of the council is to have the same stipulations as the XIT Cable Franchise Agreement.

Consider awarding bids for the City surplus equipment. Craig Bell motioned to reject the bid on the 1978 Rescue Wagon and accept all other bids received, Blake Confer seconded, all in favor, motion carried. Bids received were as follows:

	1991 Chev. Lumina			Robert Young
,	1994 Crown Victoria			Shelby Burton
	1972 Chev Dump Tk.	\$	500.00	Robert Young
	1969 Nelson Loader	\$	150.00	Shelby Burton
	2-Army Trucks	\$	250.00	Ric Walton
	Single Axle Trailer	\$	60.00	JO Pulliam
	Single Axle Trailer	\$	200.00	Dorland Burton
	(500 gal tank)	19 N	Antonia Managar	With the second se
	1970 Ford 1/2 ton pu	\$	200.00	Dorland Burton
	1985 Chev Blazer	\$	1006.00	Ronny Englebrecht
	2 axle trailer flatbed	\$	25.00	Robert Young

Council adjourned into executive session

CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT

Jim Dewees stated he had no report at this time.

ITEMS FROM THE COUNCIL

Council questioned the status of the metal for the State Champion signs.

Ken Forthman stated he has contacted someone to blade the cliché/dirt roads and he will be here next week.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

COUNCIL MINUTES JULY 31, 2001

Stratford City Council met in Special Session Tuesday July 31, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor David Brown presiding and the following council members present: Craig Bell, George Harding, Joe Zak, Blake Confer, and Marcus Lavake.

Also present were: LaRita Butler, Interim City Administrator, Ken Forthman, Public Works Director, and Jim Dewees, Chief of Police.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

Council adjourned into executive session at 7:03 p.m. under Section 551.074 to discuss Personnel.

Council reconvened out of executive session at 7:12 p.m.

Mayor Brown and the council would like to thank Jim Dewees for the service he has given to the City of Stratford. Craig Bell motion to start accepting applications for the Chief of Police position, Joe Zak seconded, all in favor, motion carried. Jim Dewees will be retiring from the City of Stratford effective August 29, 2001.

Eddie Williams arrived at 7:15 p.m.

Council then held a budget workshop.

Meeting adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

Stratford, Texas



Stratford Independent School District Legal Notice

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

Blanket Building Insurance-Contents **General Liability Employee Benefit Liability Boiler & Machinery Policy Educators Legal Liability Inland Marine**

The proposals will be accepted until 2 p.m. Monday, October 1, 2001. Any request for proposals after this date will not be accepted. The proposals may be mailed to Stratford ISD, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084 or faxed to 806-366-3304, or delivered to the Office of the Superintendent at 503 N. Eighth Street, Stratford, Texas. The request for proposals will be opened on Monday, October 1, 2001 at 2:00 p.m. Specifications may be obtained from the Superintendent's Office. We reserve the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Stratford Notice of the Independent School District budget hearing. In accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on the proposed 2001-2002 budget for the Stratford Independent School District on August 30, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. The hearing will be held in the Homemaking Building of the Stratford School, 503 N. 8th Stratford, Texas.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SHERMAN

To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of FLORENCE LEE CLUCK, Deceased, No. 2,033 in the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, **Probate Matter:**

The undersigned having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of FLORENCE LEE CLUCK, Deceased, by the Judge of the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, on the 6th day of August, 2001, hereby notifies all persons indebted to this Estate to come forward and to make settlement, and those having claims against this Estate to present them to the Executor within the time prescribed by law, at the following address:

Michael Baker 1903 Chisholm Guymon, OK 73942

BAKER, MICHAEL Independent Executor of the Estate of FLORENCE LEE CLUCK, Deceased.

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BID NOTICE

The Sherman County Sheriff's office is taking bids on a new patrol vehicle. Anyone interested in submitting bids may pick up specifications at the Sherman County Sheriff's Office or call 1-806-366-5551.

Sealed bids will be opened at County Commissioners Court on Sept. 10, 2001.

Jack Haile Sherman County Sheriff

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agenda. New appointees are Becky Asher (1 year term), Wayne Smith (2 year term), Jim Johnson (2 year term), Ann Johnson (2 year term), and Linda Spurlock (1 year term). Joe Zak then volunteered to be the liaison for the City of Stratford and attend the Cemetery Board meetings. Craig Bell motioned to approve the nominations to the Cemetery Board, George Harding seconded, all in favor, motion carried. BA Donelson arrived at 7:40 p.m.

BA Donelson was present to discuss the Mobile Home Park. BA questioned the council as to why they are not interested in putting in the Mobile Home Park. Joe Zak stated that is wasn't that the city is not interested but the city does not want to go into property management. Cost of the Mobile Home Park was discussed. There is a law that does allow city's to become housing authorities. BA Donelson then asked the council to reconsider this issue. Kristine Olsen offered to look into grants for this project.

PUBLIC HEARING: Block 66 Lots 16-20 Original Town. Public hearing began at 7:56 p.m. Gaynelle Riffe and Craig Bell questioned the distance from the curb to the fence on the East Side of the lot. No one else was present to protest the placement of the chain link fence. Council set stipulations and the stipulations being as follows: the city has a main sewer line down the center of the 200 Block of North Wall and if the city ever needed to repair this line and use equipment to repair/replace this line the fence could be affected and damaged, the property owner, First Baptist Church, would be responsible for the damage costs. George Harding motioned to approve the variance, Marcus Lavake seconded with stipulations stated above, Mayor Brown then asked for any opposition and there was none, all in favor, motion carried.

Lorelyn Powers was present to discuss handicapped ramps at Pendleton Park. There are currently no ramps available. Ken Forthman will get this taken care of.

Carol Zimmer concerning police ticketing procedures. Carol questioned as to why two police reports on the same accident were not the same. Garold

at 9:09 p.m., under section 551.074 and section 551.071 to discuss utility billing clerk and Interim City administrator, and pending litigation.

Council reconvened out of executive session at 10:36 p.m. with no action taken.

Craig Bell motioned to approve the George Harding bill. Blake Confer seconded, all in favor, motion carried with George Harding abstaining.

Craig Bell motioned to approve all other bills, Joe Zak seconded, all in favor, motion carried.

Marcus Lavake motioned to approve the financial statement, George Harding seconded, all in favor, motion carried.

INTERIM CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

LaRita Butler reported on the 1st Street Lift Station. LaRita has contacted a millwrights company to look at the work that needs to be done and will be submitting an estimate for repairs.

LaRita then asked the council to set a date for the 2001/2002 Budget workshop. Budget workshop will be July 30, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.

PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Ken Forthman reported that a Bobcat for cleaning the city's sludge pits has been leased. The Water Looping project is set to begin September 1, 2001. The recycling baler is broke again.

Ken then showed the council a piece of rusted water pipe. Ken wanted the council to be aware of what the city's water lines look like.

LaRita Butler asked the council if anyone was interested in attending the TML quarterly meeting in Amarillo July 26, 2001 at 6:30 p.m.

Blake Confer asked Ken how the safety meetings were going. Ken stated the employees have had one meeting and it went well.

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(Rev. 4-00/1) **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE**

The Stratford Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 7:00 PM, August 30, 2001 in Homemaking Room, 503 N Eighth

. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the

school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

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The Interest & Simking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equip The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay these bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with	Last Year's Levy on	Average Residence		
	Last Year	This Year		
Average Market Value of Residences	\$ 31,300	\$ 31,400		
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$ 16,300	\$ 16,400		
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$ 1.279	\$ 1.240		
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$ 208.47	\$ 203.36		
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes		\$ (5.11)		

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is <u>1.24161</u>. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate 1.24161 in excess of the rollback rate of _____

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s) \$ 985,000 Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s) \$ 2,509 Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)

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Ex-Students Class of 1961 - Standing (I-r): Kay Caraway Dyess, Linda Brewster Hart, Ruth Naylor Anuszkeiwiczm, Alta Adams Anderson, Barbara Lavake Hite, Elaine Spurlock Jordan, Kay Webb Harris, Kay Spurlock Fuqua. Seated (I-r): Bill Steinberger, Gary Mathews, Dennis Phelps, Mac McCormac, Bill Stone. Attending on Friday, Joanne Roper Fairbanks.



Class of 1981 - Back row from left: Duane Springfield, Tammy Bilbrey Currie, Carrie Riffe Smith, Billie Harrison Osborne, Frank Dietrich, Susan (Fesler) & Tom Guthrie, Darryl White, David Davis, Jill Pronger Killian, Soren Gibson, Matt Cable, Terry Young Kelling. Middle row (I-r): Ron Pulliam, Roger Allen, Becky Knight Raymond, Bevilyn Avent Wright, Susan Stokes Lee. Front row (I-r): Lee Riffe, Marcy Burleson Tow, Emily McReynolds Tinsley, Valerie Engelbrecht, Deide Aduddell Zieman, Annette Hampton. In attendance on Friday - Kim Clements McCracken, John Ewers, D'Aun Oquin Divine, Joe Zak, Tim Zaricor, Phillip Keener, **Blair Frizzell.**

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The art of being wise is the art of knowing what to overlook. -William James

Ushering guests were Adrian Aguilera of Amarillo and Eric Mclarty of Lubbock.

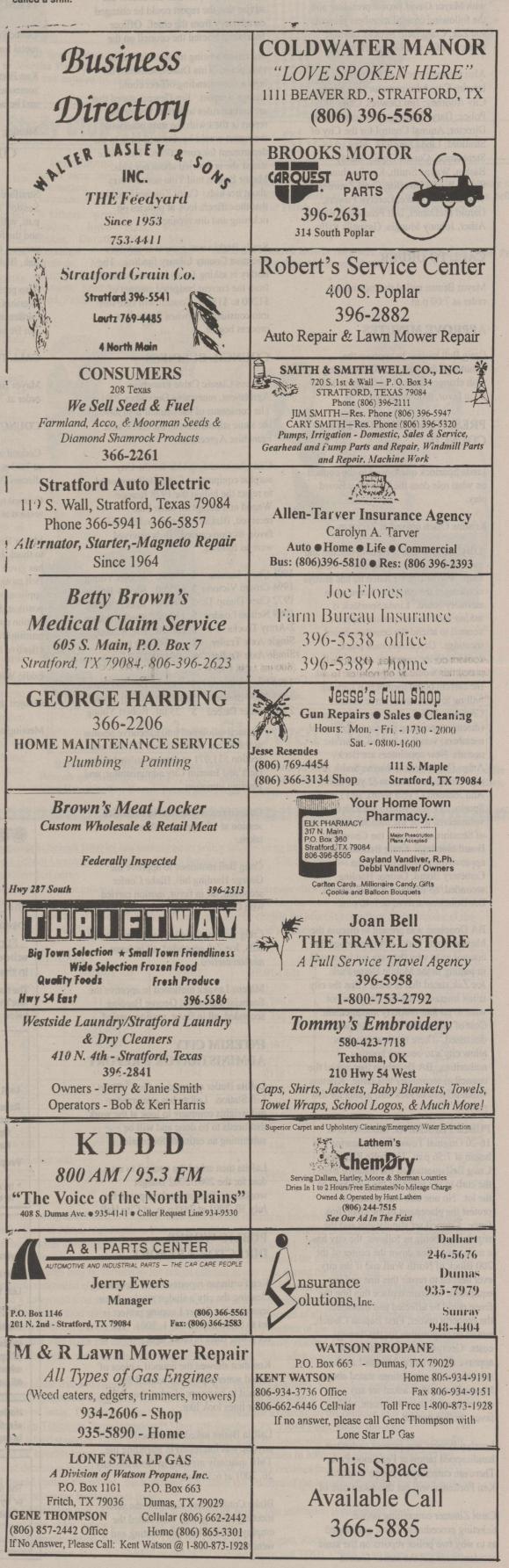
Flower girl was Mazie Vincent of Stratford, cousin of the groom.





A man used as a decoy or an employee who stands in line to and walks in without paying is called a shill.

In the Cherokee tradition, the color red is associated with the east



make the box office look busy and success. Blue is associated with the north and trouble.

Check Out These Web Sites:

Here are a few Web sites you may want to watch: The American Heart Association Food Certification Program at www.americanheart.org. Georgia-Pacific Health Smart Insitute at www.gphealthsmart.com. Enslow Publishers, Inc. at www.Enslow.com. Kampgrounds of America at www.koa.com. The Steel Alliance at www.TheNewSteel.com. Linens 'n Things at www.linensnthings.com. Team Prostatonin at www.teampros.com. IBM at www.IBM.com. InfoComm Development Authority of Singapore at www.ida.gov.sg.

Children's Health Alert

Obesity or just baby fat? What every parent should know about diet and exercise

Dr. John Hellerstedt, MD, FAAP

bout 25-to-30 percent of school-age children in the U.S. are overweight or obese, putting them at risk for disease and low self-esteem. Although rapid growth and weight gain are part of adolescence, many children and teens become overweight because they consume too many calories and don't exercise enough.

Your child's doctor can determine if your child is above the ideal 'weight for her height and age. If the problem is only moderate, better eating habits, lower fat intake, and increased exercise are likely the key. If a child is more than 40 percent overweight, a doctor-guided -weight-loss program may be suggested.

Children are developing both physically and mentally, and they need adequate nutrition to grow. Just as too many calories can cause obesity and the health problems that accompany it, a diet with too few calories can have unhealthy consequences as well. Work with your doctor to establish a nutrition and fitness regimen to help your child achieve a healthy level of body fat.

The Children's Health Alert is presented as a public service by this newspaper and the TexCare Partnership: connecting Texas families with children's health insurance for \$18 a month or less.

TexCare Partnership

Call 1-800-647-6558 for information or to apply.

, Dr. John Hellerstedt is the Medical Director of the Children's Health Insurance Program



The wedding reception was held at the Club Giraud in San Antonio. Members of the house party were Stephanic Frisk and Keeley Proctor, both of Dallas, Sejal Naik of Irving, and Nichole Simon of Fort Worth.

The bride wore an ivory silk gown designed formal by Demetrios for Illissa Bridals. The elegant, strapless gown was accented at the natural waist by a band Schiffli lace with delicate silver embroidered leaves, three dimensional ribbon flowers and hand beaded with pearls and crystals. The back featured a fanfolded fabric accent above the waist lace and pleated a detachable train which complemented the flared A line skirt. The headpiece was a band of rhinestone rondells, freshwater pearls and clear Austrian crystals with a two-tier veil of diamond ivory illusion.

The bride is a graduate ot Clements High School in Sugar Land and Texas Tech University in Lubbock where she received a bachelor of fine arts degree in design communications. She was a member of Delta Delta Detta and Rho Chi sororities. Ann is employed as the senior art director for Double Diamon Resorts at Dallas.

The groom is a graduate of Stratford High School and Texas Tech University in Lubbock where he received a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering. He was a member of Kappa Alpha Order and Chi Epsilon Honor fraternity. Clint is employed by Carter-Burgess Engineering of Fort Worth.

Following a honeymoon trip to Ixtapa, Mexico, the couple will reside in Dallas.

It Pays To Look In The

Phone 366-5885

For Sale

Tractor For Sale: 1997 Case International - 8940, low hours. Call 254-772-7927. 5-3-tfn----

For Sale: 3 HD 800 Minneapolis Molines. Kenzi Grain Cart. Mobile 922-5710, home 948-5410. 8-9-2xc---

Rentals available at THE General Store. Appliance dolly, sheetrock jack, and cement mixer. 4-12-tfn--

For Sale: Price reduced on 8 unit apartment community, Stratford, TX. All 2 bedrooms, walk-in closets, carpet, central Heat/A/C, washerdryer hook-ups, good rental income, good location. Call 1-806-769-4464. 5-10-tfn-

For Sale: 1980 Great Plains 30 ft. folding spike drill and 520 JD 20 ft. double disk opener drill. 396-2101 R 396-2348 8-9-2xc-

Ellie's Bakery has fresh cinnamon rolls. cookies, fried pies, special orders, etc. Call or come by 366-2092. 7-12-tfn----

For Sale: 1999 GMC Conversion Van loaded. New Transmission. Call 769-4464. 8-2-tfn

For Sale: 1994 Lockwood Sprinkler non wire alignment, 8 tower. 4 Moline irrigation motors 396-2125. 8-2-tfn--

For Sale: 18" under counter dishwasher cheap! - needs pump. 396-2268. 8-16-1xc--

Must Sell: 1995 Jeep Wrangler, excellent cond., new tires, etc. Take up payments or pay off note at 1st State Bank. Jesse Resendes 769-4454, 366-3134. 8-16-2xc--

For Sale: - Girls Stratford Blue & White

Services

Ellie's Bakery has fresh cinnamon rolls, cookies, fried pies, special orders, etc. Call or come by 366-2092. 7-12-tfn-

Best Termite Control of Amarillo Daniel Boyd - (Owner) Leo Russell - (Previous Owner) 1-806-622-2171 Have City and State License for the City of Stratford 1-7-tfn--



Dusky's Chimney Cleaning 396-2596 Minor Repairs Safety Inspection Chimney Caps Animal Removal Insured



Houses for Sale

House for Sale: beautiful corner lot, 2 large bedrooms, 1 large bath, garage, central heat/AC. 806-659-2345. 8-2-tfn--

bdrm, 2 bath, 1716 living, brick/steel dishwasher, pantry, ice maker hookup, utility room, carpet, new vinyl 7-12-tfn--flooring, attic storage w/stairs,

772-6584. 5-3-tfn--

Large 2500+ sq. ft. brick home, 4 bedroom/3bath, 1 car garage, corner lot, sprinkler system, fenced backyard, priced to sell - low \$80's 396-5884. 5-3-tfn--

For Sale: 3 Bdrm, 1 bath, large utility room, central heat/air, storm windows, large fenced backyard, close to school. 903 N. Maple. Call 366-3019 evenings. 6-14-tfn--

Look At This 1268 Sq. Ft. House,

Three bedroom, 1 bathroom, Living Room, Kitchen & Dining Area, Utility Room, Basement. New Carpet, New Paint throughout House, Floor Furnace, Evap. Air Cond., Exterior Stucco with New Roof on 4 30ft. lots. Reduced: \$32,500 **Call: Keith Waters**

674-0661 GCITED

Great Location, Home for Sale: 604 S. Fulton, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 1716 living, brick/steel siding, central heat/air, a/c new, vinyl windows, fireplace, large fenced backyard, new ceramic cook-top, built-in oven and microwave, Home for Sale: 604 S. Fulton, 3 dishwasher, pantry, ice maker hookup, utility room, carpet, new vinyl siding, central heat/air, a/c new, viny! flooring, attic storage w/stairs, windows, fireplace, large fenced covered patio, 2 storage sheds, new backyard, new ceramic cook-fop, carport in back, 2 car garage, built-in oven and microwave, electric door openers. \$79,500. Phone 254-772-6584 or 396-2051.

Star Classifieds

covered patio, 2 storage sheds, new For Sale - 2 level home, 4 bdrm, 2 carport in back, 2 car garage, bath 2620 sq. ft. 417 N. Spruce, electric door openers. Phone 254-727 4263 or 753-7263. 5-3-1fn--

New Listing: Looking for a Very Nice Home? This one is 3 B/R, 2 baths, large utility, new carpet, ceramic tile in entry, kitchen, and baths. Double garage, basement. Price \$58,000. Call Ad-Rem Land Co. 935-7364. Own your own home: Stucco, 2

B/R, 1 bath, wood burning stove in living room. Only \$19,000 Call Ad Rem Land Co. 935-7364.

Call to see this! Very nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, single garage plus double carport. Includes a rent house 1 bedroom, 1 bath, single garage. Steel siding on both houses. Corner lot. All for \$56,500. Call Ad Rem Land Co. 935-7364 to see it.

For Sale: 3 Bdrm, 2 bath brick home, double car garage, fenced in backyard, across from City Park. 702

Legal Notices

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Legals

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE PETROLEUM COMPANY, P.O. BOX 358, BORGER, TX 79008-0358 has made application for a spacing exception permit under Willman Darnell the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.37) Applicant seeks exception to lease line and distance between wells to drill Well No. 2, Carlander A Lease, 160 acres, Sec. 199, BK. 1-T, T&NO RR Co. Survey, A-284, Carlander (Morrow), Carlander (Marmaton), Wildcat Field(s), Sherman County, being 1 miles in a south southeast direction of Stratford, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:

1,358' from the south line and 1,254' from the east line of lease.

1,358' from the south line and 1,386' from the west line of survey.

Field rules for the Carlander (Marmaton) field are 660/1320, 160,80 acres.

Field rules for the Wildcat, Carlander (Morrow) fields are 467/1200, 40 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 5,500 feet.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Rule 37 (h) (2) (A), this application may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An affected persons is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove feet of lot 18, block 64, Original

Lavahue Willman To: Johnson, The Unknown Heirs of Lavahue Willman Johnson, Floyd H. Willman, The Unknown Heirs IS HEREBY of Floyd H. Willman, Gladys GIVEN that the PHILLIPS Willman Stephens, The Unknown Heirs of Gladys Willman Stephens, Tessie Willman Darnell, The Unknown Heirs of Tessie

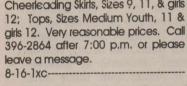
Defendant(s)

GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to pear and answer before the Ionorable District Court 69th Judicial District, Sherman County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Stratford, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of service of this citation, said date being September 10, 2001, then and there to answer the petition of Alma Lee McMahen, Plaintiff, filed in said Court on the 17th day of May, against J.A. Whittenburg, Trustee of the Trust crated in the Will of Jeanie P. Whittenburg, W.L. Price, Patricia Rice Roberson Investments, LTD., Robert Nolan Coyle, Richard Price Coyle, William Sean Coyle, Lavahue Willman Johnson, the Unknown Heirs of Lavahue Willman Johnson, Floyd H. William, the Unknown Heirs of Floyd H. Willman, Gladys Willman Stephens, the Unknown Heirs of Gladys Willman Stephens, Tessie Willman Darnell, and the Unknown Heirs of Tessie Willman Darnell, Defendants(s), and the said suit being number 4409 on the docket of said Court, and the nature of which suit is a request to

Plaintiff and Defendants are co-owners of lot 17 and the west 5





AKC male Yorkie, two years old answers to the name of Rambo. Call 727-4622 leave message \$200.00 Firm. 8-16-1xc-

Wanted

Want to Buy - Ethan Allen Maple Furniture. 769-4464. 8-2-tfn-

For Rent

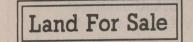
For Rent: 1 Bedroom furnished apt. 6th & Fulton. Call 396-5541 daytime, 396-5692 at nights. 1-28-ffn--

Garage Sales

Garage Sale: Sat. Aug. 18, 9:30 - 2-15-tfn-1:00 P.M. 1220 Butler. 8-16-1xc--

p.m. Saturday, August 18th. 8-16-1xc---

Yard Sale at George & Gayl's, 220 N. 1-4-1yrpd--Wall Aug. 18, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Fosteria Crystal, Card Table W/4 chairs, Nesco Roaster, Tools, Furniture, Much More!! 8-16-1xp-



Land tor Sale: One (1) 640 Acre tract cultivated land; 306.7 acres in CRP, 276.3 acres in CRP, 250.3 in CRP. Contact Trust Department/Marthci Mitts, First State Bank 396-5521. 3-12-tfn---

Land for Sale - 2 sections irrigated land in Sherman County. 254-772-7927 5-3-11n

Is your House or Foundation Settling? Cracks in brick or walls? Doors won't close?...Call Childers Brothers Garage Sale: Farm Bureau Bldg, 8-6 Stabilizing & Foundation Leveling. 1-800-299-9563 or 806-352-9563 Amarillo, TX.

> **BLIND AND DRAPERY REPAIRS** 244-2437 5-10-6mo-**Narcotics Anonymous Meets Every** Wednesday 8:00 p.m. Farm Bureau Building "Independent Insurance Agent" Life Insurance, Retirement Planning, Burial Insurance, Medicare Supplement.

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N. 7th. Call 396-2425, 396-2845, 396-5841, or 396-1050 for more information. 6-14-tfn--2 Bedroom House for Sale: 1 1/2

bath. Contact First State Bank Trust Dept. 396-5521. 8-16-tfn-

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Help Wanted

Wanted: Baby-sitter to watch school

age children. information 366-7578. 8-9-2xp--

Help Wanted - The City of Stratford is accepting applications for the literate, position of City Clerk/Secretary. helpful, Applicant must be a high school preferred. graduate. Some College education esponsibilities Applicant must be preparation, permit applications, preferred. computer literate, bookkeeping skills grant applications etc... Applications some of the are a plus. are available at Stratford City Hall, responsibilities include: A/P, Payroll, 518 N. Third St. Stratford, Texas or Quarterly Taxes, Budget, Must Attend ;end resume Council Meetings, HR, Insurance, equirements to Retirement, etc...Salary depends on address: City of Stratford, ATTN: Applications are aRita Butler, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, experience. available at Stratford City Hall, 518 N. X 79084. Position open until filled. Third St., Stratford, TX or send resume he City of Stratford is an equal and salary requirements to the pportunity employer. following address: City of Stratford, 3-9-tfn-

Attn: LaRita Butler, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, TX 79084. Position open until filled. The City of Stratford is an equal opportunity employer. 8-9-tfn--

Dietary Position Now Available at Coldwater Manor. Excellent Benefits including Health Insurance after 90 days. Apply in person at Coldwater Manor, 1111, Beaver Road, Stratford, TX. EOE

Help Wanted: Seeking qualified office and elevator help. Apply in person at Stratford Grain Co. 8-9-tfn-

Rendon Headquarters Restaurant is currently accepting applications for cashier & wait staff. Apply in person. 8-16-1xc---

hearing either in person or by examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative J.J. Fodor, at 806-275-3413. If you H. Willman 2% Interest have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact interest Call for more Help Wanted: The City of Stratford is the Commission nat (512) 463accepting application for the 6899. position of City Administrator. IF YOU WISH Applicant must have experience in REQUEST A HEARING ON managerial skills, must be computer THIS municipal experience college degree

APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN BE PROTEST MUST RECEIVED IN THE budget **COMMISSION'S** RAILROAD 2001 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY the following BE GRANTED

ADMINISTRATIVELY. Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, August 2, 2001,

Thursday, August 9, 2001, Thursday, August 16, 2001 and Thursday, August 23, 2001.

Town of Stratford, Sherman the need for an exception. A County, Texas. Plaintiff nature in Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected the above described tract consist person, and to appear at the of an undivided one-half interest held in fee simple. Defendants qualified representative and nature in the above described protest the application with cross- tract consist of the following:

Name-Lavahue Willman are applicable in the hearing. If Johnson 2% Interest

Floyd H. Willman 2% Interest

The Unknown Heirs of Floyd

Gladys Willman Stephens 2%

The Unknown Heirs of Gladys Willman Stephens 2% interest

Tessie Willman Darnell 2% interest

The Unknown Heirs of Tessie Willman Darnell 2% interest

The Court has authority in this AUSTIN OFFICE BY August 30, suit to enter any judgment or providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

> Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court at Stratford, Texas, this 31st day of July, A.D. 2001.

Attest: M.L. Albert, Clerk of the 69th District Court, Sherman County, Texas by: Barbara Diller, Deputy.

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Help Wanted

TO

Express Lane #5 Frontier Fuel Co., accepting TX Stratford, is applications for the following positions: Food Court - Clerks -Janitorial Services. Must work rotating shifts, nights, weekends and holidays. Qualifications: Hardworking, selfmotivated person able to get the job done, dependable and reliable if you are looking for a job that pays more than minimum wage with raises after regular evaluations, please see Ted at Express Lane.

Position Available: Outgoing. patience a must. Requirements: High school graduate, college hours and/or willing to attend college for early childhood development. College tuition and fees paid, some travel expenses. Full-time. Lollipop Junction. 366-5886. 8-16-2xc--

Help Wanted - Consumers 366-2261. Tire exp. helpful. 8-16-tfn-

Help Wanted: General Feedvard Position Opening. Feedvard experience a plus. Call 727-4646. 8-16-tfn-

www.calfarleysboysranch.org (EOE). 8-16-1xc---

available. Come join our team and make a difference in a child's life! Call Human Resources at 806/373-6600, ext. 516 or (800) 687-3722,

required; college preferred. * A sincere desire to work with at-risk children and teens. Starting salary of great benefits!

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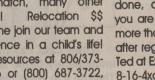
to be house parents. Qualifications include: * A stable marriage of several years. * No more than 2 dependents (no young children,

please). * High School diploma/GED

\$37,856 per couple, plus free housing, utilities, food. Free medical insurance, free pension plan, 401(k) w/company match, many other

8-16-4xc-

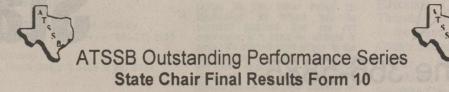
ext. 516. Visit our website at



Molly Griffin, LUTCF 366-5612

Congratulations Big Blue Band!!!!

Big Blue Band Wins "Outstanding Performance Series"



Congratulations to the Big Blue Band! They have been selected as winners of the After all CDs have been adjudicated and ranked, the winning schools shall be listed in the ATSSB booth for the general public to see. The State Chair shall be responsible for mailing a copy of this form to all directors whose CD reached the state adjudication, and an additional copy mailed to the Executive Secretary.

ATSSB Outstanding Performances (title/composer/school/director)

Class C March

Winner: "Glorious America", Karl L. King, New Boston Middle School, Jimmy Wiggins, Director Runner-up: "Normandy Beach", John Edmondson, Crane Middle School, Daniel Todd, Director

Class C Concert Selection

Winner: "Flight of Eagles", Elliot Del Borgo, New Boston Middle School, Jimmy Wiggins, Diracto Winner: "Two English Dances", John O'Reilly, Taft Junior High School, Luis Zepeda, Director Runner-up: "Flight of Eagles", Elliot Del Borgo, Crane Middle School, Daniel Todd, Director

Class CC March

Winner: "The Trombone King", Karl L. King, Lindale Junior High School, Susan Scott, Director Runner-up: "Allied Honor", Karl L. King, Wylie Middle School (Abilene), Jeannie Lunney, Director

Class CC Concert Selection

Winner: "Pevensey Castle", Robert Sheldon, Myra Green Middle School, (Raymondville), Ed Segreto, Director Winner: "They Led My Lord Away", A. Gordon, Henderson Middle School (China), Brenda Legendre, Director Runner-up: "Westridge Overture", James Barnes, Myra Green Middle School (Raymondville), Ed Segreto, Director

Class A March

Winner: "Marche Des Parachutistes Belges", Pierre Leeman, Stratford High School, Randy Hunsaker, Director Runner-up; "Imperial", Karl L. King, Overton High School, Glenn Wells, Director

Class A Concert Selection

Winner: "Slavonic Folk Suite", Alfred Reed, Stratford High School, Randy Hunsaker, Director Winner: "Atlantis", Ann McGinty, Bosqueville High School, David A. Lambert, Director Runner-up: "Serenade and Dances", James Sudduth, Stratford High School, Randy Hunsaker, Director

Class AA March

Winner: "Amparito Roca", Jaime Texidor, DeKalb High School, Harold Raney, Director Runner-up: "Allied Honor", Karl L. King, Elkhart High School, Judy Holleman, Director

Class AA Concert Selection

Winner: "Contrasto Grosso", Mvt. 1, Jacob de Haan, Elkhart High School, Judy Holleman, Director Winner. "Cumberland Cross", Carl Strommen, Celina High School, Russ Rutherford, Director Runner-up: "Three Ayres from Gloucester", Hugh Stewart, Somerville High School, Carl Idlebird, Director

Class AAA March

Winner. "Peacemaker", Karl L. King, Port Isabel High School, Scott Hartsfield, Director Runner-up: "Rolling Thunder", Henry Fillmore, Lindale High School, Steven Moore, Director

Class AAA Concert Selection

Winner: "English Dances for Band", Set 1, Malcolm Arnold, New Boston High School, Richard Lovelace, Director Winner: "Ridudim", Mvts. 1, 2, 4, Jan Van der Roost, Port Isabel High School, Scott Harsfield, Director Runner-up: "Symphonic Dance No. 3, "Fiesta", Clifton Williams, Lindale High School, Steven Moore, Director

Certified by Don Thoede, State Chair, on July 22, 2001

Association of Texas Small School Bands Outstanding Performance Series. The Outstanding Performance Series was begun in 1997 to provide small school bands. . "an opportunity to enter a taped audition process whereby the very best performances

of UIL approved literature is selected and put on a CD to be made available to everyone and to be given to public radio stations so they will be played on the air."

Last spring the Big Blue Band entered all three of its UIL contest tunes in the annual competition. They won the March category with March des Parachutistes Bèlges; they won the Concert category with Slavonic Folk Song Suite; and Serenade and Dances placed third in the Concert category. All three pieces were winners; all three pieces will be recorded on a special ATSSB CD to be sold throughout the state and distributed to radio stations; and in February of 2002, they will be honored at the annual ATSSB convention in San Antonio with a special presentation which will include the presentation of the OPS CD and three plaques recognizing this history-making event! Thank you to all the tremendous Big Blue Band supporters in Stratford: the faculty, staff, administration, and tax payers, and especially thanks to all the parents and students. Congratulations again to the best OPS class A band in the state of TEXAS!!! (Be sure to read the accompanying letters from Don Thoede, ATSSB State Chairman of OPS.)



Association of Texas Small School Bands

Outstanding Performance Series Don Thoede, State Chair

(254) 675-6789

drt@htcomp.net

2502 White Clifton, Texas 76634

August 4, 2001

Randy Hunsaker Box 21 Stratford, TX 79084

Dear Randy,

Congratulations! Your band's performance of the concert selection "Slavonic Folk Suite" has been selected 1st place Winner of the Class A ATSSB 2001 Outstanding Performance Series! In addition, your band's performance of the concert selection "Serenade and Dances" has been selected Runner-Up. I also want to inform you that the march "Marche Des Parachutistes Belges" has been selected as a 1st place Winner. You, your students, your school, and your community should be very proud of this tremendous accomplishment.

To be chosen for this honor, the CDs of your band's performances had to survive a rigorous audition process at the Region, Area, and State levels. Just making it to the State level of competition is a feat in itself, but to be selected in your classification as a 1st place Winner in two different categories and Runner-Up in the concert category is an achievement that few bands ever experience.

I hope your bands continue to participate in the ATSSB Outstanding Performance Series because it is musical performances like yours that give ATSSB the integrity it deserves.

Sincerely yours,

Don Thoede

HEALTH Take a Walk for **Better Overall Health**

NewsUSA

(NU) - "Run hard and far!" "Bulk up by lifting weights!" "Maximize your workouts by taking it to the limit!" This is the attitude most people have when beginning a workout regimen.

However, this isn't healthy for someone just starting out. Easing your way into a workout regimen is the most effective way to achieve results. There are normal. everyday activities that can also keep you healthy and active, including

· Take the stairs instead of the elevator.

• When playing golf, walk instead of using a golf cart. • Walk four times a week.

not three. · Play sports like tennis and

golf or go swimming.

By forgoing the simple pleasures of an elevator or golf cart, you are actually staying active and improving your overall health. It may not seem like much, but it all adds up. See your doctor before starting any exercise program.

For some people with diabetes, low impact activities like these are the best way to help improve their overall well-being. Believe it or not. their feet may be the reason they are limited in their activilles

While an estimated 10.3 million people have been diagnosed with diabetes, unfortunately, 5.4 million people are not aware that they have the disease. Since your foot health is reflective of your overall body health, it can help catch diseases like diabetes in its earlier stages. In fact, podiatrists are often the first doctors

to see signs of such systemic conditions.

'Physical activity helps people with diabetes lower glucose levels in their blood." said Jerry Franz, vice president of communications of the American Diabetes Association. "Walking is an easy and effective way to burn calories and help improve one's overall health and well-being.

To help you get started on an exercise plan, Dr. Scholl's is challenging Americans to walk a million miles to benefit the American Diabetes Association. Armed with a \$50,000 donation, this contribution will be dedicated to everyone who participates by logging onto the Dr. Scholl's Web site and tracking the miles they walk --- whether through exercise or normal daily activity — to help reach the million miles mark.

"You don't have to be an athlete to help." said Jason Sehorn, New York Giants star cornerback and member of the Dr. Scholl's Sports Squad. "You don't even have to work out. It is really easy to help. You simply log on and enter the number of miles you have walked; even if it is around the house. You may be surprised how it all adds up. Whether you're walking the dog, walking to work or training for a marathon, it all goes to a good cause

Through Dec. 31, 2001, visitors 13-years-old and older can register on www.drscholls.com to log miles on the million miles tracker. The Web site will track the total miles accumulated by all participants.



When cats eat they always immediately bathe themselves. They do it to erase the food scent so predators will not smell food and come after them.

5th grade supply list---fall 2001

20 pencils with erasers---no mechanical pencils! 10 eraser mate pens---blue or black ink 10 red grading pens 2 pkg. of 200 count loose leaf notebook paper---wide ruled only 1 Trapper Keeper 4 folders with brads 5 separate spirals---each with 120 pages---wide ruled only---Do not buy ones with perforated pages! 1 highlighter Scissors Map colors Crayons-no markers 2 large boxes of kleenex

PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME ON ALL ITEMS!!

6th grade supply list --- fall 2001

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2 pkg. of 200 count loose leaf notebook paper --- wide ruled only

- 1 Trapper Keeper
- 3 folders with brads
- 1 one inch binder with three rings

5 separate spirals---each with 120 pages---wide ruled only---Do not buy ones with perforated pages!

1 highlighter Scissors Map colors Crayons---no markers Glue 2 large boxes of kleenex PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME ON ALL ITEMS!