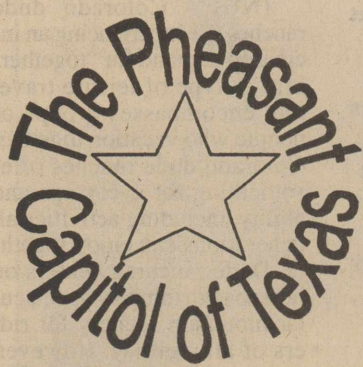


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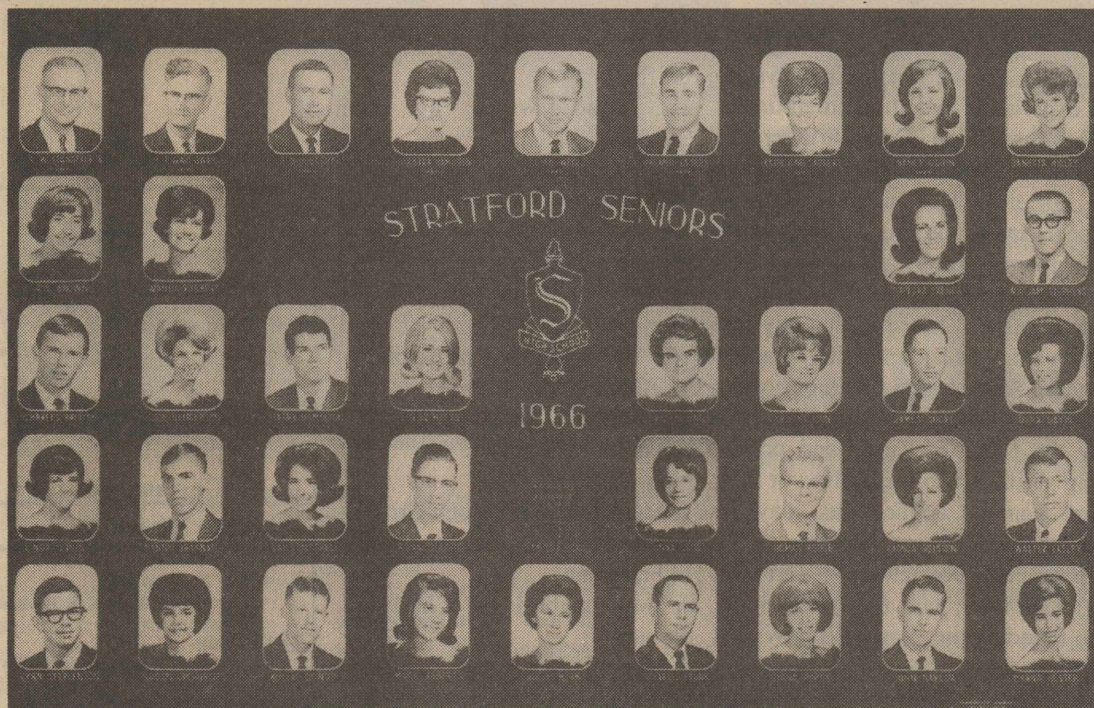


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CLASS OF 1966

Ex-Student Reunion July 28-29. Honored Class 1966 Top/down; L/R: Superintendent R.W. Standefer; Principal H.T. Galloway, Sponsors P.D. Fletcher and Barbara Hamilton, Allen Wells, Orland Lasley, Katherine Sadler, Nancy Quin, Janetta Willey. 2nd Row; Iris Brown, Wanda Robbins, Sandra French, William Stephens; 3rd Row, Charles Britten, Julie Henderson, Harry Hamilton, Linda Mitts, Lorelyn Haile, Vickie Ellison, James Short, Dora Davis. 4th Row: Linda Quin, Danny Brannan, Gail Mitchell, Ronald Ford, Teddy Pool, Donna Judd, Thomas Hodge, Rhonda Houston, Walter Lasley. Bottom row: Lynn Stephenson, Susan Upchurch, Roger Dowdy, Mary Roberts, Judy Kirk, Charles Plunk, Diana Porth, John Naylor, Myrna Hester.

CLASS OF 1976

Stratford Ex-Student Reunion Class of 1976, July 28-29. Activities for class, Friday night Hamburgers at the County Barn, Saturday Parade, Barbecue and visiting to be announced. Class of 1976 Top/Down L/R: Superintendent Elwyn Bass, Principal Dale Prescott, Sponsors Gary Laramore and Andy Miller; Leon Payne, Jeff Flores, Tammy Cameron, Shirlyn Christian. 2nd Row: Ted Allen, Debbie Arnold, John Ashley, Lou Ann Barrett. 3rd Row: Vicki Bell, D'Lynn Brown, Bitsy Chesmer, Kay Cotney, Ray Davis, Pete Dice, Darrell Doshier, Valerie Duncan, Ernie Ellison. 4th Row: Sergio Escamilla, Wayne Garoutte, Robert Hammons, Nora Hampton, Joel Hart, Joe Henry, Keith Hill, Phillip Huereca, Lester Irlbeck, Ricky Keener, Terry Kirkwood, Carl Luther. 5th Row: Davis Mass, Janice Messer, Waide Messer, Irma Olivas, Michael Pilch, Karen Pleyer, Jimmy Powers, Dalene Prescott, Jeff Pronger, Delores Radford, Lupe Ramirez, Ricky Reed. Bottom row: Charlotte Robinson, Diane Romera, Blake Sladek, Johnny Slover, Sheri Slover, Debbie Stacy, Cheryl Starnes, Janet Vaughn, Jode Lasley Wells, Jeff Wiley, Evelyn Williams, Jeff Witcher.

Breast Cancer Screening July 12

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Comprehensive Breast Center will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at First United Methodist Church, 520 N. Main, in Stratford on July 12, 2006.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

All exams are done by appointment only. Call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

The Imagination Station News

By Gaynelle Riffe

The Imagination Station had a great time providing food and games at the park for 4th of July.

The Whale of a Sale is under way with a "sneak a peek", in 300 block of Main, of furniture, baby bed, car seats, mini tramp, golf clubs/pull cart, ski equipment, etc.. Let's make a deal!

Drama Camp for 2006 has been canceled. We will try again next year. Look for The Imagination Station at the Jamboree Barbecue with the "pie by the slice" sale. Anyone wishing to contribute a pie is welcome to call Gail Harding 366-2206.

Training Session to Be Held

The City of Stratford will be having a training session required by the Attorney General regarding Open Meetings and Public Information. The training will be held at The Happy State Bank on Thursday, July 13th at 6:00 p.m.. If you are a newly elected member of a board, you are invited to attend this free session.

Manor Friends to Meet August 7th-10 a.m.

Manor Friends will not meet until Monday, August 7th at 10 a.m. at Coldwater Manor.

Miss Sherman County Farm Bureau Queen & Talent Contest

If you are interested in participating in the Miss Sherman County Farm Bureau Queen or Talent Contest, please come by the office to pick up an application or call Jennifer Deanda at 396-2782. Scholarships available. Deadline for entries is July 14th.

TDA to Co-Host Wind Energy 101 Workshop

By Sherman Hammons

The Texas Department of Agriculture, the Dumas Economic Development Corporation and the West Texas Wind Energy Consortium will host a workshop on wind energy development on Tuesday, July 18.

The meeting will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Moore County Community Building at East 16th Street and South Maddox in Dumas. Registration, which includes lunch will be \$20.00 and is required by July 14. Please contact Grace Pierson at 806-934-3332 or at

This workshop will provide an overview of the wind energy industry from the viewpoint of the state, educational institutions, the county, and the landowners. Scheduled speakers include Rep. David Swinford, Kenneth Starcher from the West Texas A&M University Alternative Energy Institute, Greg Wortham from the West Texas Wind Energy Consortium, and Randy Sowed from Cielo Wind.

For more information please contact Sherman at 806-366-2122.

Volunteer Community Responders Meeting

Volunteer Community Responders meeting July 24, 2006 at 7 p.m. Stratford Fire Station CERT Training Session.

Never seem more learned than the people you are with. Wear your learning like a pocket watch and keep it hidden. Do not pull it out to count the hours, but give the time when you are asked.

—Lord Chesterfield

Family Farm and Ranch Program

By Sherman Hammons

The Family Land Heritage Program recognizes farms and ranches that have been kept in continuous agricultural production by the same family for 100, 150, and 200 years or more. Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs reminds families who are/want applying for the Family Land Heritage Program that application is due to the Texas Department of Agriculture by Friday, September 15.

Applications are being accepted for farms or ranches established in 1906 and earlier that are still owned and operated by the decedents of the founder, either through blood, marriage or adoption. The land must also fit the old U.S. Census definition of a farm: 10 acres or more with agricultural sales of \$50 or more a year; or if less than 10 acres, sales of at least \$250 a year.

The owners must reside in Texas and be actively managing the everyday operation of the farm or ranch. If all the land has been rented or leases to someone outside of the family, it will not qualify. If only a portion was leased, and as much as 10 acres were retained in the family for agricultural production with sales of at least \$50 annually, the property will still qualify. There is no cost to apply for the recognition.

For an application or more information, contact Melissa Blair, (512) 463-2631. Also, application is on the TDA's Web site at www.agr.state.tx.us the "Producer Information" section.

For more information please contact Sherman at 366-2122.

Children

(NU) - According to the Emergency Nurses Association, dog bites increase dramatically during the months of March through September. Every year, 4.7 million Americans are bitten by dogs, and 60 percent are children. Pediatrician-recommended Mederma for Kids can help reduce the appearance of scars. It helps soften and smooth old and new scars resulting from cuts and scrapes, stitches, burns, bug bites and surgery. For more information, go to www.medermaforkids.com.

ANNUAL DALLAM 4-H ARTS & CRAFTS BAZAAR

The 14th Annual "Dallam 4-H Arts & Crafts" Bazaar will be held Friday and Saturday, August 4 and 5, 2006 during the 70th Annual XIT Rodeo and Reunion Celebration in Dalhart. The bazaar is sponsored by the Dallam County 4-H Parent Leader Association. It will be held in the Dalhart Elementary School, 1401 Tennessee Blvd., Dalhart. The hours will be 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Friday and 11:30 a.m. (after the XIT Parade) until 4:30 p.m. on Saturday.

This year there will be forty-six spaces. Exhibitors are encouraged to get their booths reserved as soon as possible. Registration deadline for a booth is Tuesday, July 25th.

Anyone interested in exhibiting should write to: Dallam 4-H Arts & Crafts Bazaar % Dallam County 4-H Parent Leader Association, 401 Denrock Ave., Dalhart, TX 79022 for an entry form or call (806) 244-4434.

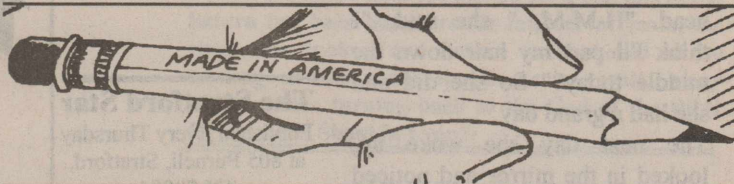
Learning is not attained by chance, it must be sought for with ardor and attended to with diligence.

—Abigail Adams



2006 Old Timer King & Queen

2006 OLD TIMER KING AND QUEEN: J.O. Pulliam and Oline Caraway have been selected by GFWC/Prospectus Study club to represent area Old Timers. A program will be Saturday, July 29, 9:30 a.m. at The First State Bank.



More pencils are made in the U.S. than in any other country.



Stratford Elks Summer Basketball Tournament champs 13 & under: Lubbock Hoop 10, Amarillo Hoop 10. Front Row: Klinton Keener, Bryce Cummings, Braden Hudson, Michael Ortega. Back Row: Coach Brett Cummings, Roy Allen, Tyler Wright, Trevor Christian, Braiden Hamilton, & Kyle Horsford. Not pictured Coach Tim Gilliland and Tyler Gilliland. They won the Hoop 10 Tournament in both Amarillo and Lubbock.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Readers

OBITS

Michael Romero

Stratford-Michael Romero, 43, formerly of Stratford, died Friday, June 30, 2006 in Amarillo, Texas.

Rosary was said at 7 p.m. July 4th in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 5th in St. Joseph's Catholic Church with the Rev. Scott L. Raef officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mr. Romero was born Aug. 17, 1962, in Guymon, OK. He was a graduate of Guymon High School. He married Bonnie Edwards on Feb. 21, 1995 in Stratford.

He was a food inspector for USDA and a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He had been a Sunray resident for the past six years.

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Romero of Stratford; three stepdaughters, Crissy Lacy of Amarillo, Sandy Milecky of Plainview and Baylee Milecky of Midland; and a stepson, Trenty Milecky of San Antonio.

Delia "Dee Dee" Dewees

Stratford-Delia "Dee Dee" Dewees, age 56, died Sunday, July 9, 2006 in Dumas, Texas.

Services were held on Tuesday, July 11, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. Graveside Service with Rev. Walter Reed, pastor of the First Christian Church of Stratford officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery in Dalhart, Texas under the direction of Morrison Funeral Home.

Dee Dee was born October 17, 1949, in Medford, Oregon. She was a homemaker and had lived in Stratford since 1987.

She was married to James Dewees on February 20, 1970 in Medford, Oregon. She was a member of The First Christian Church of Stratford, TX.

Survivors include her husband Jim Dewees of the home. Daughters Barbara Dewees and Susan Dewees of Stratford. Three Brothers: Jim Gunn of Bremerton, WA; George Gunn Jr of Medford, OR; and Jeremy Gunn of Springfield, OR. Sister: Barbara Hedges of Pleasant Hill, Or.

Subject: Attitude is Everything

There once was a woman who woke up one morning, looked in the mirror, and noticed she had only three hairs on her head. "Well," she said, "I think I'll braid my hair today?" So she did and she had a wonderful day.

The next day she woke up, looked in the mirror and saw that she had only two hairs on her head. "H-M-M," she said, "I think I'll part my hair down the middle today?" So she did and she had a grand day.

The next day she woke up, looked in the mirror and noticed that she had only one hair on her head. "Well," she said, "Today I'm going to wear my hair in a pony tail." So she did and she had a fun, fun day.

The next day she woke up, looked in the mirror and noticed that there wasn't a single hair on her head. "YEAH!" she exclaimed, "I don't have to fix my hair today!" Attitude is Everything!!! "Have a Good Day!"

JA Lasley

Mankind have a great aversion to intellectual labor; but even supposing knowledge to be easily attainable, more people would be content to be ignorant than would take even a little trouble to acquire it.

—Samuel Johnson

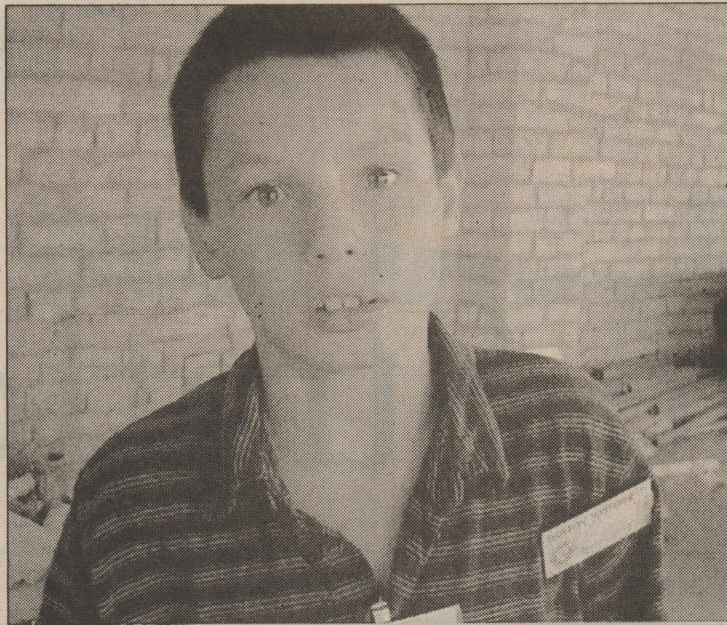
People are difficult to govern because they have too much knowledge.

—Lao-tzu

It was a great community gathering at the Park to celebrate the 4th of July. I thank the Chamber of Commerce for keeping the celebration going when it would be so easy to go somewhere else for the celebration. I also thank the Fire Department who offers yet another service to the community. Without their commitment, fireworks would not have happened this year. I also thank every organization who provided food and games and each person who purchased tickets, as 15 cent of every dollar helps pay for the fireworks. It is nice not to be asking the

businesses for donations, (the tickets are sometimes a hassle but that is the only way the Chamber can guarantee their share and no one has the scramble of making change) The Imagination Station is proud to be a part of the celebration. While we don't make much money, we try to pay expenses and contribute to the community with fun and food. We depend on the community to support The Imagination Station and we want to say thank you by participating in Community events. The mirror writing is just one of the fun, interesting things The Imagination Station does to peak the imagination. We hope to see you next year at the Park on the 4th of July.

Gaynelle Riffe



Sutterfield Attends Camp

Thanks to the Lions Clubs of Texas, many children with physical disabilities can look forward to an experience that all children dream about - going to summer camp! The Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville offers special camping programs that serve children who have physical disabilities and type 1 diabetes. This summer, Danton Sutterfield of Stratford attended the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville; Danton was sponsored by Carrie Welborn of the Dumas Noon Lions Club. The Texas Lions Camp offers camping sessions to children ages seven through 16 who have visual, hearing, or physical disabilities. The camp offers a wide variety of activities for camper's enjoyment, including arts & crafts, field sports, riding horses, swimming, theater, and camping out overnight. The camp is a nonprofit organization, funded by the Lions of Texas and private donations. Children attend the camp at no cost to themselves or their families. Further information and camper applications may be obtained by contacting a Lions Club member in your area or by contacting the Texas Lions Camp at P.O. Box 290247, Kerrville, Texas 78029-0247; V/TDD (830) 896-8500; fax: (830) 896-3666. The Texas Lions Camp can also be found on the World Wide Web at www.lionscamp.com.

Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning is perilous.

—Confucius

That is what learning is. You suddenly understand something you've understood all your life, but in a new way.

—Doris Lessing

Who neglects learning in his youth, loses the past and is dead for the future.

—Euripides

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By Sandy Baskin, Librarian

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 2. Coming Out by Danielle Steel
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 4. The Husband by Dean Koontz
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 8. Terrorist by John Updike
 9. The Cold Moon by Jeffrey Deaver
 10. Blue Screen by Robert B. Parker
 11. The Saboteurs by W.E.B. Griffin
 12. Dead Watch by John Sandford
 13. The Traitor by Stephen Coonts
 14. Telegraph Days by Larry McMurtry
 15. Proof Positive by Phillip Margolin
 16. The Foreign Correspondent by Alan Furst
 17. Killer Dreams by Iris Johansen
- Non-Fiction
1. Marley & Me by John Grogan
 2. The World Is Flat by Thomas L. Friedman
 3. Mockingbird by Charles J. Shields
 4. Manhunt by James L. Swanson
 5. Your Best Life Now by Joel Osteen
 6. The Purpose Driven Life by Rick Warren
 7. Who Moved My Cheese by Spenser Johnson

Travel

(NU) - Colorado dude ranches are experiencing an increased demand for "togethering," a type of leisure travel that encompasses groups of people who vacation together. Colorado dude ranches offer something for every age and ability, including activities all generations can enjoy together. Dude ranching centers on horseback riding in spectacular mountain scenery for riders of all abilities. However, ranches also offer rafting, hiking, fishing, nature walks, biking and other activities. For more information on Colorado dude ranch vacations, visit www.duderanching.net.

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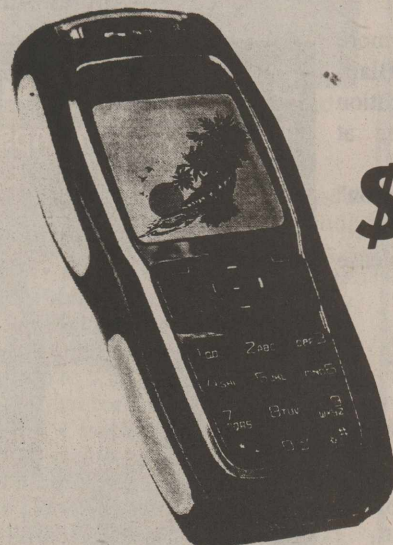
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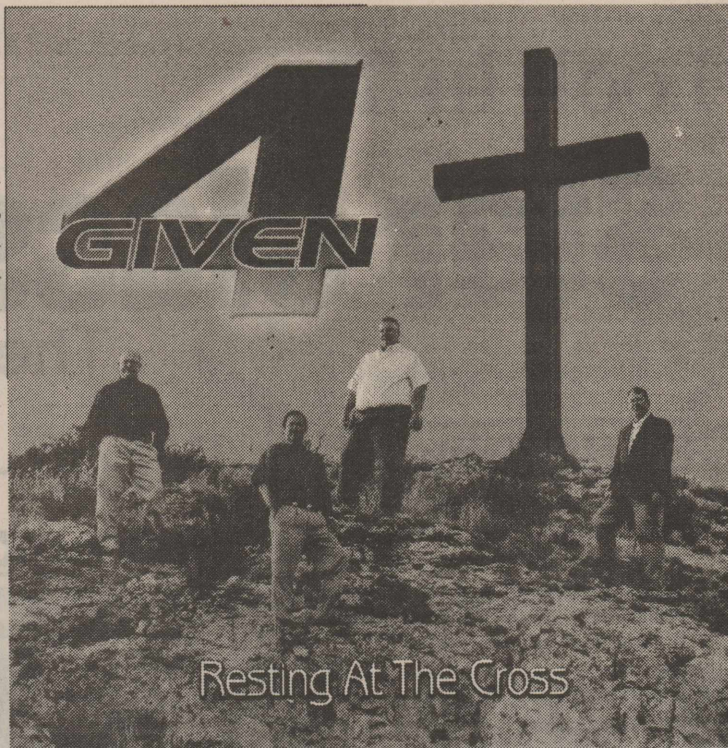
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1545 South Dumas Ave.

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809 South 25 Mile Ave.



Engagement Announced

Dan and Mary Jo Ferrell of Four Seasons Mo., are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter Barbara to David Hamblin, son of Dave and Gloria Hamblin of Somerset, Kentucky. The bride to be is a 2002 graduate of School of the Osage High School and will graduate from the Academy of Hair Design of Springfield, Mo., in July, 2006. The groom to be is a 1998 graduate of Southwestern High School and a 2000 graduate of Lexington Healing Arts Academy. David attends Vallerott College in Springfield, Mo. and will graduate with a computer technology degree in November 2006. Barbara is the granddaughter of the late Leo and Garnette Meek, former residents of Stratford. Barbara and David will exchange vows on September 23, 2006 at Horseshoe Baptist Church.



4Given's New CD Is Here!

4Given's New CD is here! The new project is called "Resting At The Cross". If you would like one, you can contact Greg Wright @ 366-2482, or check out their new website at www.4GivenQuartet.com. The new project was recorded in Nashville, TN back in March.

Cooking Corner

Refreshing Island Salad Brightens Up Any Season

(NAPS)—Island Fruit Salad is a refreshing recipe that's easy to make.

This Caribbean-style dish combines the familiar island flavors of pineapples, ripe red plums, star fruit and lime juice with a splash of mild green jalapeño sauce.

The subtle addition of green jalapeño sauce adds the perfect amount of zest to liven up this recipe, while enhancing the fruits' delightful taste.

Topped off with a sprinkling of shredded coconut, this delicious fruit salad makes an ideal midday snack or side dish, and adds flair to any special celebration.

Island Fruit Salad

- 1 large pineapple, peeled, cored and cut into bite-sized pieces
- 2 red plums, pitted and sliced
- 1 star fruit, sliced
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon Tabasco® green jalapeño sauce
- 1 tablespoon lime juice
- 1 tablespoon grated lime peel
- ½ cup shredded coconut, toasted

Combine pineapple, plums, star fruit, brown sugar,

Tabasco sauce, lime juice and lime peel in large bowl until well mixed.

To serve, sprinkle fruit with toasted coconut.

Makes 6 servings.

Stratford Jamboree

Friday July 28, 2006

- 7:00 PM MEET & GREET EX-STUDENTS @ County Barn
- 7:00 PM CALCUTTA & RODEO @ Rodeo Arena

Saturday July 29, 2006

- 10:00 AM OLD TIMERS KING & QUEEN @ First State Bank
- 11:00 AM PARADE - "We Are The Champions" Main Street - Honored Classes are invited to enter a float
- 11:30 AM LIONS CLUB BBQ Pendleton Park, 6th & Grace Adults \$7.00 Children \$3.00 **Bring Lawn Chair** Senior Citizens are invited to eat at SCOT HALL
- 12:15 pm FLAG CEREMONY @ Gazebo
- 12:30 PM KIDS GAMES, TURTLE RACES HORSE SHOE PITCH @ Pendleton Park GREENS FEE GOLF @ Country Club Greens Fee \$20, Golf Cart \$16
- 1:30 PM POKEY THE CLOWN JR. RANCH RODEO
- 1:30 - 2:30 VISIT DEPOT MUSEUM
- 3:00 - 4:00 VISIT SCOT HALL
- 8:00 PM RANCH RODEO @ Rodeo Arena
- 9:00 PM DANCE @ 301 N. Poplar

Sunday July 30 - Stratford Churches Welcome You

Flies

There are over 100,000 species of flies. They are disease spreaders and should be eradicated whenever possible. An adult female housefly is capable of producing up to 2,400 eggs in her lifetime. Every egg that hatches turns into a maggot. In hot weather flies can multiply in 2-3 weeks, especially if they have a good supply of fresh warm excrement from a family pet. If you ingest fly eggs they can cause a stomachache. Flies have 4,000 faceted eyes and have ultra-sensitive hairs that can detect even the slightest change in air currents. Flies take off somewhat backwards and if you aim a flyswatter toward they back you will kill more flies.

When you see fly specs, the dark specs are excrement and the light specs are regurgitated food and saliva.

* Horsefly can actually bite through leather and can inflict a painful bite in humans.

*The stable fly has proboscis like a hypodermic needle and draws blood, usually from a person's ankle, socks or no socks. Best to wear boots around stables.

Natural methods of Elimination

Making flypaper with Maple Syrup
The following ingredients will be needed:

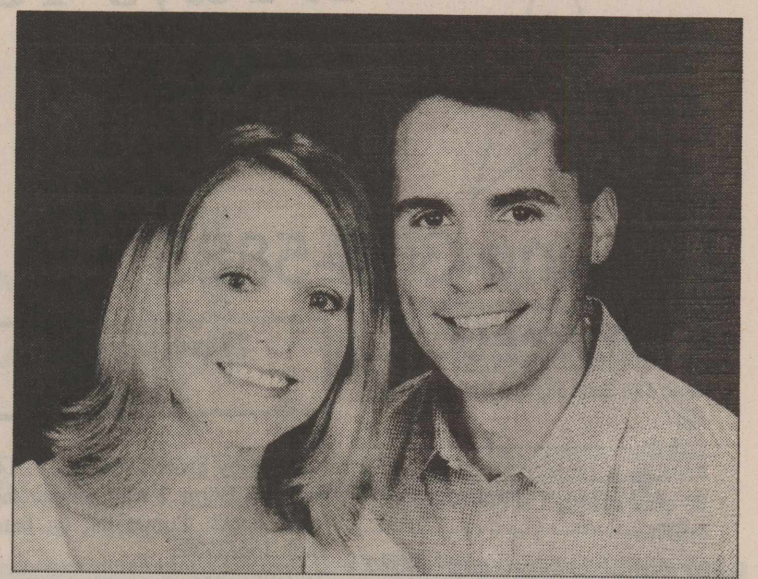
- 1 Tablespoon of brown sugar
 - 1 Tablespoon of granulated sugar
 - ¼ cp of an inexpensive maple syrup
 - 1 Brown paper bag
 - 1 Cookie Sheet
- Place all the ingredients in a small bowl and mix thoroughly. Cut 8-inch strips, about 2 inches wide from a brown paper bag and place them on the cookie sheet. Pour the mixture over the strips and allow the strips to soak

overnight. Hang up the strips where needed.

Garbage cans are problem-Sprinkle dry borax into garbage cans after you wash them out, this will deter and kill them if they get it on them.

Flies, Where there should be no flies-If you have a fly problem and your home is clean and there is no garbage around, it may be caused by a dead mouse or other small dead animal somewhere in the house, attic, basement or? The problem will not go away unless you remove the cause or it will eventually decay eliminating the problem.

Grain will kill fruit flies-If you crush 1 cup of the grass-like grain called finger millet and place the powder in 1-quart of warm water then spray it works great for small areas or just a few trees.



Engagement Announced

Robert and Cathy Rapp of Granbury, Texas are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Anita Denise, to Oliver W. Frauenfeld. Anita, granddaughter of Don Gurley and the late Elaine Gurley of Stratford, Texas, graduated from Haskell High School in 1996 and received her Bachelor of Science degree in Meteorology from Texas A&M University in College Station in 2000. She received her Master of Science degree in Atmospheric Science from Colorado State University in Fort Collins in 2004 and is currently pursuing a doctoral degree. Oliver is the son of Wolfgang and Gertrud Frauenfeld of Kottlingbrunn, Austria. He graduated from Harrisonburg High School in Harrisonburg, Virginia in 1991 and received his Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Sciences and Spanish from the University of Virginia in Charlottesville in 1995. Oliver also received a Master of Science degree in 1999 and a Ph.D. degree in 2003 in Environmental Sciences from the University of Virginia. He is presently employed by the University of Colorado at Boulder. The couple was engaged in Vienna, Austria in April and will be married at Harbor Lakes Golf Club in Granbury, Texas on October 7, 2006. To find out more about the couple or the wedding, you can visit their webpage at www.the.knot.com/our_wedding/anita_rapp&oliverfrauenfeld

When you know a thing, to hold that you know it; and when you do not know a thing, to allow that you do not know it—this is knowledge.

—Confucius



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First Assembly of God

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Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

First Christian

Rev. Walter Reed
5th & Main
Sunday School 9:45 am (nursery)
Morning Worship 10:45 am (nursery)
No Sunday Evening Worship Service
Wed. : Youth Choir 3:45 pm, Chi Rho 5 p.m.,
CYF 6 p.m., Bell Choir 6:50 p.m., Adult Choir 8 p.m.

First United Methodist

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Wed. Service - 7:30 p.m.

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Worship Service - 10:30
Wed. -Children—6:00, youth—7:00

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SCIENCE AND CREATION

Most folks think you cannot really be a scientist and believe what the Bible says about the creation of our world. Science, however, really got its start through the effort of Christians to discover more about the greatness of God by a study of His creation. Unfortunately, the rise of the theory of evolution placed a division between God and science. Why? If our universe evolved. God did not create it in six literal days as described in the Bible. We have been so well schooled in the theory of evolution we consider the story of creation in the Bible a myth. But there is a turn-around going on among scientists. There are too many questions. Take recent studies of the planet Saturn as an example. Wonderful pictures were beamed back from space. With these pictures came many questions. The rings of Saturn are moving at different speeds. There also appears to be something like spokes in some of the rings, like spokes in a wagon wheel. The spokes are revolving at a different speed than the planet. How can this be? If Saturn has been out there for millions of years, the rings, the spokes, and Saturn itself should all be turning at the same speed. As a result, many scientists are turning back to the God of the Bible for answers. Shouldn't you?

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Pastor Roberto Frescas
205 N. Poplar - Hwy 287
Escuela Dominical 10 a.m.
Servicio 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



