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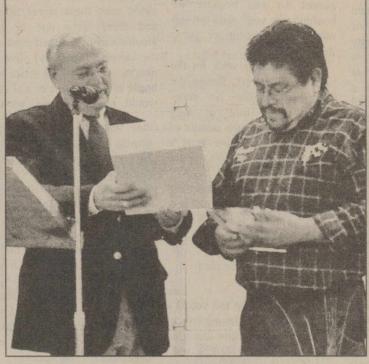
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Citizen and Businessperson of the Year Announced at Chamber Banquet

By Bailey Naugle

Stratford residents gathered at the County Barn on Friday for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet. Kathy Altman was selected for the honor of Citizen of the Year, and Javier Rodriguez was named Businessperson of the Year. House Representative David Swinford was present for the event and honored the recipients by awarding them flags that had been flown over the state capital.

Attendees enjoyed the musical stylings of Branded, a local Christian rock band, along with a delicious meal prepared by Tip Top Catering. After the meal, Police Chief Greg Mullins spoke on the dangers of identity theft and followed up with a questions and answer period.

Photo by (Stratford Chamber of Commerce)

Shown above Kathie Altman and Javier Rodriquez, both with House Representative David Swinford.

Fund for Zelda Pickens Has Been Set Up

There has been a fund set up at Happy State Bank to with Medical Expenses for Zelda Pickens.

Presley Fund Set Up At Bank

A medical fund for the son of J.B. & Amanda Presley has been set up at the First State Bank of Stratford. Fore more information contact the First State Bank 396-

Early Release

Release, Wednesday, April 16th. Mary Allen Elementary-release at 12:55 p.m. Junior High and High School release at 1:00 p.m.

The Imagination Station "Week of the Young Child" **April 22 & 24**

host their annual "Week of the state. Young Child" theme of "On the through 2nd grade.

> **Weather Line** 366-2000 Sponsored by Stratford Grain & ADM/Alliance Nutrition Greg Wright -7 days a

week, updating as needed

Higher fuel costs drive up Xcel **Energy bills**

Higher natural gas prices have SAFELY! resulted in an increase in the fuelcost portion of Xcel Energy customer bills in Texas.

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the Public Commission of Texas.

no profit to the company, are there are no sidewalks or 2844. figured through a fuel factor, or crosswalks. If you have to walk formula, that is set twice a year. on a road that does not have Walk Across Texas!! cost of natural gas over the possible so you can better see the color, sex, disability, religion, age or winter. These costs are not part of approaching traffic. a customer's base electric rate.

this fuel cost increase.

credited back to the customer.

Almost all utility companies are coming. that use large amounts of natural gas to generate power are people are hit by cars when they increasing fuel-related charges on customer bills. Even with the intersections. Cross in marked increases, Xcel Energy bills crosswalks, and obey traffic lights The Imagination Station will remain among the lowest in the and traffic signs. Look left, right,

> Xcel Energy is investing in power more efficiently. These drivers to see them or stop. our greenhouse gas emissions.

WALK ACROSS **TEXAS? DO IT**

By Susie Spurlock

Beginning May 1, Texas County began Sunday, April 6, dark. If you are pushing a stroller, presented at that time. 13 percent increase in the overall reminded of simple walking rules tape or reflective light. to protect themselves and fellow Reflective Safety Vest. Utility guidelines.

Look left, right, and left for The recently announced fuel traffic. Stop at the curb or the surcharge in Texas is also a edge of the road and look left, separate charge that will expire in right, and left again for traffic. March 2009. Its purpose is to Stopping at the curb signals recover past under collections of drivers that you intend to cross. If fuel costs. It is not factored into you see a car, wait until it goes by. Then look left, right, and left The increase in the fuel factor is again until no cars are coming. not permanent. If fuel prices fall Keep looking for cars while you over the next six months, the are crossing. If a car is parked winter factor will be less when it where you are crossing, make goes into effect in October. Any sure there is no driver in the car. over collections would be Then go to the edge of the car and look left-right-left until no cars

Cross at intersections. Most cross the road at places other than left, behind you (for cars turning

measures also will help us lower See and be seen. Remember benefit communities in the United States.

national origin.

Horsford Wins 1st Place

Kyle Horsford won 1st place with his hamp at the Houston Livestock Show. The pig was bred by Horsford Show Pigs. Kyle also won the \$100.00 Certified Texas Bred Award for that class for having the highest placing Texas bred pig of that class. Kyle is the son of Lance and Dinah Horsford. Photo by Barker Photography.

Lion Queens vie for Scholarships

The Lions Queen contest will highlight the 2008 2-T1 District Diseases Convention in Dalhart April 25- By David Graf

also wear bright colors or with a golf tournament at the Sherman County. reflective clothing if you are Dalhart Country Club, tee time, Three viruses have been walking near traffic when it is 1:00 PM. A BBQ dinner is isolated in testing at the Great raining, snowing, or foggy. Carry scheduled at the Rita Blanca Plains Diagnostic Lab in Walk Across Texas in Sherman a flashlight when walking in the Coliseum and golf awards will be Amarillo, including wheat streak

hours of power a month will see a participating. All participants are properly marked with reflective introduction of the Queens and a virus, Graf said. scholarship auction. After Symptoms include mottled and The breakfast is the District business or streaked leaves and may The increase was filed today walkers by following the safety Stratford EMS has reflective meeting and training seminars. appear to be the result of drought, safety vest for all interested Lion Steve Wiegand will host the he said. Laboratory testing is the Walk on the sidewalk. Stay on persons regardless of age. The Vice Governor's luncheon which only method of detection. Fuel costs, which are passed the sidewalk and use crosswalks. vests are \$8.00 each. To secure is followed by a Necrology through to customers directly at Avoid walking in traffic where one, call the EMS office at 396- Service. Dalhart's LaRita Theatre desiccate and die. While there is is the site for the much no remedy for virus infection, Here's to your safety as you anticipated Queens contest at producers may want to consider 3:00 p.m. which is open to the grazing a severely affected field, The summer factor will take sidewalks, most safety experts Educational programs of the Texas public. The convention will Graf said. effect May 1 and takes into advise to always walk facing the AgriLife Extension Service are open conclude with the Governor's account a 28 percent rise in the traffic and as far to the left as to all citizens without regard to race, banquet and reception. District Reserve Program grass are more Governor Bob Langhorne has issued the call to 51 Lions Clubs to attend the convention and is

Watch for Wheat

26. Each Lions club is to bring Wheat producers need to be their Club Queen, with aware there have been some scholarships awarded to first and reports recently of wheat disease second place winners and Miss in the Texas Panhandle, said on your shoes, cap, or jacket to Congeniality. Please enclose a David Graf, Texas AgriLife reflect the headlights of cars picture of your Queen candidate. Extension Service agriculture and coming toward you. You should The convention kicks off Friday natural resources agent for

mosaic, high plains virus and the with 24 persons make certain that the stroller is Saturday's breakfast will feature newly discovered triticum mosaic

Severely infected plants can

Fields adjacent to Conservation likely to be infected, he said. The wheat curl mite is the sole vector for each of these three diseases. Breaking this mite's cycle by eliminating the "green bridge" of live plants between wheat crops will help prevent its recurrence.

"Certainly producers need to be aware of its presence, so it can be managed," states Graf.'

Dr. Charlie Rush, Texas plant Research Agrilife pathologist in Amarillo, is currently conducting a wheat disease survey to compliment previous years of data.

Percentage of infected fields that have been tested in previous years have ranged from 25 to 60 percent.

Graf said anyone suspecting a disease problem should contact the Extension office for assistance in submitting samples. The office can be called at 366-2081.

Educational programs of the religion, age or national origin. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture and the County Commissioners Courts of

right) and in front of you (for cars Modern Woodmen Helps Out Farm". April 22 will feature crops upgrades to our generation and turning left). Look in every Local Modern Woodmen of America recently put their hands to Texas AgriLIFE Extension Service

and machinery. April 24 will transmission system that should direction. Continue to look for work helping out one of Stratford's favorite neighbors. On are open to all citizens without The April 24 slow the rise in future fuel costs cars as you cross the street. March 31, 2008, members of the Stratford Modern Woodmen regard to race, color, sex, disability, program is filled with some space by spurring the development of Drivers are supposed to watch out Camp worked together to clean up E.R. Bell's yard.

available on April 22. This more wind power, enabling us to for people walking and to stop to The project was part of the organization's Good Neighbor program is for pre-kindergarten import lower-cost power and allow pedestrians to cross safely, Program, a nationwide program that gives Modern Woodmen enabling us to generate our own but pedestrians cannot count on camps across the country money for hands-on repair and community beautification projects. Nearly 500 such projects

> that drivers need to see you to At E.R.'s home, the camp raked out countless bags of leaves from Customers can mitigate cost avoid you. Stay out of the driver's under all the bushes. They also cleaned out a pond that was full increases by using power more blind spot. Make eye contact with of leaves. We all had a wonderful time, especially the kids!! E.R. Daring ideas are like chessmen efficiently in their homes and drivers when crossing busy came out to enjoy the 30-member crew. Afterwards, the camp moved forward. They may be businesses. Information on how to streets. Dress to be seen. Brightly treated all the workers to pizza, drinks and desserts.

reduce power costs is available at colored clothing makes it easier "Modern Woodmen strives to give families opportunities to www.xcelenergy.com by clicking for drivers to see you during the volunteer and enhance their communities," says Laurie on the "residential" tab and going daytime. At night, you also need Spurlock, local Modern Woodmen camp secretary. "Our Good to the "save energy and money" to wear special reflective material Neighbors Program does both." Pictured are Russell Spurlock and Clint Seward working hard.

beaten, but they may start a winning game.

-Johann Wolfgang von Goethe



Obits



Doris Pronger Dyess

passed away Tuesday, April 1, 2008 in Stratford, Texas. Services Reunion on the occasion of the will be held at 2:00 PM, Friday, 70th anniversary of the April 4, 2008 at First United graduating class of 1929. An Methodist Church with Rev. Gene accomplished artist, Mrs. Dyess Weinette, pastor of the church was a long time member of the officiating. Burial will be in Tri Corner Art Association. A Stratford Arrangements are by Morrison presently on exhibit at Window This is a letter to the voters of

Funeral Directors. Doris Dyess was born March 2, Stratford. On February 12, 1938 Coldwater Manor. she married Roscoe Dyess of Memorials may be made to the sidewalks for all the drunks. Wayne County, Mississippi. They Stratford Cemetery Fund, PO Box The jail was filled to overflowing farmed and ranched in

Sherman County and also built and operated the Elk Pharmacy. They celebrated their 50th Box 1289, Stratford, TX 79084. wedding anniversary in 1988.

Following her husband's death in 1992, Mrs. Dyess continued her interest in agriculture in Sherman County and Los Animas County, Colorado.

Mrs. Dyess was a lifelong member of the First United Methodist Church in Stratford and a member of the King Sunday School Class. She was very active in community and civic affairs, belonging to the Friendship Club, the Star Club of the Extension Homemakers, and Sherman County Older Texans. She was involved in the organization of the Stratford Library and served on the Stratford Cemetery Board. She and Roscoe were named "Friends of 4-H" in 1985 for their support of Sherman County youth. In 1998, Mrs. Dyess received the Life Long Learner Award recognizing 58 years as a member of the Family and Community Education Club. She was named Sherman County Old Timers Queen in 1999. That same Doris Pronger Dyess - 96 year she addressed the Stratford **Ex-Students and Teachers**

Cemetery. number of her paintings are Dear Editor,

1912 to A.E. (Fred) and Ivie Dyess and wife Glenda of in the sale of alcohol, I felt I Pinkerton Pronger at the Granbury, TX. and Ernie Dyess needed to point out what comes headquarters of the Pronger and wife, Natacha of Poolville, with this action. Brothers Ranch in Sherman TX; daughter, Ellen Tillery and In 1939, Cockran County west County. Her father and his husband Sandy of Stratford, TX; of Lubbock voted in the sale of brother, P.J. Pronger was pioneer brother, A.E. Pronger Jr. of alcohol in package stores along ranchers in the county, and was Stratford; grandchildren, Wayne with across the counter sales in founders of the famed Pronger Dyess, Steve Dyess, Roxan eating establishments. This was in Brothers Registered Herefords. Bowman, Shane Dyess, Allison a large dry area that included She graduated from Stratford Dyess, Trisha Schoonover, Alisha Lubbock. On weekends, the road High School with the class of Gardner, Kendra Mungia; twenty to Lubbock was like rush hour 1929 as class valedictorian. She great-grandchildren and many traffic in the larger cities. Cafe's Women's nieces and nephews. Later in life, were opened in buildings that had University, McMurry College and she was blessed to be cared for by previously been vacant and even New Mexico Highlands College. Lana Watkins, Dorothy Varner, in some houses. Undesirable After college, she was employed Kenna Collums and Leslie individuals from all over the area by the First State Bank of Reagan as well as the staff of moved in (both men and women)

etters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

We live on Purnell St. It's a nice Street to live on and we enjoy waving at the walkers, but because of the terrible accident near us last week, we want to tell you walkers some important things.

First, please always wear light colored clothing so we can see you! How many times have we or our neighbors almost hit you because we couldn't see you? And the sun may be coming up or going down behind you.

Second, please walk on the side of the street, facing the on-coming traffic. So many people have told us they almost hit you in the middle of the street! Remember it is a street and vehicles do have the right of way.

With the weather warming up, it's nice to see folks out enjoying themselves. We want you to be safe also.

Glenn & Joyce Hart

on the Plains Museum in Dumas. Sherman County. Having lived in Survivors include; sons, Bill two small communities that voted

and you could hardly get down 188, Stratford, TX 79084 of First capacity every weekend and holiday. This, plus the increase of United Methodist Church, PO thefts, robberies, and accidents prompted the citizens to petition another election and it was voted

The citizens of Dimmitt were not that lucky. Precinct 1 in Castro County voted package store sales in the 1960's. This only included the portion of town that was mostly industrial. Over 90% of the city voters were not able to vote on this issue. The huge economic impact advertised, included a \$25.00 permit for 6 stores. It created six jobs that I know of who were paid for by the tax payers. In a short time, you could pass these stores at night and there were one or more alcoholics (the finished product of the alcohol industry) lounging nearby, who for the price of a bottle of cheap wine or a six-pack would buy the teens whatever

they wanted. The package-store owners did nothing about this and law enforcement were too busy working wrecks, burglaries, and domestic violence spend much time on it.

told me he didn't think it would the County Extension Office by changed his mind. He said people be made. paid on Saturday, so they would - Sherman County at 806-366to get their checks cashed. They 966-5346.

drank the remainder of their check, because it was easy to go Educational programs of Texas back and get more. They would AgriLife Extension Service are come in by mid-week out of open to all citizens without regard groceries and want credit or free to race, color, sex, disability, groceries. It was so prevalent that religion, age, or national origin. the grocer was having to ask the churches and welfare for help.

We don't need any of this in Sherman County. Vote no to the sale of alcohol in the upcoming election.

Sincerely Odell Arnold

Lunch N Learn **EE** Group Meeting April 15

By Susie Spurlock xas Beautifu

The Sherman County Lunch N Learn Extension Education Study Group will meet Tuesday, April 15th from 12 Noon to 1:00 p.m. in the meeting room of the County Extension Office.

The program will be on New Kitchen Tools for Easy Food (the by-product of the industry) to Preparation. Lunch will be served at the meeting for a small charge Our grocery man at that time of \$5.00 per person. Interested was a personal friend of mine and individuals are asked to contact make much difference. In less 5:00 p.m. Monday, April 14 so than three months time, he that adequate arrangements can

who were affected the most were For more information about the the laboring class, farm hands, Study Group or to reserve a seat vegetable harvesters, and at the meeting, please contact vegetable processors. Most were Texas AgriLife Extension Service come in and buy a few groceries 2122 or call Jean Everett at 806-



Guymon, Okla Movies Beginning April 11th

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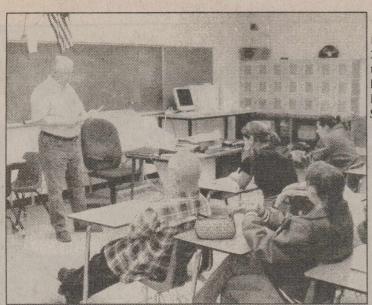
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April

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month.

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who knows what the weather will

be on the 26th. Starting now there

are three week-ends to clean-up in

April. It might be time to retrieve

your fall, winter and faded

flowers from the cemetery to get

ready for the cemetery clean-up

before Memorial Day. "Let

everyone sweep in front of his

own door and the whole world

Reunion July

New addresses are needed for

ex-students. Do you have a

change of address for family,

friends and class mates? We need

them now to mail information

before the stamp raise in May.

Please call Gaynelle Riffe 396-

5303 or B. A. Donelson 366-

will be clean." Goethe.

25-26

Jackson **April-KAB Month Keep America Beautiful Conducts Busy Keep Texas Beautiful** Session **Keep Stratford Beautiful** April is the national Klean-up

Cindy Jackson, president of GFWC/Prospectus, conducted a busy session April 2 at Sherman County Library. Club members selected 2008 Old Timer King and Queen, discussed rules of scholarship.

Several members planned to attend District meeting last Saturday in Dalhart A couple planned to go to TFWC 111th annual convention in Houston April 23-26.

Club members are reminded that club dues are due now.

Study Club will host Fall Board Ex-Students Oct. 11. Margaret Reed will be chairman for the event

Wanted: A few good ladies who like to work for the betterment of the community!

Installation of 2008-2010 Officers will be May 7. Jill Killian will be new president Others are President-Elect, Michelle Lutes; First Vice President, Cindy Jackson; Second Vice President, Laurie Spurlock; Secretary/Reporter Marylou McDaniel; Treasurer, Patti Vincent; Parliamentarian, Barbara Haile; Federation Counselor Margaret Reed.

Present were Cindy Jackson, Barbara Haile, Dorothy Haile, Margaret Reed, Marry Bain, Oline Caraway, Jill Killian, Marylou McDaniel, Mattie Baskin, Sandy Baskin, Linda

TRAINS, DOLLS AND PAINTINGS

The Scott Free Railroaders whose members come from Amarillo, Panhandle, Fritch, Borger and other locations in the Panhandle have prepared a layout that not only shows rail travel, but displays airplanes, trucks, cars and a pipeline to illustrate other forms of transportation. Teachers have requested this group as enhancement for the transportation units in social studies classes. They bring their models and layout materials to create a very interesting route for their trains to travel. Addressing many aspects of communities, the layout is delightful for children of all ages, and some who don'tconsider themselves children. This exhibit fills the Hazelwood Gallery and will be on display through May at the Carson County Square House Museum in Panhandle, Texas. Located at TX Hwy. 207 and Fifth Street.

Grace Geuther made exquisite porcelain dolls and clothed them in very fashionable clothing. This talented lady also was an extraordinary artist who took the beauty around her and put it into paintings others could enjoy. Her daughters, Emma Jean Geuther and Virginia Ferell have graciously loaned a part of their collection to the Museum through the end of May.

Come by and enjoy these exhibits. For further Information, please call 537-3524

Mr. Wayne Smith, Insurance Representative from the Smith Agency of Stratford, made an informative presentation to the DCP class of Stratford High School Thursday Morning, March 27, 2008. The students were informed of the types of insurance they should be interested in as they enter the work force or fields of advanced training. The topics included selection of types of health care insurance and auto insurance as well as homeowners and renter's insurance. Mr. Hembree and the students of the DCP class greatly appreciated the presentation and thank Mr. Smith for a job well done.



Of all known mammals, the yak-the wild ox native to the mountainous regions of Tibet-lives at the highest altitude

I have made mistakes, but I have never made the mistake of claiming that I never made one.

-James Gordon Bennett

THE GARDEN GATE

There's a new greenhouse in Stratford! Mary Carter will be opening April 16, 2008, weather permitting! Come by and see what Hardy Boy has to

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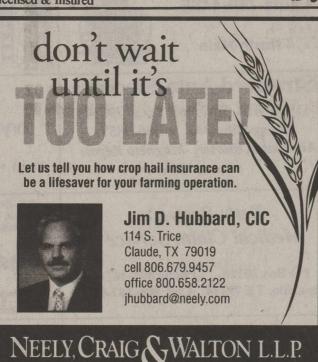
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Kerrick Community Church

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



The 5th & 6th grade boy's basketball team won 1st place at the Spearman Tournament. Team members include from left: Trevor Melton, Dillon Keener, Preston Burr, Jiovani Romera, Sterling Audrain, Ben Gilliland, Braiden Galla, Rett Schoonover, Chase Lutes and Brenda Bell-



8th grade reading trip members Back row L/R: Nicolas Barajas, Adriana Ibarra, Mariah Mireles, Carina Michel, Jordan Johnson, Ruben Duran, Monica Chavez, Erika Chavez. Front row L/R: Jacob Mariscal (standing), Dillon Sellers, Neftali Valenzuela.

Southwestern **Oklahoma State** University

Weatherford campus.

Stratford TX High School.

faculty advisor within the major dedicated men and women in they have selected, arid get all uniform. After spending more their questions answered.

Kautz Enrolled at The Moodys will be at the FUMC on Sunday, April 13, at 6 p.m.

A total of 338 high school The Moodys are one of the most seniors have enrolled for the 2008 fun filled and ministry focused fall semester at Southwestern families in The gospel Music Oklahoma State University as industry today. Hailing from part of the New Student Texas they have taken their style Orientation Program on the Of gospel music from coast to coast and border to border for Among the students who have over fourteen years. This family enrolled is Craig Henry Kautz of focused ministry has a style that some would say is a mixture of SWOSU is offering four more Both southern and country gospel enrollment opportunities for high while delivering their own school seniors who are planning personality that will Send you to attend SWOSU this fall. away having been both blessed Enrollment dates are April 22, and entertained. Touring for an June 11, July 14 and August 15. average of 200 dates a year The Students must apply and be Moodys spend a great deal of accepted to SWOSU before they their time sharing with you the can attend an enrollment session. love of a wonderful Savior as Each of the enrollment sessions well as there tremendous offers students the chance to meet appreciation for the ones who current SWOSU students and new daily give us the freedoms that we freshmen, visit and enroll with a all so richly enjoy . . .our

than 10 weeks singing and ministering to our troops in Iraq John shares first hand account's of what is really taking place in the hearts and lives of our troops. You will hear what the news media refuses to tell you . . . the truth. You won't want to miss the opportunity to experience this talented and dedicated family. Texas has long been known for its many sons and daughter who have made their mark in gospel music. Once you experience The Moodys you will agree that God has sent one more gift from Deep In The Heart Of Texas!



Arnold Palmer was the first pro golfer to earn \$1 million in

-5th & 6th grade girl's team placed 3rd in the Boise City tournament March 30. Back row L/R: Bethany Everett, Ana Guerrera, Magaly Guerrero, Desinya Garza, Madison Mungia. Middle Row LR: Diana Vasquez, Nohemi Ruedas, Jacqueline Gonzalez, Alexa Peregrino, Brittany Law and in front Landry Davis.



Scholars have identified more than 1,000 versions of the Cinderella fairy tale. Versions developed in many countries, including China, France, Germany, and Turkey.



Martins to Perform in Stratford

The Martins are coming to First Baptist Church of Stratford, Saturday, May 31, 2008 with special guests the 4Given Quartet. The Martins have traveled with the Gaither Homecoming, and have appeared at the White House for President Bush and First Lady Laura Bush, as well as with Billy Graham. It is rare to have someone of this caliber in Stratford. Don't miss your only chance to see the Martins in this area for 2008!!!!Call the First Baptist Church office at 396-5554 for tickets or contact any Ministerial Alliance pastor.

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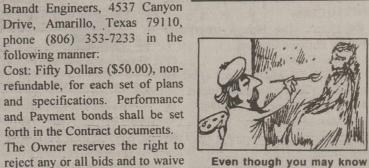
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Cards of Thanks

I want to thank the Chamber of Com merce for selecting me as Citizen of the year. I was overwhelmed I have thoroughly enjoyed my 25 years in Stratford. My heart will always be with this wonderful and its town citizens. I will certainly keep track of all of your activities and participate when possible.

Kathie Altman.



Even though you may know the painting as "Whistler's Mother," he called it "Arrangement in Gray and Black."



1750, coasters originally came with small wheels so drinks could be moved across a table. Sometimes shaped like tiny wagons, they were also known as sliders.

would like thank everyone who made the 2008 prom possible. Thank you to Steve and Brenda Johnson and Bill Reed and Sons for donating the meat for Moore's Food Pride and Susie and Wesley Spurlock for their donation to the meal and refreshments. I would also like to thank the committee Mayrene chairmen, Aduddell and Michelle Lutes decorations, Garza, Michelle Peggy Hawkins and Lanning Sheila skit and ViAnn Reed and Nita Barnard food. Thank you to all the parents and junior class members for their help in decorations, helping

put them up and take them down. Thank you to those of you who let us use your extension lights, cords and staplers. Also, a huge thank you to Connie Biddy and Lois Husmann for their custodial help and Lanette Nordyke for her help in the Thanks kitchen. again to all who had a part in this years prom, I think the kids had a great time.

> Dinah Horsford Prom Chairmen

Health

(NU) - Imagine creating a sense of home within a trusted pediatrician's office, a sort of medical home.

A medical home creates a sense of comfort and familiarity and also ensures the most comprehensive care for your child. Here your child's medical records are complete, both medical and non-medical needs are met and assistance is available to help the patient access specialty care, other health care services, educational services, in and out of home care, family support and community services important to overall health.

More and more experts such as the Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) are stressing the importance of this type of regular, ongoing care.

For more information about creating a medical home for your child, visit the American Acadof Pediatrics at www.aap.org.

Safety

(NU) - Each year, power lawn trimmers alone cause more than 1,500 eye injuries. Additionally, tree or bush branches can cause painful scratches to the eye, which may result in infection. Burns or eye irritations caused by fertilizers and weed killers are also a concern. As a result, the American Optometric Association offers these tips to help prevent eye injuries in your garden: • Wear wrap-around safety goggles made of polycarbonate. Don't rely on ordinary prescription glasses for eye safety. Cover the sharp tips of bamboo or metal stakes.

For more information, visit www.aoa.org.

Health

(NU) - Hot baths have been used for centuries to soothe ailments such as rheumatism, insomnia, diabetes, many forms of arthritis and even lower back pain. A study of elderly patients with chronic heart failure showed that hydrotherapy seems to improve these individuals' exercise capacity. A few tips to help an individual get the most out of their hydrotherapy experience includes taking time to relax, adding essential oils to the water, choosing a water temperature that will help most and creating a safe environment. For more information about Premier's hydrotherapy system, visit www.premier-bathrooms.com or call 1-800-578-2899.

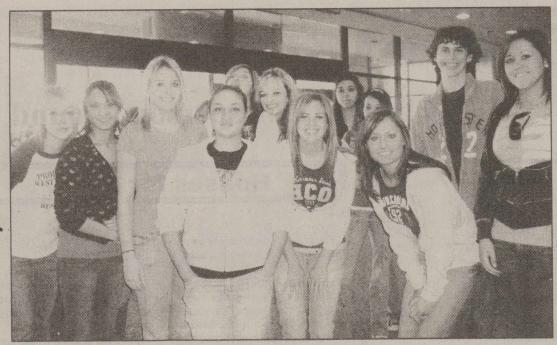
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Safety

(NU) - Since January of 2005, more than 217 million people have received notification that their personal information has been lost or taken from company databases. According to Federal Trade Commission reports, identity theft victims spend an average of 300 to 600 hours restoring their identity. Shredding documents, checking your credit report, enlisting in identity theft protection and looking out for your children's credit are all ways to protect against identity theft. For more information on securing your identity, visit LifeLock.com.



Field Trip Attended by Students Story below cutline by McKenzie Talcott

Anatomy & Physiology students attending class field trip to Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center L/R: Darcy Rosales, Veronica Brown, Whitney Reese, Lucero Ortega, Yadira Rojas, Brailey Palmer, Kristen Crabtree, Yesenia Ibarra, Claudia Acosta, Kelsey Stein, Austin Riffe, and Jordan Confer.

classes took a field trip to the an active lifestyle. Seeing these Texas Tech University Health organs in this manner was quite Best Sellers @ Sciences Center on February astonishing and eye-opening to 27th. The purpose of the trip was most of the students. to get an up-close and in-depth first-year medical studying to be a doctor.

tour of the brand new facilities first was that of Fetal Alcohol Sophie Kinsella that housed various clinics and Syndrome. classrooms. The lecture halls were very large and had cameras syndrome (FAS) is a disorder of 5. that would zoom in on you, if permanent birth defects that Patterson you so requested, in a class of occurs in the offspring of women 6hundreds so that you could be who drink alcohol during Jeffrey Archer placed on a large projection pregnancy. It is unknown screen to interact and discuss the whether amount, frequency or topic at hand with others in the timing of alcohol consumption room or those from a distance via during pregnancy causes a technology.

Anatomy Lab where human baby looked relatively normal dissection occurs. The lab's from the front view but when the morgue housed over 120 bodies instructor turned the baby around to supply the medical students where we could see its head and with hands-on training for their back, we then saw the physical fields of study. We were not damage the fetus had incurred. allowed to see an actual full- A large portion of the cranium body cadaver for several reasons and skull did not form and the including age, shot records, back of the brain and other certain laws, etc. We were able important central nervous system to see cadaver "parts" including parts were left exposed and

a foot cut just above the ankle. It astonishing and made it seem was fully dissected so we were very "real." able to see the intricacy of the All-in-all, we had a great trip tendons and deep muscles that and how could we not when you lie in the bottom portion of our get to eat Spanky's cheese sticks foot. The next part we saw was too! that of the pelvic area and thigh. This portion had already been through a preservation process. This process replaces all of the water found in the tissues with a silicone polymer preserving the part indefinitely. We also saw a portion of a leg cut just above and just below the knee. This person had received a knee replacement in their lifetime and we were able to visualize how this type of procedure can enable a person to be active again once a traumatic injury occurred. The tour guide explained how technology is excelling in such a manner that the next type of joint replacements may have to be banned from professional athletics because they will ultimately be better than anything we've ever seen in the medical field and could provide an advantage over someone who has never even been injured!

We also saw several human organs during our visit. As a class, we have dissected a rat and a fetal pig this year but seeing actual human organs did not even compare to what we've seen in our dissection specimens! Some of the organs originated from healthy individuals and others were from those who had acquired disease throughout their life either genetically or brought on by themselves and their lifestyle. We were able to see first-hand what the effects of drinking, smoking, and lack of exercise can make our organs look like and were able to understand better why the would no longer work as efficiently once exposed to such toxins. We saw a smoker's lungs compared to non-smokers, an alcoholic's liver compared to that of a nondrinker, and someone who had passed away due to complications from obesity

The Anatomy & Physiology compared to that of a person with

The final part of the Gross Fiction look at the human body and Anatomy lab tour took place in By Sandy Baskin-Librarian experience a day in the life of a the embalming room. Here we 1 student were able to see evidence of two Kellerman different birth defects from 2. When we arrived at the Health babies that were still born Grisham Sciences Center, we were given a because of their disorders. The 3. Fetal alcohol

difference in degree of damage Next, we visited the Gross done to the fetus. This particular unprotected. Seeing all of these The first "part" we saw was things in person was quite

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Texans aged 65 or older can Ken Follett postpone paying delinquent and 23. current taxes on their homes. McEwan They can take advantage of a tax 24. option called "over-65 deferral" McCarthy by signing an affidavit at the 25. Sherman County Appraisal by Philippa Gregory District office.

If the affidavit is on file, an 1. older homeowner cannot lose a Can You) by Stephen Colbert homestead because of delinquent 2. taxes. Once a homeowner files an Marcus Luttrell over-65 tax deferral affidavit with 3. the appraisal district, no taxing Dungy unit can start or continue a 4. lawsuit for delinquent taxes as Elizabeth Gilbert long as that person owns and lives 5. in that home. The tax deferral by Barack Obama only postpones paying delinquent 6. taxes on the home; it does not Don Piper cancel them.

The form and more information Krakauer are available at the Appraisal 8. District office, 402 N. 3rd Street John Grisham in Stratford or call (806) 366- 9

He who would travel happily must travel light. -Antoine de Saint-Exupery

This grand show is eternal. It is always sunrise somewhere; the dew is never all dried at once; a shower is forever falling; vapor is ever rising. Eternal sunrise, eternal sunset, eternal dawn and gloaming, on sea and continents and islands, each in its turn, as the round earth rolls. -John Muir

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Students Who Qualified for UIL **Regional Academic Meet**

Qualifying for the UIL Regional Academic Meet this coming weekend in Abilene, TX seated L/R: Becky Rosales, April Peregrino, Kristen Crabtree, and Jennie Spurlock - Accounting Team. Standing L/R: Tyler Gilliland - Headline Writing, Austin Riffe - Poetry, Whitney Reese - Poetry and Brooke Barnard - Computer Applications. Congratulations and Good Luck!!



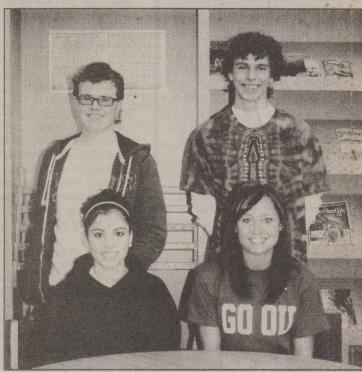
ELK TALES

By Lynda Hauser

Our last Six Weeks began Monday and it's eight weeks long. Just 5 more school day Mondays, though! We have 2 Monday snow days in May. On Tuesday the 5th and 8th grades took the Math TAKS. The nurse will be doing screenings this week in grades 5-8.

We send our best wishes to one of our own, Kaci McBryde, as she World Without End by recovers from an accident. We miss you, Kaci, and are looking Palace forward to seeing you when you get home. Get well soon! That's all I've got this week.

Quote of the week: "Excellence is in the details. Give attention to the details and excellence will Duma Key by Stephen come." — Perry Paxton



Receiving Awards At District One Act Play

Receiving awards at District One-Act play seated L/R: Margarita Rocha - Honorable Mention Cast, Kelsey Stein - Best Stage Manager. Standing L/R: Tanner Riffe - All-Star Cast and Austin Riffe – Honorable Mention Cast.

Cooling Off Heartburn

(NAPS)-Frequent heart burn-defined as two or more episodes per week-affects nearly 30 million Americans, resulting in diet changes and sleep interferences, and increasing the risk of esophageal damage.

Fred Eckel, registered pharmacist and professor at the University of North Carolina's School of Pharmacy, provides these tips for frequent heartburn management:



There are a number of ways to treat frequent heartburn, including over-the-counter medicines.

· Heartburn-Healthy Eating: Avoid certain foods that have been linked to frequent heartburn, such as spicy, acidic and fatty cuisines.

Forgo Nighttime Snacking: Avoid eating at least three hours before bedtime and keep your head elevated while sleeping.

· Manage Stress: Many heartburn sufferers identify stress as a trigger for symptoms. Avoid Overeating: Overeating

can increase stomach acid production and often triggers frequent heartburn.

·Use Heartburn Medication: While an antacid will provide immediate, temporary relief, Eckel says that frequent heart-burn sufferers will benefit most from a proton pump inhibitor. Store brand Omeprazole will deliver the same medicine at the same dose as Prilosec OTC, but for less money.

For more information, visit www.treatmyheartburn.com.

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items go to www.hlc- Jacquez - 6th - 3'00.25; 1600 M lib.org/stratford. Next click on Run: 4th - Stratford, 7:21.63; The influence of each human "Search the catalog" and search 400 M Relay: 4th - 1:02.19 being on others in this life is a Sherman County Library. Call (M'Lynn Wells, Alex Asher, 366-2200 and we will be happy to Diana Lopez, Meghan Brooks); place a hold on the item for you.

Track Results

The 7th grade Lady Elks competed at the Canadian Middle School Relays on Saturday, March 29, 2008 and placed 3rd with 119.5 points. Individual results as follows:

1600 M Relay: 3rd-5:15.22 (Meghan Brooks, Alex Asher, M'Lynn Wells, Erika Robles); 100 M Hurdles: Karen Lozoya 6th - 22.94; **300 M Hurdles:** Karen Lozoya - 6th - 1:02.53; Long Jump: Erika Robles – 4" 12'-6 1/2", Meghan Brooks - 6th 12'-3 ½ "; Shot Put:

Veronica Lemus – 1st – 30'11" (New Meet Record); Tera Harris - 2nd - 28'-0 ½"; Kaylee Mungia $-6^{th} - 23' - 0 \frac{1}{2}$; **Discus:** Veronica Lemus – 1st – 67'9", Tera Harris – 2nd – 62'-1"; High Jump: Meghan Brooks - 5th -4'-0"; Pole Vault: Alex Asher -Harris - 5th - 15.52; 200 M Dash: Elizabeth Reyes - 5th -400 M Dash: Diana Lopez - 4th

1:22.83; 800 Run: Erika Robles – 1st – 2:51.08, Elizabeth Reves - 6th - 3:18.53; **1600 M** Run: Elizabeth Reyes - 3rd -7:29.75, Shyanne Acker - 5th 8:14.19; 400 M Relay: 3rd -1:01.12 (M'Lynn Wells, Alex 1st - 6:35.11; 2400 M Run: 1st Asher, Diana Lopez, Meghan Brooks; 800 M Relay: 3rd -2:14.03 (Meghan Brooks, Alex Robles).

On Saturday, April 5, 2008 the 7th Grade Lady Elks held in Fritch Texas. The Lady Shot Put: Tori McGinnis – 4th Individual Results as follows:

100 M Dash: Tera Harris - Rouse - 2nd - 7'-0". 6th - 14.86; 800 M Run: Erika To check the availability of these items $\frac{1}{2}$ Robles -1^{st} -2:52.25, Elizabeth Reyes -5^{th} -3:09.25, Stephanie

800 M Relay: 3rd - 2:14.31 (Meghan Brooks, Alex Asher, M'Lynn Wells and Erika Robles); 1600 M Relay: 4th + 5:20.00 (Meghan Brooks, Alex Asher, M'Lynn Wells, Erika Robles); Shot Put: Veronica Lemus - 1st - 31'-10", -Tera Harris $-2^{nd} - 29'-0"$; Discus: Veronica Lemus - 79'-9"; High Jump: Alex Asher - 1st -4'-6": Pole Vault: Alex Asher - 1st -6'-0".

The 8th grade Lady Elks competed at the Canadian Middle School Relays on March 29, 2008 and placed 4th with 52 points. Individual results as follows:

100 M Dash: Maiwald-6th-15.88; 800 M Run: Tori Rouse – 4th – 2:55.65; **1600** - 6'-0"; 100 M Dash: M Run: Tori Rouse - 2nd Haydee Rojas - 4th - 15.16, Tera 6:13.00; 400 M Relay: 4th -1:03.17 (Perla Reta, Adriana Ibarra, Shannon Maiwald, 33.91, Tera Harris – 6th – 34.10; Morrica King); **800 M Relay**: 4th -2:13.22 (same as above).

The 8th grade Lady Elks placed 5th with 46 points at the District Track meet in Fritch on April 5, 2008. Individually they placed as follows:

1600 M Run: Tori Rouse Tori Rouse - 10:20; 400 M Relay: 4th – 1:00.37 (Perla Reta, Adrianna Ibarra, Shannon Asher, M'Lynn Wells, Erika Maiwald, Monica King); 800 M Relay: 5th - 2:11.60 (Carina Michel, Perla Reta, Tori Rouse, Monica King); 300 M Hurdles: competed at the District Meet 6th - Carina Michel - 1:05.08; Elks placed 4th with 92 points. 27'-9"; Discus - Tori McGinnis - 6th - 61'-7"; Pole Vault; Tori

kind of immortality.

-John Quincy Adams