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## Stone takes back to back Gold in Class 2A Boys Shot Put

Tanner Stone takes back to back Gold in Class 2A Boys Shot put, becoming the first Elk athlete to win back-to-back gold medals in track during the UIL State Track and Field Meet at Mike A. Myers Stadium. Everybody says hard work pays off," Stone said. "That's an absolute fact. I have put in hours of work, and for it to pay off is amazing. "I am blessed to be where I am from," Stone said. "I enjoy waking up every morning and going to school at Stratford. I'm going to miss it I am. But this is a great way to go out. Congratulations to Tanner and good luck in your future plans.



# McBryde Named JHS Valedictorian

The Stratford Junior High School Valedictorian is Ty David McBryde, son of Gared and Misti McBryde, the grandson of the late Doug McBryde and Joyce McBryde and Charles and Joanna Hafer. Ty has a numerical grade point average of 98.545 for two years of work. He has participated in Dictionary Skills, Maps, Graphs and Charts, Mathematics and Science in UIL Academic Competitions. Ty was also involved in Football, Basketball and Track in SJH Athletics. He was named on the Honor Roll and received the President's Education Award.

Ty is a member of the First Baptist Church of Stratford and enjoys skiing, reading and attending sporting events when not at school.



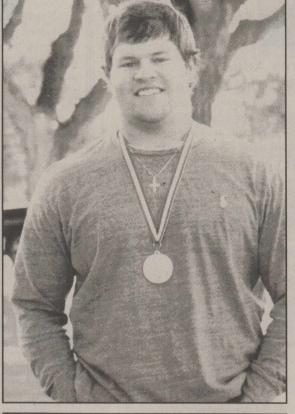
# McBryde Named JHS Salatorian

Salutatorian of the 8th grade class is Kenlee Layne McBryde, daughter of Brad and Kaci McBryde and granddaughter of Joyce McBryde, the late Doug McBryde, and Ken and Barbie Wight. Kenlee has a numerical grade point average of 97.272 for two years work. She has participated in UIL Ready Writing, Social Studies, Maps, Graphs & Charts, Editorial Writing, Dictionary Skills, Listening Skills, and was the district champion in Impromptu Speaking. Throughout junior high, Kenlee has been a cheerleader, played basketball, and run cross country and track. She has been on the honor roll and received the President's Education Award. Kenlee is a member of the Jr FFA club where she enjoys showing pigs at the county and major shows. She attends the First United Methodist Church of Stratford and is very active in the youth group there. In her spare time, Kenlee likes to play sports and spend time with her friends and family.

The Board of Trustees of Stratford
Independent School District
Cordially invite you to attend a
retirement reception honoring

Penny Boyd
Steve Haynes
Jim Parham
ViAnn Reed
Lance Horsford

Sunday, May 22, 2016 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Stratford High School Library







Laynee Burr shown at left took a Bronze Medal in the Class 2A 100 Hurdles. Andy Reyes took 4<sup>th</sup> place in 800 meter run and Maty Mace took 5<sup>th</sup> in Discus. Congratulations to all who competed.

#### **CORRECTION ON DATES**

## FUMC Invites Children to Cave Quest VBS: Following Jesus, the Light of the World!

A summer kids' event called Cave Quest VBS will be hosted at First United Methodist Church from Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup> thru Tuesday, June 14 At Cave Quest, kids explore what it means to follow Jesus through dark times. Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, experience one-of-a-kind Bible adventures, and collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of Jesus' love. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God Sightings. Each day concludes with a Cave Quest Closing that gets everyone involved in living what they've learned. Family members and friends are encouraged to join in daily for this special time at 7:30-8:00pm.

Cave Quest is for kids going into Pre-K to 6th grade and will run from 5:00-8:00 PM each day. For more information, call VBS Director Cassi Hudson (806) 290-1808

### Cemetery Clean Up Sat. May 21,

Please bring your push mower, weed eater, rake, tree trimmers, etc to the Cemetery at 9:30 a.m. to prepare for the Memorial bay Program on Monday, May 30.

We have loved the rain and so have the weeds. Can you give me and the city a helping hand to catch up? I am willing to help the city with the mowing and trimming while they repair the sewer, water and streets which I cannot help do. I have mowed the highway tree line and downtown alleys, three times already, when two years ago I mowed maybe 5 times the whole summer. David Rhea and I have picked up 4 trailers of tumble weeds at the cemetery alone and there are still more. Come out Saturday or any day before that the help clean up. There are many families no longer here and "out of sight, out of mind". The Historical Commission is also trying to get permanent markers for all the graves over 3 years old.

Another help would be to pull the weeds from the decorative brick curb on Main St. I have sprayed but have not eliminated them. They are very easy to pull after a rain. The second person to pass is as guilty as the first. Curb appeal and Keep Stratford Beautiful.

Gaynelle Riffe

#### DON'T FORGET THE CHIROPRACTOR'S HERE ON FRIDAYS!

Dr. Ian Kelly DC, is open Fridays 8am-5pm, closed for lunch from 1-2 pm.Located in **Strandz n Tanz Salon on Main Street**, Dr. Kelly offers chiropractic-based spinal adjustments as well as extremity care and specializes in performance-based care for all athletic sports. Call 806.337.2084 for appointments but walk-ins are welcome and will be worked in between appointments. Sorry, we do not accept insurance. Dr. Kelly's also certified in Animal Chiropractic through Parker University, and available for barn calls on Friday night, but appointments must be made at least 24 hours in advance and a veterinarian referral is required. *No pets in the office please*.

\*Brought to you by Sherman County Development.

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## **Obituaries**



#### Paul Leroy Aduddell October 8, 1939-May 15, 2016

Paul Leroy Aduddell passed away peacefully at Coldwater Manor on May 15, 2016, in Stratford, TX. A memorial service will be held at 3:00 p.m., on Friday, May 20, 2016, at the First Christian Church in Stratford, with pastors Terry Stegall and Rusty Hancock officiating.

Paul was born on October 8, 1939, to Paul and Mildred Aduddell of Stratford. He was a 1958 graduate of Stratford High School and went on to graduate from Texas A & M in 1963 with an Agricultural Economics degree. He was a member of the Company D-1 "Spider D" Corp.

Paul grew up with a love for cattle and horses. He showed cattle extensively in High School and went on to raise cattle and show horses for the most of the rest of his life. Paul was a farmer and rancher. He owned and operated Sierra Vista Ranch. He retired from the Texas Dept. of Criminal Justice. Paul always had an eye for a good horse.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents, Paul and Mildred Aduddell.

He is survived by three children, Deide and husband Ted Zieman live in Conlen, David and wife Jennifer Aduddell live in Amarillo, and Don and wife Maryrene Aduddell live in Stratford. He has seven grandchildren, Cheyenne and Channing Zieman, Austin and Taylor Aduddell, Heather and Stephanie Seiler, and Connor Esparza.

He is also survived by his sister, Frankie and husband Bud Shields of Stratford as well as a brother Cleo and wife Debbie Aduddell of Stratford.

The family requests memorials be made to Coldwater Manor Activity Fund, P.O. Box 1189, Stratford, TX 79084. The family would also like to sincerely thank all the staff at Coldwater Manor for extending Paul's time here on earth and for becoming part of his family this past year.

## Deadline for The Stratford Star

Deadline for Stratford Star items. Photos by Sundays at 4 p.m. Letters to Editor 9 a.m. on Mondays (typed) and all other articles and ads at 10 a.m. on Mondays. (PLEASE) Thank you

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The follies which a man regrets most in his life are those which he didn't commit when he had the opportunity.

-Helen Rowland

## Stratford Country Club Membership Drive

The Stratford Country Club is having a membership drive from February 1-June 15. New members will be accessed only \$100.00 membership fee and \$65.00 monthly dues during this time instead of \$150.00 membership fee. Please contact Suzanne Ashley at First State Bank 396-5521 for more information or to enroll.

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The Stratford Star is no longer sending out notices when your paper is due. Check the label on the paper and see what month your subscription expires. I will be putting "Stars" on the current month" If you have a Star on your label it means that your sub expires that month. If you are not sure the amount you owe if you live out of the area call 753-7373 and double check. Locally is \$33.00 and out of the area \$40.00. If you are paying for someone else's sub, you will be billed for that person. The Stratford Star, PO Box 8, Stratford, TX 79084
Thanks-Marty

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Stratford Family Medical Clinic

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Mon. – Thurs 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. Fri, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. 396-5583 Tommy Brian, ANP & Krista Brown ANP

Elk Pharmacy

Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m. – 5:30 PM
"Check our Competitive pricing"
"Compounding Available"
366-5505 Shelly Worley, PharmD,RPH

Coldwater Manor Nursing Facility

396-5568 Mark Moore, LNFA

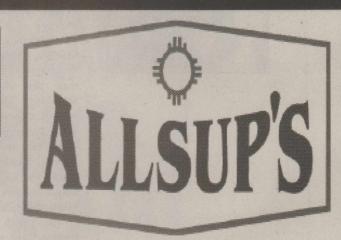
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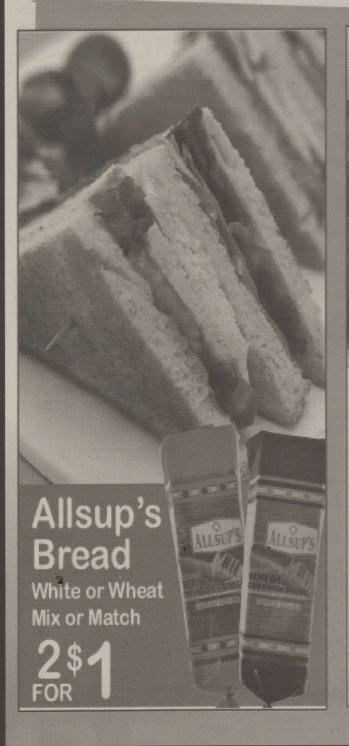
9-1-1 or 396-2844 Jimmy Lanning, Director.

The Stratford Hospital District operates on a non-discriminatory basis, giving equal treatment and access to services without regard to sex, race, religion, age or ethnicity.

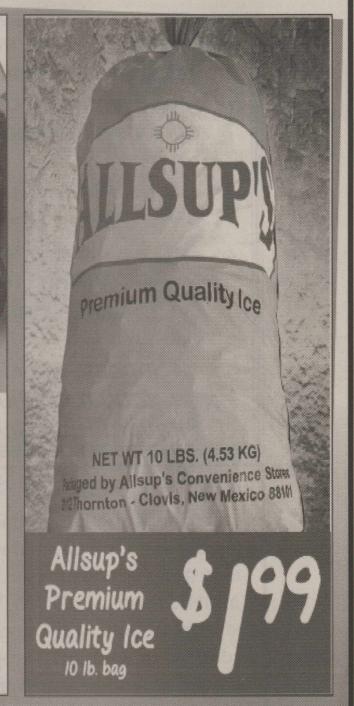
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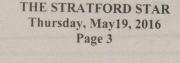
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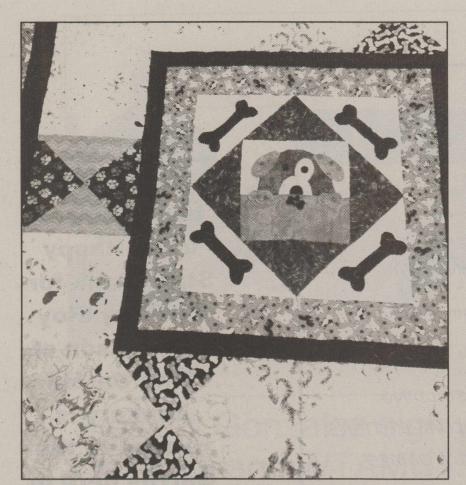












## 4-H Sponsors Quilt Raffle to Support Retired Military and Service Dogs

Sherman County 4-H is sponsoring a quilt raffle to contribute to the state 4-H service project Eli's Fund. This year the Texas 4-H Council has selected Eli's Fund for their statewide charitable giving campaign effort. This memorial fund was established for Lance Corporal Colton Rusk of Orange Grove, TX. Eli, a bomb-sniffing military working dog was assigned to US Lance Cpl. Colton Rusk. In December, 2010, Lance Cpl. Rusk was killed by sniper fire in Afghanistan. Eli, ever faithful to his handler was left depressed and alone. He would not leave Lance Corporal Rusk's cot at the base for several weeks. In February 2011 Lance Cpl. Rusk's family in South Texas was allowed to adopt Eli. The Texas Veterinary Medical Foundation (College of Veterinary Medicine, CVM) has pledged to cover all of Eli's veterinary care for the rest of his life. The CVM established Eli's Fund as a source of financial support for active duty service men and women, medically retired veterans' service animals and retired military animals.

In Support of this worthwhile cause Sherman County 4-H is selling chances on this handmade puppy themed quilt. A donation of \$5 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20 is requested. Tickets may be obtained from Sherman County 4-H members or the Sherman County AgriLife Extension office. Checks are tax deductible and may be made out to Sherman County 4-H. Call 806-366-2081 or come by the Extension office 701 north 3rd street for tickets or more information

# Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Lunch & Learn

Thursday, May 19th there will be a Lunch and Learn program held at the Imagination Station. "Back to Basics- Around the Home" will be the topic of the day. The program will be from noon to 1. Cost of the program and lunch is \$10. RSVP to 806-366-2081 is appreciated but not required for the program.

ARE NOW BEING SOLD IN THE
SHERMAN COUNTY TAX OFFICE
LOCATED IN THE COURTHOUSE
701 N. 3<sup>RD</sup> ST. STRATFORD TX 79084



# Party For A Cause

Come Join Us for
Music-Food-Auction-Dancing
May 28, 2016
Stratford Country Club
Dinner @ 5:30
Auction to Follow
Dance till Midnight

All proceeds will go to help Chelsea Christian Miller and her family with medical expenses.

Contact Jeff Kautz or Greg Wright for more information

# The Churches of Stratford Welcome You

First Assembly of God Kevin Anderson, Pastor 921 Fulton Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

First Christian Church
5th & Main
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. (nursery)
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. (nursery)
No Sunday evening Worship Service

First United Methodist Rev. Steve Ulrey 396-2178 520 N. Main Sunday School 9:20 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Junior & Senior High UMY 6:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
6th & Pearl
Rectory 366-5687
Sunday morning 8:00 a.m. (English) 9:30 (Spanish)
Sacrament of Reconciliation Before Mass or t.
Christian Formation Classes K-6 Grade Wed. Afternoon
Jr. & Sr. High. Wed. 6:30-8:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Pastor Ron Whitt
702 N. 3<sup>rd</sup>
Sun.-Coffee 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Children 6 p.m. youth 7 p.m.

Heritage Bible Baptist
Pastor Mark Looney
302 S. Main
For more info-call 396-2212
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Thurs. Service 7:00 p.m.

La Mision Bautista
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401 S. Wall 396-5376
Domingo (Sunday)
Estuela Dominical 9:45 a.m.
Miercoles (Wednesday)
Servicio De Adoration 11 a.m. Estudio
Biblico & Servicio De Oraction 6 p.m.
Servicio De Adoration 6 p.m. se Cuidamos
Susuinos Durante El Servicio

Eben-Ezer Templo Hispano
Asambleas De Dios
Pastor: Juan M. Valenzuela
806-366-3071
205 N. Poplar-Hwy 287 268-2188
Escuela Dominical 10 a.m. - 12 noon
Servicio De Adoracion 5 p.m.-7 p.m.
Miercoles: Servicio De Adoracion 6-8 p.m.

Kerrick Community Pastor Roy Harris Community Building 10 a.m. Worship Service

Church of Christ
Raymond Glendinning
N. 3<sup>rd</sup> & Chestnut
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.



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#### SLE BASKETBALL CAMP

WHEN: JUNE 6-9 1:00-4:30

WHERE: STRATFORD HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

HOW MUCH: \$35 Individual, \$20(per) for family groups

WHO: Incoming 2nd - 9th grade girls

WHAT: COME ENJOY FUN TIMES WHILE BUILDING
FUNDAMENTAL SKILLS, COMPETING IN SKILLS COMPETITIONS,
AND PLAYING IN 3 ON 3 AND 5 ON 5 DAILY GAMES.

ATHLETES WILL GET A CAMP T-SHIRT, INCREASED KNOWLEDGE OF THE GAME AND COMPETITIVENESS, AND A GOOD TIME.

REGISTER: Registration is open, please return form and money to Coach MARTIN

Name:

Shirt Size:

Guardian Name/Phone/Signature:

he risk of injury to my child from the activit isk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and

) FOR MYSELF, SPOUSE, AND Child's participation; and,

I willingly agree to comply with the program's stated and customary terms and conditions for participamove my child from the participation and bring such attention of the nearest official immediately; and,

pouse, my child, and on behalf of my/our heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS

A Medical Fund
has been set
up at Happy
State Bank for
Zackary Eloy
Garcia, son of
Tina Garcia
Zackary is
related to the
Garzas here in
Stratford

#### **SCOT HALL ACTIVITIES**

Men's Pool-daily 1 p.m. M-F

Ladies Mexican Train Dominoes-Mondays 1:30 p.m.

Ladies Chair Exercises-M-W-F 10:00 -10:30 a.m.

Ladies Yoga-Tuesdays 9:15-10:00 a.m.

Bingo-Second Tuesday 7 p.m.

4th Thursday Immediately following noon luncheon

Monthly Luncehon-4<sup>th</sup> Thursday-12 noon (covered dish luncheon)

## **Business Directory**

PO Box 510 Stratford, TX 79084 Phone: 806-366-5557

### **Duncan Chevrolet**

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E-mail-duncanch@xit.net
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4 North Main

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> Tel: (806) 366-5592 \*Toll-free 800-624-5494 Fax: (806) 366-2583

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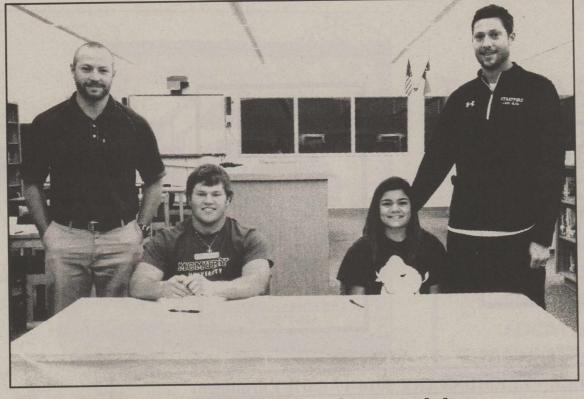
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935-5507

## THE STRATFORD STAR

**Duane & Marty Robertson** 

PO Box 8 Office: 806-366-5885 Stratford, TX 79084 Fax: 366-5884 e-mail: stardm@xit.net



Stone & Gonzalez sign with McMurry and WTAMU

Tanner Stone and Samantha Gonzalez signed with McMurry University and WTAMU respectively. Tanner will be playing football and track at McMurry University and Samantha will be running Cross Country at West Texas A&M. Shown with these athletes are Coach Matt Lovorn and Coach Tanner Martin.



### **Attention Stratford Residents**

Please be advised that high grass and weeds are a fire/health/safety issue and must be kept under control per Stratford Ordinance Sections 6.03.00 1 and 6.03.002. The City Code Enforcement Officer will be checking properties in the upcoming weeks for compliance with thee and other ordinances. Citations for noncompliance may be issued. Please be sure to keep your property, including behind fence lines and up to the alleyways, free of high grass/weeds and other debris in order to avoid a Citation. For further information, call 806-268-4158.

### Imagine That at The **Imagination Station**

Summer time! Tuesday, June 14 'Flag Day Fun" 1:00-2:30 crafts, flag etiquette, refreshments, \$1.00 per person for all ages.

July 11-14 Drama Camp ages 4-6 10-11a.m, ages 7-11 2-4p.m. pre-register \$15.00 per person. Tuesday, July 26 Amarillo Museum of Art Egypt" ages 6 and up \$1.00 July 30, Block Party.

September 9-10 "Whale of a Sale" We are ready to receive your treasurers, give us a call. Board Members: Nita Barnard, Jana Clift(new) Cindy Jackson, Jill Killian, Kathy Melton, Yvonne Pittman, Don & Gaynelle Riffe, Laurie Spurlock.

### Week of the Young Child **April 25-27**

The Imagination Imagination Station held the Week of the Young Child for3l6 prekindergarten to 2 grade children from Texhoma, cactus, Sunray, Stratford. The theme was "Fairy Tales". Presenters: "Jack and the Bean Stalk" Yvonne Pittman, Cindy Jackson, planted magic beans; "Rapunzel" Let down your hair, Kathy Melton; "Cinderella" through the years, Laurie Spurlock; "Hansel and & Gretel", Jill Killian with

Gingerbread cookies. Little Red Riding Hood, & Gaynelle Riffe

### ALL ARE WELCOME FOR A SUMMER TIME KICK OFF!



Join us for a fun filled day of golf and swimming!

COME CHECK OUT THE UPDATED CLUBHOUSE AND ENJOY A FREE WILL DONATION HAMBURGER DINNER

## Are You Prepared?

Every year across our Nation, some homes survive - while many others do not - after a major wildfire. Those that survive almost always do so because their owners had prepared for the eventuality of fire, which is an inescapable force of nature in fireprone areas. Said in another way - if it's predictable, it's preventable! Wildfires often begin unnoticed. These fires are usually triggered by lightning or accidents. They spread quickly, igniting brush, trees, and homes. Reduce your risk by preparing now before wildfire strikes. Meet with your family to decide what to do and where to go if wildfires threaten your area. Follow the steps listed below to protect your family, home, and property.

#### Wildfire Preparedness Checklist

Make a disaster supply kit and have a family plan

Design and landscape your home with wildfire safety in mind: select materials and plants that can help contain fire rather than

Use fire-resistant or noncombustible materials on the roof and exterior structure of the dwelling, or treat wood or combustible material used in roofs, siding, decking or trim with fire-retardant chemicals evaluated by a nationally recognized laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL) Plant fire-resistant shrubs and trees (for example, hardwood trees are less flammable than pine, evergreen, eucalyptus or fir trees)

Regularly clean roof and gutters

Inspect chimneys at least twice a year. Clean them at least once a year. Keep the dampers in good working order. Equip chimneys and stovepipes with a spark arrester that meets-the requirements of National Fire Protection Association Standard 211. (Contact your local fire department for exact specifications)

Use 1/8-inch mesh screen beneath porches, decks, floor areas, and the home itself. Also, screen openings to floors, roof and

Install a dual-sensor smoke alarm on each level of your home, especially near bedrooms; test monthly and change the batteries at least once each year

Teach each family member how to use a fire extinguisher (ABC type) and show them where it's kept

Keep handy household items that can be used as fire tools: a rake, axe, handsaw or chain saw, bucket and shovel Keep a ladder that will reach the roof

Consider installing protective shutters or heavy fire-resistant drapes Clear items that will burn from around the house, including wood piles, lawn furniture, barbecue grills, tarp coverings, etc. Move them outside of your defensible space

WATER: Identify and maintain an adequate outside water source such as a small pond, cistern, well, swimming pool, or

WATER: Have a garden hose that is long enough to reach any area of the home and other structures on the property

WATER: Install freeze-proof exterior water outlets on at least two sides of the home and near other structures on the property. Install additional outlets at least 50 feet from the home

WATER: Consider obtaining a portable gasoline powered pump in case electrical power is cut off

#### Prepare Your Home For A Wildfire

It is recommended that you create a 30 to 100 foot safety zone around your home. Within this area, you can take steps to reduce potential exposure to flames and radiant heat. Homes built in pine forests should have a minimum safety zone of 100 feet. If your home sits on a steep slope, standard protective measures may not suffice. Contact your local fire department or forestry office for additional information.

Rake leaves, dead limbs and twigs, and clear out all flammable vegetation Remove leaves and rubbish from under structures

Thin a 15-foot space between tree crowns, and remove limbs within 15 feet of the ground

Remove dead branches that extend over the roof

Prune tree branches and shrubs within 15 feet of a stovepipe or chimney

Ask the power company to clear branches from power lines

Remove vines from the walls of the home

Mow grass regularly Clear a 10-foot area around propane tanks and the barbecue area

Place a screen over the barbecue grill—use nonflammable material with mesh no coarser than

one-quarter inch

### **Card of Thanks**

I would like to say thank you to the community of Stratford. The outpouring of love and appreciation for Bill has been amazing. Your prayers, calls, cards, visits, gifts, food, plants, flowers, memorials have been overwhelming. It's wonderful to know how loved you are.

Kay Mires & Family

### Mitchell Theaters

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www.sequoyah8.com
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On average, people fear spiders more than they do death.

## MARY ALLEN ELEMENTARY 2016-17 Early Enrollment

for Mary Allen Elementary <sup>p..4th</sup> grade students Begins, MONDAY August <sup>8th</sup> (from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm).

-To be eligible for Pre-K, student must be 4 years of age on or before September <sup>1st,</sup> 2016.

-To be eligible for Kindergarten, student must be 5 years of age on or before September <sup>1st,</sup> 2016.

Please bring the following information to the Mary Allen
Elementary office to register: BIRTH CERTIFICATE, SOCIAL
SECURITY CARD & SHOT RECORD

Thank You!

#### MARY ALLEN tendrá Inscripciones Temprano

Para el año escolar 2016-17 para Estudiantes de PK-4° grado de Mary Allen Elementary Empiezan el LUNES, 8 de Agosto (de 8:00am hasta las 2:00pm).

-Para ser elegibles para Pre kinder, su hijo(a) debe de tener 4 años de edad en o antes del <sup>10</sup> de Septiembre del 2016.

-Para ser elegibles para Kinder, su hijo(a) debe de tener 5 años de edad en o antes del <sup>10</sup> de Septiembre del 2016.

Por favor de traer la siguiente información a la oficina de Mary Allen para el registro: CERTIFICADO DE NACIEMIENTO, SEGURO SOCIAL Y LAS VACUNAS.

Gracias!

Stratford, TX 79084

### Stratford High School Big Blue Band

#### Band Calendar Sales Slip

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### Help Wanted

Empty Nester? Semi-Retired? Retired too soon? Or just graduated and thinking about a job in Criminal Justice. Sherman County Sheriff's Office is looking for you. Full or Part Time Dispatcher/Jailer Position. No Experience Necessary (WE TRAIN). Call: 806-366-5551 for more information or Pick up Your Application at 701 N. 3rd St/Stratford, TX 5-19-tfn

Coldwater Manor in Stratford, Texas is looking for experienced RN's, LVN's and CNA's. If interested please come by 1111 Beaver Road for an application or send your resume to dgross@shdistrict.com EOE

JOB APPLICATIONS

This link will lead you to online job applications for the new Pilot Travel Center. There are no locations in town where you pick http://jobs.pilotflyingj.com/travel-center-jobs

Elevator laborer wanted. Must have valid Texas Driver's License and a working knowledge of the English language. Apply in person at Stratford Grain Co. 4 N. Main

### **Houses for Sale**

House for Sale - 411 N. Fulton 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, totally remodeled home. Call for apt. (806) 570-8857 or (806) 674-6593

Spacious 2100 sq. ft. 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 2 living areas, attached 2 car garage with covered driveway. Large backyard w/metal fence on large corner lot. New heating and A/C unit, updated bathrooms, gas/wood burning fireplace.146,900 320 N. Wall For more information please call: 806-930-6575 or 806-930-6725

Home for Sale-701 Purnell in Stratford: 3 Bedrooms, 1.75 Bath, 2690 sq. ft., brick. Features 3 large bedrooms with large closets. Large open family room and dining room. Nice sized kitchen with walk in pantry, Utility room with full laundry hook ups, and bonus office room with separate entrance. Accessible attic offers additional storage space. Corner lot with sprinkler system, fully fenced back yard and two garden sheds. Walking distance to both schools Please call: 620 424-7282 or 806-930-6875

House for sale: 2 living areas, 3 bedroom, 1.75 bath, fireplace, nice yard, approx. 2,000 sq. ft.1313 N. Chestnut St. 806-366-2478,

#### Are you Prepared

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Regularly dispose of newspapers and rubbish at an approved site, and follow local burning

regulations

Place stove, fireplace, and grill ashes in a metal bucket, soak in water for 2 days; then bury the cold

ashes in mineral soil

Store gasoline, oily rags and other flammable materials in approved safety cans, and placethe cans

in a safe location away from the base of buildings

Stack firewood at least 100 feet away and uphill from your home, and clear combustible material

within 20 feet

Use only wood-burning devices evaluated by a nationally recognized

laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL)

Review your homeowner's insurance policy and also prepare/update a list of your home's contents

#### **During A Wildfire**

If advised to evacuate, do so immediately. Take your disaster supply kit, lock your home and choose a route away from the fire hazard. Watch for changes in the speed and direction of the fire and smoke. Tell someone when you left and where you are going.

If you see a wildfire and haven't received evacuation orders yet, call 9-1-1. Don't assume that someone else has already called. Describe the location of the fire, speak slowly and clearly, and answer any questions asked by the dispatcher.

If you are not ordered to evacuate, and have time to prepare your home, FEMA recommends you take the following actions:

Arrange temporary housing at a friend or relative's home outside the threatened area in case you

Wear protective clothing when outside-sturdy shoes, cotton or woolen

long-sleeved shirt, gloves and a handkerchief to protect your face Gather fire tools such as a rake, axe, handsaw or chainsaw, bucket and

Close outside attic, eaves and basement vents, windows, doors, pet doors, etc. Remove flammable

drapes and curtains

need to evacuate

Close all shutters, blinds or heavy non-combustible window coverings to reduce radiant heat

Close all doors inside the house to prevent draft

Open the damper on your fireplace, but close the fireplace screen

Shut off any natural gas, propane or fuel oil supplies at the source Connect garden hoses to outdoor water faucet and fill any pools, hot tubs,

garbage cans, tubs or other large containers with water

Place lawn sprinklers on the roof and near above-ground fuel tanks, and leave the sprinklers on,

### **Legal Notice**

The Stratford Independent School District is accepting requests for proposals from interested contractors for Electrical Repairs. The proposals will be accepted until 2:00 PM June 1, 2016. Any requests for proposals after this date will not be The proposals may be mailed to Stratford ISD, PO Box 108, Stratford, TX 79084, or Faxed to 806-366-3304, or delivered to the Superintendent office at 503 N 8th Street, Stratford, TX. The requests for proposals will be opened on June 1, 2016 at 2:00 PM. We reserve the right to accept or reject any and/or all proposals. Stratford ISD does not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to accept only the proposals that in the owners opinion is in the best interest of SISD. Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, May 12, 2016 and Thursday, May 19, 2016

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Wine and Beer Retailer's Permit and Food and Beverage Certificate by Connie D. Biddy dba Biddy's on Main to be located at 207 N. Main Street, Stratford, Sherman County Texas. Owner is Connie Biddy, Manager.

Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, May 19, 2016 and Thursday, May 26, 2016

#### **Haile Estate Sale** 317 Kay in Stratford, TX Friday, May 20 from 4-6pm Saturday, May 21 from 9am-3pm

Featured items: Antique Victrola, chest freezer, recliners, leather couch, wing back chairs, dining table and chairs, coffee tables, china hutch, western artwork, record player console,

washer/dryer, full size bedroom suite, queen size bedroom suite, rocking chairs, refrigerator, large book cases, patio furniture and so much more!

We accept debit/credit cards. Presented by **Two Sisters Estate Sales** 

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dowsing these structures as long as possible

If you have gas-powered pumps for water, make sure they are fueled and ready

#### If asked to evacuate:

- Place a ladder against the house in clear view to aid firefighters
- Disconnect any automatic garage door openers so that doors can still be opened by hand if the power goes out, and close all garage doors
- Place valuable papers, mementos and anything "you can't live without" inside the car in the garage, ready for quick departure
- Any pets still with you should also be put in the car
- Place valuables that will not be damaged by water in a pool or pond
- Move flammable furniture into the center of the residence away from the windows and sliding-glass doors
- Turn on outside lights and leave a light on in every room to make the house more visible in heavy smoke

Hopefully we never have to deal with this, but if we do, I felt like this was some good information to pass along.

Please call your local extension office or fire department with any further questions or concerns.

Information found at www.ready.gov

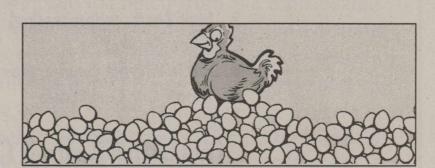
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Some people, no matter how old they get, never lose their beauty-they merely move it from their faces into their hearts. -Martin Buxbaum





The typical hen will lay about 19 dozen eggs a year.



Stone signs with Wayland Baptist

Whitney Stone signed with Wayland Baptist University to cheer next year. Shown seated with Whitney are her parents Stacy and Rocky Stone. Standing from left her brother Tyler Stone, Wayland Baptist cheerleading coach Samantha Templar and brother Tanner Stone.



The sentence "The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog" uses every letter of the alphabet!

It's almost time for Hot Dogs at Stratford Grain Co.
Watch for more information in next week's paper!





Come Join us for

Music - Food - Auction - Dancing

May 28,2016
Stratford Country Club
Dinner @ 5:30
Auction to Follow
Dance till Midnight



All proceeds will go to help Chelsea Christian Miller and her family with medical expenses

### Just a few of the great items:

I I Olbs Hamburger Meat
2 - 280lb Hogs (w/processing)
2 - Half Beefs (w/processing)
Louisiana Smoker
\$2000 in Marble Countertops
El Primo's Gift Certificates

Shari Hudson Photo Session
4 Person/2 day Guided Fishing Trip to
Lake Texoma (w/Accommodations)
5 PC Porter Cable Power Tool Set
Variety of YETI products
Graham Brothers Jewelry

Contact Jeff Kautz or Greg Wright for more information.