

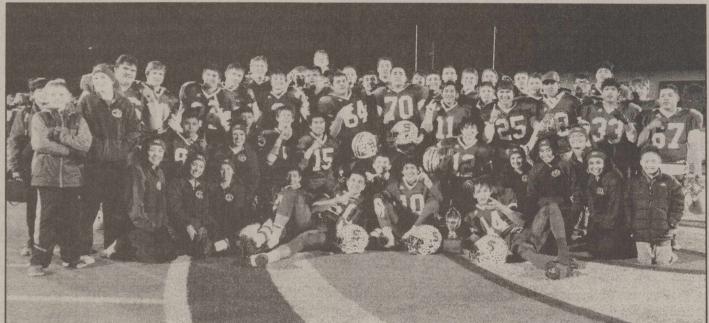
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Elks take Quarterfinal Round of State Play- offs

The Stratford Elks ran over Panhandle 61-7 in the Quarterfinal round of State Play-offs on Friday, December 8, 2017. The Elks face Mart on Thursday, December 14, 2017 at 7 p.m. in Snyder, TX in the Semi-Final Round. Congratulations and Good



Rogers announces candidacy for Sherman County District Clerk

My name is Laura Rogers and I am running for County/District Clerk. I graduated from Stratford High School and my husband, Jason Rogers and I have lived in Sherman County since 2006. We have 4 children, Lauren, Slade, Lexi and

I have been an active Paramedic with Stratford EMS for 18 years. I also volunteer with Meals on Wheels and the International Rett Syndrome Foundation.

I am a member of First Baptist Church and help with VBS every summer. This year I also received the Texans Caring for Texans Award for my volunteer work on EMS and implementing handicapped benches in TexDot rest areas. I was previous employed in the Sherman County Clerk's office and have experience in land document filing, court filings, elections, issuing marriage licenses, Probate documents, birth and death certificates and brand registering. I look forward to serving this great community as the County & District Clerk and would appreciate your vote!

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The Howard Norvell Green Post 262 of the American Legion here in Stratford would ask that anyone in the community that has a relative in the Armed Forces to please let us know. We need this information to keep our local list and contacts up-to-date. This information will

be used for any solicitation purposes whatsoever! Thank you for your cooperation and assistance. Points of contact are: Robert McGinnis-396-2212 or Claude Fedric-753-6754

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Acker Announces for Justice of the Peace TO THE REGISTERED VOTERS OF SHERMAN COUNTY

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SAY "THANK YOU" FOR YOUR SUPPORT OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS. IT HAS BEEN MY PLEASURE AND HONOR TO SERVE YOU, THE RESIDENTS OF SHERMAN COUNTY, AS YOUR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND VOTE WOULD CERTAINLY BE APPRECIATED IN THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY.

PLEASE vote Brenda Acker on March 6th 2018, for Your Justice of the

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Good Luck Elks

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LAYNEE BURR

Laynee is the 18-year-old daughter of Ed and Christy Burr. Her favorite class is anatomy and she enjoys participating in SLE basketball. Her favorite thing about living in Stratford is how supportive the community has been her whole life. She plans to attend Lubbock Christian University next fall to play basketball and study Occupational Therapy.



NOAH HARRIS

Noah is the 18-year-old son of Robert and Kari Harris. His favorite class is pre-cal and he enjoys performing in the Stratford One-Act Play. Noah also participates in football, basketball, track and field and UIL Science. He plans to attend West Texas A&M next fall to study Electrical Engineering.

Congratulations to our Stratford **High School Students of the Month!**

Texas Farm Bureau Insurance is proud to recognize these students who have been selected by the SHS faculty based on outstanding academics, extracurricular activities, service, citizenship and leadership skills. Great job, students! Keep up the good work!

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Obituaries



Jonna M. Austin May 29, 1943-November 23, 2017

Jonna M. Austin, age 74, died of cancer on November 23, 2017, in Hospice-Dumas, Texas. Jonna is survived by her husband, Robert, of Stratford, Texas.

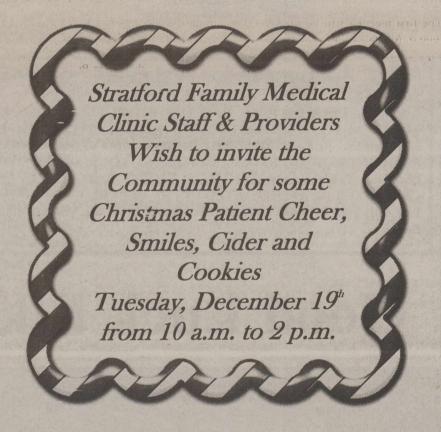
Jonna was born on May 29, 1943 in Amarillo, Texas, to parents John and Edna Knight. She graduated from Texas Christian University in 1967 with a degree in speech therapy. In 1968, she moved to Coolidge, Arizona, and accepted a position as an administrator at The School for Mental Retardation, where she worked for 30 years

Jonna was an amazing wife and a loving person. She married Robert in 1980. She was known for the joy she brought anywhere she went and her never-ending positive attitude toward everyone and everything.

Jonna was a social, active woman who was deeply involved in work, church and antiques for the majority of her life. She enjoyed plants, animals and her family. Her family and friends will always remember her as a happy, helpful and loving person.

A Celebration of Life ceremony is scheduled for Monday-December 18, 2017, at 11 a.m. at First Christian Church in Stratford, Texas. Pastor Tim Boyer will officiate. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Jonna's life.

The family would like to thank everyone for their prayers and concerns. The family has asked that in lieu of flowers or gifts, donations can be sent to First Christian Church in Stratford, Texas.



Merle Leon Heiskell, age 77, of Mansfield, passed away peacefully at his home on November 3, 2017 with his family at his side.

He was born on August 21, 1940 in Dalhart, Texas, the son of Elmer Heiskell and Viola Elart Heiskell. Merle married Jan Hook and they celebrated 52 years of marriage before his passing.

In addition to his wife, Jan, Merle is survived by daughters Merlene Dean and Husband Bill and Mayle Riffe and husband John; grandchildren, Chris Huereca, Lacey Correll and husband Andrew, Hayle Wheeler and husband Justin, Coy Dean, Ethan Riffe, Emma Riffe and Grayson Riffe; great-grandson Treyten and Tucker Correll; and siblings Glen Heiskell, Gary Heiskell and wife Judy, Ruby Thwart.

Merle was preceded in death by his parents, daughter Serene Kaye Aufleger, and three siblings Mary Day, Thurman Heiskell and Jim Heiskell; brother-in-law Foy Tharp

Merle grew up and spent his life working on his family's 3,000 acre farm in Dalhart. He was a dedicated and hardworking man maintaining his crops of corn and wheat, as well as taking care of his family and homestead. In his spare time, Merle was a skilled woodworker and metal worker, enjoyed gardening and antique cars. Merle's creativity also allowed him to be an inventor of many tools to help on the farm, including patenting his invention of the Texas Tornado. Merle and his wife moved to Mansfield in 2016 to be closer their family and retire, although he remained busy with his hobbies.

Visitation was Tuesday, November 7, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at Moore Bowen Road Funeral home in Arlington. Funeral service was held on Wednesday November 8 at 3 p.m. also at the funeral home. Interment took place at Emerald Hills Memorial Garden in Kennedale. A memorial service was held for Merle on November 21, 2017 at 2 p.m. at Lincoln Street Baptist church at 1019 Lincoln St., in Dalhart, TX

What's Happening- In Stratford

Stratford Star Christmas Edition is Thursday, December 21, 2017. No Stratford Star paper on Thursday, December 28, 2017.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the Stratford Star



We're saying Thank You

to local servicemen & women and their families. We'll start early Saturday, Dec. 23rd at Wesley & Susie Spurlock's barn cooking for these well deserved people in Sherman County. If you know someone that's serving their country & have family here, contact Lynn Allen @ 753-7979 or Tim Hudson @ 753-7799. Donations are also welcome, there's always a need for meat, wood, charcoal or cash to buy supplies. They take care of us, let's show our appreciation & take care of them.



Thanks for your support!



SMITH AGENCY SALE

Miles and Wayne Smith are proud to announce the sale of Smith Agency to Jay Lindley and Jaime Johnson. Jay and Jamie have formed a partnership and will own and operate the agency in Stratford. Both have extensive experience and knowledge of the insurance industry and have been licensed agents for many years.

B.L. (Chuck) Smith started Smith Agency March 1, 1967 purchasing the agency from Minnie Laura Jackson and the W.N. (Pinky) Jackson. He operated the agency in the old Legion Hall, and then later in 1986 the agency was moved to its present location. Chuck purchased the First State Insurance Agency in 1987 from J.A. Whittenburg, Ill. Chuck passed away shortly afterwards in 1987 and Miles and Sharon worked together in the agency. In 1995, Wayne retired from the U.S Navy and returned to Stratford and came into the agency. Sharon retired from the agency in 2012 at which time Miles and Wayne continued the operation. In March of this year, the agency celebrated its 50th Anniversary.

Miles and Wayne both indicated that Jay and Jamie will bring a wealth of knowledge and expertise to the table. "They will bring in more companies and will give our customers more choices and better pricing in the future." Miles will continue working in the agency.

It has been our honor and privilege to serve our customers over the last 50 years. We hope you will come by the agency in the future and visit Jay and Jaime and get to know them. We believe that they will be great assets to the community.



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The 6th-12 Grade Band Christmas Concert is on Monday, December 18th at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Gym THE STRATFORD STAR Thursday, December 14, 2017 Page 3



Stratford Lady Elks Win Hugoton Tournament

The Stratford Lady Elks –SLE won the Hugoton tournament this past weekend with a 61-36 win over Hugoton in the championship game. Laynee Burr was named tournament MVP, Allie James and Shaylee Audrain – All-Tournament team. Standing L/R – Carlee Metcalf – manager, Janeht Bravo, Kenlee McBryde, Allie James, Vanessa Gonzalez, Coach Tanner Martin. Kneeling from left: Laynee Burr, Shaylee Audrain and Reaghan Audrain. They also were the Free Throw champion Team. Congratulations!!

Fumonisin update meetings set Dec. 19 in Dumas, Dimmitt

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AMARILLO - Texas Corn Producers and the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service
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will host two update meetings Dec. 19 regarding fumonisin issues in corn this year and what to expect for 2018.

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"These meetings will offer our farmers an opportunity to review the regulations and policies related to fumonisin and provide guidance on planning for the year ahead," said David Gibson, Texas Corn Producers executive director, Lubbock. "We want to ensure farmers have the information and resources available to adequately mitigate fumonisin risk."

The first meeting will be from 9-11:30 a.m. at the Moore County Community Center, 1600 S. Maddox St. in Dumas. The second will be from 5:30-8 p.m. in the Castro County Expo Center, 405 S.E. 4th St. in Dimmitt.

High levels of fumonisin in corn harvested this year in the Texas Panhandle resulted in about 700 farmers, crop consultants, insurance agents and end-users attending two emergency meetings in September.

Fumonisin is a mycotoxin produced by two species of Fusarium fungi that can cause illnesses in livestock and humans, so there are regulatory limits to the amount corn can contain.

Dr. Jourdan Bell, AgriLife Extension agronomist in Amarillo, and Dr. Jason Woodward, AgriLife Extension plant pathologist in Lubbock, will begin each meeting with a discussion on production.

"We know that fumonisin occurrence is very dependent on weather conditions from year to year, but there are some agronomic steps producers can take to help minimize their risk," Bell said.

Each meeting will also include representatives of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Risk Management Agency providing a crop insurance update and reports from representatives of a Lending Task Group and Marketing Task Group. Both meetings will conclude with a question and answer session.

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
Tim Boyer, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. (Nursery
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. (nursery)
No Sunday evening Worship Service

First United Methodist
Rev. Damon Stalvey
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:20 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Junior & Senior High UMY 5:00 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. 3rd
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.

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.

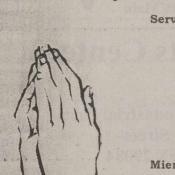
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Texas Electric Company Recognized

Shown above (L to R) Reinke President Chris Roth; Angela Harbour and Chuck Harbour of Texas Electric Co. Stratford, TX; and Reinke South Central Territory Manager Joe O'Brien

Reinke Recognizes Texas Electric Company as Top Five Dealer in Territory Sales

(DESHLER, Neb. - December 2017) - Reinke has recognized Texas Electric Company in Stratford as one of its top five highest selling dealers in the South Central Territory, in acknowledgement of the company's marketing year success.

Texas Electric Company also received a Gold Reinke Pride award. The dealership was honored during Reinke's recent annual convention held in Omaha, Neb.

"Congratulations to Texas Electric Company on receiving this recognition," said Reinke Vice President of North American Irrigation Sales Mark Mesloh. "We appreciate the dedication that they show to their agricultural community and are happy to have them representing the Reinke brand."

Reinke dealerships from across the United States and Canada gather each year to attend the company's sales convention. The convention awards ceremony recognizes select Reinke dealerships for their hard work and dedication to sales and marketing throughout the past year.

The Reinke Pride awards are determined as part of an incentive program that distinguishes superior achievement levels according to an evaluation based on a dealership's exterior and interior housekeeping and maintenance, indoor and outdoor displays, safety, retail environment, merchandising, professionalism, promotions and event participation, and market share.

4-H Enjoys Christmas Party

Sherman County 4-H met recently for their Christmas Party. The kids exchanged gifts, and played games. Afterwards, they took Christmas cookies to the residents of Coldwater Manor. Mattie and Brice Braden played Christmas Carols on the piano. Afterwards, the kids passed out cookies to all the residents and wished them all a Merry Christmas.



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NOTICE of Public Sale - Published in the Stratford Star December 7 and December 14, 2017. Notice is hereby given that a public auction will be held by competitive bid at 10:30 a.m. On December 19, 2017, to satisfy landlord's lien on the property stored at Stratford Rentals, LLC Storage Unit #B at 102 S. Main Street, Stratford, Texas 79084. No viewing of items prior to the auction. Items will be sold to the highest bidder and items may be sold individually, or as a group of items, or as a whole unit. Cash only, No checks accepted. All purchased goods are sold "AS IS" and must be removed by 1:00 p.m. on the date of the sale. Property being sold includes some or all of the following: furniture, household items, tools, clothes, books, lawn equipment, appliances and miscellaneous items. #B Ken Srader.

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Legal Notice

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Notice of Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Application
General Permit Authorization No. TXG921444

Application. Early Settlers Farm LLC, P.O. Box 840, Stratford, Texas 79084 has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under General Permit No. TXG920000 for authorization to expand an existing beef cattle facility from 3,000 head to 6,000 head, add new crops and yield goals, and decrease the land application acreage from 1,540 acres to 1,085 acres in Sherman County, Texas. The notice of intent and the nutrient management plan were received by TCEQ on May 8, 2017.

No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All manure and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land.

The facility is located at 12395 US Highway 287, Stratford, in Sherman County, Texas. The facility is located in the drainage area of an unnamed segment in Segment No. 0100 of the Canadian River Basin. The following link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice.

http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=36.079444&lng=-102.02638&zoom=13&type=r. For the exact location, refer to the application.

A copy of the notice of intent, the nutrient management plan, the Executive Director's technical summary, and the concentrated animal feeding operation general permit is available for viewing and copying at the Sherman County Courthouse/County Clerk's Office, 701 North 3rd Street, Stratford, Texas 79084.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has made a preliminary decision to approve coverage of this facility under General Permit No. TXG920000.

Public Comment. Written public comments may be submitted to the Office of Chief Clerk, at the address provided in the information section below, within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of this notice. In addition, the public may request a public meeting. If significant interest exists, the Executive Director will direct the Applicant to publish a notice of the public meeting and hold the public meeting. The Applicant must publish notice of a public meeting at least 30 days prior to the meeting in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the facility is located. The Executive

Director will consider all relevant information pertaining to whether the Applicant meets the requirements of the general permit and will issue a written determination as to any final action on the notice of intent for coverage under the general permit.

Information. Written public comments should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at http://www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/. For additional information, about the application or the procedure for public participation in the general permit process, individual members of the general public may contact the Public Education Program at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov.

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SCOT Monthly Activities

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

Ladies Mexican Train Dominoes Monday at 1:30 p.m.

Yoga with Erin Tuesdays at 8:15 a.m.

Yoga with Cindy Thursdays at 9 a.m.

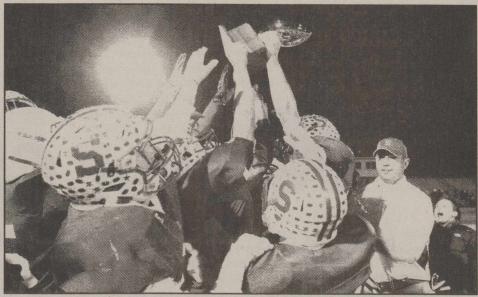
Monthly luncheon-4th Thursday-12 noon (covered dish Luncheon)



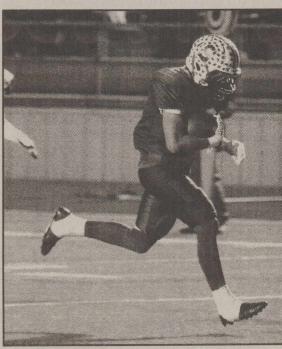
Good Luck Stratford Elks

THE STRATFORD STAR Thursday, December 14, 2107 Page 6

Playing Panhandle Friday night December 8, 2017 at the Dumas Demons football field Stratford took the lead early on and never looked back. Ending score was Stratford 61 vs Panhandle 7. Scoring touchdowns were Shay Hess-3, Bronc Hodges-1, Kade McBryde-1, luden romero-1, Av Villegas-1, Pedro Ortega-2. Luis Mendoza with 5 points. Stratford's offense and defense play extremely well and Panhandle never could get a foot hold on anything. Stratford will meet Mart This Thursday, December 14 at 7 p.m. in Snyder, TX . Good luck boys you have a lot of folks pulling for you. Congratulations on your success so far. Stratford will be let out early on Thursday, and there will be no school on Friday

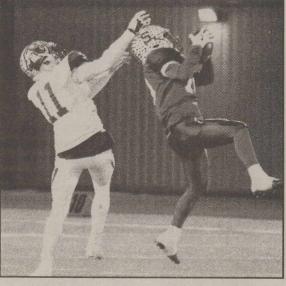


Head Coach Matt Lovorn and the Stratford Elks celebrate winning the Quarter-final trophy on Friday, December 8, 2017.



Pedro Ortega cruising in for a touchdown

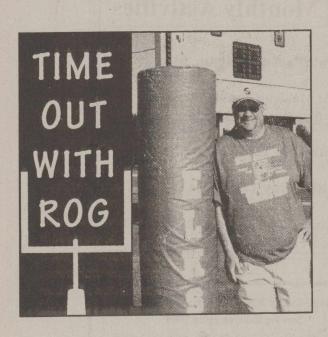




Stratford Elk #10 Sergio Guerrero intercepts pass intended for Panhandle receiver in the Elks Quarter-final win.

Players of the Week All of Stratford Varsity **Football Players** CONGRATULATIONS A JOB WELL DONE

Beat Mart



Last week's challenge won by Skyler Walden **State Champ**

Challenge

Becky Asher Class of 1969 State Champ! Mart vs Stratford San Augustine vs Refugio Wellington vs Muenster Canadian vs Gunter Brock vs Kemp Troy vs North Texas Western KY vs Georgia State **Boise State** vs Oregon Marshall vs Colorado State Chicago vs Detroit LA Chargers vs Kansas City Miami vs Buffalo New York Jets vs New Orleans LA Rams vs Seattle **Baltimore** vs Cleveland Tie Breaker New England 27 vs Pittsburgh 24

Roger Allen Class of 1981

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Good luck Elks

Time Out with Rog!

Well those pundit in Amarillo that thought Panhandle was genna give us all we wanted...Nah. Wow we had over 500 yards compared to their 139 which is almost 4 football fields. We had 6 different players score and that's half a dozen. It was a fantastic night for all the Stratford Elks except for the one wearing the head phones on the other side of the field and the superindent!! It was a perfect night for football and a perfect night to be a Stratford Elk 61-7!!!! This week we play another Panther which is another feline. My sources say they are as fast as a Jaguar, but they haven't seen our swarming S's and boy do they love to hit you. This week we play in Snyder which is a stadium we have never played. I know it's a long ways on a Thursday, but if the outcome is correct it will be worth the drive. It's the semifinals people we haven't been here since 2009. It's a long ways people but moments like these don't last long, like my hair. So meet the Lady Elks, Hugoton Tournament Champs, in Snyder on Thursday, Let's pray for our President and our Country. Once an Elk always an Elk.

Roger Malon Allen-Class of 1981

P.S. Our Spirit Bus driver couldn't figure out the heater situation, blue is for cold red is for hot, Come on O.G.

P.S.S. Trivia Question 4A: What is Mart's Colors? P.S.S.S. Jay Law says, "Panther not Happy"

P.S.S.S.S. Answer to Trivia Question 4A! Purple and white. Same Results?