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Pride of West Texas

"The Pride of West Texas" Blizzard Marching Band has had a wonderful start to this new year. After a very successful performance at the Concho Classic Marching Festival the band received excellent ratings and the flag corp won Best Auxiliary. This is the ninth time that the flag corp has won this honor. The band is working hard for this upcoming Region UIL Marching Contest. The contest is in Early, Texas this coming Saturday October 18. They are competing at 11:45 a.m. at the Early High School football field.



Admission price is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students and is good for the entire day. The region that the band is competing has very good bands that will provide tough competition but the Blizzard Band will be up to the challenge. Please come out on the 18th and support your Blizzard Band. Pictured above are Drum Majors left to right: Stephon Cleghorn-Sr., Justine Garcia-Soph., Ryan Young-Sr. Flags left to right: Chelsea Gray-Jr., Adreanna Lopez-Sr., Elisabeth Wenzel-Sr., Alexis Walker-Jr., Nina Mooney-Sr., Michaela Rodriguez-Jr., Marissa Gray-Jr., Lizzy Ortiz-Soph.



Early voting starts this Monday

RUBEN CANTU-RODRIGUEZ
WINTERS ENTERPRISE

BALLINGER— Early voting for the November General Election, in which Runnels County citizens will be electing federal, state, county, city, and school officials will be held from Monday, October 20 through Friday, October 31, 2014. Election Day is Tuesday, November 4, 2014.

Early voting will be conducted at the Courthouse Annex building, located at 614 Strong Avenue (behind the Courthouse), from 8:30 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Running for United States Senator are incumbent John Cornyn (R), David Alameid (D), Rebecca Paddock (L) and Emily "Spicybrown" Sanchez (G). The United States Representative, District 11 has two contestants: incumbent Mike Conaway (R) and Ryan T. Lange (L).

The race for Texas Governor has four contenders: Greg Abbott (R), Wendy R. Davis (D), Kathie Glass (L), and Brandon Parmer (G). Running for Lieutenant Governor are Dan Patrick (R), Leticia Van de Putte (D), Robert D. Butler (L), and Chandrantha Courtney (G). Looking to replace Attorney General Greg Ab-

bott, who is running for Texas Governor are: Ken Paxton (R), Sam Houston (D), Jamie Balagia (L), and Jamar Osborne (G).

Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples recently announced he would be retiring from office. Looking for his seat are: Sid Miller (R), Jim Hogan (D), David (Rocky) Palmquist (L), and Kenneth Kendrick (G).

Other contested state races include those for Comptroller of Public Accounts, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Railroad Commissioner, Chief Justice Supreme Court, Justice Supreme Court Place 6 - Unexpired Term, each one of Justices Supreme Court Places 7 and 8, Judge Court of Criminal Appeals Places 3, 4 and 9. Chief Justice, Third Court of Appeals District.

Uncontested state and county races are those for State Representative, District 72 - Drew Darby; County Judge - Barry Hilliard; District Clerk - Tammy Burleson; County Clerk - Julia Miller; County Treasurer - Ann Strube; County Commissioner Pct. No. 2 - Ronald Presley; County Commissioner Pct. No. 4 - Richard

Strube; Justice of the Peace Pct. No. 1 - Glenda Wood; and Justice of the Peace Pct. No. 2 - Richard Hamilton.

The Ballinger Independent School District will be holding a contested election for the unexpired term of Single Member District 4 Trustee. Those seeking the seat are Jason Battle and Janett Dankworth.

In Winters, the school board will be having two contested races. Carla Briley Hooper and Danny Martinez, Jr. are facing off for the Trustee, Place 2 seat, while the Trustee, Place 6 (at large) is being sought by Kevin Busher and Jerry W. Sims.

In the City of Miles a local election is also being held.

Applications for ballot by mail will be received through October 24. The last day to receive ballot by mail

is November 4, 2014. Requests to vote by mail should be sent to PO BOX 189, fax requests to (325) 365 3408, or call (325) 365 2720. Some restrictions apply. If you mail or fax please include your signature, your name, address, phone number and reason for a request by mail.

Runnels Co Leaders 4 Life getting ready for Nationals

The Runnels County Leaders 4 Life Team will be having a bake sale on Saturday October 18 at Tractor Supply, to raise money for their national trip in January. The team qualified to the national competition to be held in Colorado. Students from Ballinger, Winters and Miles will be looking forward to cap a great year in this event. We need people to come and support us. Pictured here are Leaders 4 Life Team members left to right: Alyssa Flanagan, Ethan Bredemeyer, Hannah Pinckney and Rachel Gibbs.



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Honor and recognition

BALLINGER— Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9196, American Legion Post 8 and the Runnels County Veterans Service Office will be hosting a Welcome Home reception for World War II veteran Leroy Pelzel, who recently took the Texas Permian Basin Honor Flight to Washington, D.C. The reception will be held at the VFW Post home in Rowena on Friday, October 17 at 7 p.m. Leroy and his son, Patrick, went on the Permian Basin Honor Flight to the WWII Memorial at Washington D.C. He will share his experiences and pictures with all.

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Jonathan Sandoval runs the ball for a touchdown at the Varsity game played in Roby.

PHOTO: JOE GERHART

Winters claim district opener with shutout over Roby

RUBEN CANTU-RODRIGUEZ
WINTERS ENTERPRISE

WINTERS— Jimmy John Ripley passed for two touchdown passes and rushed in two more, Daryl Hagle, Chris Diaz, Michael Chavis and Jonathan Sandoval completed the blitz, and the Winters Blizzards shutout Roby 47-0 to secure their first win in district play last Friday night, October 10, 2014. The Blizzards are now 1-0 in District 6-2A football, with an overall record of 5-1.

Ripley completed five of

eight for 98 yards and two touchdown passes. Daryl Hagle caught two passes for 47 yards and one touchdown, while Chris Diaz received one for 39 yards and had one visit to paydirt.

Ripley also led the rushing game with eight carries for 112 yards with two touchdowns, followed by Michael Chavis with 83 yards in 12 carries and one touchdown, and Jonathan Sandoval with four carries for 55 yards and one visit to the end zone. The Blizzards started in

the first quarter, with 3:48 left on the clock, with a 10-yard run by Ripley and kick by Lukas Kraatz.

In the third quarter the Blizzards capitalized their efforts with three touchdowns. Michael Chavis with a 5-yard run (8:45), Daryl Hagle captured a 45-yard pass from Ripley (2:47), and Chris Diaz caught a 39-yard pass from Ripley with 41 seconds left to play in the half. Kraatz made all the kicks to send the game 28-0 into the pause. Coming back from the

locker room the Blizzards didn't slow down. Ripley found again his way into the end zone with a 10-yard run (3:25), and with 21 seconds to play in the quarter Jonathan Sandoval recovered a fumble inside the end zone. None of the kicks were good, 40-0.

With 6:37 left in the game Jonathan Sandoval rushed the ball 59 yards into the end zone, and with Kraatz's kick Winters sealed their victory 47-0.

Friday night the Blizzards will be hosting Roscoe.

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FUNERALS AND OBITUARIES

Barbara Nell Connor

Barbara Nell Connor, 68 of Ballinger, Texas, left us suddenly on Friday October 3. She was born in Ballinger, Texas on October 26, 1945 to Leonard and Nell Connor. She graduated from Ballinger High School in 1964 and Angelo State University in 87 with her RN, and in 89 with her BSN.



She is survived by her sons, Ron Connor and wife, Shelia, of Fort Worth, and John Connor of San Angelo. Her beloved grandchildren Cade Connor, Stephanie Kresta and husband Dustin, and her precious great grandchildren Hunter and Kason Kresta. Also two brothers Michael Connor of Winters, and John W. Connor of Ballinger.

She was preceded in death by her parents, sister-Mary Ellen Slate and daughter-in-law Janette Connor. Barbara was a loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother who's entire world revolved around her family. For 35 years she selflessly cared for the sick and injured as a CNA then as a RN BSNC.

Our family is destroyed by the loss of our matriarch and hero, who with selfless commitment held our family together through even our most recent of tragedies.

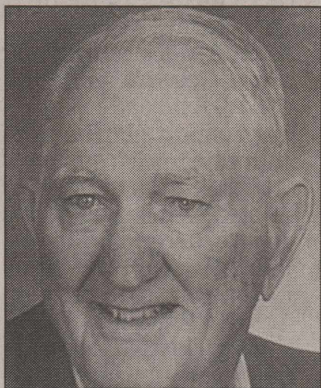
Visitation was at Lange Funeral Home Monday, October 6. Memorial service was at First United Methodist of Ballinger October 7 followed by graveside at Evergreen Cemetery. Arrangements are with Lange Funeral Home in Ballinger. Guests may register online at ballingerfuneralhome.com.

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Clarence Dick 'Bucket'

Clarence Dick "Bucket" Wessels died peacefully in Abilene, Texas on October 3, 2014 at the age of 87.

A graveside service was held at 2:30pm Tuesday, October 7, 2014 in the Buffalo Gap Cemetery, Kerry Jones officiating, directed by Fry-Bartlett Funeral Home, Tuscola. The visitation for Bucket was held Sunday October 5, at the funeral home.



Clarence was born on September 22, 1927 in Kruse, to Pete and Helga (Kruse) Wessels where he was one of six children.

His family moved to Winters Texas, where the majority of his family still resides in the surrounding areas. Other than his time in the military, and visiting his grandchildren in Dallas, Clarence was rarely beyond 50 miles of his hometown.

Clarence earned two purple hearts and was recognized for his marksmanship during his honored service as an Infantryman in the Korean War.

His family and friends remember Clarence as a kind hearted, gentle and hard working genuine person.

In loving memory, Clarence's family will always remember him for his love for the outdoors and the skills that he passed on.

Clarence is survived by his wife of 31 years Betty Wessels of Ovalo; sister ClaraBell Whittenberg of Winters; a stepson Jacques Fusilier of Peninsula, Fl; four grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flower donations can be made to the Ben Richey Boys Ranch, PO Box 6839 Abilene, Texas 79608.

Online condolences can be left at www.frybartlett.com.

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NEWS NOTES

Memorial Tournament to be held this Saturday

The Winters Country Club will be having their annual Memorial Tournament Saturday October 18. Tee time will be 1 p.m. It will be a Best Ball and the entry fee will be donation. This tournament is to remember our members that have died but gave so much to the Country Club, both men and women.

Nursing home taking trick or treat donations

Senior Citizens Nursing Home will be having its Annual Trick or Treat from 5 to 6 p.m. in front of the nursing home. The Activity Department is asking for donations of Halloween candy (individually wrapped) for this event. We would appreciate your help for this special night for our Residents. Thank you, Billie Bishop and Pat Hollis, Activity Directors.

Friends of the 'Gus' Pruser Exhibit to meet

The Friends of the "Gus" Pruser Agriculture Exhibit will hold their monthly meeting next Monday October 20, at 6 p.m. The meeting will be in the Gus Pruser Agriculture Exhibit at 219 W. Dale, Winters. Friends of the "Gus" Pruser Exhibit is a group interested in preserving the agriculture heritage of the Winters area. The group works on tractors and other displays in the museum. For additional information contact John Long at 325-754-5389 or zihalemuseum@wtxs.net.

Fundraiser for Karen Mills

A fundraiser for Winters ISD teacher, Karen Mills, will be taking place on Sunday, October 26, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Winters HS Cafeteria. The meal will consist of spaghetti and meatballs, green beans, a salad, garlic/cheese breadsticks, and a dessert. Donations will be received at the door.

Mrs. Mills was diagnosed with tongue, throat, and neck cancer last spring. She received treatment at MD Anderson throughout the summer. This fundraiser will help the Mills offset the cost of treatment.

There will also be a silent auction which will be going on simultaneously to the meal. If you have something to donate for the auction, please contact Fran Kidwell at (325) 513 4200.

Veteran's Day ceremony and parade

VFW Post 9196, the American Legion Post 8 and the Runnels County Veterans Service Office will have a Veteran's Day Ceremony at the Memorial on the Courthouse Square on Tuesday, November 11 at 10 a.m. At 10:30 a.m. there will be a ceremony commemorating the 20th anniversary of our Memorial at the Courthouse. The Parade will start at 11 a.m. If you would like to be in the Parade, just call Sandra at the Veterans Service Office at 365-3612. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy the ceremony and parade.

Winters Area Chamber of Commerce meetings

Winters Area Chamber of Commerce meets at 7 p.m., first Thursday of the month at the Lone Star Video, 200 Tinkle Street.

TEEA 'Friendly Neighbors'

The Texas Extension Education Agency "Friendly Neighbors" invites everybody in the Winters and Ballinger area who is interested in learning about cooking, gardening and arts and crafts to join us on the fourth Tuesday of every month (except during summer) at 2 p.m. at the Runnels County Extension Office on the corner of South Seventh and Sealy Ave in Ballinger.

If you are interested and like to find out more about us, call Nancy at 325 5042 or Linda 754 5385.

AA Meetings

AA meeting are held at 204 W. Truett behind church on Main St. Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

Ballinger Al-Anon meetings

Al-Anon meetings will be held every Monday and Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Ballinger, on Broad Ave. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Please enter through the south side of the church.

City Council Meetings

Winters City Council meets at 6 p.m. the last Monday of the month at 310 North Main.

WIC open to many incomes and families

Women Infants and Children, located at 706 Strong Ave in Ballinger is open Monday thru Wednesday 7 a.m. till noon and 1 p.m. till 6 p.m.

Closed every third and fourth Monday of each month. Phone (325) 365 5925. WIC is open to many incomes and all kinds of families.

Ballinger Masonic Lodge meeting

Masonic Lodge No. 643, 500 N Broadway, Ballinger, Texas. Stated meetings are at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of every month except for holidays if it falls on that Monday. For more information call (325) 365 3202.

Wingate Masonic Lodge meetings

Wingate Masonic Lodge 1042 A.F. & A.M., meetings on fourth Monday of the month, at 6:30 p.m. at Wilmeth, Texas Lodge. For further information contact Hank Bourdo, at 754 2048.

Paint Rock Masonic Lodge meetings

Paint Rock Masonic Lodge No. 613 meets the first Thursday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. Supper will be provided after the meeting. The location is the Masonic Lodge building located at 360 South Roberts on Highway 83 South.

Winters Junior High Honor Roll, First Six Weeks 2014-2015

Sixth Grade "A" Megan Tarr Zachary Wheat	"A" Karlee Busher Christopher Craig Hunter Duggan Domyinic Lujano	"A" MacKenzie Ballard Gage McFadin Patrick Reyes Celeste Sanchez Summer Schneider Alexis Silva
"A-B" Kristina Correa Joseph Escalona Kaitlyn Fuentes Seth Gerhart Tarren Hagle Matt Jacob Natalie Lara Madison Poe Hailey Renfro Olivia Smith Jelcie Tubbs	"A-B" Graciela Corral Keagan Esquivel Esmeralda Gallegos Audrey Glascock Sonnice Hagle Skylar Lee Isabella McMahan McKenzie McWhorta Miranda Rodriguez Rico Sanchez	"A-B" Christopher Correa Priscila Espino Kasandra Esquivel Abigail Killough Marcelina Lopez Luis Martinez Adam Rusk Michaela Sanchez Jenessa Wade
Seventh Grade	Eighth Grade	

Winters High School Honor Roll, First Six Weeks 2014-2015

Ninth Grade "A" Brooklynn Anderson Brenna Edwards Jose Garcia Macey Gerhart Aimee Green Megan Jacob Brandon L'Abbe Alonso Mendoza	Matthew Wenzel Jace Young	Tenth Grade "A" Grace Bryan	Eleventh Grade "A" Sierra Ellis
"A-B" Alyssa Bullard Ashton Hadlock Bailey Knight Brenna Knight Charcyona Lovelace Roland Rodriguez Zachary Rodriguez	"A-B" Jaeggard Collins Brooklynn Galloway Christy Kruse James Lange K'Lee Lindley Marcus Mostad Sonia Ortiz Efen Rodriguez Aaron Jacob Smith Kamri Soto Stacie Ventress	"A-B" Joshua Coffman Arckhangel Escamia Marissa Gray Mason Payne Samuel Reyes Michaela Rodriguez	"A-B" Jacob Brock Daryl Hagle Jacob McMinn
			Twelfth Grade "A" Victoria Sanchez

Winters Elementary Honor Roll, First Six Weeks 2014-2015

First Grade "A" Corley Belew Shayla Camacho Hannah Casey Serenity Delacruz Trenton Edwards Hanna Garvin Caine Gauna Abel Gonzales Hunter Gray Montgomery Hatter Ebony Manley Morgan Mostad Alexander Pena Angel Sanchez Ajay Soto Victor Valenzuela Caden Vasquez Jonah Whitaker	Bailey Martinez Aven Ochoa Diego Rodriguez Raimey Walker	Zander Hadlock
"A-B" Ashleigh Barnes Chloe Briggs Madyson Curry Aubree Escobedo Liana Esquivel Genesis Garcia Annmarie Green Aliyah Iracheta Coy Martinez Serynidly Martinez Trinity Mooney Christopher Moreno Deiliah Moreno Mark Moreno Sandro Perez Jade Romero Peyton Sims	"A-B" Brandon Bentrup Weston Beuschel Baylie Bryant Zachary Ceballos-Oliver Presley Cotter Marisa Jimenez Janie Lara Guillermo Levario Traegan Majalca Daniella Martinez Ethan Martinez Jeremy Prater Adrian Renovato Kaelin Roman Jaleena Romero Aidan Scott Peyton Walker Luzion Woods	"A-B" Courtney Chausse Kira Collins Raven Collins Jesenia Corral Brianna Griggs Alissah Landeros Anthony Llanas Serenity Luera Kayden Nava Keleigh Ramirez Felix Reyna Nicolas Rodriguez Jayden Santos Shelby Santos James Speir Wyatt Staggs Nicholas Trevino
Second Grade "A" Felicity Agüero Addison Anderson Sahaylee Curry Dalton Drake Kaelynn Hoelscher Hunter Jackson Avison Lin	Third Grade "A" Mikaela Agüero Justin Gomez	Fifth Grade "A" McCaelyn Beuschel Charles Childress Mary Drake Connor Garcia
	"A-B" Malichi Alvarado Aidan Bryant Kyle Bullard Malachi Burlison Rylee Calcote Payton Cortez Payton Duggan Winni Lin Shelby Martinez Fabio Reyna Adrian Rocha Ishmael Sanchez Damarious Woodruff	"A-B" Jon Busher Destiny Chausse Cannon Collins Anastasia Delacruz Rider Duggan Monica Garcia James Killough Isaiah Lara Ashton New Dayvin Oats Myra Ochoa McKenzie Ventress
	Fourth Grade "A" Kaden Ballard Abanea Cortez	

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From the Chief's Desk

The Ebola red tape

By Randall Davis
Winters Chief of Police

Many people have recently commented or asked questions of concern over the recent news articles relating to the Ebola Virus and Enterovirus outbreaks. Taking those concerns into consideration, I contacted the C.D.C. (Centers for Disease Control) through their 1-800 number and learned very quickly, don't call the C.D.C. After being passed from one department to the next and a navigating a near endless maze of phone numbers, you finally get routed to a real person who can't talk to you but can take a message and have you called back, some day.

I suggested if just one of those persons redirecting my phone call could be briefed on a simple news statement designed to calm concerns over our health, then the other half dozen people I was passed to would not be bothered by my calling. Think of all the time they would have finding cures for the diseases, instead of endlessly passing callers back and forth. The very nice lady on the other end of the line politely accepted my suggestion. I'm sure I was not the first individual to come up with the idea, and I am equally sure my suggestion was sent to the round plastic lined suggestion box under her desk.

I was referred to the C.D.C. website accessible online at cdc.gov to find all available information regarding diseases affecting our population. After entering the website there is a large maroon banner with a picture of the Ebola Virus so often seen on the nightly news. Click on this area and it will immediately direct you many answers to questions being asked.

What I learned is there is no known vaccine for the disease. Even though Ebola has been around for years (remember the 1995 movie "Outbreak" based on an Ebola type disaster) this outbreak of Ebola is the largest in history and now effects several different countries, including the U.S.

The people most at risk are healthcare workers, along with family and friends associating with an infected person. At least one Texas nurse, treating an infected Liberian man who later died of the disease has been diagnosed with Ebola. This is the first confirmed case of the Ebola virus contracted in the U.S.

The C.D.C. advised the first line of defense against the virus is personal hygiene and advise to wash your hands frequently with soap and water and or an alcohol based sanitizer. Cover your mouth when sneezing or coughing to avoid transmitting an illness or virus or other disease.

Avoid traveling to Africa or other locations where disease and other viruses are spreading or known to exist. Avoid bodily fluids such as blood, or the handling of possibly infected items including clothing, bed sheets, used medical supplies and needles.

According to the C.D.C. we all should avoid contact with bats and "non human" primates and meats prepared from these animals.

If you find yourself in contact or suspect someone has been infected with the virus, wear protective clothing including a face mask and call emergency services.

In light of all the publicity surrounding Ebola and other any other nasty little bugs that infect us, we are still safe. The C.D.C. as well as medical treatment centers have reportedly taken all conceivable precautions to contain and reverse the spread of Ebola as well as many other viruses and diseases we hear of. Many of the diseases and viruses have been around for countless ages. They still remain a threat to mankind but have been virtually eradicated in advanced societies. The plague, Small Pox, Diphtheria and countless other infectious bugs have all come and gone and with some safe practices and prayer the Ebola virus will someday be just a part of history.

Nobody can promise Ebola or other viruses will never be a threat to our community but we can take precautions and safeguard ourselves before they do become a threat. For more information visit the cdc.gov website.



School bound family

The Ayers are so excited to learn they drive themselves to school at Winters Child Development Center. Pictured are David Ayers, Ava Ayers Ms. Hannah's pre-school class, Jacob Ayers Ms. Rosie's toddler class.

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Breakfast Taco or Cereal, Applesauce, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

Tuesday

Pancake/Syrup or Cereal, Mixed Fruit, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

Wednesday

Breakfast Burrito or Cereal, Orange, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

Thursday

Breakfast Pizza or Cereal, Apple, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

Friday

Muffin or Cereal, Peaches, Fruit Juice, Choice of Milk.

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Lunch Menu

Monday

Chef Salad or Lasagna/Cracker (Elem., JH) or Grilled Chicken Pattie/Bun, Peas & Carrots, Baked Potatoes, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Peaches, Choice of Milk.

Tuesday

Chef Salad or Salisbury Steak/Breadstick (Elem., JH), Hot Rolls (HS) or Chicken Tenders/Graham Crackers (Elem., JH), Breadstick (HS), Italian Green Beans, Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Blue Bell Fruit Bar, Choice of Milk.

Wednesday

Chef Salad or Nachos or Chicken Fajita, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Colelaw, Pears, Choice of Milk.

Thursday

Chef Salad or Nachos or Chicken Fajita, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Carrot Sticks, Colelaw, Pears, Choice of Milk.

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- 38 Sweet words to read
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- 62 Time of history
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- 11 Males that go "maa"
- 12 Murphy or Money
- 13 Bowling alley button
- 18 Bic product
- 23 "We won't be doing business together!"
- 25 Atlas page
- 26 Actor Mineo
- 28 The ___ Man
- 29 Ending for mob or gang
- 30 Popular cookie
- 31 Waste time
- 33 Two, in Spanish
- 36 Exhausts
- 37 Tablet
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- 40 One of the Huxtable children
- 41 Make, as money
- 44 Coffee cup
- 48 Robert E. ___
- 49 Coat holder
- 51 First ___ kit
- 54 Mythical creatures
- 56 Gold, silver or bronze
- 57 Caribbean island
- 58 Button on a TV
- 60 Whatever number of
- 61 Slimy creatures
- 64 Jump into a pool, maybe
- 66 Actress Bancroft
- 67 Swedish furniture store
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- 70 "___ Miserables"
- 72 Tupperware top
- 73 Not safe, in baseball

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER GRID

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Weather Whys

Q: Do cumulus clouds mean good weather or bad weather is coming?

A: Cumulus clouds are the puffy white clouds that look like big patches of cotton in the sky, explains Brent McRoberts of Texas A&M University. "The word cumulus comes from a Latin word meaning 'heap or pile,' which is fitting because of their puffy appearance," McRoberts adds. "They are formed when warm, moist air is thrust upward. Cumulus clouds are often low in the sky and when you see them, it's usually a sign of fair weather ahead."

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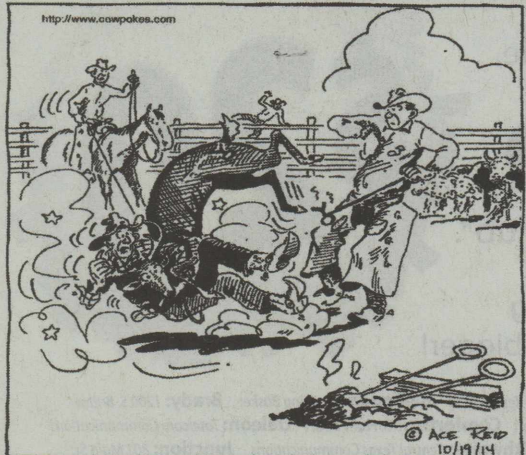
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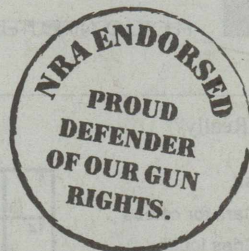
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Heidenheimer's awarded Business of the Quarter



Heidenheimer's in Winters was awarded Business of the Quarter by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce for the fourth quarter 2014. Pictured left to right are: Joe Heidenheimer, Sno-Flake Shelby Martinez, Ashley Barnes, Chamber President Pam Barnes, Linda Arispe, Faye Dean, Sno-Queen Stacie Ventress, and Matthew Price.

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Yard of the Month

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce presented the Yard of the Month award to Roy and Emma Esquivel, at 300 Redtner, Winters, Texas. Pictured here are left to right: Sno-Queen Stacie Ventress, Pam Barnes, Ashley Barnes, Roy and Emma Esquivel, Linda Arispe, Matthew Price, Faye Dean and Sno-Flake Shelby Martinez.

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Winters man charged with assault of peace officer

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WINTERS— A Winters man was sent to jail charged with assault of a peace officer, possession of a firearm and resisting arrest, after an altercation taking place last Sunday morning, on the 400 block of South Melwood Street, in Winters, Texas.

Winters Police Department and Runnels County Sheriff's Department responded at approximately 5 a.m. to a shots-fired call Sunday morning, and found Aristeo "Teo" Alfaro, 19, of Winters, Texas at a property located in the 400 block of North Melwood Street.

Officers Paula Geyer, Eric Samaniego and Chief Randall Davis, with the Winters Police Department, as well as Deputy Sheriff David Sellers found the suspect at the property, which he was being asked to leave.

Alfaro allegedly refused to leave and resisted arrest hitting officer Samaniego in the mouth with his closed fist. Alfaro was tasered and arrested. Officer Samaniego ended up bruised but was able to return to work that same day.

A 45 caliber handgun was recovered and Alfaro was sent to Runnels County Jail where as of press time he remains in lieu of a \$50,000 bond for the assault on a peace officer charge. He is also facing charges for criminal trespass, possession of a firearm and resisting arrest.

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Dr. Varghese completed an Interventional Cardiology Fellowship at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences. Previously, he served as a Cardiovascular Fellow at Scott & White in Temple, Texas. He has a bachelor's degree in medicine as well as a bachelor's degree in surgery from India.

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