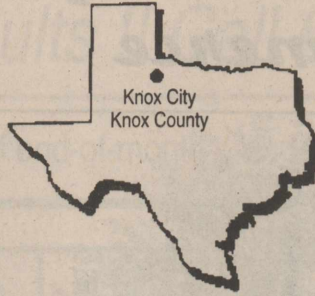


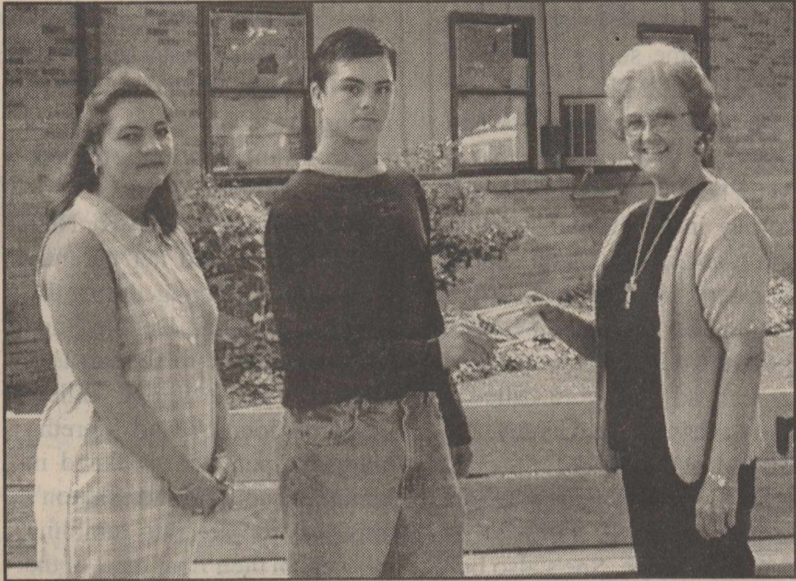
The State Track Meet is this weekend in austin. Good luck to Jeffery Hernandez !!

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HIGH SCHOOL SLOGAN Winner for the Child Abuse Prevention Contest was Trey Burt, son of Robin and Kenny Burt. His slogan of "The children hold the key to the future, don't lock them out." won him a \$50.00 savings bond from Citizens Bank.



MID-SCHOOL SLOGAN Winner for the Child Abuse Prevention Contest was Eddie Vela, son of Angelita Vela. His slogan "Don't abuse your child, it makes bruises that never heal." won him a \$50.00 savings bond donated by Citizens Bank.



MID-SCHOOL MURAL WINNERS of the Child Abuse Prevention Contest were David Rodriguez, Carnell Thompson, Derrick Magana and Tony Aguayo. They won free fountain drinks from Ray Penman and Penman's Convenience Store. (NEWS digital photo)



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MURAL WINNERS for the Child Abuse Prevention Contest were members of Michelle Cole's third grade class. Pictured with Mrs. Cole's class were principal Maribeth Williams, Mrs. Cole, Lorrie Coop - DHS, and Sherry Ellis and Peggy Guinn, Knox County Child Welfare Board. Students received free fountain drinks donated by Ray Penman and Penman's Convenience Store. (NEWS digital photo)

## Blackwood Brothers to be here May 31

The legendary Blackwood Brothers Quartet, practically an institution in the Southern gospel world, will be performing at Wednesday, May 31, at 7:00 p.m. in the W.R. Baker Auditorium.

The event is being sponsored by the Knox City Ministerial Alliance.

Their concerts are filled with the songs they helped make them famous from 1934 to the present.

More information will appear in next week's *News*, on this fabulous group!

## FLBA of Texas holds annual area meetings

The Federal Land Bank Association of Texas recently held area stockholder meetings in Brownwood, Coleman, Haskell and San Angelo.

Voting stockholders of the association re-elected two directors to service three year terms. They were Andrew Lange of Rowena and Bruce Williams of Baird. Also serving on the board are Don Johnson, Paul Jansa, Chris West, Leroy Williams, Lavon Beakley, Milton (Mackey) Spurgin, and Jerry Richardson.

Also elected to the 2001 association nominating committee were Jerry Gore, Andrew M. Young, Lowell L. White and Alvin W. Niehues.

James Isenhower, CEO, informed the local stockholders of the association's financial condition as well as the recent patronage distribution of \$1,000,000 returned to its customers. In the past three years, the association has returned over \$3,000,000 to borrowers in the form on patronage refunds.

The Federal Land Bank Association of Texas consists of branches in Coleman, Brownwood, Haskell and San Angelo and serves approximately 2,200 customers in 16 West and Central Texas counties.

## Results from Saturday's joint elections

- CITY COUNCIL -  
Sammie Offield - 114  
Charles Lankford - 157 (I) \*  
Jessie Rios - 119  
Fred Ledesma Jr. - 132 \*

- SCHOOL BOARD -  
Billy Chenhall - 109  
Dalton Harrington - 160 (I) \*  
Greg Clonts - 207 \*  
Jeff Stanfield - 96

- HOSPITAL BOARD -  
Total County Results  
Don Bunton - 395 (I) \*  
Peggy McGaughey - 473 (I) \*  
Gayle Hudson - 243

\* - elected to office

## Knox City High School names honor grads

Knox City High School principal Mack Lowe has released the names of this year's Class of 2000 honor graduates.

Named as class valedictorian is Natalie Bloxham, daughter of Pam and Dale Bloxham.

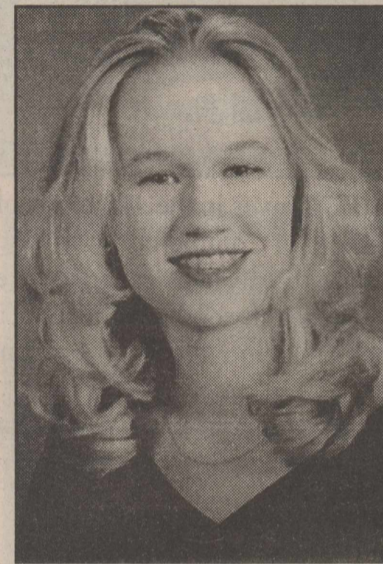
Natalie's grade point average for four years is 95.46.

Lauren Clonts was named this year's salutatorian.

The daughter of Greg and Kim Clonts and Ann Black, Lauren posted a 94.19 grade point average.

Rounding out this year's honor graduates is Roni Morrow, whose average is 92.38. She is the daughter of Leisa and Poncho Morrow.

High ranking boy for this year's senior class is Myles Richardson, son of Rosa and Sid Richardson. Myles average for four years is 88.69.



NATALIE BLOXHAM  
... valedictorian



LAUREN CLONTS  
... salutatorian

Baccalaureate for this year's seniors is Sunday, May 21. Commencement exercises will be Saturday, May 27. Both Baccalaure-

ate and Commencement will begin at 7:00 p.m. and be held in the W.R. Baker Auditorium on the Knox City school campus.

## 50th Judicial District Court hears cases in Baylor, Knox and Cottle counties

The 50th Judicial District Court had another busy week this past week, according to District Attorney Bill Neal.

On Tuesday, May 2, in the Baylor County District Court, the following pled guilty and were given probated sentences by District Judge David Hajek.

Michael Dewayne Hayden, 24, and Jerry Michael Bingham, 27, both from Wichita Falls, pled guilty to an indictment charging them with Illegal Possession of Anhydrous Ammonia. Both Hayden and Bingham received a two-year state jail sentence, probated for two year, \$250.00 fine, plus court costs. Bingham was represented by Bret Hanes, a Wichita Falls attorney; and Hayden was represented by Andrew Ottaway, a Haskell attorney.

Kenny Wayne McMorris, 31, of Seymour, pled guilty to an indictment charging him with Indecency with a Child. McMorris' finding of guilt was deferred and he was placed on probation for a five-year term, assessed a \$1,000.00 fine, plus court costs. McMorris was represented by Robert Rafuse, a Wichita Falls attorney.

Rudy Jesse Jacques, 43, of Abilene, pled guilty to complaint and information charging him with Aggravated Assault. Jacques' finding of guilt was also deferred and was placed on probation for two years, assessed a \$500.00 fine, plus court costs. Jacques waived his right to an attorney.

Billy Gene Wikel Jr., 19, of

Wichita Falls, pled guilty to an indictment charging him with Possession of a Controlled Substance (methamphetamine). Wikel was also represented by Andrew Ottaway.

On Wednesday, May 3, in the Knox County District Court, the following individuals were arraigned: Brenda Correll, 51, of Knox City, Felony Theft over \$20,000.00/under \$100,000.00 by Public Servant; Jimmy Ray Hearn, 53, of Rochester, Aggravated Sexual Assault; Charles Kelly Adams, 34, of Knox City, Burglary of a Habitation; Alfred Masias, Jr., 25, of Munday, Delivery of a Controlled Substance Under One Gram and Possessing Cocaine over Four Grams, under 200 Grams / Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity; Lee Edward Shields, 44, of Munday, Possessing Cocaine over Four Grams, under 200 Grams / Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity; Michael Venard Toney, 32, Possessing Cocaine over Four Grams, under 200 Grams / Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity; and Yvonne Gulick, 35, from Munday, Possessing Cocaine over Four Grams, under 200 Grams / Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity.

Those waiving arraignment were: Mary Alice Masias and Dennis Masias.

Joann Saucedo Flye, 31, of Knox City, pled guilty to an indictment charging her with Injury to a Child. Pursuant to a plea bargain agreement with the State, Flye's finding of guilt was de-

ferred and she was placed on probation for three years, assessed a \$500.00 fine, plus court costs. Flye was represented by Kyle Allen, a Childress attorney.

A bond reduction hearing was also held for Lee Edward Shields and Yvonne Gulick. The Court denied bond reduction for Lee Edward Shields and no action was taken on Yvonne Gulick's bond reduction.

Bonds in the amount of \$75,000.00 are currently set on both Shields and Gulick.

On Thursday, May 4, in the Cottle County District Court, the State's motion to revoke the probation of Daniel Ybarra, 39, of Lubbock as heard. After hearing the evidence, District Judge David Hajek continued Ybarra on probation with the special condition of confinement in a substance abuse felony punishment facility. Ybarra was originally placed on probation on March 11, 1999 after being charged and pleading guilty to felony DWI. Ybarra violated the conditions of his probation by failing to abstain from the use of alcohol and drugs, failing to complete the DWI Repeat Offender Program, and failing to pay his fine and community supervision fees. Ybarra was represented by Andrew Ottaway.

A pretrial was also held on Danny Garrett, 42, of Paducah. Garrett is charged by indictment with Theft by Check. He is also represented by Andrew Ottaway.

(This information was submitted by Bill Neal, District Attorney, Seymour, TX)

## KCCC Adult / Child Tourney held Saturday

Winners in the Adult / Child Tournament held Saturday, May 6, at the Knox City Country Club were:

- Championship Flight -  
13 Years to High School  
1st - Bruce Skiles of Abilene,  
Scooter Thompson of Knox City

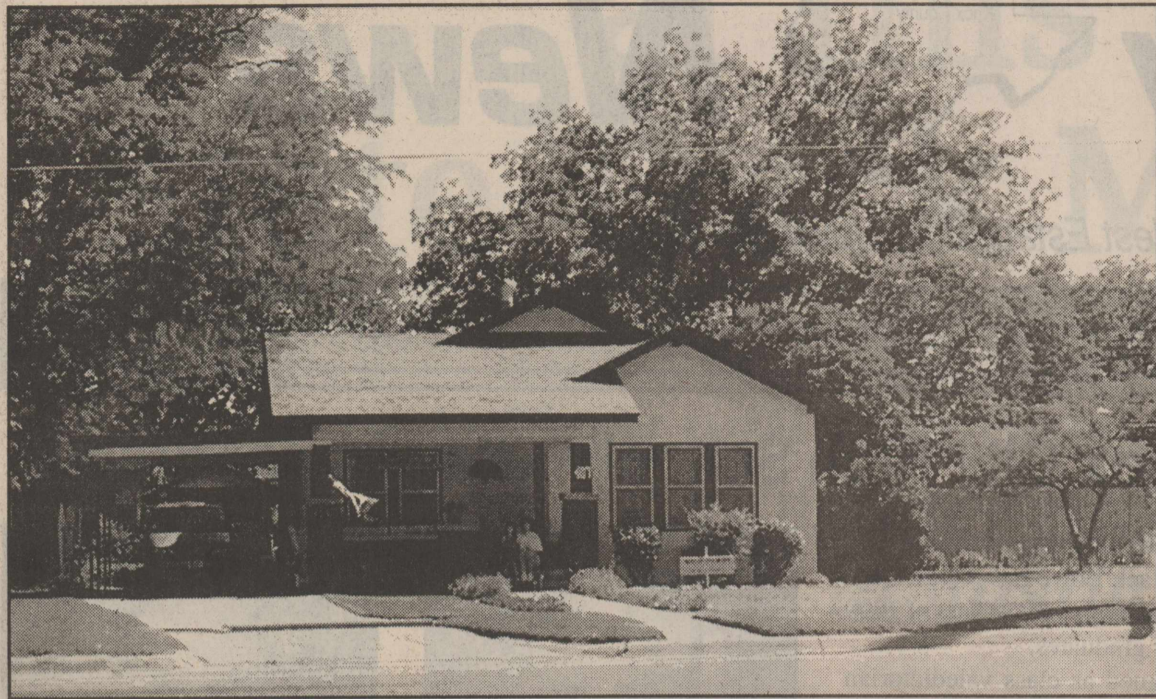
2nd - Bill Henson, Robert Henson of Sweetwater  
3rd - Nathan Bowles of Rule,  
Caleb Carver of Knox City

- First Flight -  
1st - Keith Early, Brian Homstad of Knox City  
2nd - Truman Dill, Wes Powell of Knox City

3rd - Danny Grindstaff, Heather Stovall of Knox City  
- Flight 12 Years & Under -  
1st - Tracy and Jordan Carter of Knox City  
2nd - Judge and Logan Ward of Aspermont  
3rd - Homer Rolston, Brittany Coop of Knox City

# Yard Of The Week

a project of the Knox City Chamber of Commerce



The home of Jonathan, Jane, and April Graves in the 400 block of South East Main Street has been selected by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce as the first recipient of the Yard Of The Week honors for the year 2000. The beautifully landscaped yard reflects the family's hard work and is a welcome sight to all those who pass by on one of Knox City's busiest streets. Jane and April just happened to be out on the porch enjoying the afternoon when this picture was taken late Tuesday afternoon.

## Immunization clinic to visit Knox City Thursday, May 11

The Texas Department of Health will conduct an Immunization Clinic at the Community Center/Housing Authority Bldg. on Thursday, May 11, from 10:00-11:30 and 1:00-3:00.

Immunizations offered include DTaP, Hib, Polio, Measles, Mumps and Rubella and Hepatitis B for infants as well as all school immunizations. The Td immunization is available for all adults not having one in 10 years.

The Hepatitis series was required for Kindergarten entry this year and will be required for 12 year olds on August 1, 2000. Parents are asked to take time to check their child's records and take appropriate action. The series takes from four to six months to complete.

The varicella (chickenpox) vaccine is available to anyone age 1 thru adulthood that has not had the chickenpox. Children in need of this immunization should call (940) 574-2159 to reserve a dose as only the reserved amount will be brought.

Participants are asked to bring immunization records and social security numbers. A parent, adult family member or legal guardian must accompany a minor.

All services provided by the Texas Department of Health are provided on a sliding fee scale but no one is denied services due to an ability to pay.

For more information on any of the immunizations, call 940-574-2159.

## Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

Seems each week it's a new weather report. This week - same story - it's different from what it has been. This past week and especially the last few days has been HOT! Temps above 100 degrees and it's not yet mid-May. What lies ahead of us in June, July and August. Well, have to wait and see. And what's gonna happen if it doesn't rain? Everything already is showing signs of hot, dry weather.

A big part of the news this week centers around friends and loved ones who are having health problems.

Misty Ham has been making regular trips to Wichita Falls to see her doctor for several weeks. She had some surgery Monday (outpatient) and will go back later in the week for more tests and blood work to determine what is next for her. She spent Friday and Saturday in the hospital getting some blood as her blood supply was pretty well depleted. She's feeling better and so far between trips to the doctor she's managed to go ahead and work. She's a deputy clerk in the County and District Clerk's office.

Juli Larned Lyles spent from Wednesday until Saturday at HMC in Abilene. She's also better but will have to be in bed most of the time for the next few weeks.

Gary Engbrock underwent back surgery last Wednesday. Some laser work for a disc that was giving him lots of trouble. He was able to come home Thursday but on Sunday said he was still in a lot of pain. His surgery was in Wichita Falls.

Lewis Lyles was back in Wichita Falls last week to see his doctor. He is holding his own and is able to be out and about most of the time.

Chris and Penny Phillips have certainly had their share of problems. She saw her doctors last week and her condition is such that it looks like she's going to be having some back and neck surgery before long. She is having bad effects from an old injury. Chris got results from his tests at Scott and White last Monday. Doctors there say with his problems he's not a good candidate from treatment that is ordinarily used for Hepatitis C. He just has to rest and take it very easy.

John Blackstock of Fort Worth was in an automobile accident Saturday and at last report was in very critical condition in Harris Hospital. The accident severed his spinal cord and doctors are amazed that he lived through that. He is married to Sara Neal, who is the daughter of Larry and Gaye. Sara and John have a little three year old son, Joseph, who is here with his grandparents now.

Peggy Gillispie, wife of Brother John, has not been well for three weeks or more. She had lots of trouble with her arthritis, an ear infection and other problems that have really caused her to feel bad. Hopefully, she is feeling better today.

My brother, Troy Yeager, who now lives in Brownfield is in critical condition in ICCU in Covenant Health Systems (Methodist Hospital) in Lubbock. I visited him today (Monday) and am very concerned about him. He is losing blood caused from a bleeding ulcer but has so many lung and heart problems that unless it gets to an emergency state, they will not do surgery. Right now, it's a waiting situation to see what can be done.

I hope I have not missed anyone that I've been told about. If I have, I apologize and I ask your prayers in behalf of all those with problems.

Here 'N There - Paige Boone of Trent visited grandparents, Pam and Dennis Duke, last week a day or so. Her aunt, Rachel, who was visiting from MU took her to Stamford Sunday morning to meet her parents to return home.

Debbie, Barry and Trevor Neil of Watauga visited her parents, Jack and Mary Young, during the weekend. I visited Debbie Sunday. It was good to see her as I hadn't seen her in a good while.

Sharon Johnson and Maretha Patterson spent the weekend in Seminole and Midland. Sharon's grandchildren are into tumbling and were in their final meet of the season at Midland.

Charles and Joy Jones returned home the first of last week after a two weeks vacation on the coast. Said they had a lot of good luck fishing but I haven't seen any proof - yet! I know they, had a good time and enjoyed being away a few days. Their daughter, Sheila DeLos Santos and her daughter, Tiffany of Vernon visited them Thursday.

Benjamin folks got a treat last weekend as the group "Servant" of Lubbock was in revival at the FUMC. It was good gospel music and a short message each night and those in attendance surely received a blessing from it.

I visited briefly with Pete and Kay Lindsey Monday. They are former Benjamin residents who moved to Dickens in 1981. They have not decided to make another move. He will retire from the Highway Dept. in August and they are moving to the Gainesville area. Have bought a place between Whitesboro and Collinsville and are really anxious to get down that way. Their daughter, Mitzi and her husband live at Frisco and their daughter Debbie and her family are still in Snyder.

## Thanks

to those who supported me in the hospital board election.

Peggy McGaughey

(Pol. Adv. Paid For By Peggy McGaughey, 11903 St. Hwy. 6, Knox City, TX 79529)

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05/03	52	76	
05/04	56	80	
05/05	64	85	
05/06	71	103	
05/07	66	105	
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**INTERESTED PARENTS** look over display items and receive information during the recent Parenting Fair held in Munday. The event was sponsored by the Knox County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee.

### Parenting Fair is well attended, well appreciated

The Knox County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee were sponsors of a very successful Parenting Fair on April 18 at the Elementary School Gym in Munday. The two hour fair had 261 individuals register and view approximately 35 exhibits relating to a variety of educational topics for parents, families, youth and educators.

Exhibitors participating were: American Heart Association, American Red Cross of North Central Texas, City-County Library, First National Bank of Munday, Hendrick Cancer Center, Knox City 4-H Club, Knox City Child Development Center, Knox County EMS - 911, Knox County Child Welfare Board, Knox County Historical Commission, Knox County Sheriffs Department, Knox County FCE Association Council, Knox Unit of American Cancer Society, Midwestern State University, Munday

Police Department, Munday Girl Scouts - Troop #142, Munday 4-H Club, Munday Child Development Center, Noah Project - North, Outreach Health Services - WIC, Rolling Plains Management Corp. - CHIP, Texas Tomorrow Fund, Texas Tomorrow Fund, Texas Department of Health, Texas Department of Human Services/ Texas Works, U.S. Postal Service, Knox County Commissioner's Court, Better Living For Texans, Boy Scouts - Munday, Turning Point - North Texas Council on Substance Abuse, Catholic Family Services, Knox City Hospital Home Health, Little Lives ECI.

Participants received free information regarding services, ideas, and products available for use in raising children.

Both adults and youth enjoyed balloons, door prizes, demonstrations, and other goodies given by the sponsors of the various booths.

The Knox County Child Welfare Board also put on puppet shows during the two hour period.

The Knox County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee is a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service located on the first floor of the courthouse at Benjamin.

For more information regarding the Parent Fair contact Jane Rowan, Extension Agent for Family & Consumer Sciences at 940/454-2651

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age or national origin.

Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service or accommodation in order to participate in a meeting or program are encouraged to contact the Knox County Extension office at (940)454-2651.

### Child Welfare Board meets Monday, May 1

The Knox County Child Welfare Board met Monday, May 1. The Parenting Fair results were discussed. Board members were pleased with the participation of the public and felt information was presented.

The results of the contests and activities to promote Child Abuse Prevention Awareness Month of April of the school children were given. The participation of the children in Knox City Elementary School, O'Brien Mid-School and Knox City High School is really appreciated. The teachers and students did a great job. Board members stated it is amazing the brightness, wittiness and talent of the young people.

Students of the Pre-K, first and second grades colored pictures. They will be displayed downtown soon. Winner of the mural awards were O'Brien Mid-School are Tony Aguayo, Derrick Magana, David Rodriguez and Camell Thompson and Michelle Cole's third grade at Knox City Elementary School. All of these students were given a ticket for a free fountain drink provided by Ray Penman and the Conoco Convenience store. The slogan winners were Eddie Vela, O'Brien Mid-School; and Trey Burt, Knox City High School. Eddie and Trey were given a \$50.00 Savings Bond, donated by Citizens Bank of Knox City.

Present were Becky Offutt, Glenna Shahan, Margaret Hill, Dayle Kuehler, Sherry Ellis, Pam Duke and Peggy Guinn.

Hazel and Demp Emerson have given memorials for Jewel Bailey and W.H. Patterson.

Child Abuse Hotline  
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### Thank you . . .

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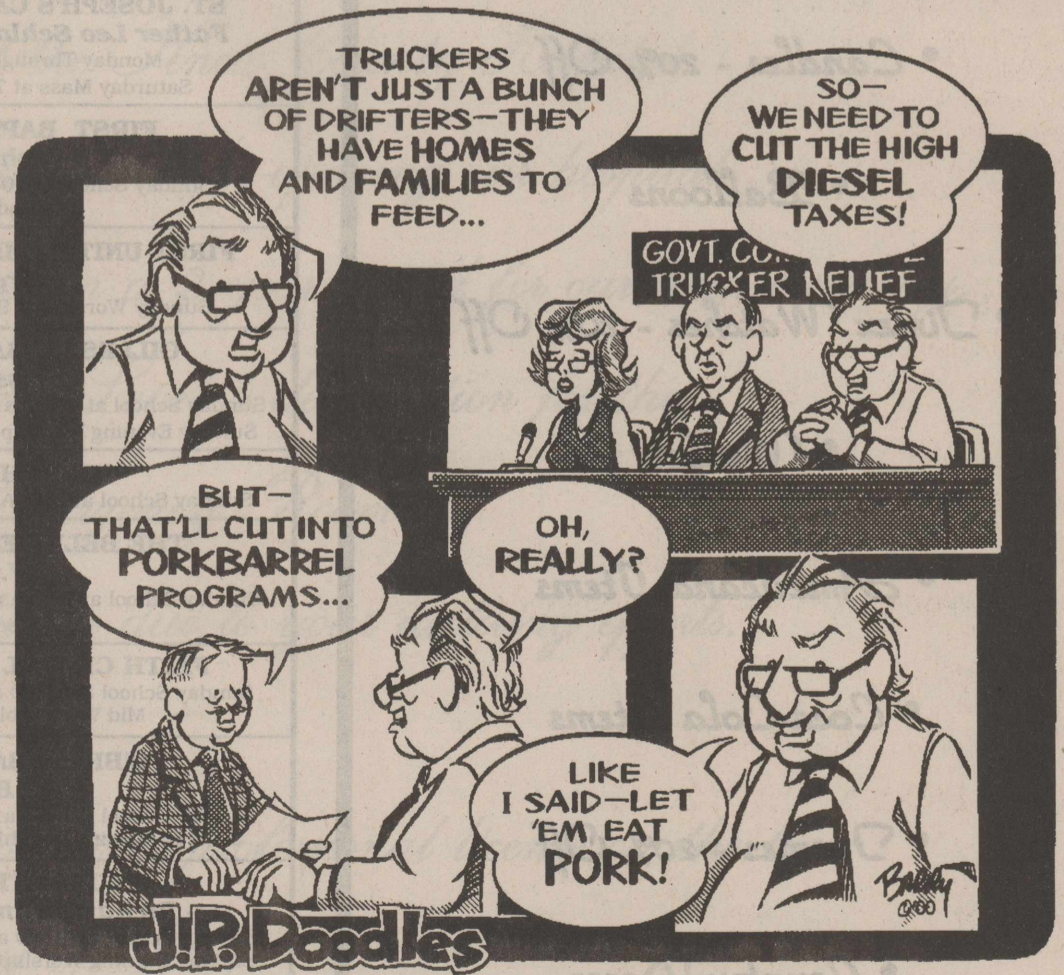
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### O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Our dentist recently hired a beautiful young blonde as a dental hygienist. We exchanged small talk for half an hour as she cleaned my teeth and I gazed into her pale-blue eyes. When she finished, she smiled and said, "You have the most perfect mouth." My heart skipped a beat. Then she continued: "Usually I have a lot of trouble reaching people's wisdom teeth. But your mouth is so big, I can get both hands in easily!"

Here and There - Several from our church attended "Heaven's Gates and Hell's Flames" at First Baptist Church in Stamford last Tuesday night. Those going from our church were Billie Walker, Bernice Rowan, and I and John Lippard and Carol and Alex Godsey. It really was good and

there were lots of decisions made. The men of O'Brien Baptist Church had men's community breakfast Saturday morning for the men of area churches. There were 32 men attending and enjoyed a good meal. Speaker was Andrew Ottaway, an attorney from Haskell and they all really enjoyed him.

Tonight (Monday) is the deacons and wives annual banquet at the Big Country Baptist Assembly in Lueders. Time is 7:30 p.m. A good crowd will go and enjoy a good day and lots of good food.

Jon Bryant of Levelland spent the weekend with his parents, Eddie and Claudia Bryant and grandparents, Claudale and Jean Barnard in Knox City.

Visiting Billie Ruth Walker

over the weekend were her son Cliff Banner of Hawley and friends Ray and Dorothy Koonce of Cedar Hill.

Sandra Childers of Ozona and David Ellis of San Angelo are spending a few days with their mom, Beatrice Ellis and helping her with her ailments.

Alton and LaUna Hester were in Lubbock Sunday afternoon to visit Alton's brother, Sidney Joe in the hospital there. Sidney Joe really needs our prayers, one day he's doing pretty good and then something else turns up. LaUna will see a doctor again this week and she also needs our prayers.

Clara Hanson was in Graham last week with her son Jerry Hodges and wife Lou. Clara had an eye checkup there.

### Aging center lunch menus

May 15th thru 19th

**Monday, May 15** - Salmon croquettes, macaroni and cheese, sweet peas, cole slaw, light bread, dessert.

**Tuesday, May 16** - Submarine sandwiches, potato chips, fried squash, lettuce, tomato, onion, pork and beans, cookies.

**Wednesday, May 17** - Barbeque chicken, pinto beans, buttered spinach, potato salad, cornbread, cobbler.

**Thursday, May 18** - Roast beef with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, pea salad, corn on the cob, hot rolls, peaches with topping.

**Friday, May 19** - Beef stew, seven minute cabbage, cheese sticks, cornbread, peanut butter rice krispie bars.

(All menus subject to change without notification. It is important to contact the site manager in order that meals can be prepared.)

### Annual FFA awards banquet held Thursday night, May 4

The Knox City FFA held their annual FFA Awards Banquet on Thursday night, May 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

There were 62 members and guests present. Those attending enjoyed a meal of fajitas with all the trimmings.

The Star Greenhand Award went to Logan Morrow.

Star Chapter FFA Award went to Natalie Bloxham.

Natalie Bloxham was also presented the sweetheart plaque.

The Claude Reed Memorial Award for total participation in ag science went to Roni Morrow.

Certificates of Merit were: Poultry Judging - Sal Silva, Nefro Gonzales;

Horse Judging - Logan Morrow, Roni Morrow, Natalie Bloxham, Jeffery Acree;

Meat Goat Production - Landon Weiershausen, Ashley Jobe, Tiffany Jobe, Natalie Bloxham, Roni Morrow, Logan Morrow;

Swine Production - Natalie Bloxham, Roni Morrow, Logan Morrow, Jennifer Eaton, Jeffery Acree, Matthew Lowe, Ashley Turner, Ashley Jobe, Landon Weiershausen;

Steer Production - Ryan Baker.

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### WEEKEND REVIVAL CONTINUES !!

O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH  
MAY 12-13-14, 7:00 PM

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES AT 11:00 AM

PREACHER: JACK NIVENS  
DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS, STAMFORD  
SINGERS: DONNIE ROBERTS  
MUSIC DIRECTOR, FIRST BAPTIST O'BRIEN  
BOB BERG  
MUSIC DIRECTOR, FIRST BAPTIST STAMFORD  
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### UIL Banquet Friday, May 19, 7:00 P.M.

Advance tickets are now available for this year's UIL Banquet for \$5.00 each. School officials ask that parents wishing to attend purchase tickets as soon as possible so an accurate count may be made for preparation. Tickets may be purchased from the high school office. Call 658-3565 for more information.

The Knox City Fire Department would like to thank you for the great turnout at the basketball game on Monday, May 1.

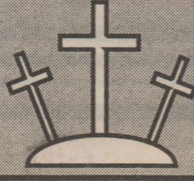
Because of your support, we were able to raise needed funds to maintain the equipment that we have. With the summer coming up and if a dry season sets in we will have the equipment in better condition to respond. A special thanks to the sponsors who gave gift certificates to give out at the game and the people who gave donations to us.

Domingo Garcia and the Knox City Fire Department

I would like to take this time to thank each and every person who came out to vote Saturday. A special thanks to those who voted for me. I will do my best to serve this community. Once again, thank you very much.

Fred Ledesma

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Fred Ledesma, 1103 S. 4th, Knox City, TX 79529)



## Knox City Area Church Directory

Local congregations welcome your attendance this Sunday

<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Knox City</b> <i>Johnny Johnson, Pastor</i> * Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - * Sunday Morning Worship at 10:55 a.m. * Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. - Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m. Sunday Services telecast live on Cable Channel 6 in Knox City &amp; O'Brien</p>
<p><b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH - Knox City</b> <i>Steve Pepper, Minister</i> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Knox City</b> <i>Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor</i> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>FOUR SQUARE CHURCH - Knox City</b> <i>Paul Chambers, Interim Pastor</i> Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. - Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH - Knox City</b> <i>Father Leo Schloemer - Deacon Julian Estrada</i> Sunday Bilingual Mass at 11:00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH - Rhineland</b> <i>Father Leo Schloemer - Deacon Julian Estrada</i> Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Mass at 7:00 p.m. - Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Benjamin</b> <i>John Gillispie, Pastor</i> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m., Sunday Morning at 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Benjamin</b> <i>Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor</i> Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.</p>
<p><b>GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH - Gillespie</b> <i>Ross Anderson, Pastor</i> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. - Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>CHURCH OF CHRIST - Benjamin</b> Sunday School at 9:45 A.M. - Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.</p>
<p><b>THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL - Highway 222</b> <i>W.O. Smith, Pastor</i> Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m. Mid Week, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>FAITH CHAPEL - 8 Miles South Of Knox City</b> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Mid Week Bible Study, Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH - O'Brien</b> <i>Bill Trice, Pastor</i> Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>"ABUNDANT LIFE" ZION FULL GOSPEL</b> <i>Richard Palma, Mary Ann Palma, Pastors</i> Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. Mid Week, Thurs. at 7:00 p.m. Church location: 5 miles west of O'Brien Baptist Church</p>
<p><b>WEINERT FOURSQUARE CHURCH</b> <i>Rob Harrison, Pastor</i> Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Mid Week Bible Study, Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. The church is located at 200 West Guthrie in Weinert</p>

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Notice of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, resolutions of respect, in memoriam notices, proclamations, letters expressing political opinions, weddings, engagements, anniversaries, extended obituaries or obituaries with photographs, legal notices, legal documents, and all other matters not of general news will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

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Letters to the Editor are encouraged. They must be signed by the author and include the telephone number for verification purposes. Only the writer's name will appear in print. Letters should be kept to a reasonable length, are subject to be edited for clarity, liable and for the purpose of only conveying a single point. Every attempt will be made not to change the meaning of letters. All letters are run "space available". Each letter is accepted on that basis.

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**SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

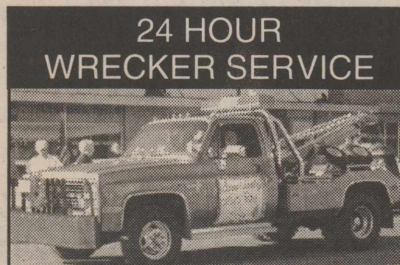
Thursday, May 11 - Third Grade Field Trip to Abilene; City Council, 7:00 p.m.  
Friday, May 12 - Bad Weather Day, School Holiday  
Friday, May 12 and Saturday, May 13 - State Track Meet in Austin  
Sunday, May 14 - Mother's Day  
Wednesday, May 17 - Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church fellowship hall; O'Brien Student Council Field Trip

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•• The game will be **Monday, May 15, at 7:30 p.m.**  
•• A second game will be on **Thursday, May 18, at 8:00 p.m.** against the 2000 Seniors.

At both games, a hat will be passed and donations will go to help with college expenses. Both games will be at the Little League field on North Avenue D. Come one, come all to help support the 2000 Seniors.

**Hospital District receives Texas tobacco settlement**

AUSTIN - Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander has distributed \$100 million from the Texas tobacco settlement to 288 Texas cities, counties and hospital districts to help offset costs of providing indigent health care. The Knox County Hospital District received a check in the amount of \$56,755.13.

Check amounts were determined by a formula, established by the Texas Department of Health, based on the amount spent on unreimbursed indigent health care in the previous year. The funds are from the \$2.28

billion Texas tobacco settlement reached in 1998, and are separate from the \$15.3 billion settlement between tobacco companies and the state.

An initial \$450 million was set aside for payments in 1999-2001. The 1999 payment totaled \$300 million.

Under the terms of the settlement agreement, the Comptroller's office will distribute \$50 million in April 2001.

The remaining \$1.8 billion was set aside in an untouchable fund, with interest to be distributed annually beginning next year.



**Golf Loves Texas**

Texas is a popular place for professional golfers, playing host to seven pro tournaments, including four PGA stops, a LPGA tournament and two Senior PGA tour events. In addition to generating tourism dollars, these tournaments raise money for charity.

**Texas 2000 Professional Golf Tournaments and Charity Dollars Raised in 1999**

Tournament	2000 Date	Site	'99 Charity Dollars
GTE Byron Nelson Classic	May 11-14	TPC at Las Colinas, Irving	\$5.9 million
Shell Houston Open	April 27-30	TPC at The Woodlands, Houston	\$3.4 million
Mastercard Colonial	May 18-21	Colonial Country Club, Ft. Worth	\$2 million
Westin Texas Open	Sept. 21-24	LaCantera Golf Club, San Antonio	\$336,310
Bank One Championship	Sept. 22-24	Bent Tree Country Club, Dallas	\$300,000
Southwestern Bell Dominion	June 16-18	The Dominion Country Club, San Antonio	\$300,000
Phillips Invitational	May 4-7	Onion Creek Country Club, Austin	\$25,000

SOURCES: Carole Keeton Rylander, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts (www.window.state.tx.us), and the Professional Golf Association.

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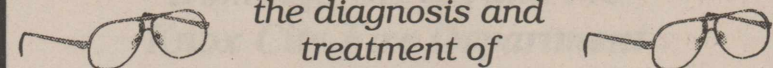
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**BRAZOS VALLEY CARE HOME** is now taking applications for a Maintenance / Custodial position. Please apply in person at 605 South Ave. F, Knox City. 5-11 ttc 24

## Garage Sale

**DON'T MISS OUT** on Methodist Garage Sale and Bake Sale - Barbeque to go on bun or by the carton. Lots of treasures, come see !! Methodist lawn, 9 to 4, Saturday. 5-11 ttc 30

**THREE FAMILY Garage Sale** - Saturday, May 13, only. (No early birds) 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. 900 S. Central (inside). Many household items, furniture and clothes. 5-11 ttp

**YARD SALE** - Antiques, tools, exercisers, lots of misc. Two miles west on 617 from Rochester light. Friday only, 8:00 a.m. to dark. 5-11 ttp

## Legal Notice

**LEGAL NOTICE** - THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE OF TEXAS - (CRIMINAL TRESPASS SENATE BILL III LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL LANDS OF THE W.T. WAGGONER ESTATE ARE POSTED - SAVE AND EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME. GENE W. WILLINGHAM A.B. WHARTON 52

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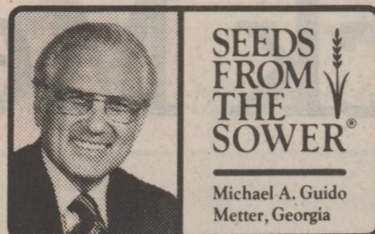
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## PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF BENJAMIN

### TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Benjamin will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, May 15, 2000 at City Hall, 101 W. Cedar, Benjamin, Texas, in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizens participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities and the use of past TCDP funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to Ronnie White, City Manager, at the City Hall. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. For further information, contact Ronnie White, City Manager at the City Hall 940/454-3131.



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How true!  
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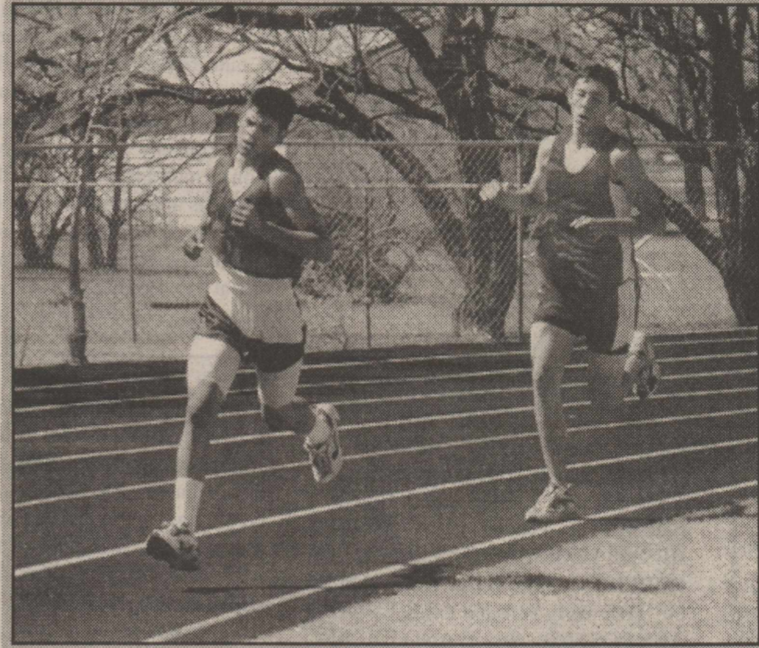
## Appearances

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# GOOD LUCK, JEFFERY at this weekend's State Track Meet in Austin !!

*Jeffery will compete  
in the 3200 meter run  
Friday night in Austin.*



**Greyhounds advance to playoffs  
in Baseball after defeating  
Vernon Northside 12-2 Monday night.  
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- Time and location TBA -**

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