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'Hounds claim area title



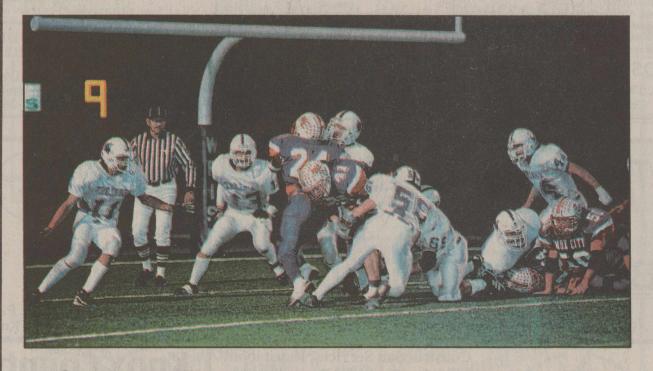
2002 Knox City Greyhound Football Team

District Champions, Area Champions



Quentin Spells breaks the game open

FRESHMAN RUNNING BACK QUENTIN SPELLS electrified the fans last Friday night at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls when he broke open for long yardage late in the fourth quarter to set up the game winning touchdown. Quentin only carried the ball two times in the game, but picked up 44 yards. Quentin (22) is shown here running through a huge hole in the Windthorst defense opened up by Ricky Dale Smith (76), Caleb Carver (64), Drew Barnard (73) and C.J. Bruce (50). Windthorst Trojan defenders identified on the play are Chad Green (5), Jay Meurer (65), Trent Berend (55), and Amador Buenrostro (69).



Scooter Thompson scores winning TD

SENIOR FULLBACK SCOOTER THOMPSON (41) is shown here just a second before he turned to the right and took the ball across the goal line to score the winning touchdown in the Area Championship game last Friday night at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls. Making a great block for Scooter is Riley Spells (24), other Greyhound defenders shown to the right are Senior Caleb Carver (64) and Sophomore C.J. Bruce (50). Tied through the first three quarters, both Knox City and Windthorst scored in the fourth quarter to tie the game at 7-7. The TD by Scooter shown above with 13 seconds left in the game, and the extra point kick by Senior Dominique Collier put Knox City on top 14-7. Windthorst Trojan defenders identified on the play are (left to right) Justin Wolf (11), Casey Hoff (13), Clay Conrady (56), Amador Buenrostro (69), and Gary Johnston (44).

KCHS Greyhounds advance to regional game with Roby after Friday's 14-7 battle with Windthorst at Wichita Falls

With their backs to the wall, the Knox City Greyhounds dug their heels in and played their best defensive game of the year as they held the powerful Windthorst Trojans to a 0-0 ball game through three full quarters last Friday night at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls. As both teams fought hard for the Area Championship title and the right to advance to the regional round of the Class A playoffs, Knox City's 'Hounds proved their determination right to the very end of the game when they pulled ahead with just seconds left.

Even though Knox City only had 3 first downs in the first three quarters of play, the offense seemed to come alive late in the third quarter after KC Junior Carlos Ruiz intercepted a Windthorst pass from quarterback Chad Green and returned it to the Trojan 36 yard line. Just eight plays later, quarterback Sedrick Roberson finally put the first points of the night on the scoreboard with a 6 yard run. Dominique Collier quickly picked up the seventh point with his point after kick through the uprights.

Windthost never gave up the fight, coming back midway the fourth

See Greyhounds, contd. on page 2

Our community pep rally to show support for the Greyhounds will be in the downtown block at 5:30 p.m. this Friday.



A 'Celebration Pep Rally' for the Greyhounds will be held prior to the Christmas celebration beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the downtown area. Local merchants will offer late night shopping to help residents get

pionship game in Abilene on Saturday night.

in the holiday spirit.

Local crafters will be set up to offer shoppers, the opportunity to purchase that unique Christmas gift, created by a Knox City resident. A message from Santa said he will be at the Chamber office, hoping to see all the boys and girls in Knox City.

Downtown merchants, the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department, City Hall and the Chamber of Commerce have been busy working to create a festive holiday atmosphere in Knox City with window displays and the hanging of white lights.

Chamber executive director Marla Hawkins said chamber officials hope to provide an opportunity for all of Knox City to gather and celebrate not only Christmas, but also the blessings of small town life. The Chamber Board will be serving refreshments in the Chamber office and all are invited to stop by and enjoy goodies, visit Santa and spend time together to fellowship.

The Chamber will also be offering a drawing at the end of the evening for Knox City Dollars. Shoppers will have the opportunity to register for the drawing with every dollar spent at any one of the downtown businesses during the Christmas Celebration. At the end of the evening, there will be a drawing for four \$25 certificates that can be used in Knox City.

Chamber officials hope to provide an opportunity for everyone to experience some holiday cheer and Christmas shopping among Knox City's brand of hospitality and good will.





To Be



7:30 Saturday Night



Shotwell Stadium In Abilene

SUPPORT THE GREYHOUNDS

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advance.....

From page one

quarter to score when Chad Green ran the ball into the end zone from 10 yards out. Green also kicked in the extra point for the Trojans. That touchdown was set up by a Greyhound fumble that was recovered by linebacker Chad Schreiber. He looked like he might return it all the way, but Greyhound Riley Spells chased him down after a long run that gave Windthorst a first down on Knox City's 39 yard line. The ensuing touchdown came just 9 plays later.

One of the most exciting plays of the night came when Greyhound freshman running back Quentin Spells found a huge hole in the windthorst defense that had been opened up by tremendous blocking from the Greyhound offensive line. Spells sprinted through the opening, then picked up speed and gained 43 yards before three Trojan defenders finally brought him down inside the 5 yard line. Four plays later, Senior Scooter Thompson put Knox City ahead as the 216 pound fullback broke through four tacklers and dove into the end zone with just 13 seconds left in the game. Once again, Dom Collier kicked the extra point to put Knox City ahead 14-7, and that score held after Senior Kendrick Green intercepted a long pass from Windthorst to finally end the

The win over Windthorst was both happy and sad for Knox City players and fans. Happy because the win advanced the Greyhounds to the regional round of the playoffs that will be held this Saturday at 7:30 p.m. against the Roby Lions at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene. The sad feeling came after players, coaches and fans learned that two brothers on the Windthorst team lost their grandfather and grandmother in a tragic car crash near Jacksboro as the couple traveled to Wichita Falls for the game. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to Matt and Morgan Schenk and their family from everyone in Knox City.

The Greyhounds will play the Roby Lions at 7:30 Saturday night at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene

Greyhounds O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"What's Cookin'? My husband and I were invited to join friends at a quaint inn over an hour's drive away. Then I remembered that the last time I had eaten there, my entree' was tasteless, unevenly heated and not well presented. It was far from being a great dining experience.

When I explained why I didn't want to go, my husband was supportive. "Why, if we wanted a lousy meal, we don't have to drive so far," he said. "We can just stay home.'

Here and There - We all in O'Brien enjoyed having all the visitors in our church Sunday night and you can come back anytime. I'm sure all these enjoyed visiting, singing, preaching and then the cookies and pies and drinks afterward. Bro. Troy Culpepper is our interim pastor and he's doing a great job and all of you came back anytime.

I was honored Sunday afternoon by seeing and playing with one of the quintuplets from Lubbock. The mother, Jamie, brought one of the boys, Briley, to visit a while. Briley isn't walking yet but

he's real smart otherwise. Billie Walker and son Joe Ban-

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ner and I were in Old Glory Saturday to attend the fourth Saturday night musical. Where were lots of musicians there and also a good congregation. This was the first time for several of the musicians and we all enjoyed being there.

Bernice Rowan left Sunday night and will be enjoying Thanksgiving with her sons Jerry and family and Lowell and family and daughter Debbie and family. The big Thanksgiving (dinner) will be at Lowell and family in Denton.

Jerry Don Beasley of Snyder visited with Ranzy and Adelle Herring last week. They enjoyed a good visit.

Visiting Billie Walker and her son Joe Sunday was another son Cliff Banner of Hawley. The boys enjoyed working together on Joe's

Bennett and Sue Shortes were in Breckenridge over the weekend to attend a wedding for some of Bennett's relatives.

Junior and Myra Reeves were in Rule last week to attend the funeral for one of Myra's rela-

Alton and LaUna Hester spent last week in Panhandle. Alton was helping his son-in-law finish up gathering his farm crops. The maize was his final crop after already gathering several others and all seem to come out real

Aaron and Felipe Sanchez, students at Angelo State, spent the weekend at home with their parents, Pablo and Lila and brothers. Rey Rey and Pablo.

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KC Area Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of Knox City

Miller Robinson, Interim Pastor *Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. *Sunday Morning Worship at 10:55 a.m. *Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. *Mid Week, Wed. at 6:30 p.m. Sunday Services telecast live on cable channel 06 in Knox City & O'Brien

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH of Knox City

Claude McKiddy, Pastor *Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. *Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. *Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH of Knox City Steve Pepper, Minister

*Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. *Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH of Knox City

Paul Chambers, Pastor
*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.

SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH of Knox City Father Leo Schloemer, Deacon Julian Estrada *Sunday Bilingual Mass at 11:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH of Rhineland Father Leo Schloemer, Deacon Julian Estrada *Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass

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*Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. *Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH of Gillespie Ross Anderson, Pastor

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FAITH CHAPEL, 8 Miles South Of Knox City *Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. *Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. *Mid Week Bible Study, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Greyhound Pep Rally to kick things off at 5:30

Plan now to visit local merchants for late evening shopping, come see Santa Claus, visit the craft booths, enjoy refreshments, come see the newly strung downtown lights, get in the Christmas spirit

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Knox County Hospital District is making privacy a priority in 2003

With mandatory compliance of HIPAA

To the citizens of Knox County, April 15, 2003, will be more than just another tax day. It marks the beginning of mandatory compliance with the privacy provisions of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Millions of health providers across America will be required by the Department of Health and Human Services to comply with these new provisions which charge the medical industry with accountability for the sanctity of patients' medical information.

In anticipation, Knox County Hospital District is participating in a program endorsed by the Texas Organization of Rural and Community Hospitals to receive the training, policies, procedures and other administrative documents required to safeguard patient privacy. Many of the changes will be transparent, but patients will still notice a number of differences during medical visits. One of the most notable changes will be the Notice of Privacy Practices that Knox County Hospital District will be providing each of its patients. The Notice informs patients of their rights under HIPAA regulations, the hospital's responsibilities to safeguard protected health information, and what can be done if a patient feels

their privacy has been violated. Don't be alarmed when asked to sign an acknowledgment regarding the Notice of Privacy - it is required by law.

Knox County Hospital District faces stiff fines if it violates the rules associated with HIPAA and is asking for assistance in the difficult transition of implementing new privacy policies. Don't be surprised when calling for information about a friend, neighbor or family member that the information can't be released - it's the law.

For more information or to receive a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices, call Karen Stiewert R.N. at (940) 657-3535.



Weather

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Date	Low	High	Rain	
11/19	33	71		
11/20	37	72		
11/21	39	76		
11/22	37	69		
11/23	39	78		
11/24	40	69		
11/25	34	42		

Total 2002 Rainfall - 30.37



We're really proud!

Aunt Kay and Uncle Doug

Obituaries

Bruce B. Campbell Jr.

Funeral services for Bruce B. Campbell Jr. of Knox City were held Sunday, November 24, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. at the Church of Christ in Knox City with Gene McCarty officiating. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Campbell, 85, died Friday, November 22, 2002, in the Knox County Hospital.

Born January 6, 1918, in Normangee, Texas, he graduated from Texas A&M University with a bachelor's degree in engineering.

He married Mary Margaret Bigham on March 5, 1941, in Goldthwaite, Texas. She preceded him in death in 1997.

Mr. Campbell was president of Citizens State Bank until he retired. He was director of the Knox City Chamber of Commerce from 1967-19709. He was on the Brazos River Authority from 1971-1989, serving as chairman. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce and was awarded the E. Hob Smith Most Appreciated Citizen award in 1988. He was a member of the Knox City Lions Club and had also served on the City Council.

He served in the United States Army during World War II with 2nd Engineers Special Brigade and was awarded the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.

He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary Jo Campbell of Dripping Springs; and a brother, Tom Campbell of Georgetown.

Pallbearers were Greg Clonts, Ray Penman, Clint Jones, Dwayne Johnson, David Albus and Leon Burkham.

Memorials may be made to the Retired Teachers Scholarship Fund, c/o Clint Jones, Citizens Bank, Knox City, TX 79529.





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American Heart Association meets Tuesday, Nov. 19

The Knox County Board of the American Heart Association met Tuesday, November 19, at the Wild Flour Cafe.

Zo Felts chaired the meeting. A letter of resignation was regretfully accepted from Letha Beck, a longtime member, who has moved

Jan Lankford and Flora Roberts will co-chair the Women's Heart Luncheon in the spring.

Officers for 2002-03 are Zo Felts - chairman, Jan Lankford - secretary, Frankie Baker - treasurer, and June Tankersley - communications chairman.

Present were Frankie Baker, Flora Roberts, Jan Lankford, Janoma Stephens, Charlene Brothers, Joyce Lloyd, Zo Felts and June Tankersley.

Early registration for Vernon Colleges set for December 5

The early registration date for classes being offered for the spring 16-week semester at Vernon College on the Vernon campus is December 5 for new and re-enrolling students.

Students may register from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. at Osborne Administration Building. Classes begin for the spring semester on January 13, 2003.

November 21 - December 2 is early registration by Campus Connect. Campus Connect enables students to register for credit courses from any computer with Internet access.

Students must contact their counselor for a Personal Identification Number before attempting to register through Campus Connect.

First-time students should fill out an Application for Admission, have high school or college transcripts sent to the registrar's office, have TASP scores on file, and make an appointment with a Vernon College advisor to have their trial schedule signed.

For students who cannot attend classes on campus, fifty-five classes are available online for the spring 2003 semester. For Internet classes, students are required to attend an orientation and make contact with their instructors by the first day of classes. The schedule for Internet class orientation can be found in the class schedule.

The Application for Admission, schedule of classes, and registration information can be found on the Vernon College website at www.vernoncollege.edu. For more information, call 940-552-6291 in Vernon or 940-696-8752 in Wichita Falls.

Ain't it GREAT being a GREYHOUND? Go Hounds! 'Get It Done!'

O'Brien students win first in district UIL contest held November 12 and 14

With whopping total of 705.5 points to take top honors

O'Brien Mid-School took first place honors in the 2002 District 6-A Junior High UIL Academic Contest held November 12 and 14 on the O'Brien campus.

O'Brien students totaled a whopping 705.5 points followed by Munday in second with 638 points. Third was Paducah with 209 points followed by Crowell with 149.5.

Events and students winning from O'Brien were:

7th Calculator - third, Jessy Schur; fifth, Orrin Myers; team,

8th Calculator - third, Bridgett Billington, sixth, Brandon

Grimsley; team - second; 7th Spelling - fifth, Marni McLemore; team, second;

8th Spelling - second, Tiffany Wilde; sixth, Laura Harrington; second, team;

8th Impromptu - first, Laura Harrington; third, Vanessa Solis; sixth, Kursten Stafford;

8th Maps, Graphs, Charts-second, Cody Wainscott; fifth, Tiffany Wilde, sixth, Brandon

Grimsley; first - team; Listening - 7th Grade - tie for second, Sarah Burt, Marni McLemore; fourth, Brie Rios;

team, first; Listening - 8th grade - third, Laura Harrington; sixth, Katie

Railsback; third, team; 7th Impromptu Speaking - first, Sheniqua Woods; second, Sarah

Burt; fourth, Travis Hawkins; 7th Maps, Graphs, Charts third, Joe Albus; fourth, Candace Carver; sixth, Zack Chisum; team, second:

7th Ready Writing - first, Marni McLemore; second, Jessy Schur; 8th Editorial Writing - first, Laura Harrington; second,

7th Editorial Writing - first, Marni McLemore; fourth, Jessy Schur; fifth, Candace Carver;

Vanessa Solis; third, Emily Lewis;

8th Ready Writing - second, Laura Harrington; fifth, Tiffany Wilde; sixth, Emily Lewis;

7th Dictionary Skills - second, Brie Rios; fourth, Sarah Burt; fifth, Orrin Myers; team, second;

8th Dictionary - first, Bridgett Billington; second, Vanessa Solis; third, Laura Harrington; team, first:

7th Science - third, Joe Albus; sixth, Zach Chisum; team, first;

8th Number Sense - first, Tiffany Wilde; second, Bridgett Billington; third, Brandon Grimsley; team, first;

8th Science -third, Cody Wainscott; fourth, Laura Harrington; team, second;

7th Number Sense - first, Joe Albus; fourth, Jessy Schur; team, second;

7th Modern Oratory - first, Marni McLemore; second, Jessy Schur; third, Sarah Burt;

8th Modern Oratory - first, Laura Harrington; second, Tiffany Wilde; third, Emily Lewis; 7th Mathematics - first, Jessy

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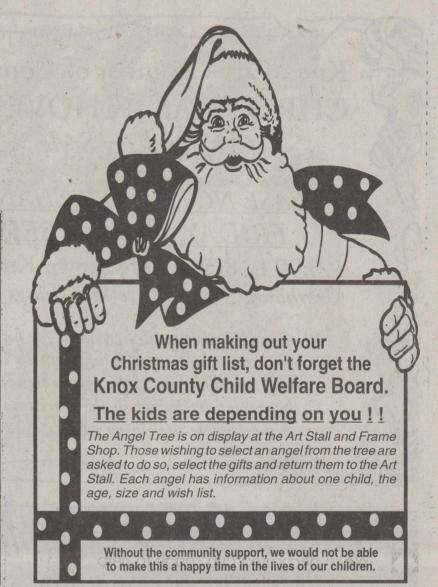
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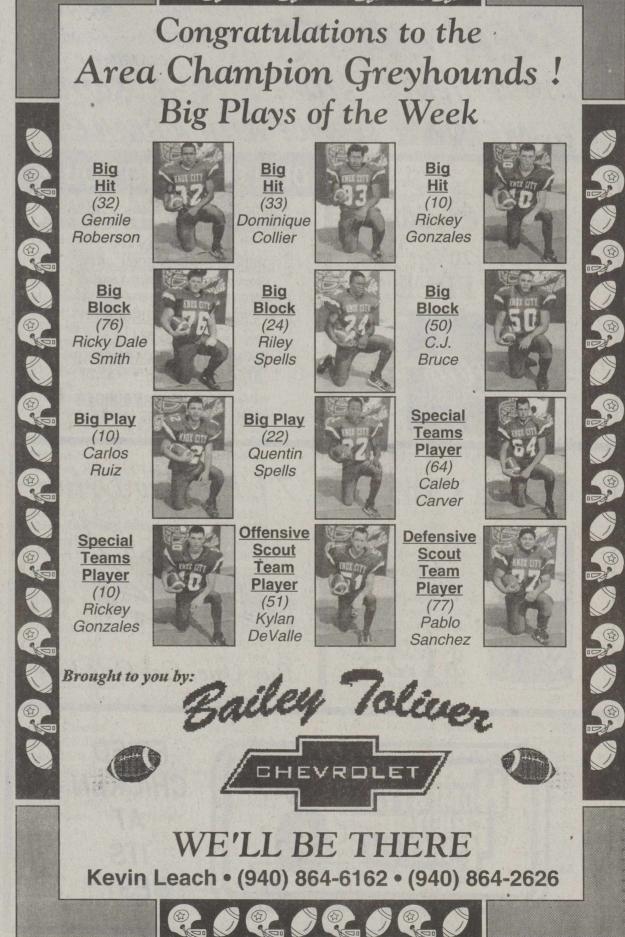
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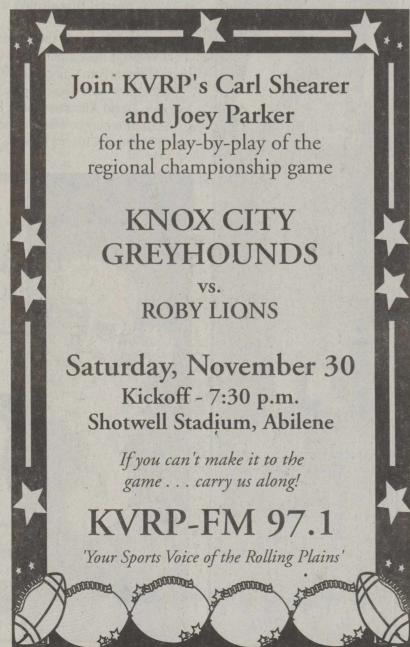
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A study in the Archives of Internal Medicine maintains that living wills can save about \$60,000 per patient in medical costs. Researchers studied 474 patients who died in a hospital during 1990-92. Bills for those without living wills were three times as high.

Currently only one medical school in the entire country, out of 126, has a full-fledged department of geriatrics: Mt. Sinai School of Medicine in New York.









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Friday, December 6- Chicken drummies with gravy, buttered potatoes, green beans, carrot and raisin salad, hot rolls, jello/fruit

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

Since it looks like Christmas, it's time to start thinking about the annual Christmas Tree project for the Child Welfare Board

Residents of Knox County have always been known for their generosity, and the upcoming holiday season is a time when generous giving means helping less fortunate children have a better Christmas. Every year, the Knox County Child Welfare Board appeals to residents to give a little extra when they do their Christmas shopping.

The Child Welfare Board's annual Christmas tree is in the front display window of the Art Stall and Frame Shop in downtown Knox City. On the tree are paper angels, each listing an individual child's Christmas wishes. Included in the list could be baby dolls, video games, clothing, watches, hats, cars, gloves, and many more requests. Those seeking to help a child are urged to record the information from one of the angels on the tree, then add some of those requests to your own Christmas shopping list. Once the items are purchased, buyers should return the items to the Art Stall and place them under the tree.

In addition to those who choose to participate in the angel tree program, monetary gifts are always accepted. Traditional toys will also be accepted and appreciated.

All toys and gifts are urged to be returned to the tree by Tuesday, Dec. 17th. The extra time between then and Christmas is needed for orderly processing of the gifts by the Child Welfare Board.



Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

As the holiday season gets closer (and closer) folks are getting busy (and busier) in preparation for that very festive time of the year. Lots of locals are planning trips out of town and many are expected to stay at home with "company comin'" but whatever happens, I hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving and if you are traveling, do be careful. You want to be around to help get ready for Christmas.

Benjaminites are busy today (Saturday) putting Dub and Jo Cartwright's decorations on the courthouse square. For as long as many can remember, Dub and Jo worked feverishly throughout the year getting ready to display their handiwork during the Christmas season. And every year a new figure was added to the group. They cut out and painted and got a place in mind just right for every creature. And it was enjoyed by everyone. Their family deserves a big thank you for continuing to share this part of Christmas with us and what a wonderful way to carry on their legacy not only for the enjoyment of others but in memory of two citizens who gave so much of their time and other assets for the betterment of our small community. They are missed but surely never will be forgotten.

About our ill - Hazel Stockton is a patient in Knox County Hospital having been admitted on Thursday night. She had just returned home from a five day stay

in Covenant in Lubbock after being careflighted there Sunday with what was thought to be a heart attack. The doctors there ruled out an actual attack but did say her problem was heart related. But her latest problem is a stomach virus, doctors believe. No idea when she may get to come home but she is feeling some better today.

Betty Lyles is a patient in a Wichita Falls hospital. She was admitted on Thursday and is undergoing some tests. No idea when she may come home but hopefully her stay will be a short one.

Saw Bobby Hudson last week and he seems to be doing pretty well. He is gaining strength now so maybe he will see some more pleasant days. We hope so.

Ball news - Benjamin had a good week in basketball last week. On Tuesday, they traveled to Patton. Springs and the girls won. The boys lost by about 5 points in overtime but for the first game of the season, due to football playoffs, that is good. Last night (Friday) Moran came here and both girls and boys won so if that's any indication, this should be a good year.

Thanksgiving service - The annual community Thanksgiving service was Wednesday night, November 20, at the Ex-Student Building. A large crowd gathered for a wonderful meal and the program that followed which included the prayer before the meal - Rev. Claude McKiddy (Meth-

odist pastor), meal, Prayer of Thanksgiving - Hank Wagner (Church of Christ minister), Ministerial Alliance report - Kenneth Roberts, Offering, Songs during offering - Methodist kids directed by Pam Duke and Nancy McGreger, Special Music - Bud Conner, Message - Rev. John Gillispie (Baptist minister), Benediction - Stanton Brown. Congregational singing was led by Charles Jones.

Here 'N There - Tib and Georgeann Burnett of Austin are spending a few days at their home here.

Edith Broach of Lubbock visited her daughter, Janet Reed and family, the first of the week.

Teresa Patterson and her daughter and granddaughter of Childress visited Mike and Debbie Moorhouse Friday.

Leroy West called to say his aunt, Nora Hale of Fort Worth, loves her "county news" and enjoys hearing about all her friends. Nora is 93 years of age and has had a pacemaker and is doing great. She is a former Benjamin resident

Corrine Parrish spent a few days last week in the Houston area visiting friends.

Congratulations Knox City Greyhounds, your parents, fans the whole "crew". Best of luck from us over here North of the River as you continue your trip to the state finals. You have represented your town and our county well!

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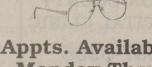
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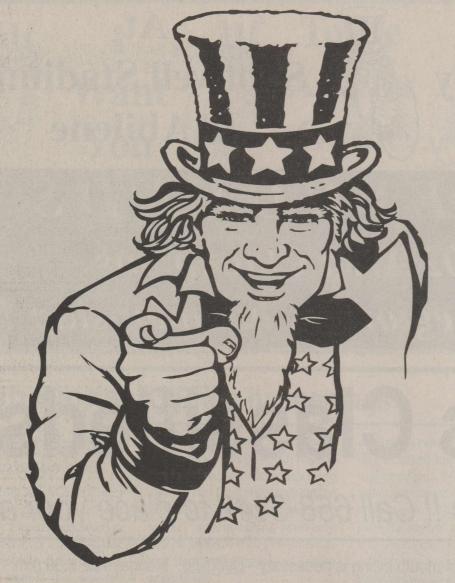
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