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## City joins area effort to fight trash dumping

The city council Monday night approved a resolution to join into a joint agreement with the county and Wichita Falls in seeking additional grant funds for enforcement of solid waste dumping laws.

In doing so, an additional \$10,000 in grant funds reportedly will be made available from the Municipal Solid Waste Division of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

Wichita Falls and Wichita County recently initiated their application, which led to the hiring of Greg Dooley as the enforcement officer.

Dooley, who is a commissioned county sheriff's deputy, said Electra and Burkburnett councils also will be considering similar action.

Although Dooley is authorized to enforce the state law anywhere within the county, being a deputy, he was told by Mayor Wayne House that the city already has an enforcement officer and he didn't want him (Dooley) working inside the city.

House pointed out a problem he felt the city had experienced earlier with the county's health department, as his main concern of another county official working here.

Dooley told the council he already had investigated some illegal

dumping at lakes Buffalo and Iowa Park, because there have been building and roofing contractors dumping in those areas.

He said when he finds trash, whether household or construction, which has been illegally dumped, he investigates the contents in an effort to determine its origin. And if he does, he notifies the apparent dumper to clean it up or go to court.

The four aldermen attending the meeting voted in favor of the resolution. Alderman Johnny Crawford was absent.

A second resolution on the meeting's agenda also was approved. It authorized the city administrator to enter into a contract with the county, Wichita Falls and Burkburnett for ambulance service for another year.

Bids for four projects also were approved.

Bowles Construction submitted the low bid, \$38,146, to construct an additional sanitary sewer line to serve Indian Springs Addition.

Aldermen voted to accept the second-lowest of four bids received to do janitorial service at the Recreational Activities Center, police station, city hall and library.

Happy House's bid of \$290 per week was selected, instead of the lowest bid, \$250, submitted by Pro Clean. The latter firm currently has the contract.

The mayor issued a notice Wednesday that he was taking action to veto the council's action. The issue will be taken up at the next council meeting.

Proposals, rather than bids, were accepted for professional services

after aldermen ranked the proposals. Biggs and Mathews was selected for engineering services on a grant project and GSA for administrative services on the same project.

Aldermen decided to postpone action on an ordinance which would alter where parking is not allowed in the 100 block of West Park, asking that the issue be on the next meeting's agenda.

The council is not scheduled to meet again until Jan. 8, having decided earlier to meet only once this month because of the Christmas holidays.

## Construction starts down in November

New housing starts slowed down during November, according to the building permits issued by city hall.

Only two new residential construction permits were issued, as well as another for a mobile home.

November's permits amounted to \$215,547, according to the report, raising the year's sum to \$4,147,302.

Permits issued in November included:

Randy Criswell, 100 W. Jefferson, roofing, \$800;  
Debra Springmeyer, 402 W. Washington, addition, \$100;  
Bobby Vernon, 110 W. Pecan, siding, \$6,000;  
Vernon Tepler, 502 E. Pasadena, roofing, \$1,000;  
Eldon Patterson, 410 S. Texowa, repair, \$100;  
Roger Standridge, 623 W. Smith, mobile home, \$57,726;  
Darrell Shierry, 814 Van Horn, roofing, \$2,800;  
Food Depot, 300 W. Bank, roofing, \$5,000;  
Don Scott, 205 W. Lafayette, roofing, \$800;  
David Marston, 405 E. Ruby, alteration, \$350;  
Jimmy A. Miller, 411 W. Ruby, carport, \$500;  
Don Klinkerman, 521 W. Aldine, roofing, \$1,400;  
Jackie Manry, 811 S. Wall, roofing, \$800;  
Ruth Gard, 208 S. Yosemite, roofing, \$5,000;  
W.H. Clayton, 304 W. Louisa, roofing, \$800;  
Danny Frazier, 800 E. Pasadena, patio cover, \$925;  
Joe Laird, 1005 Foley, roofing, \$2,380;  
First Baptist Church, 216 N. Yosemite, roofing, \$5,000;  
Marion Wilkins, 1012 Foley, carport, \$4,750;  
Clyde Cockrum, 702 E. Highway, patio, \$675;  
Adolph Springmeyer, 402 W. Washington, carport, \$300;  
Scott Boren, 600 E. Pasadena, storage building, \$1,200;  
George Register, 709 E. Texas, new residence, \$50,000;  
George Register, 711 E. Texas, new residence, \$50,000;  
Mrs. Allie Girard, 109 W. Poe, carport, \$1,701;  
Merl Robertson, 107 W. Garden, alteration, \$1,000;  
David Springer, 706 W. Coleman, siding, \$4,140;  
Wayne House, 517 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$2,200;  
Jimmy Davis, 604 W. Rebecca, pigeon loft, \$100;  
Richard Carver, 1604 Johnson Road, repair, \$8,000.



STATE SENATOR TOM HAYWOOD WITH GOLDEN APPLE AWARD ... shown with Supt. Glen Mitchell and Board Chairman Keith Fisher

## Area educators laud senator

Representatives of the Texas Association of Mid-Size Schools honored Sen. Tom Haywood Monday in Wichita Falls, presenting him with their Golden Apple Award.

School officials from as far away as Abilene Wylie and Gainesville were joined by a delegation from Iowa Park to honor the legislator.

Haywood was recognized for his leadership in affecting legislation that

adjusted the funding of mid-sized schools, of which Iowa Park is included.

Local board chairman Keith Fisher and Superintendent Glen Mitchell attended the event.

Other schools in Haywood's district affected by the legislation, besides Wylie, Gainesville and Iowa

Park, are Burkburnett, Bowie, Vernon and Denison.

Senate Bill 1 will mean an additional \$1,729,415 for the Iowa Park district over the next five years, according to the Mid-Size Schools organization.

Presentation of the award was made by Dr. Wayne Pierce, president of TAMS, from Kauffman.

## School board meeting has late beginning

Tonight's regularly-scheduled meeting of the school board could easily last until midnight, or later.

Most 18-item agenda meetings usually end in three hours, even if two of those items are meetings behind closed doors.

But tonight's meeting is not slated to get underway in the junior high library until 8:30, instead of the usual 7:50, according to the posted agenda.

Both closed sessions are at the end of the agenda. One concerns a parent complaint about discipline, and the other is on personnel, including accepting resignations and employing new personnel.

Other major topics on the agenda include:

- \* authorizing the opening of the Texas Education Agency clearing account and the opening of a money market account in the Student Activity Fund;
- \* consider amending the original motion made Mar. 9, from purchasing a computer upgrade and an Impact Line Matrix Printer to approve the financing contract with I.B.M. for the equipment;
- \* presentation of Academic Excellence Indicator System;
- \* receive 1994-95 school year annual audit;
- \* appoint Barry Mahler to serve on the Wichita Appraisal District Board of Review;
- \* consider TASB employment policy worksheet;
- \* hold discussion on Van Horn property;
- \* and hear reports on transportation, cafeteria and tax departments, as well as from the superintendent.

## Police report four arrests

Four arrests were reported by the police department during the past week, two each for assaults and two for public intoxication.

The first arrest was made at 12:55 a.m. Thursday in the 400 block of North Wall. Gloria Lopez, 36, was arrested for public intoxication. She was released at 7:20 a.m. after paying a fine of \$132, according to the blotter entry.

When officers responded to a residence in the 1000 block of Park Plaza at 3:38 p.m. Sunday, they took Kenny Don Rice, 34, into custody on a charge of Class C assault. He was released three hours later after paying his fine of \$132.

Another disturbance call, at 2:11 p.m. Tuesday at a residence in the 1300 block of Sunset, resulted in the arrest of Byron Lee Ballard, 33. He was charged with public intoxication.

Five hours later, Ballard paid a fine of \$282 and was released from custody.

William Keith Sherrill, 17, was charged with Class C assault after officers were called to a residence in the 600 block of South Park at 10:57 p.m. Tuesday. He was released at 12:37 a.m. Wednesday after signing a promise to appear in municipal court.

No arrest was made in another assault case, but a complaint was filed with the municipal court clerk and the case is to be heard Jan. 9.

Jayne Roberts filed the Class C assault charge Friday against Stacy Neves. The incident reportedly occurred at a business in the 300 block of North Wall.

Owners of vehicles in the 700 blocks of Coleman and Manes reported to police Tuesday morning that their property had been hit by

## Santa visits city early with tax rebate check

Santa Claus came a little earlier than usual to the City of Iowa Park, bringing a hefty sales tax rebate check from the state comptroller's office.

Not only was the check a sizeable increase over last December's, but it also represented a record for the year -- which reflects the ever-increasing improvement for local business establishments.

This month's check was for \$18,035.69. That is a 22.33-percent increase over the December 1994 rebate (\$14,742.40), according to the report.

And for the calendar year, it brought the total to \$257,042.74, which is 2.23 percent higher than last year's previous record of \$237,446.02.

Wichita Falls is the only other city in the county, besides Iowa Park, to experience an increase in sales taxes collected for the year. That city had a 2.23 percent increase.

Burkburnett was a minus 3.34 percent and Electra a minus 3.90.

Holiday also enjoyed a 3.76-percent increase over 1994, having received \$64,065.17.

The December rebate reflects sales taxes collected by businesses in October.

A history of business growth in Iowa Park is shown by the continual increase in sales taxes collected:

1983	\$118,322.87
1984	\$122,769.35
1985	\$145,162.86
1986	\$153,568.90
1987	\$154,280.50
1988	\$177,215.05
1989	\$162,115.06
1990	\$161,785.58
1991	\$169,674.58
1992	\$205,499.58
1993	\$222,884.97
1994	\$237,446.02
1995	\$257,042.74

eggs.

Police said Wednesday that three juvenile females are suspects in that case.

Vocational agriculture teacher George Martin reported a set of ani-

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Lighting contest entries due

Friday is the deadline entries will be received in this year's Christmas Lighting Contest.

Anyone wishing to enter their home, or the home of a friend or neighbor can contact either the Chamber of Commerce or the *Iowa Park Leader*.

Entries should be in any of four categories: most original; religious; most effective use of lights, and neighborhoods.

### Drawings for hams are Monday

The deadline is nearing to register for a free ham the family can eat during the Christmas holidays.

Thirty-eight members of the Chamber of Commerce are participating in the program. Each has a registration box.

The participating members will

Judging will be done this weekend by an anonymous committee from a neighboring city.

A \$25 cash award will be presented to each of the three individual category winners, and a traveling trophy awarded to the winning neighborhood.

Names of the winners will be announced in the *Leader's* Christmas issue, which will be on the 21st.

individually hold their drawings for winners Monday.

Winners will be notified by the participants, who will provide certificates which can be redeemed at Food Depot.

Names of the winners also will be published in the Dec. 21 issue of the *Iowa Park Leader*.

### Semester ending, holidays start

Tuesday will not only signal the end of the fall semester for students of Iowa Park schools, but also the start of the Christmas holidays.

Semester exams begin this week

and will conclude Tuesday.

Students will not return to their classes until Jan. 8, according to the school calendar.

### Light shower is appreciated

Normally, a shower that produces less than a quarter of an inch doesn't mean much.

But after a complete blank the

entire month of November, Thursday morning's .07 was heartedly welcomed by homeowners and farmers alike.

Does your subscription to the *Leader* expire this month? Check the list on page 4.



Fredde and Luther Skinner, 1945



Fredde and Luther Skinner, 1995

## Skinners honored on golden anniversary

Luther and Fredde Skinner were honored by their children and grandchildren with a fiftieth anniversary celebration Saturday afternoon at Iowa Park Church of God.

Hosts for the event, which included a reaffirmation service followed by a reception, were Jim and Cheryl Skinner of Boise, Idaho, Mike and Deborah Skinner of Dallas, and Sandra and Larry Oldham of Midland.

The service began with Brandon Herder singing Irving Berlin's version of "Always," and background music, "Through the Eyes of Love," was played while members of the family were seated.

Grandsons of the couple, Chris and Cody Oldham and Cody and Brett Skinner, served as ushers.

Rev. Johnny Houe directed the service which began with each of the couple's descendants participating in a candlelighting ceremony.

Luther and Fredde lit a unity candle symbolizing their union on Dec. 11, 1945, and each child and grandchild then lit a candle from the unity candle to symbolize how the love and devotion from their marriage had spread to other generations.

Following the candle ceremony, each family member presented Fredde with a long-stemmed red rose and embraced both her and Luther.

The ceremony was enhanced by a musical background of Kenny Gee's "Forever in Love," followed by a duet, "Through the Years," sang by Debbie and Brandon Herder. After Luther and Fredde had reaffirmed their marriage vows, the duo sang "You and I." Rev. Houe recited an Anniversary Prayer and closed the service with a congregational song of "Hand in Hand with Jesus."

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. Tables in the room were skirted with candlelight fabric and draped with gold lame' swags. Each swag was held by candlelight mums and a cluster of pearl grapes, tied with ivory and gold satin bows.

A beautiful four-tiered anniversary cake, lavishly decorated with roses, lilies and orange blossoms, highlighted the first of a trio of tables. The confection had two graduated tiers at the base with the upper two tiers separated with ornate columns. Each of the lower tiers held clusters of flowers, tulle poufs and pearl sprays. The cake was topped with a set of gold lame' bells edged with pearls, and candlelight tulle ruffles

surrounded a golden "50" ornament.

The center table held a lighted fountain, an ornately decorated three-tiered basin with gold angels spraying the fruit punch.

Luther's personalized cake was placed on the third table. It featured a "frustrated" fisherman in a boat near a waterfall. A small bowl of live goldfish at the bottom of the falls held the elusive conquest.

The festive room held another refreshment table which offered a delightful fruit cascade, finger sandwiches, and a vegetable and dip tray.

A memory corner was created by a white trellis which held collages of family pictures of the couple, and each of their children.

The satin-skirted registry table held an anniversary album, a gold bud vase holding a single long-stemmed ivory rose surrounded by baby's breath, and a plumed pen for registering guests.

A brass and glass table, decorated with gold and acrylic candleholders and a white magnolia arrangement, provided a place for anniversary cards and gifts, and an elegantly decorated Christmas tree.

Jimmy Skinner, the couple's oldest child, offered a welcome to the guests, and Michael Skinner, their second son, offered a toast followed by a comical presentation by Chris and Cody Oldham, sons of Larry and Sandra Oldham.

Luther and Fredde have been residents of Iowa Park for 48 of their 50 years of marriage. The two met, as children, in Amherst. It's been told that as children "they fought like cats and dogs." But, as Luther would say, "There just had to be something about that Navy uniform!" They were married on Dec. 11, 1945, when he came home on a 40 day leave. Fredde remained in Amherst until Luther was discharged from the Navy. Jimmy was born three days prior to his discharge and shortly thereafter, the couple moved to Iowa Park.

In 1948, Luther began working

as a civil engineer at Sheppard Air Force Base. Their second son, Michael, was born the following year, followed by Sandra five years later.

All three children attended Iowa Park schools and graduated here. Luther and Fredde were involved in every activity in which their children participated including Little League, boxing, football, basketball, track, thespians, band, and booster clubs, as well as being active in their church.

When Sandra began school, Fredde went to work at Kidwell

Elementary cafeteria. A year later, she took a job at SAFB Youth Center from which she retired in 1990.

Luther retired from Sheppard after 32 years service in 1978, and then went to work for Cryovac. He retired from that job in 1986.

Luther and Fredde have seven grandchildren, and have been equally involved in their activities. Recently, they celebrated the birth of their first great-grandchild.

Once the children were grown and involved in starting their own families, Luther and Fredde began traveling. They have taken several cruises and trips to exotic places, and enjoy participating in traveling with their children's families. They are planning to take an "Anniversary Honeymoon" in the near future.

### FRIENDLY DOOR MENU

MONDAY, Dec. 18

Lunch--Steak nuggets, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, white or wheat bread, white cake with fruit and topping.

TUESDAY, Dec. 19

Lunch--Smothered pork chops, Great Northern Beans, spinach, cornbread, fresh fruit.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20

Lunch--Goulash, green beans, tossed salad, cornbread, tapioca pudding.

THURSDAY, Dec. 21

Lunch--Cheeseburger, French fried potatoes, pickles, lettuce, tomato, onion, fresh fruit cup.

FRIDAY, Dec. 22

Lunch--Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, sweet potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, pumpkin pie.

### Card of Thanks

We would like to thank all of our friends for their acts of kindness shown us during the loss of our sister and daughter Virginia Cook. We would like to thank all the staff and nurses at IHS, Dr. Stutte and Dr. Delizio.

Johnny Lee & family  
James (Gene) Lee & family  
Mae Lee Simmons

## CUB SCOUT News

Well! I guess Santa really did show up at the pack meeting Monday night. All the kids got to see Santa and he gave them their present. Guess what it was? PINEWOOD DERBY CARS.

After Santa left we all got to dig into the refreshments. Thanks to everyone who brought the food, drinks, and paper goods. It was all good.

Den 5 did the opening ceremony, and Den 1 did a skit. Both dens did a really super job.

We hope everyone has a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

### It's A Fact . . .

Residents of Iowa Park are eligible to purchase a dumping permit for \$5, to get rid of trash, appliances and brush at no additional cost by delivering it to the city's convenience center, located south of the intersection of Smith and Johnson roads. The permit is good for 12 full months. Days and hours the center is open include: 12-6 p.m. Fridays; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays; 1-5 p.m. Sundays, and 12-6 p.m. Mondays. The center is closed Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

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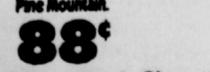
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# LIBRARY NEWS

### Library Closings

The library will be closed on Saturday, Dec. 23, Tuesday, Dec. 26, and Saturday, Dec. 30 for the holidays.

### Thank You!

Thanks to Aquilla Carrillo-Miranda for displaying her ceramics throughout the library during the Tour

of Homes.

### New Adult Books

Five Days in Paris by Danielle Steel  
Return with Honor by Captain Scott O'Grady  
Emotional Intelligence by Daniel Goleman  
The Wedding Planner by Martha Stewart



**DOLLS ON DISPLAY** -- A collection of dolls made by Dottie (Mrs. Alvin) Jeter are on display through Dec. 22, at the Childress Heritage Museum. Mrs. Jeter has been making these dolls, called "Moments to Remember," for several years and creates a new doll each year. The museum is open from 9-5, weekdays only, and is located at 210 3rd St. N.W. in Childress.

## George entertains club at annual holiday party

"A Christmas Sonata," by Gary Paulsee, was the subject of a talk by Larry George, when he entertained members of the Iowa Park Garden Club at their annual Christmas party last Friday.

He is minister of the University United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls.

The Tom Burnett Memorial Library was beautifully decorated for the event with Nutcrackers placed on each table. The Social Committee was in charge of the covered dish luncheon and gift exchange.

Janna Nall of Austin was a guest

of her mother, Carolyn Cookingham.

During the short business meeting, led by Bonnie Illingworth, president, Aretas Spruiell announced that Steve Moody, of #30 Surrey, had been awarded the Yard of the Month.

Marie Wooten and Stormy Mikkelsen, co-chairmen of the Community Service Committee, thanked each one who participated in decorating the library. This was the eleventh year for this continuing project.

The afternoon of Dec. 31, at 2:30, has been selected to remove the decorations at the library.

## NEWS OF THE IOWA PARK GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Members and guests enjoyed a delicious Christmas buffet at the December meeting of the Iowa Park Genealogical and Historical Society.

Gathering at the Tom Burnett Memorial Library midst the lovely holiday decorations added to the occasion. A brief business meeting was held and the society members look forward to 1996 as we continue searching for our "roots".

Kemp Library and the North Texas Genealogical Association is sponsoring "Mobile Search Program" presented by Everton's Genealogical Helper, Monday, Jan. 29, 1996, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Fellowship Hall of First Christian Church, 3701 Taft Blvd. in Wichita Falls. There is a small fee of \$5.

Oscar Lochridge has generously donated to the Genealogy and Historical material at the Library the following books; The Strouds—a Colonial Family of English Descent; South Carolina Jury Lists-1718 through 1783; Marriage Book A-1804--1821

(Clark County, Georgia); Lock On (Volume X through XVII).

Also included the following Quarterlies and/or: Stripes Quarterlies x2; A Tale of Mid-Cities Winter, 1994-95; Discover Your Family Roots! (Late Summer 1995); A Genealogy compiled by the late Charles Loughridge, Matthew R. Loughridge, James Loughridge and James Loughridge and James Chastain DD.

The generosity and interest of the people in Iowa Park and surrounding areas helps the society to grow and offer more sources for research in our own community.

There are a few "Happy Birthday Iowa Park 1888-1988" books left, if you haven't seen a copy check at the library, a special gift for those who have been saving a Iowa Park Leader Centennial issue.

Marita Holdsworth

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- TXism: "if it ain't true, there ain't \_\_\_\_\_ in Texas"
- San Antonio street name: Charlie \_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "a hawk couldn't find it on a clear day"
- to Waco from Dallas
- X-mas tree place: Pine-\_\_\_\_\_ Tree Farm
- TXism: "disappointed as \_\_\_\_\_ with a rubber chicken"
- TXism: "he'd \_\_\_\_\_ to his own funeral" (unreliable)
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ on her" (pretty)
- scored two under par by TX Kite
- TX Bonnie & Clyde poem: "\_\_\_\_\_ bury them side by side..."
- early Rio Grande: \_\_\_\_\_ las Palmas
- TX Nokona glove is hand-\_\_\_\_\_
- TXism: "if a hog \_\_\_\_\_ an eagle" \_\_\_\_\_ be
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tower Museum in Columbus
- Tex-Mex tasties
- skilled TX cobbler
- TX Sly's "I \_\_\_\_\_ Take You Higher"
- TX Big Thicket seep
- UH: "suit \_\_\_\_\_ school"
- TXism: "pay \_\_\_\_\_ never mind"
- Tyler TV station
- TXism: "it's \_\_\_\_\_ bout"
- TX chili needs a proper \_\_\_\_\_ of spices
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ heap of trouble"
- pecan
- TX Joplin's "Me and Bobby Mc. \_\_\_\_\_"

**DOWN**

- TXism: "can't \_\_\_\_\_ new tricks"
- Tex-Mex restaurant
- TXism: "take \_\_\_\_\_" (sit down)
- yard grass
- TX Ellerbee book: "And \_\_\_\_\_ Goes"
- bulldogging (2 wds.)
- former Dallas mayor Wise
- LBJ's choice for chief justice, Fortas
- big "bidness" in TX (2 wds.)
- TX pianist Samaroff
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ some away" (save)
- TX Trevino ball holder (2 wds.)
- TX group: Little Joe \_\_\_\_\_ Familia
- "Too Tall" Jones
- TX band: "Asleep \_\_\_\_\_ the Wheel"
- Dallas Stars league
- TX border drug enforcer (abbr.)
- baseball legend who fought Ping Bodie in a TX hotel
- Sam Houston's father-in-law chief: \_\_\_\_\_-te-ka
- TX Kenny film: "The Gambler, Part \_\_\_\_\_"
- TX Holly tune: "Rave \_\_\_\_\_"
- this TX Dobie sang "The In Crowd" (init.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ and eggs
- TXism: "sharp as \_\_\_\_\_"
- in Bowie Co. on 82
- Houston's \_\_\_\_\_ Barbera Land
- in Fannin Co. on 82
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ the i's and cross the t's"
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- "\_\_\_\_\_ long" (bye)
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# As I See It...

By Bob Hamilton



Why would anyone choose to live in Iowa Park, if they had a choice of living some place else?

That question was posed to me this week by a friend who was frustrated with our Chamber of Commerce brochures and what he perceived to contain little which might encourage someone to choose Iowa Park.

Without a great deal of searching, I would suggest the cleanliness of our city, which I believe to be well-managed; its safe; friendliness of the people; outstanding schools; low taxes; great variety of churches and organizations, and the numerous activities and facilities for youth activities.

I mention all these things in analyzing the community, and that's not to say any other community in the area fails to meet those standards.

We do, in fact, have a major flaw, and that has to do with the lack of variety of businesses. As a man, I'm frustrated not having a men's store, and not having a department store.

But, like it or not, we are within a few scant minutes travel time distance of all those things. Actually, we can reach those destinations in less time than if we were living in Dallas, most likely.

Over the years I've made a habit

of asking newly-arriving residents who had the opportunity to choose any community in the area where they wanted to live, what was the major reason they selected here.

Virtually without exception, they stated our schools. Iowa Park has the well-earned reputation of good schools which are virtually trouble-free, good curriculum that is well taught, and outstanding extracurricular activities.

I've made this statement before: I'm not aware of any public school district which has produced such a high percentage of professionals such as doctors, attorneys, pharmacists and educators.

The safety of people and possessions is also a major factor one should consider in selecting a community, and I recently ran across some statistics which make Iowa Park and our police department outstanding in the area.

The report, from a state source, says that last year only 1.7638 offenses occurred here on a rate per 100,000.

While that may sound somewhat high, consider the figures for the rest of the county: 2.458 overall for the county; 3.126 for Burkburnett; 3.450 for Electra and 8.667 for Wichita Falls.

Our department last year cleared 50 of the 112 offenses reported. In Burkburnett the figure was 71 of 324; in Electra 13 of 107, and in Wichita Falls, 2,038 of 8,559.

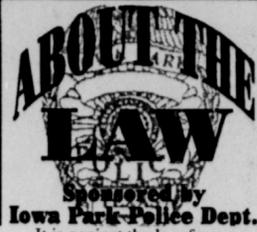
And while we have numerous facilities for our youth, there still are a couple of major improvements we are lacking for adults and residents of all ages.

We still don't have a golf course or an outstanding walking track. But we continue to work on those.

And there's one other trait that exists among our residents. We recognize that our community is not perfect, but we're willing to change and work toward continual improvement.

My preacher tells me there's only one community that's perfect, and it's not Iowa Park. But I live here now, and I'm really not ready yet to reside in perfection.

So I'll just tell folks that I live in heaven on earth -- I live in Iowa Park.



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It can also be mandatory for the parents of a minor to attend the course.

## Police

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mal scales valued at \$900 had been taken sometime since March from the school's animal barn.

Because the facility is located just outside the city limits, the case was referred to the county sheriff's department.

## Weather Round-Up for November

Precipitation	0.00
High Temperature	85
Low Temperature	29
Average Max.	67.2
Average Min.	38.0
Mean Temperature	52.6
Clear Days	25
Cloudy Days	3
Partly Cloudy	2
Days 32 degrees or less	4
Total precipitation for year:	28.23

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## WORTH QUOTING

We're getting underway now in the second round of the battle for a balanced budget.

One of the things we had to be thankful for over the Thanksgiving holidays was that we didn't have to listen to so many lies and political distortions.

A balanced budget will be much harder to achieve now since polls show that Clinton's approval rating has been climbing and the Republicans in Congress are said to be losing some of their support.

U.S. News and World Report said that President Clinton is betting that standing firm and accusing the Republicans of attacking the poor and the elderly will revive his political fortunes.

The magazine said that many Americans are frightened that Gingrich and Company want to cut Medicare -- maybe even kill it. "The charge is disingenuous at best," the magazine said, and added that the Republicans want to slow the 10 percent-per-year growth of Medicare spending to 6 percent.

Newt Gingrich says that Clinton and the liberal Democrats are lying to the senior citizens when they say he wants to cut Medicare.

There seems to be an all-out effort by the Democratic party and the liberal news media to paint Newt Gingrich as a villain who is trying to destroy the elderly and the poor in this country. And they're doing a pretty good job of getting people to believe it.

### Helpful Facts

Any dog or cat in the city is required to have a current rabies shot.

I don't know how long these people think this government can continue to spend more money than it takes in.

It seems to me that Gingrich and the other Republicans are trying to do things most of us think should have been done years ago.

I don't care whether Mr. Gingrich has a winning smile or not, as long as he's trying to pull our economy back from the brink of disaster and shrink the size of our federal bureaucracy, I'm for him.

HARLAN BRIDWELL  
Bridgeport Index



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## Go for the Gold.

As our way of saying "Thank You," State National Bank will hold drawings for collector's coins through December 22. Beginning December 1, each Friday we will draw two names, one for an Olympic Silver Dollar and one for a United States Collector's Nickel Set.

Then, on Dec. 22, we will draw for each of these, plus a \$5 Gold Coin. To be eligible for the GOLD coin, you must open an account (checking, savings, CD or IRA).

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# Burden, Fountain vows exchanged recently

Gerald Allen Fountain and his bride, the former Christina Lynn Burden, are making their home in Burkburnett following their Nov. 18 wedding and a honeymoon trip to Cancun, Mexico.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burden of Burkburnett. The groom is a son of Gerald Fountain of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Baker of Iowa Park.

Vows of matrimony were exchanged by the couple at Faith Baptist Church of Iowa Park. Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor, directed the double ring ceremony.

"How Beautiful" and "Only God Could Love You More" were sung by the groom's cousin, Pam Rushing. "Cross My Heart" was sung during the lighting of the unity candle.

Hurricane lamps marked the pews that led to the altar. Brass arched candelabra was centered with half rounds on either side accented with two large floral arrangements of white gladiolas and roses.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white Italian satin embellished with embroidered Alencon lace studded with seed pearls and Iris sequins.

The basque bodice featured a V neckline and an Alencon lace front panel. Tiny covered buttons extended the length of the waist back and terminated at a large bow.

The full length leg-o-mutton sleeves were trimmed with lace appliques and came to points over the hands. Her full length skirt was accented with lace appliques and a lace hemline that flowed into a demi-cathedral train.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of stargazer lilies, roses, stephanotis and purple statice.

Jamie Wilson of Fort Worth and Raylyn Kowalski of Randlett, Okla.,

attended the bride as matrons of honor.

Bridesmaids were Beverly Burden of Shreveport, La., sister of the bride, April Bohannon of Perry, Ga., and Katie Burden, niece of the bride of Wichita Falls

Gowns of the feminine attendants were tea length amethyst and purple with a heart shaped cutout in the back.

Shelby Smith of Randlett and Erin Fountain, the groom's sister of Wichita Falls, served as flower girls and Colby Wilson of Fort Worth was ring bearer. They were attired identical to the other bridal attendants.

The attendants carried cascade bouquets of freesia, pixies, stephanotis and white roses.

The groom's father served as best man. The bride's nephew, Michael Burden of Burkburnett, was candlelighter. Ushers were Wally Derleath of Shreveport, La., James Burden of Burkburnett, the bride's brother, Richard Fountain of Nocona, and Eddie Maben of Iowa Park, brothers of the groom

Groomsmen were Jason Boyd of Iowa Park, Tracy Young of Borger, Robbie Mathews of Iowa Park, Scott Long and Dennis Davidson, both of Wichita Falls.

The groom's attendants wore buttonnieres of white roses. The mothers wore corsages of white roses.

The reception was held in the Sheraton Hotel Ballroom.

The bride's table was covered with white Alencon lace draped with illusion and clasped with white silk roses.

The bride's three tiered cake was



Mrs. Gerald Allen Fountain  
(Christina Lynn Burden)

arranged over a fountain with heart shaped satellite cakes surrounding it. The cakes were encircled with stargazer lilies, gigi pixies and misty blue and heather. Presiding at the bride's table were Tressie Nickens and Becky Sink.

Donna Armontrout of Wichita Falls and Kathy Buchanan of Moore, Okla. presided at the groom's cake

Centerpieces for the guest tables

were votive candles with stargazer lilies, pixies, heather and misty blue.

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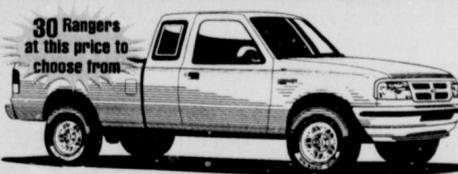
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**COLORING CONTEST WINNERS**

## Contest winners feted

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This contest is part of the United Way Campaign.

Prizes awarded to the winners included a United Way t-shirt, designed by Jessica Costello, whose artwork was overall winner of the contest.

Winners included:

2-3 year old division: Shayne Schumann, Miranda Lamb, Alex Knox and Heather Duncan.

4-5 year old division: Jeremy Hicks, Laura Hernandez and Courtney Berryman.

6-7 year old division: Nathan Bayless, Tyler Helms and Samantha Virgin.

8-9 year old division: Lindy Stevens, Melisa Eckelbarger, Chris Waldrop, and Courtney York.

10-12 year old division: Taler Boland, Jessica Costello, Christina Tolleson and Misty Smith.

## Concert tonight in Vernon

The Chaparral Singers of Vernon Regional Junior College will perform their fall semester concert at 8:00 this evening in VRJC's student center.

A member of the group is Monica Wainscott of Iowa Park.

"Big River: The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," a medley of Roger Miller's tunes for Broadway, and several Christmas selections will be featured.

The public is invited.

The Singers will perform four more times Friday, including a trip to Quanah High School, and returning to Vernon where they will sing at Waggoner National Bank, the Lions Club and the VRJC faculty and staff luncheon.

Other members of the Singers are from Chillicothe, Quanah, Childress and Vernon.

Instrumental accompaniment will include piano, violin and flute. Music instructor Vicki Pennington directs the Singers.



Monica Wainscott



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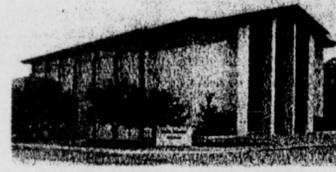
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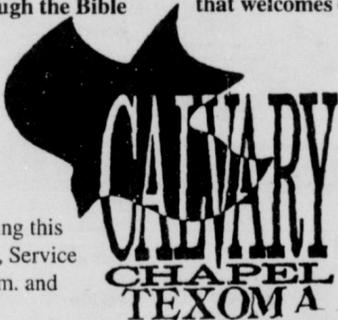
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# RECIPES FOR HOLIDAY COOKING

## Ever-So-Easy

### Fruitcake

(Makes 6 mini-loaves and 4 - 6" loaves)  
2 1/2 cups unsifted all-purpose flour  
1 tsp. baking soda  
2 large eggs, slightly beaten  
1 jar (27 oz.) prepared mincemeat  
1 can sweetened condensed milk  
2 cups (1 lb.) mixed candied fruit  
1 cup coarsely chopped nuts

Preheat oven to 300 degrees. Grease 6 mini loaf pans and 4 6"x3"x2" foil loaf pans.

In a medium bowl, combine flour and baking soda; set aside.

In a large bowl, stir together eggs, mincemeat, condensed milk, candied fruit, and nuts. Stir in dry ingredients until moistened. Fill each pan 2/3 full. Place on baking sheet.

Bake 35 to 40 minutes until a wooden pick inserted near center comes out clean. Cool in pans on wire racks 15 minutes. Remove from pans and cool completely.

Wrap in colored plastic wrap and then in foil. Excellent Christmas gifts.

Linda Wynn

### Pineapple Cheeseball

2 - 8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese (1 use "Philly")  
2 cups chopped pecans  
1/4 bell pepper, finely chopped  
1 - 8 1/2 oz. can crushed pineapple, drained  
2 Tbsps. finely chopped onion  
1 Tbsp. seasoned salt (I use Lawry's)

Combine cream cheese, 1 cup of chopped pecans, and drained pineapple. Add finely chopped onion and pepper; add seasoned salt - mixing well. Roll in remaining pecans.

Glenda Key

## Hot Fruit Bake

1 - 20oz. can sliced pineapple, drained  
1 - 17 oz. can apricot halves, drained  
1 - 16 oz. can peach halves, drained  
1 - 16 oz. can pear halves, drained  
1 - 15 oz. jar spiced apple rings, drained  
1/2 cup butter or oleo  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 Tbsps. cornstarch  
1 cup dry sherry

Optional: small bottle maraschino cherries

Layer fruit in 2-quart casserole and set aside.

Melt butter in small saucepan; combine sugar and cornstarch; stir into butter. Gradually stir in sherry; cook over low heat, stirring constantly, until thickened and smooth. Pour over fruit. Cover and refrigerate overnight.

Remove from refrigerator 15 minutes before baking. Bake uncovered at 350 degrees 30 minutes or until bubbly. 10 - 12 servings.

Frances George

## Poppycock

5 quarts popped corn, salted  
2 sticks margarine  
2 1/2 cups sugar  
3/4 cup corn syrup  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1/2 tsp. soda

Mix margarine, sugar and corn syrup in saucepan and bring to a boil. Cook 5 minutes. Add vanilla and soda. Stir well. Pour over popped corn. Stir and bake in a large shallow pan 1 hour in 250 degree oven. Stir every 15 minutes. Cool and break apart. Store in air-tight container. Any kind of nuts may be added before baking if desired.

Linda Wynn

## Cornbread Dressing

(Mrs. Nellie George's recipe)

Do ahead and freeze:

Cook and crumble 2 quarts cornbread (3 pkgs. corn kits)

Cook and crumble 2 quarts biscuits (20 biscuits)

Saute in butter a few minutes:

4 large onions, chopped

2 stalks celery, chopped

Add to bread crumbs and mix.

Then add:

4 eggs (raw)

1 pt. half and half

Salt & pepper to taste

Chicken broth (from turkey or canned)

Add enough to make real moist.

Bake at 350 degrees until done.

Frances George

## Party Snacks

1/2 box Kix

1/2 box Cheerios

1/2 box pretzel sticks

1/2 box Rice Chex

1/2 box Wheat Chex

8 oz. peanuts or mixed nuts

2 Tbsps. Worcestershire sauce

1 1/2 cups margarine

1 tsp. celery salt

1 tsp. garlic powder

1 tsp. onion salt (or powder)

2 Tbsps. Lowry's seasoning salt

Mix the first six ingredients together in a large bowl.

Melt margarine; add the 2 Tbsps. Worcestershire sauce; pour slowly over cereals, nuts and pretzels and coat well. Mix seasonings and gradually sprinkle over cereals and margarine mixture, stirring to season well. Bake 1/2 hour at 250 degrees.

Marita Holdworth

## Mother's Cranberry Relish

1 med. sack cranberries, chopped

2 cups sugar

2 small boxes raspberry jello

1 - 8 oz. can crushed pineapple, drained

1 cup chopped celery

1 cup chopped pecans

2 large apples, chopped

Put cranberries in saucepan and pour sugar and jello over them. Cook over low heat until sugar and jello have dissolved (stirring constantly).

Remove from heat and cool. Add remaining ingredients and chill thoroughly.

Linda Wynn

## Tortilla Pinwheels

1/2 cup chopped onions

1/4 tsp. garlic powder

1 - 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese

1 - 8 oz. ct. sour cream

1 - 4 oz. can green chilies, chopped

1 cup grated Cheddar cheese

5 - 10" flour tortillas

Mix all ingredients except tortillas. Spread on tortillas, roll up and wrap in plastic wrap. (Tortillas roll better if they are at room temperature.) Place in refrigerator until cold enough to slice easily. Slice and serve with salsa.

Brenda Edwards

## Spiced Nuts

(Delicious)

1 cup sugar

2 Tbsps. cinnamon

1/2 tsp. cloves

1/2 tsp. nutmeg

1/4 tsp. salt

1/4 cup water

2 cups nut meats

Combine all ingredients except nuts and cook approximately 1 1/2 minutes - soft ball stage. Add nut meats and stir with wooden spoon until nuts are coated and become sugary. Pour out on waxed paper. Separate as soon as cool enough to touch. Enjoy!

Frances George

## Peanut Brittle

1 cup white sugar

1/2 cup white Karo

1/4 cup hot water

1 Tbsp. butter

1 cup raw peanuts

1 tsp. (heaping) soda

1 tsp. vanilla

Put sugar, Karo, water, and butter in an iron or heavy skillet and boil about five minutes. Add peanuts and continue to boil and stir until the syrup is a golden brown. Remove from heat and add a heaping teaspoon of soda and a teaspoon of vanilla. Stir thoroughly and pour out on a buttered tin and when it begins to get cool, pull out from edges in thin strips.

Store in a sealed container or it will get sticky.

Glenda Key

## My Favorite Pumpkin Pie

2 1/2 cups sugar

1 tsp. mace

1 tsp. cinnamon

1 tsp. ginger

1 tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. cloves

5 eggs

3 cups half and half

3 cups sieved pumpkin

Beat eggs until light. Add sugar, spices, pumpkin and half and half. Bake in unbaked shell. Start in 425 degree oven and bake 10 minutes. Reduce heat to 350 degrees and bake until custard is set. The eggs may be beaten together or separated and the whites folded in last.

This makes 2 large pies. Top with Cool Whip.

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# Obituaries



## Nova Lucille Anderson

Services for Nova Lucille Anderson, 76, were Saturday at 2 p.m. at Dutton Funeral Home.

Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church of Iowa Park, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson died Thursday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born Nov. 1, 1919 in Shannon, she was married to Edward W. Anderson Oct. 2, 1966 in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Anderson was a salesperson for Fedway and McClurkans of Wichita Falls, and a homemaker. She was a member of the Elks Lodge No. 1105, the Sheppard Air Force Base Golf League and Faith Baptist Church. She had been a resident of Iowa Park since 1970.

Survivors include her husband; five daughters, Susan Smith of Iowa Park, Patsy Sweet of Odessa, Debbie Anderson of San Antonio, Sherry Borque of Littleton, Colo., and Kathlyn Gutierrez of Denver; two sons, Andy of Iowa Park and Jimmy of Littleton, Colo.; one brother, Doyle McMahan of Fort Worth; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

## Deborah Lynn Braun

Memorial services for Deborah Lynn Braun, 34, of Iowa Park, will be at 7 p.m. tonight at First United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls. Rev. John Ogden, pastor, will officiate.

Ms. Braun was born Oct. 22, 1961, in Owosso, Mich. She had lived in this area over four years, moving here from San Antonio. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Wichita Falls.

She was a pediatric dentist at the Smile Place in Wichita Falls. She was a member of the American Dental Assoc. and the American Pediatric Dental Assoc.

She is survived by her father, Robert Braun of Royal Oak, Mich.; her mother, Terry Walworth of San Antonio; a son, Zachary Robert Green of Wichita Falls; a sister, Stephanie of Ann Arbor, Mich.; and two brothers, Christopher of Phoenix, Ariz., and Peter of Natchitoches, La.

Memorials may be made to First Step of Wichita Falls or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

## Leslie Clapp Sr.

Private family services for long time Iowa Park resident, Leslie Clapp Sr., 67, will be held at a later date under direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home.

Mr. Clapp died Thursday, Dec. 7 in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born May 13, 1928, in Dallas, he was married to Noma Jo Girard in 1948 in San Diego. She died in June 1995.

The family business of washed sand and gravel brought the Clapp family to the Texhoma area in the 1940s. Following graduation from Valley View High School, he worked for the family business, Northwest Materials. Clapp served in the Navy from 1945 to 1949 and 1951 to 1952.

He continued working at Northwest Materials as the family company expanded into the Redi-Mix Concrete business. He joined the Gifford Hill company when the Redi-Mix side of the family business was sold to Gifford Hill Corp in the early 1960s.

Clapp became the Wichita Falls facilities general manager in 1975. In 1978, he bought the Wichita Falls facility from Gifford Hill Corp and was joined by his youngest son, Larry Clapp. The name was changed to ABC Redi-Mix in 1992 with daily operations turned over to Larry Clapp.

Survivors include two sons, Leslie Jr. of Mountain View, Calif., and Larry Clapp of Iowa Park; one brother, John Jr. of Iowa Park.

Memorials may be made to Faith Mission.

## State Capital



## HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Texas motorists should continue to heed the posted speed limit, although President Clinton has signed into law a bill that repeals the national maximum speed limit.

The Texas Department of Transportation and the Department of Public Safety jointly announced that new speed-limit signs are not expected to start going up on Texas highways until mid-December.

"The best advice for motorists is to abide by the posted speed limit," said Maj. E.C. Sherman of the DPS Traffic Law Enforcement Division. "Some areas will stay 55 mph, so motorists should not assume the speed limit is any higher than the posted limit."

Bill Burnett, executive director of the Department of Transportation, said the agency has anticipated the maximum national speed limit would be lifted.

But the law allows the Texas Transportation Commission to set speed limits lower than 70 mph "if the lower speed is justified by engineering and traffic studies for particular sections of highway," he added.

Engineers with the Department of Transportation have been reviewing the 77,000-mile state highway system since September to determine appropriate speeds.

The study is divided into four phases: interstate and divided highways, undivided highways of four lanes or more, all other highways on the state and U.S. systems, and all other farm-to-market and ranch-to-market roads. Results of the first phase indicate the Transportation Department cannot justify a speed limit lower than 70 mph on the majority of rural interstate and divided highways — which make up about 10 percent of the total highway system in Texas but carry more than 60 percent of the traffic.

### Academic Ratings Upgraded

Texas public schools will be held to higher performance standards under the newly revised Public

School Accountability System for 1996 to the year 2000, the Texas Education Agency announced early this month.

Mandated by the Texas Legislature in 1993 as a method of rating school districts and campuses, the new four-tiered rating system is based on students' scores in the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) exam given to pupils in grades 3 through 8 and 10, and dropout rates and attendance rates. In 1996, districts and campuses will also be acknowledged for high performance on college admission tests.

School districts are rated exemplary, recognized, academically acceptable and academically unacceptable. Campuses are rated exemplary, recognized, acceptable or low-performing.

"Although in many ways, the system remains unchanged for the past years, some performance standards will be substantially increased by the turn of the century. The system expects high performance from all groups of students," said Texas Education Commissioner Mike Moses.

In 1995, for example, a district or campus was rated academically unacceptable/low performing if less than 25 percent of its total students or student groups (African American, Hispanic, white or economically disadvantaged) passed the reading, writing and math sections of the TAAS exam.

Now the bar is being raised. In 1996, districts or campuses will be rated academically unacceptable/low performing if the TAAS passing rate for all students or any

of the four student groups is below 30 percent. And, by the year 2000, any district or campus that has less than a 50 percent TAAS passing rate will receive the lowest rating.

### National Forum Set in Austin

Organizers of the National Issues Convention, Jan. 18-21 in Austin, are calling the event "an unprecedented experiment in the American Democratic process."

It is hoped the convention will draw many of the 1996 presidential candidates. Only U.S. Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan., has said he would not attend.

Creator of the convention is James Fishkin, chairman of the government department at the University of Texas at Austin. Fishkin said he is confident most of the candidates would come, and if they do not, they would be replaced by other political figures.

About 75 percent of the 600 people asked to be delegates have accepted invitations, Fishkin said.

### Bell to Refund Customers

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. is to share \$19.4 million with customers as a final payment under a four-year regulatory plan that governed its rates and earnings before the state's new telecommunications law took effect Sept. 1.

In a report filed with the Public Utility Commission, Southwestern Bell agreed to a one-time credit that customers may see on their billing statement as early as March. Credits will be \$1.36 per residential line and \$2.99 for a business line.

If approved, the refund will

bring the five-year total of refunds to \$172 million.

### Grover Challenges LBJ Law

Former GOP state Sen. Henry C. "Hank" Grover of Houston filed a lawsuit in Travis County against the Texas Republican Party, claiming that the election rule allowing a person (in this case, Phil Gramm) to run for the presidency and another office at the same time is unconstitutional.

The rule was written in 1960 to allow then-U.S. Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson to run for re-election and president.

## RAC

# News

By JO LYNN COCKRUM

### Thank You

Our eighth annual Christmas Tour of Homes was a marvelous success!! We never could have done it without the many, many volunteers who assisted in so many ways. To those of you who opened your homes so generously, we thank you. To those of you who hosted homes and helped with decorating, we thank you. To the many wonderful patrons who purchased tickets and attended the tour, WE THANK YOU!

### Breakfast with Santa

Santa Claus will join us at the RAC Saturday for a fun-filled breakfast, photo and visit session, and a show by the Story Patch Players. We hope you will join us, too. Activities will start at 9:00 a.m. and last

approximately 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Tickets are available at the RAC office (806 N. Third) for a cost of \$3.00 (children) or \$1.50 for adults. Advance reservations are requested, and may be made by calling 592-4471.

### Holiday Activity Week

The RAC will host a student's activity week for school age children during the school holidays. Activities will be held daily from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. beginning January 2 through January 5. Students will need to bring their lunch and a daily fee of \$5.00. Advance reservations will be a must, and a minimum of ten students will be required to hold the program. Parents or daycare providers who would like to volunteer to help are urged to call the RAC at 592-4471.

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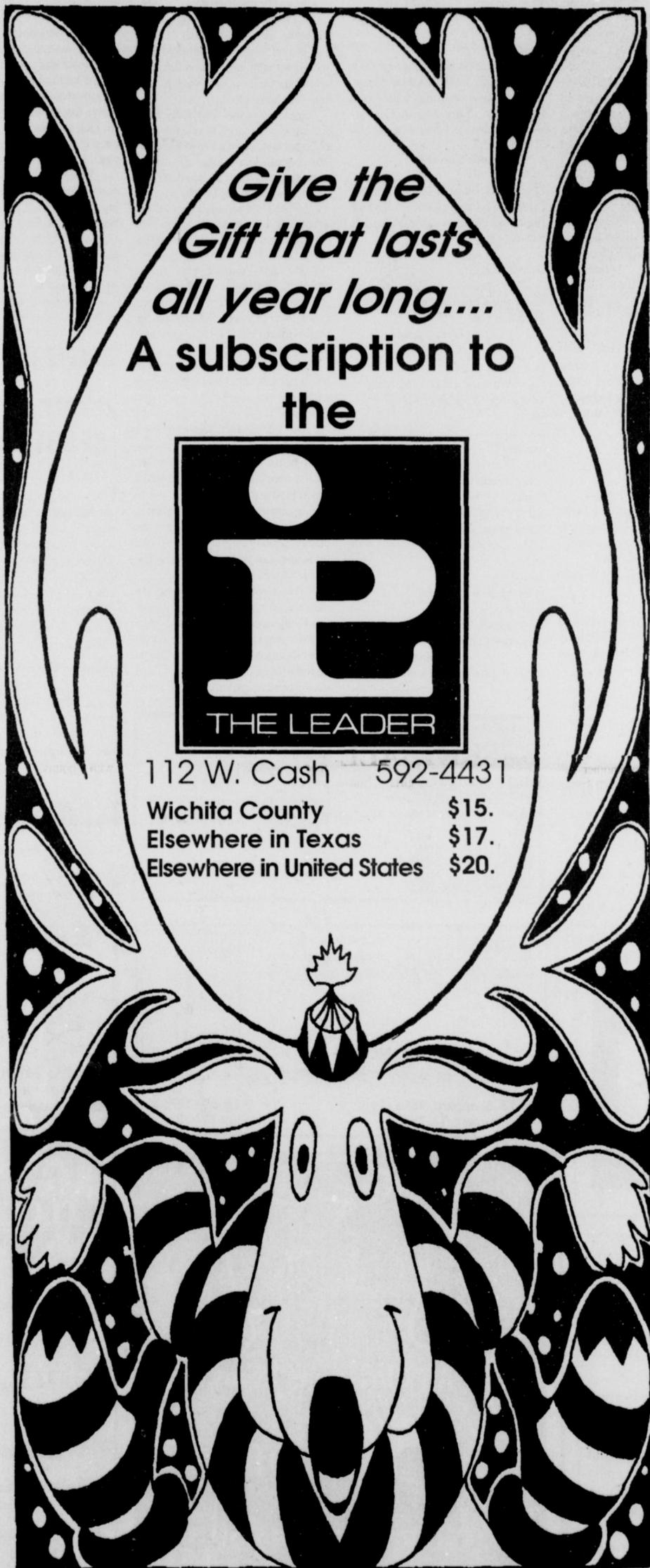
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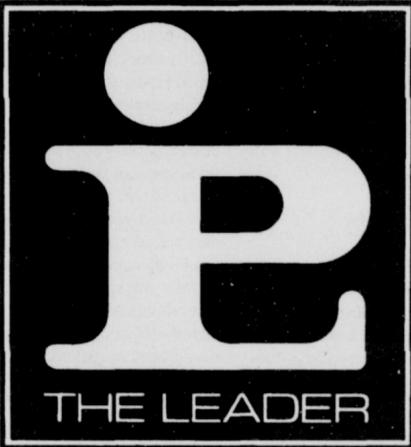
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## Lady Hawks down Henrietta

The Iowa Park Lady Hawks finished the week with a 3-1 record including a win over the No. 9 ranked team in Class 2A. The Lady Hawks downed the Henrietta Lady Cats 71-57 Tuesday night to highlight their week.

Iowa Park opened the week with a 69-56 win over Munday in the first round of the Seymour Tournament. The Lady Hawks led 20-14 at the end of the first half and 32-31 at the half before slamming the door in the third with a 18-10 score. Iowa Park went on to outscore the Lady Moguls 19-15 in the fourth to take the win. Wendy Bridwell led the Lady Hawks in scoring with 24 followed by Dusti Welch who finished with 19. Randi Tigrett added 8 points for Iowa Park.

In game two of the tournament, Iowa Park easily defeated Electra by the score of 60-37. The Lady Hawks opened the game with a 15-8 first quarter, a 13-7 second and a 13-6 third to take a 20 point lead into the final eight minutes of play. Iowa Park also won the final quarter 19-16. Bridwell and Welch both scored 16 points to pace the Lady Hawks while Sara McCarty tossed in seven points.

In the Championship game against Seymour, the Lady Hawks suffered their coldest shooting performance of the season in a 56-33 loss to the Lady Panthers.

Iowa Park scored only 11 first half points while Seymour scored 21. Welch led her team in scoring with 12 followed by Alora Foster who finished with 7 points. Welch and Bridwell were both named to the All Tournament Team.

"We couldn't buy a bucket against Seymour," said head coach Ronda Havins. "Seymour is a good team but we just couldn't get the ball to go down for us, then we got frustrated and that makes it even more difficult."

The Lady Hawks returned home to take on the No. 9 Lady Cats Tuesday night and jumped out on top 21-15 at the end of the first quarter and held a 35-30 lead at the half.

But the third quarter was the key to the game for Iowa Park. The Lady Hawks held Henrietta to only 3 points in the third while scoring 20 to take a 55-33 lead into the final eight minutes of play.

"We just outlasted them down

the floor in the third quarter," Havins said. "They didn't realize we were in a zone and we just outplayed them."

The Lady Cats outscored Iowa Park 24-16 in the final quarter but it wasn't enough as Iowa Park posted its 8th win against only 6 losses for

## Girls' JV has 3-1 week

The JV Lady Hawks finished the week with a 3-1 mark to up their record to 9-4 overall.

Iowa Park opened the week in the Iowa Park JV Tournament with a 68-40 win over Vernon. Lee Ann Jordan led Iowa Park in scoring with 12 followed by Amanda Roberts with 11 and Sharla Hughes who finished with 8. Iowa Park got another balanced scoring game as 12 of 13 players scored.

In game two, the Lady Hawks ran up against Hirschi and came up short losing 53-46. Summer Sternadel led Iowa Park in scoring with 11 followed by Roberts with 9, Lori Wiggins with 7 and Jordan with 6.

Iowa Park finished in third place by beating Wichita Falls High School 55-30. Wiggins led her team in scoring with 9 followed by Roberts with 8. Again 13 out of the 15 players contributed in the scoring column for Iowa Park.

The Lady Hawks finished the

season.

A scheduling change for Friday night's games in Mineral Wells due to semester tests has the JV girls playing first at 5 p.m. with the freshman girls to follow at 6:30 with the Varsity girls scheduled to get started around 8 p.m.

## THIS WEEK IN BASKETBALL

Friday 12/15 - Varsity girls at Mineral Wells at 8 p.m., JV Girls at Mineral Wells at 5 p.m., Freshman girls at Mineral Wells at 6:30 p.m., Varsity Boys at Olney at 5:30 p.m., JV boys at Olney at 4 p.m..

Tuesday 12/19 - Varsity Girls at Hirschi 7:30 p.m., JV girls at Hirschi 6 p.m., Freshman girls at Hirschi at 4:30 p.m., Varsity Boys at home vs. Southlake Carroll at 6 p.m., JV boys at home vs. Southlake Carroll at 4:30 p.m., Freshman boys at home vs. Southlake Carroll at 3 p.m..

## Hawks win Seymour meet

The Iowa Park Hawks finished the week with a 3-1 mark highlighted by winning the Seymour Tournament for the second consecutive year. For the week, Iowa Park had a pair of blowouts, a two-point win and a two-point overtime loss to Weatherford.

The Hawks opened the week with a 86-35 blowout win over Munday in the first round of the Seymour Tournament. Iowa Park jumped out to a 26-10 lead after the first quarter and extended the lead to 50-13 at the half by outscoring the Moguls 24-3 in the second quarter. A 20-10 third quarter gave the Hawks a 70-23 lead heading into the final eight minutes of play. Iowa Park won the final period 16-12. Nick Black led the Hawks with 18 followed by Shaun Campbell with 14 and David Waterbury with 11.

In the second game of the tournament, Iowa Park broke loose in the second half against Electra to take a 88-53 win. With the score tied at 34-34, the Hawks outscored the Tigers 26-8 in the third quarter and 28-11 in the fourth to advance to the championship game. Black led the team in scoring with 23 followed by Rylan McNeil with 13 and Waterbury who finished with 11.

In the title game against host Seymour, the Hawks found the going much tougher than in their previous two games.

Iowa Park had to rally from a 10-point halftime deficit to post a 63-61 come-from-behind win. This was the second year in a row Iowa Park has trailed Seymour in the Championship game and both times the Hawks have come out on top.

Seymour took a 19-16 first quarter lead and went up by 10 at 39-29 at halftime as the Panthers were red hot from the floor hitting on 17-of-26 shots for 65 percent while the Hawks hit only 14-of-30 shots.

Seymour point guard Jay Young scored 19 of his game high 25 points in the first half including four three-pointers. Shedrick Fulbright also scored 14 of his 22 points in the first half.

Iowa Park fell behind by 13 at 43-30 with 6:07 left in the third before running off the next 10 points to cut the lead to 43-40 with just over three minutes left in the period. The Panthers held a 49-44 lead with 10 seconds remaining before Waterbury drained a three pointer to cut the deficit to 49-47 heading into the final eight minutes of play.

Again Seymour scored the first points of the period but Iowa Park followed with an 8-0 run to take a 55-51 lead with 6:50 left. Iowa Park built its lead to 63-57 with 1:39 left and withstood a late Seymour rally to take the 63-61 win. Campbell led the Hawks in scoring with 15 followed by Black and Waterbury who each finished with 14. Campbell and McNeil were both named to the All Tournament Team while Black was named the Tournament's MVP.

"Our defense was the difference," said head coach Tim Clark. "They couldn't handle our pressure. We were

able to keep running in fresh people and they just got run down. I think we came together as a team, but we still haven't put together four good quarters of basketball yet."

The Hawks finished the week when they traveled to Weatherford Tuesday night, falling 69-67 in overtime. The loss leaves Iowa Park at 9-2 for the season.

Iowa Park held a slim 1-point lead at halftime but was outscored 17-10 in the third as Weatherford took a 49-43 lead into the final eight minutes. Iowa Park got a pair of three-point bombs in the final 28 seconds, one each by David Waterbury and Nick Black, to force the overtime period. Iowa Park never held the lead in overtime as Weatherford held on to take the 69-67 win. Four Hawks reached double figures including Rylan McNeil with 18, Black with 15, Michael Fallon with 14 and Waterbury with 11.

## Lady Hawk Freshmen drop first season game

The Iowa Park freshman Lady Hawks started the season 6-0 and decided to take a step up this week by playing in the Iowa Park JV Tournament.

The Lady Hawks opened against Childress and came away with a 39-31 win to move to 7-0. Randi Nelms led the team in scoring with 9 followed by Hana Atchley with 7, Laci Downs with 6, Carrie Evans with 5 and Alisha Clements and Amanda Sheppard each finishing with 4.

Iowa Park ran its record to 8-0 with a 44-37 win over Wichita Falls High School to advance to the title game. Nelms again led her team in scoring with 13 followed by Evans with 9, Clements with 6, Carrie Hogan and Atchley with 5 and Heather Miller with 4 points.

In the Championship game against Hirschi, Iowa Park led 7-6 after the first but was outscored 21-12 in the second and was never able to recover as the Lady Hawks fell 53-43 and had to settle for second place. Clements led Iowa Park in scoring with 11 followed by Downs with 7, Atchley with 6, Nelms, Evans and Hogan each scored 5 points.

Iowa Park got back on the winning track with a 48-25 win over Henrietta Tuesday night to move to 9-1 for the season. Evans led the team with 12 points followed by Downs and Sheppard with 7, Miller, Clements and Hogan each scored 5 points for Iowa Park.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF EDGAR J. GARDNER, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Edgar J. Gardner, deceased, shall present the same within the time prescribed by law. Letters Testamentary were issued on December 5, 1995, to Jackson Vincent Gardner as Independent Executor of such estate in Cause No. 22,444-E in the County Court at Law No. 1, Wichita County, Texas. The address to which claims may be presented is in care of said Independent Executor's attorney, Marvin H. Brown, Brown, Prothro & Williamson, 807 Eighth Street, Suite 700, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301.

/s/ Jackson Vincent Gardner  
Jackson Vincent Gardner, Independent Executor of the Estate of Edgar J. Gardner, Deceased

12-14-1tp

SHERIFF'S SALE  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Wichita

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 30th District Court of Wichita County, on the 7th day of November 1995 by Dorsey Trapp, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Five thousand nine hundred forty and 09/100 DOLLARS

Plus 10% interest from date of judgment and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of Iowa Park Independent School District, Et Al in a certain cause in said Court, No. 39,171-A and styled Iowa Park Independent School District, City of Iowa Park, Wichita County Education District, County of Wichita vs. Leta Mae Singleton, Rodney Singleton, Debra Singleton Pesterfield and placed in my hands for service, I Thomas J. Callahan as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did, on the 13th day of November 1995 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Tract 1: 0.52 acres, more or less of the west one-half of Block 21, Texas Addition, Wichita County, Texas, as more particularly described in a deed recorded in Volume 848 at Page 81 of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas; known as 210 W. Washington Iowa Park, Texas.  
Tract 2: Lot 7 and the west one-half of Lot 8 and 15 feet by 142 feet adjacent to Lot 7, Block 43, Original Townsite, Iowa Park, Wichita County, Texas, as more particularly described in a deed recorded in Volume 1158 at Page 848 of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas; known as 210 W. Washington Iowa Park, Texas.

The above property shall be sold subject to the owner's right of redemption. The redemption period is two years for homestead and agricultural use property and six months for all other property. Purchasers shall receive a Sheriff's Deed that is without warranty. Bidders should satisfy themselves concerning title and location of the property and improvements on the property prior to sale, and levied upon as the property of Leta Mae Singleton and that on the first Tuesday in January 1996, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 10 A.M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Leta Mae Singleton

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Iowa Park Leader a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand, this 13th day of November 1995  
Thomas J. Callahan  
Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas  
By Larry W. Proffitt, Lt. Deputy  
12-7-3tp

**Letters to Santa**



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Please bring me for Christmas a new Big Jeep Pullye. Also a new pet and a new bike. I've been so good, Santa that I want everything.  
Love

Dusty  
Dear Santa,  
I've been a good. How is everyone? What I would like for you to bring me for Christmas is roller blades, new shoes, skate board and a desk.  
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Love  
Megan

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Love  
Duane

Dear Santa  
I would like a new trampoline, and a new Donkey Kong II. Also I would like a new Baby Sister. I will leave you cookies and the reindeer carrot slices.  
I love you  
Jacob

Dear Santa,  
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See ya soon,  
Brittany

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# NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF THE HAWKS

## HIGH SCHOOL

### Deadline near for tests

Registration deadlines for the next ACT and SAT tests will fall over the Christmas holidays. Therefore, it's important that all seniors who are considering college and haven't taken or want to retake a test come by and pick up registration materials in the counselor's office.

The TASP test is also required for mist students entering a Texas college or university. Some students with high ACT/SAT/TAAS scores may be exempt. The counseling staff can look up information and let your student know whether the test is required.

Second semester juniors who are considering college are strongly encouraged to begin taking college entrance tests now. Registration materials and study guides are available in the counselor's office.

Applications for the federal Pell Grant have been held up by the government shut down and the relocation of the program. Forms are supposed to be on the way, but will likely not be here until late January or even the middle of February. We'll contact the students and put another article out to parents when the forms arrive.

If you have any questions or need specific information about colleges, tech schools, financial aid, etc., please contact the counseling office at 592-2144.

## JUNIOR HIGH

### Name omitted

Lisa Nichols' name was inadvertently left off the Junior High School 8th Grade AA Honor Roll for the last six week's grading period. We regret the omission.

## BRADFORD

### A skip, hop and jump

City View's jump rope team, comprised of fourth, fifth and sixth grade students travelled to Bradford last week for an exhibition.

The team presented a variety of jump rope routines for each grade at Bradford.

### All that Jazz!

Midwestern State Univ. Jazz Band gave a performance for all the grades at Bradford last week.

The musicians also explained their instruments as well as jazz music to the students.

### Annual orders due Friday

Orders for Bradford yearbooks are due Friday.

The yearbooks, which will be handed out in the spring, may be purchased for \$8 each.

### Thanks to ICG

Industry Consulting Group (ICG), a small company in Wichita Falls, has adopted one of our Bradford

families this year.

The employees of this company provide a decorated Christmas tree, food and gifts for a family in need each year.

All of us at Bradford want to say "thank you" to these generous and big-hearted people at ICG.

## Christmas Schedule

With all the Christmas goings-on at Bradford, a list of activities in the next week should be helpful.

**Friday, Dec. 15** - Iowa Park High School Show Choir will perform for all the classes during lunch.

**Monday, Dec. 18** - School lets out at 2:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, Dec. 19** - Last day of school before Christmas break. All classes go to the movies (students should bring \$2.50 each to pay). Parties will begin at 1:30. School lets out at 2:00 p.m.

## KIDWELL

### Christmas Schedule

The last two days of school will be busy ones for Kidwell staff and

students.

**Monday, Dec. 18** - Second grade Christmas parties. First and second graders go to the movies in Wichita Falls. School lets out at 1:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Dec. 19** - Pre-Kindergarten, kindergarten and first grade Christmas parties begin at 12:45 p.m. Kindergarteners go to movies. School lets out at 1:30 p.m.

### November Book-It!

Emilee Goodell was the top Book-It! reader in Mrs. Heft's second grade class, with 134 book read in November.

Beth Hall had the second highest number with 42 books read. The class total for November was 307 books.

### Elves come to visit

Elves, sponsored by Mrs. Dillard's high school class, visited two Kidwell first grade classrooms this week.

The elves brought responses to the first graders' letters to Santa, as well as candy canes for each of the children.

The classrooms of Mrs. Norris and Mrs. Schell were visited.

# IOWA PARK SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

## BRADFORD AND KIDWELL

### MONDAY, Dec. 18

Breakfast--Oatmeal, toast, jelly, fruit or juice, milk

Lunch--Burrito with chili and cheese, corn, salad, fruit, milk.

### TUESDAY, Dec. 19

Breakfast--Cheese toast, fruit or juice, milk.

Lunch--Rib dippers, au gratin potatoes, green beans, fruit, bread, milk.

## JR. HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL

### MONDAY, Dec. 19

Breakfast--Breakfast burrito, juice, milk or cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch--Taco with cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, corn, fruit, bread, milk.

### TUESDAY, Dec. 20

Breakfast-- Donut, breakfast meat, juice, milk or cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch--Chicken fried steak, potatoes, gravy, green beans, fruit, milk.

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