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DRUM MAJORS Stephanie Wirmel and Amanda Perry show off trophies the W.F. George Middle School Band received last week at the Sandy Lake Music Festival. The band earned a Division One rating, and also Best in Class. A full story on the band's accomplishment is on page 10 of this issue.

## Early voting underway in city, school elections

irigation purposes. Rusk, 43 , is a lifetime residento Iowa Park. He said he has other together.

Because none of the three coun cil members drew an opponent, the city initially believed that portion of
the elcction would not be necessary the election would not be necessary
However City Scretary Janice However, City Secretary Janice
Newman said she cearned that if any Newman said she learned that if any
other city voting were taking place

## Unopposed for reclection are

Unopposed for re-election are Mayor Tim Hunter, Joe Ward, Pre Precinct Four alderman.
Only one seat is being challenged on the school board's election this year. Trustee Wendall House is being challenged by Meria Gillespie
tor Place Three.
Unopposed are Martha Dudley,

## ParkFest plans developing

on the city's ballots this year, the
whether to allow the city to sell up to
35 acres of dedicated park land for residential development.
would be, if approved, mostly of land recently purchased by the city where a golf course would be developed. The proposed golf course, to be developed by Keith Rusk, includes
the undeveloped land between Lake the undeveloped land between Lake
Iowa Park and US 287, and also on the west side of the lake
Rusk explained that revenue from the assist him in financing the golf course. He and the city have agreed to a99-year lease on land the golf course would occupy.

Under the agreement, Rusk will build the street for the housing, and also install all the utilities, which would be dedicated back to the city once completed.
The city's only financial re sponsibility for the project would be to lay a pipeline from the sewer

Storm brings needed moisture

evening produced 56 of an inch precipitation, according to Virgil Woodfin. Wind gusts in exce

accompanied the storm accompanied the storm.
The area had been tornado watch that evening by the National Weather Bureau. However

with the second annual ParkFest continue to be finalized by the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce. The event will be held on Sat urday, May 12, around Lake Gordon Details of events were explained

during Monday's monthly meeting of during Monday's monthly meeting of the Chamber's board of directors, by
Ken Via, who is leading the coordinating effort.
Dill hamber Secretary Susan Dillard said 26 organizations hav
already reserved spaces for booths. She said she expected more non-profit organizations to make reservations at least matching the 30 booths that operated last year.

New events planned include a Fish and Hushpuppy Cookoff, shows of new cars and tractors, and the first cap the day's activities. ap the day's activities. The catfish and hushpuppy cookoff was injected in place of a

An electrical problem some 12 hours earlier caused a lot of residents concern, when a "blip" in serv
off the tornado aler sirens That problem, which is udied by TU Electric, did noteffect the entire city, however, but only the northwestern part of the city.

## cause an event slated the same week-

 end in Electra already had a barbecue cooking event.Registration is already underway for three-man teams to compete in the competition of cooking catfish and hushpuppies. An entry fee of $\$ 25$ competing for cash prizes.

The Chamber will provide the catfish fillets, but contestants will provide their own hushpuppy ingreThe
The public will be doing the judging. For a $\$ 5$ fee, people will be ing booths' products, and then cast one or all of their ballots at boxes that will be located at each booth.
Prizes include $\$ 100$ for the Peoples Choice winner; and three placings in both the catfish and bshpuppy booths, including \$100 or first place, $\$ 50$ for second, and

Ent
Entry forms for contesting cook are available at the Chamber, Hughes Events of the day will b cheduled all around Lake Gordon. The car and tractor shows will be cated on the east side.
Entertainment will be provided
hroughout the day.
To cap off the day will be the Cruise The Park event, which will be from 8 to 10 p.m. along West and

Participants will cruise the route during the designated hours. Headquarters for information, as well as the area to congregate that evening is R\&R Restoration, 612 W. Highway Which would require three additional staff people, has received 90
percent positive reaction from the teaching staff.

Cheerleader sponsors Donna
Wells and Kimberly Jordan asked the
trustees to consider more funding be budgeted for cheerleader needs, and help with the current financial needs of the cheerleader account.

The board asked Superintendent Mike Caplinger and high school

Two students at Iowa Park High
School were arrested Thursday on School were arrested Thursday on
drug charges, according to the police drug cha
bloter.

Officers responded toinvestigate tip that a student had marijuana. Joseph Brandon Bernstein, 18, was
found tohave less than two ounces of found to have less than two oun
the drug in his pant's pocket.
the drug in his pant's pocket.
He was taken into custody, and later transported to the county jail. Because of that finding, officers decided to hold a search of vehicles
in the parking lot by the department's drug dog.

The K-9 alerted on a vehicle, in which drug paraphernalia was found, and the offense.

Duck was later released after signing a promise to appear in nicipal court on the charge. To assist the sheriffs department, officers responded to a reported car
fire at Johnson Road and Van Horn fire at Johnson Road and Van Horn Road, at $1: 54$ a.m. Monday.
They located the occupant, Paul Taylor, 37, and held him for officers

## Student uniforms out, block scheduling in

Wearing of school uniforms will
not berequired in the Iowa Parks school district - at least not in the immediate future, but changes are in store at the high school where block scheduling will go into effect next year. These decisions were made las Thursday at the school board's regu-
lar monthly meeting lar monthly meeting middle school, who chaired a com middee school, who chaired a com-
mitte to study the issue of school mittee to study the issue of schoo
uniforms, reported on a survey sent to the parents Iowa Park students.
uniferms, repor Out of 1210 ballots, only 729 were returned, with 418 votes agains uniforms and 311 in favor. The parentsof elementary students at Kidwell and Bradford were the only ones
with a majority in favor of uniforms. with a majority in favor of uniforms.
The votes by campus included, The votes by campus
Kidwell, 81 for, 60 against; Bradford, 68 for, 59 against; middle school, 81
for, 104 against; and high school, 81 for and 195 against.
Moody said the uniform issue is
something the board might wan to something the board might want to
look at again in the future, perhaps look at again in the future, per
starting with the lower grades. High school principal Alan S received the board's approval of a modified block schedule, proposed
by himself and members of une mign school campus team, Darla Biddy, Bruce Merrell, George Brandt, Deborah Moody, and Sally Banks. minutes classes on alternating days, minutes classes on alternating days,
Monday through Thursday, and an Monday through Thursday,
eight period day on Friday. Seay said the new scheduling,

## Students arrested on drug <br> Students arrested on drug charges

to the next board meeting. They also asked Caplinger to evaluate the cur rent cheerleader account and compensate the current financial needs as
e sees appropriate.
The board also approved the Iowa Park High School Cheerleader Constitution and Athletic Conduct

Leon Stepp, who is
facility construction poranover the facility construction projects re ported that a temporary road had been
completed for use at Kidwell Elementary, and they would start the dirt work at that campus on Monday Also, he said concrete work at the high school and middle school would begin next week.
Contracts of the district's para professional employees were ap d or the 2000-2001 school year

## High

High school-Elaine Wineinger Ginger Scay, Diane Traeger, Susan Diddy, Julie Dozier, Julie Petree Merrell, Debbie Brixey, Becky Humphrey, Tammie Hoover, and Susan Smith.
Middle school - Fern Roberts,
mencipars scecretary; Lenoa springer, registar; Penny Atchley, content Mastery; Teresa Arrington, ISS; and Bradford Elementary.
Bradford Elementary - Cind Bartow, PE aide; Christi Blagg, Title puter aide; Patsy Jordan, resource aide; Sheri Kennedy, CEI reading lab aide; Gayle Lyles, secretary; Pat
Raby, Title I math aide; Brenda

## Council to meet Monday

ervice in the city will be discussed during Monday night's council meeting.

A representative of TXU Elec tric is to make an appearance to discuss recent brown outs or power city, and possible solutions.

Another personal appearance is included
Bruce Holder is to request water service to property he has purchased West Chestnut.
City Administrator Mike Price
library aide. Kidwell Elementary Mary Baka, Tille I - second grade; Cindy Billingsley, personal special ed aide; Darla Bradberry, Pre- K aide; Stephanie Hambright, resource aide 1/2 day; Anita McShan, computer room aide; Melissa Moss, Tite first grade; Darlene Phillips, Early ter, P.E. aide; Diane Smith, library aide; Holly Sanders, Tite I - kindergarten; Carmen Shrader, crossing Herman, crossing guard/cafeteria monitor and $1 / 2$ day resource aide; and Judy Williams, secretar

Teresa Jameson was re-employed as Tax Office secretary, and Elizabeth Merk as assistant Food Service director.

Theresignations of Colleen Robrts, part-time high school counselor, Darla Biddy, high school science
teacher, and Dianne Hefti, second grade teacher, were accepted.
Reports were heard from Jeff School Boards Legislative Advisory meeting in Austin, and Allen
Snewmake, who explained the progress in his search for a new computer system for the tax office.
Other action by the board included:
Talented Soved change to Gifted/ alented Selection Criteria; for 2000-2001 school year * solicit proposals for upgrade
on high school track.

## ask permission to advertise for bids

 to have the work done.The council also is to consider the state's sales tax holiday in August. Initiated last year, cerlain items supplies were exempt from sales taxes for a three-day period.
Aldermen will consider a request
for a variance from the city's "stage four" drought response measures, to allow limited use of the city's vehicle washing facility.

The meeting is to get underway 7 p.m. Monday in council cham-
from the Department of Public Safety, who then charged Taylor wi.

Two persons were taken into custody Tuesday afternoon, when officers responded to a reported
family violence situation at a residence in the 600 block of East Texas.

Joy Marie Zook, 35 , was charged with Class A assault family violence for allegedly striking a youth with a

## City receives sales tax rebate

The City of Iowa Park benefited considerably from business conducted here during February, ac-
cording to a report by the state comptroller's office.

Iowa Park received a sales tax rebate check for $\$ 26,059.66$, collected by businesses that month and reported in March to the comptroller.

The amount was a 22.34 -percent Thus far this yeare month in 1999 Thus far this year, the City has

Then, the 16 -year-old youth, who
had been reported as a had been reported as a runaway, was
transported to the county juvenile detention center.

The owner of a vehicle who re ported keys to her vehicle having been stolen in February officially filed a complaint with the police depart ment this week.
Charged with burglary of a habitation is Wilfred Leo Hoff, 31 He was not in custody at press time received $\$ 117,537.87$ in tax rebate, and that is 19.31 percent greater than
was reported this month last year. The year's increase is the largest of all the other cities in Wichita County. Electra is a plus 14.40 percent for the year, Wichita Falls 8.33 and Burkbumett 0.89 percent. Holliday also is enjoying a vast improvement for the year, when compared with 1999. That city has received $\$ 28,988.63$.

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## Local club members attend district meeting in Matador <br> Four members of 23 Study Club, Jean Johnson, Wanda Singer, Patsy Todd, and Margaret Soell, attended the 42 nd annual Spring Convention of Santa Rosa District, Texas FederaThe meeting was held Saturday, April 8, at the First United Methodist Church in Matador. Members of EI and Patricia Wilkins, as hostess, dent, directed the event <br> Club members came from Seymour, Quanah, Paducah Burkburnett and Iowa Park. <br> resentatives voted to sessesent repRobbie Castleberry Scholarships in the amount of $\$ 500$ each. The recipients, both students at Midwestern Thornton and Ariene Cheney or Burkburnell Arene Cheney of <br> The principal speaker was Barbara Winingham, second vice-presi dent of TFWC. She spoke about the benefits of the clubs' membership in Clubs. GFWC is an in of Women's ganization of community bated vor <br>  community service since 1890 Praising the clubs' efforts the past year, Winingham encorged past year, Winingham encouraged additional recruitment of new mem additional recruitment of new mem bers to assist with Federation objectives. <br> persentation of session included programs and projets. Both Amity and 23 Study Club were the recipeint of numerous awards. Installation of offic Installation of officers was held , with Mrs. Wilkins using quilting a her theme. She installed JoAn ian; Jackie Ellett of Burkburnett, surer; Beverly Park of Burkbumetl recording secretary; Donna Baise of recording secretary; Donna Baise of Donna Carver of Seymour, first vicepresident; and Beth Duke of Burkburnett, president. <br> Mrs. Wilkins was presented a money rose bouquet and a poem in president the past two yermance <br> The meeting ended with an inv The meetiong ended with an invicome to Quanah for the Fall Boar

Iris show is here Saturday
The Benson Irish Society will be hosting their annual Iris show
Saturday in the First United Methodist Fellowship Hall. is "Say it with Poetry," and the arrangements will reflect various writ

The public is invited to atten and there will be no charge for general admission. Viewing will be from noon until 5 p.m. rieties of Iris may erer the show. Specimens must be entered before 10 Specimens must be entered before 10

Specimens need to be cut full stem length and members will help provide the vases.

The first place winners for "The Queen of the Show" artist design, best Iris, and horticulture will each receive a hand-made clock with stained glass featuring Iris.
The artist design is limited to members of the Benson Iris Society. The judges for the show will be accredite
Fociety.
For more information conta Annetta Reusch at 592-9001.

Garden Club takes field trip


Prior to departure, a brief meet-
ing was held by president Freddye
Skinert, and car pools were formed.
Mary Frances FFaris, "It is one of the
most beautiful compensations of this life that we cannot sincerely help During the tour, they saw many types of flowers in bloom such as blue bonnets, pink and white butter. Members ate lunch then toured the "Three Bears of Texas" antique shop and Cordell's Cement Yard
 Clapp, Norma Fortner, Margie Faulkner, Evelyn Skinner, Aretas Spruiell, Billie Dowell, Shirley



## Rotary honors students <br> \section*{manda Kingcate}

 Richer, seniors at Iowa Park High ccer two years. He helped coach

School, have been recognized by the Iowa Park Rotary Club as Studentsof the Month of April. Amanda, the Vocational Studen of the Month, is the daughter of Cindy Collazo and Tim Kingcade. oen to keep a high grade point average while working $25-30$ hours a week, and also have time to spend with her family and friends. She enjoys working, running, and shopping. She is a member of the National Honor Society and FFA Amanda plans to get her basic
studies at Midwestem State Universtudies at Midwestern State Univer-
sity and then transfer to Texas sity and then transfer to Texas
Woman's University to work toward Woman's University to work towara
a master's degree in physical therapy a master's degree in physical therapy
Will is the academic student of the month. He is the son of Carolyn Richter and James Richter Some of his main academic Youth Appreciation award; bein consistently on the honor roll; amem ber of the National Honor Society; Academic All District; Who's Who Award in English and American History; and the Director's Award in band.

He is active in band and jazz band ( 4 years), tennis ( 4 years) - a
regional qualifier in doubles; cross regional qualifier in doubles; cros
country team 2 years - both years he country team 2 years - both years he
was among the regional qualifiers.
soccer teams three years for girls age $8-10$. He is active in church activities, Chrysalis (spiritual renewal), and helped lead two retreats. Winte, but is undecided college and graduate, but is undecided on a career

## 8.

 Look Who's New Pan DickersonAn eight pound, six ounce son, Kason Lee, was born April 15 to Iowa Park. He was 21 inches long. Kason has two brothers, Kolby Brian, six years old, and Colton Wayne, two years old. Hill of Lowararents are Joe and Gay Lake Kickapoo, James Dickerso Whitesboro, and the Dickerson of son of Wichita Falls. Great-grandparents are Grace Jackson of Wichita Falls, Maxine Gregg of Kamay and Geneva Wilson Wichita Falls.

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Epsilon Eta host for District Six meeting

The lowa Park Epsilon Eta Chapter of Epsilon sigma Alpha April 8 and 9 , with the local chapter being named Outstanding District Chapter of the Year.

The meeting was held at the lowa Park RAC. During the meeting district officers were installed including Carla Vantrease as district parliamentarian. Iowa Parkans serving on the district board will be Judy Ricketts, award; and Joyce H Mobley, youth award; and Joyce H. yand Romona

Forty were in attendance
During a chapter social and installation held April 18 at a Wichita Falls restaurant, local officers were installed. Chapter officers for the 2000-2001 club year are Carla Vantrease, president; Judy Rickeus; vice president; Holly Ann Mobley, recording secretary; Skeeter Erwin, parliamentarian.

Committee chairmen for the coming year will be Judy Ricketts, rush/education; Joyce Henry, Carla Vantrease and Romona Vaughan, yearbook; Joyce Henry, service; Essie Lowe, social: Skeeter Erwin, scrapa book; Mary Lynn Boyd, awards; Pat Lincoln, local publicity; Dee Dee Forney, Tesan; Barbara Hickman, Chaplain/contact; and Ann Westmoreland and Skeeter Erwin, budget.
Ms. Vantrease's theme for the coming year will be "Sharing Your Heart with ESA."

Outgoing President Skeeter Erwin was presented with numerous gifts significant of her year as president.
Barbara Lowe received her membership pin from Mary Lynn During the business portion of the meeting, members finalized plans the meeting, membersfinalized plans


Friday, A pril 21
Oven fried fish, baked beans, cole Monday, April 24 Monday, April 24
Steak fingers, cream gravy, mashe potatocs, green beans, hot roll, ba potatoes, green
nana pudding. Tuesday, April 25 Smothered pork chop, mashed potatoes, carrots, tossed salad, wheat roll, Wednesday, A pril 26
Meatloaf,macaroni andcheese, okra, Meatloaf,macaroniandcheese, okra,
cornbread, oatmeal/raisin cookie, orange.
Thursday, April 27
Cheesseburger, hamburger
tato salad, fruit cocktail.


Amanda Leigh Venhaus and Justin Galliton
June wedding planned Mr. and Mrs. Tom Venhaus announce the engagement and forthAmanda Leigh Venhaus to Justin Galliton.
Justin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Galliton of Iowa Park
The couple will marry June 24, in First United Methodist Church of lowa Park.

Amanda is a 1996 graduate of lowa Park High School and a 1999 graduate of Midwestern State Uni-
versity, and is employed by Holliday ISD.
Justin isa 1997 graduate of Iowa
Park High School and is currently
Wichita County Sheriffs De partment.

8th grade parents' meeting Monday
Plans for the eighth grade class'
Six Flags trip will be finalized during a parent's meeting Monday at the Iowa Park RAC. The mecting, open to all parents 8:30 p.m.

SHOP IOWA PARK FIRST


## Club plans for ParkFest

Members of the lowa Park Arts For the program, Kathy Price and Crafts Association made plans instructed the group in making an and Crafts Association made plans instructed the group in making an
for ParkFest and presentation of a Easter bunny with craft foam and a scholarship during their meeting box of candy.
scholarship during their meeting
Tuesday night at the Chamber of Commerce building.

The door prize, won by Bobbie AW Heacox, was a wooden rabbit and Harper, will be on display at the given by Led in a pink bue Harper, will be on display at the tickets will be sold at \$1 each. All proceeds from the Santa and other craft items sold will go to the scholarship fund.
A scholarship will be presented to an Iowa Park High School art stu-
dent at the awards program in May. dent at the awards program in May
The club will also donate $\$ 25$ to Project Graduation.
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Shop Pats


In observance of this Easter season,


All locations of the State National Bank of Texas will be closed Good Friday, April 21, 2000.
The officers, directors and employees would like to wish you a joyous celebration of this Holy Easter Season.


# Asiseelt. 

I realize I may be running this subject into the ground in this space,
but when will people start obeying traffic laws?

Oh, there's no question that a lot of people break the speed limit on the highways, but my major problem is the driving here inside the city limits. There snota morming that passes people exceeding the that I don't see the Kidwell Elementary area, an Fourth Street.

And would you believe, most of them are mothers taking their kid to school? their speed, but I think I'm a pretty

Frederick recognized
Wellington Leisure Products of Wichita Falls for 20 years of service 31 at the Iowa Park opty held March 31 at the lowa Park Optimist Club. He began working for press operator. John held many positions throughout his career and retired as the Production / Safety Man-

Johin retired from the USAF while stationed at Sheppard AFB in
Theevent was attended by many co-workers, friendsand family. Elmer Johnson, plant manager, and others were given the opportunity to share the experiences they have had with John over the years.
Mr. Johnson also read several
congratulatory Wellington's corporate office as well as letters from representatives who have worked with John in the past. Many of the comments conMany of the comments con-
cerning John dealt with family, church, community involvement,
integrity, friendship and work ethics, among other things.
IPHS TAAS scores show improvement Iowa Park High School contindes to show impro
state's TAAS test.
The Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) is given each year to high school sophomores hroughout the state. One of the requirements for graduation from any Texas high school is passing this test. The state reports the results of the TAAS each year on a school-
wide basis. The number of students passing all three sections of the TAAS have increased steadily since 1994. The three sections of the TAAS has improved from $67 \%$ in 1994 to $83 \%$ in 2000. In the individual tests, $93 \%$ passed _ading, $86 \%$ passed math, and $96 \%$ passed the writing portion of the test.
We are extremely excited about the scores this year," said principal Alan Scay. "Each year we make important gains in the percentage of studens passing. The leachers and the students are to be congratulated

## Wовтн Quotima

A computer server at a business crashed and the new system admincomputer problems was asked to try to restore the lost information.
He inserted a CD-ROM and needed to type a path name to a diectory named "i386."
"Where's the key for that line hing?" the administrator asked aclerk as he was typing in the panh name.
the clerk asked.
"You know. That one that looks like an upside down exclamation mark."
clerk asked. YFREM. That's it. Thanks. Lamesa Press Reporter


#### Abstract

good judge of the pace a vehicle should be moving in a $20-\mathrm{MPH}$ zone Observing specially important now that the temperature in the morning is warm enough for these youngsters to walk to school.

But the point is, warm or not, the area is plainly marked with signs and paint, and there should be no confusion as to where one is in that area. And, while I'm on a roll, there's another phase of driving here in tow folks.

Those stop signs at intersections Those stop signs at intersection to bring your vehicle to a complete


## halt.

A majority of drivers apparently at a yield sign, and easing around the corner after looking cautiously both directions for on-coming traffic, is the way.

Wrong. It makes no difference i here's traffic on the street being approached or not, your wheels should ome to a complete halt.
And, by the way, some drivers need to keep their vehicles out of an intersection, even if they do come to halt, so they don't challenge othe Okay Ill get off Okay, II get off my soapbox, for now anyway.

To the NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION To the Registered Voters of lowa Park, Texas:
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 6, 2000, for voting in a general election, to dispose of designated parkk land.
LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES Precinct No. 32 at Kidwell School - 1200 North 3rd Street
Iowa Park Precinct No. 33 at Bradford School - 800 South Texowa Street - Iowa Park Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each
weekday at City Hall - 103 North Wall - Iowa Park between weekday ar City Hall - an $5: 00$ p.m. beginning on April 19 . 2000 and ending on May 2,2000 .m Applications for ballot by mail shall

Janice Newman, City Secretary
P.O. Box 190
Jowa Park, Texas 76367

Applications for ballots by mail must be
the close of business on April 28,2000 .
Issued this the 13th day of March, 2000

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notice of general election To the Registered Voters of Iowa Park, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the poll ing places listed below will
be open from $7: 00$ a.m. to $7: 00$ p.m. voting in a general election, to elect Mayor and two (2) Aldermen.
LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
Precinct No. 32 at Kidwell School - 1200 North 3rd Street Iowa Park
Precinct No. - Iowa Park

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each the hours of $8: 30$ a m , and $5: 00 \mathrm{pm}$. beginning on April 19,2000 and ending on May 2,2000 . Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:

Janice Newman, City Secretary
P.O. Box 190
Iowa Park, Texas 76367

Applications for ballots by mail must be
the close of business on A pril 28,2000
Issued this the 14th day of February, 2000.
PUBLIC NOTICE
The City oflowa Park will be applying for funds for real estate improvements through the Texas Department of Economic
Development Texas Capital Fund Real Estate Development Program. The amount of funds requested in this application
will be $\$ 200,000$. These will be $\$ 200,000$. These funds will be used to purchase a facility for Landkirk Investments. Inc. which will be moving
its operations to Iowa Park. This application will be available its operations to lowa Park. This application will be available
for review at the Iowa Park City Hall during business hours.

## 熖 KENDEL J. HILI aectrical contractor

Wichita Falls ~ lowa Park Residential - Commercial - Industrial

I am withdrawing my candidacy for the Iowa Park School Board due to personal, family and work related issues. I am very sorry. I support the Iowa Park school system 100 per cent. I will run again. Tbank you for your support.

Meria Gillespie, M.D.

Lake Levels Lake Buffalo Last week $\quad 1032.34 \mathrm{msl}$ This week 1032.40 msl Lake Iowa Park Last week $\quad 1029.04 \mathrm{msl}$ This week $\quad 1029.13 \mathrm{msl}$

## Correction

Billie Morris denies being the great-great grandmother of Gabriel Isaiah Armstrong, asreported recently in the Leader. We regret the error.

## SHOP TOWA PRRKK FRBT

City-mandated water restrictions
Watering of lawns is limited to Sundays and Thursdays for al with an even-numbered address, and Saturdays and Wednes lays for customers with odd-numbered addresses. All irrigation will be limited to the hours between 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. ited. railer or other vehicle is prohibited at all times, except for commercial and service station facilities.
Filling, refilling and adding of water to privately owned 12:00 midnight and 9:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays.

* Use of water for architectural features is prohibited
*Wholesale water customers of the city are required to reduc their purchase of water by $15 \%$ over the previous month's usage.



## The power of a Grandpa.

## Children have a very special

 relationship with Grandma and Grandpa. That's why grandparents can be such powerful allies in helping keep a kid off drugs.Grandparents are cool. Relaxed. They're not on the firing line every day. Some days a kid hates his folks. He never hates his grandparents. Grandparents ask direct, point-blank, embarrassing questions parents are too nervous to ask
'Who's the girl?
"How come you're doing
poorly in history?
"Why are your eyes always red?
"Did you go to the doctor? What did he say?

The same kid who cons his parents is ashamed to lie to Grandpa. Without betraying their trust, a loving, understanding grandparent can discuss the danger of drugs openly with the children he adores. And should.

- The average age of first-time
some kids start at 9
- Roughly $15 \%$ of American kids between 9 and 12 are offered illegal drugs. And $30 \%$ of these kids receive the offer from a friend
- Illegal drugs can be linked to increased violence in many communities, to AIDS, to birth defects, drug-related crime, and homelessness

As a grandparent, you hold special place in the hearts and minds of your grandchildren. Share your knowledge, your love your faith in them. Use your powe as an influencer to steer your grandchildren away from drugs.

If you don't have the words, we do. We'll send you information on how to talk to your grandkids about drugs. Just ask for your free copy of "A Parent's Guide to Prevention." Call 1-877-4EDPUBS

Grandma, Grandpa. Talk to your grandkids. You don't realize the power you have to save then

Partnership for a Drug-Free Texas and America 1-877-9-NO DRUG

Hospice celebrates 15th year
Hospice of Wichita Falls marks a milestone in 2000 , as it enter its North Texas.

Says Jan Banta Hospice's ecutive director, "It is difficult 10 believe that 15 years could go by so quickly. I feel so blessed to have been a part of this organization from the beginning, and to have helped introduce the people of North Texas to the living care and support that Hospice can offer during a critical time in peoples' lives."
aspice of Wichita Falls developed as an outgrowth of a 1982 who had cared for dying friends. Both women felt that hospice care would have benefited their friends, but such care was not available in 1982 in Wichita Falls.

These women began reading extensively about hospice, visiting other hospice program and attending hospice conventions and workshops. Their efforts ultimately led to the Falls, and of hospice of Wichita only, executive direct or first, and When Hospice initially began providing care in 1985, its services providing care in 1985, its services were limited to the city of Wichita
Falls. But as word spread about Hospice, the demand for the care, hope and support it offered grew, prompting the organization to expand its service area in 1988 to include Iowa Park and Burkburnett. Hospice took two other important steps later that same ycar. First, it became a licensed Medicare hospice. And secondly, Hospice opened its services to all patients with lifewith cancer.
Dem
Hospice to expand it service area once again in 1990, this time to include all Texas communities within 30 miles of Wichita Falls. In 1991, Hospice of Wichita falls received its license as a Medicaid Hospice provider.

Requests for Hospice care from Olney and Seymour prompted Hos-
pice to expand its services to those communities in 1993. Just one year later, another service area expansion was approved which allowed Hospice to offer its services to all Texas Wichita Falls. Hospice b
Hospice began planning for the 1994, after receiving a grant from the W. Erle and Emma White Founda tion and conducting a communitywide capital campaign in early 1995 While this was taking place, other aspects of the Hospice program were growing and changing as well.
Hospice began its Living and Hope Hospice began its Living and Hope program in 1994, in response to the
community's need for care and support from the point a life-threatening illness is diagnosed.

A number of ongoing support groups are a part of this program, including Alive with Cancer, a sup. port group for those living and copgith a cancer diagnosis, and for somese wpor, for those caring illness.

The Hospice Ceter 1997. Since then, Ceally 600 patient have received part of all or hospice care in the facility.

## Tum man in <br> Haus of Hif Hawns

Kidwell
Kindergarten Screening
Screening and registration for
indergarten age children in Iowa
Park is scheduled for April 25 and 26 ,
at Kidwell.
before Sept. 1, should de five on or
No School
Students will be out for Easter
break Friday and Monday.

## Bradford

Easter Parties
Each grade will have Easter

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## Bridge Results <br> John Clapp reported the high

 score of 5110 at bridge this week. Mary Lou Alderman reported a scoreof 4920 for the second high. There were three tables in play.

## Report Card Dance

The final report card dance for this school year is scheduled for Saturday farom $7-10 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Admission is $\$ 4$ per student or $\$ 2$ with a current honor card.

Parents, please remember - it is important that we have enough chaperones. If you can be available, please know.

## Thank You

The RAC would like to thank Wal-Mart store \#420 for the grant we received for the RACPAC Kids. The grant for our recent calendar sales, so thanks al so to all whopurchased one! The funds will be used to help cover field trip costs during our summer program.
RAC Closed Friday The RAC will be closed tomorrow for Good Friday, and there will be no RAC PAC Kids.
RPK Holiday
RAC PAC Kids will be held at the RAC on Monday, since the students are out of school. A field trip to
LucyLand is scheduled, with busses leaving at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. We'll be having a leaving at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. We'll be having a picnic, so don't forget your lunch!
There will al so be an Easter egg hunt. Each child should bring a package of individually wrapped Easter candy and a basket for the hunt.

## UIL results told at middle school

W.F.George Middle School students participated in the UIL Academic competition held in March at
Henrietta. Henrietta.
The fo

The following students placed: Ready Writing6-Mollie Moody
3rd place; Ready Writing 8-Decima Grassmeyer, 5th place.
Maps, Graphs, \& Charts 6 . Ty Gann, 6th place; Maps, Graphs, \& Chats 7 - Ashley Davis, 2nd place; Maps, Graphs, \& Charts 8 - Brent Gann, 1st place; Matt Neal, 2nd place; Barrett Smith, 4th place.
Modern Oratory 7. Aubr Modern Oratory 7. Aubray
Scott, 2nd place; Monica Munoz 5 th Scott, 2nd place; Monica Munoz, 5 th
place. Modern Oratory 8 - Michael place. Modern Oratory 8 - Michael Minderman, 4th place; Haley Henderson, Sth place.
Number Sense 6-Grant Gibson, 3rd place. Number Sense 7 - Ben Trotter, 2nd place; Chris Ford, 4th place; Ryne Smith, 5th place.

Spelling 6 - Jake McDaniel, 2nd place, Sarah Marshall, 5th place Spelling 7 - Colton Hibbs, 5th place; Jennifer Swanner, 6th place. Spell-
ing 8 - Chris Menasco, 6 th place. ing 8 - Chris Menasco, 6th place.
Calculator 6- Louis Mangiacapra, 4th place; Megan Duffey, 5 th place. Calculator 7 , Chris
Catlin, 4th place. Calculator 8 Amanda McMillan, 3rd place.

Dictionary Skills 6 - Ty Gann, 2nd place. Dictionary Skills 8 - Brent Gann, 1st place.

Impromptu Speaking 7-Coten Hibbs, 4th place; Amy Carender, 6th place. Listening Skills 6 - Lena Fowler 3rd place. Listening Skills 7 - Gran Miller, 3rd place; Matt Wilson, 4th place. Listening Skills 8 - Ashley cShan, 5 th place. Mathematics 6 - Grant Gibson, 2ndplace; Kaley Meadows,4 4t place; John David Wigh, Gin place. Maur matics 7 - Jere Ellison, 3rd place Aubray Scott, 6th place. Math - Maut Reis, sth place. Propest, Jaron Burton, 5th place Oral Reading 6 - Brituee Wit on, 5th place. Oral Reading $7-$ Ben Trotter, 1st place; Katy Bartow, 5th place. Oral Reading 8 - Sandy Jordan, Sth place. Science 1-Blake Mitchell, 4th lace; Natalie Huckaby, 5th place.

Meeting for 8th graders, parents

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as they fix hamburgers and hot dogs for you
(to go with cookies and drinks) at the
Grand Opening
celebration of
American National Bank lowa Park.

Bring a friend and enjoy this down home party for hometown folks. Our officers and employees are looking forward to seeing you. Join us: 11 am-2 pm Friday, April 21 219 West Park


## Obituaries



Orange Lester 1920-2000
Orange Lester, 80, died Saturday, April 15, in Iowa Park Services were Tuesday at Tenth and Broad Church of Christ with Mr. Burial was in Highlend officiating. Burial was in hiofla Cemetery Home. Mr. Lester was born Jan. 27, 1920, in Flat Lick, Ken. He and Oct. 6, 1945, in Fargo. He served in the U. S. Air Force and was a retired aircraft mechanic for civil service Sheppard Air Force Base. He had been a resident of Iowa Park 51 years, moving from Vernon. He was a member of Tenth and Broad Church f Christ.
Survivors include his wife; two
sons, Mike of Wichita Fallsand Chris sons, Mike of Wichita Falls and Chris Floyd Nob, Ind. and Vincent of Greenville, Ohio; two sisters, Maxine Mills and Agnes Lester, both of Flat Lick, Ken.; two grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.
Memorials may be made to Building Fund or Texas American Lung Association

Henry Issac Berry 1907-2000
Henry Issac Berry, 92 , died Monday, April 17, in Wichita Falls. Graveside services were Tuesayy an slen pastor of First United Meethodist Church of Wichita Falls, officiating.

Mr. Berry was born May 2, 1907, in Winnsboro. He and Doris Rae Rhodes were married August 19, 1938 in Borger. She preceeded him in death February 28, 1997. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge \#611 AF \& AM, Mineral Wells. He was a long time resident of lowa Park and had lived in this area since 1960. He reInsurance Co in 1973, as a sales representative and was a member of First Baptist Church of Iowa Park. Survivors include two sons, Mike and Dwight, both of Wichita Winnsboro; and five grandchildren.

Harrell Cage
1930-2000
HarrellCage, 70, of Bowie, died Friday, April 14, in Bowie Memorial Hospital.

Services were Sunday, at First Baptist Church in Bowie with Dr. Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Masonic Graveside Rites will be conducted by Bowic Masonic Lodge No. 578 A.F. \& A.M.

Mr. Cage was born Jan. 6, 1930, in Fort Worth. He and Donnie Fox were married Aug. 31, 1957, in Bowie. He was a veteran of the Army. He was a member of the Bowie Masonic Lodge No. S78 A.F. \& A.M. in Bowre, and VFW Post No. 8789 in

Bowie. He was involved in the truck Bowie. He was involved in the truck-
ing business and ranching. He was a ing business and ranching. He was a
resident of lowa Park before moving resident of lowa Park before moving
to Bowie 45 years ago. He was a Baptist.

Cage was preceeded in death 1989 and a brother, Leon. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Harrell Don of Corinth and Dean of Bowie; a daughter, Kit Hutson of Bowie; three sisters, Neta Kemp of Fort Worth, Eva Costello of Denver,
Colo., and Berniece Mason of OklaColo., and Berniece Mason of Okla-
homa, City; and five grandchildren ma, City; and five grandchildren.
Memorials may be made to Memorials may be made to American Heart Association,
Montague County Division, First Montague County Division, First
National Bank of Bowie, P.O. Box 1081, Bowie, Texas, 76230.


Gladys Balthrop
Funeral services for Gladys Balthrop, 93, of Rossion, were Saturday at Rosston Baptist Church with Rev. Rondal Milligan, Baptist minis-
ter, and Rev, And ter, and Rev. Andy Stowe of the Sabine Place Baptist Church of Fort Rosston Cemetery. Burial was in Rosston Cemetery.
Mrs. Balthrop Mrs. Bathrop died April 13 at
She was the mother of Sandra She was bom Aug 8, 1906, Sadler to Sterling P. and Edna E Sadtzman Durham. On Sept she married Welton Balthrop in Marietta, Okla. She was the postmaster at the Rosston Post Office 15 years before retiring. She was member of the Rosston Baptist Church, where she served as church ecretary.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; brother, R.B arham, and a son, Jerry Balthrop.
Survivors include four sons, Ses Balthrop of Gainesville, James Balthrop of Gainesville,
Dwaine Balthrop of Myra, Rodney Balthrop and Kenneth Balthrop of Rosston; three daughters, Sandra Lehman of Iowa Park, Anna Kirk of Rosston and Sybil Smith of Texarkana; a sister, Opal Blanton of Gainesville; 26 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren; 15 great-great grandchildren.

Her grandsons were pallbearers.
Vernon B. Mobley Sr. 1930-2000
Vemon B. Mobley, Sr., 69, of Texarkana, passed away Thursday April 13, in Texarkana.

Services were Monday in the Hampton Vaughan Crestview with Rev. Bill Posey, pastor of Buchanan exarkana Methodist Church of Crestview Memorial Park.

Mr. Mobley was born Aug. 19, 1930, in Coushatta, La. He was retired produce supervisor, and had lived in Wichita Falls several years. He was a driver for Patterson's Auto Center in Wichita Falls and Shoen's Autoplex in Texarkanaand a member
of Buchanan United Methodist Church in Texarkana. He was Church in Texarkana. He was Mobley on Sept. 20, 1998.

Survivors include two daugh ters, Susan Benson of Iowa Park, and Sharron Jones of Texarkana; four sons, Vernon and William, both of Texarkana, Dennis and George both of Wichita Falls; a sister, Pamela Basinger of Shreveport, La.; and 11 grandchildren.


Naomi Juanita
Taylor Eubank 1912-2000 Naomi Juanita Tayor Eubanks, 87, died Wednesday, April 12 , in Fort Mrs. Eubanks is the mother or
M former Iowa Park resident, Milton E. Taylor.
Services were Monday in Greenwood Chapel. Burial was in Greenwood Memorial Park.
Mrs. Eubanks was born June
6, 1912 in Aspermont. She was 16, 1912 in A
etired nurse.
Survivors include two Survivors include two sons,
Milton E. of Alcdo and Alvin L Milton E. of Alcdo and Alvin L Taylor of Burleson; a daughter, Myra L. Hays of North Richland Hills; a en grandchildren; and 15 great ten grandchild
grandchildren.
Keith Aaron Trammell 1978-2000
Keith Aaron Trammell, 21, of Wichita Falls, died April 15, in Wichita Falls.
Baptist Church Tuesdayat Lama Baptist Church with Rev. Terry Bowman, pastor, officiating. Burial as in Crestview Memorial Park.
Mr. Trammell was born Jun Mr. Trammell was born June He and Kevyn Whatey were married uly 24, 1999, in Wichita Falls. He graduated from Iowa Park High School in 1997 where he participated in football and track. He was a member of the Married Young Adults at Lamar Baptist Church and played on he church sofiball team. He was a apprentice electrician for Joe Adai Baptist Church Heptist Church.
He was p
He was preceeded in death his brother, Rodney, in 1976.
Survivors include his parents, Richard and Shirley Trammel of Wichita Falls; two sisters, Denise Francisco of Lucas and Rence Behne of Fairview; and his grand mother, Thelma Bishop.

Memorial may be made Lamar Baptist Building Find. Card of Thanks

We would like to thank all of our friends, neighbors and family for ers, during my recent illness and hospital stay.

A special thanks to my church family at Faith Baptist, Dr. Greg Ammons and the other churches.

Also a special thanks to the docors and nurses who cared for me while I was in the hospital.

I believe I am still here because of the prayers each of you prayed and the hard
nurses.
May God Bless each of you. Bill and Wanda Solomon

Prostate screening held today at RAC Due to the heavy turnout for the prostate screening held here March
30 , a second off-site screening clinic will be held from 10 a.m. -1 p.m. today at the Recreational Activities Center (RAC), 806 N. 3rd St.,

The clinic, sponsored by the Iowa Park Rotary Club, is provided by the Community Healthcare Center, in conjunction with the Texas Cancer Council
Society.

The average cost of a prostate cancer screening is $\$ 228$, but the Community Healthcare Center is of-
fering both the Prostate Specific Anfering both the Prostate Specific An-
tigen tests (PSAs) and Digital Rectal Exams (DREs) for $\$ 10$

Thomasisrecognized Ashli Rence Thomas was recently recognized for her academics braska-Lincoln.

The lowa Parkan, a senior majoring in Human Resources and tive grade-point average of 3.6 or higher on a 4.0 scale during her years at the institution.

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## Ag Agent's Report

Scorpions/Wheat Tour The Crops Committee met last Wheat Tour. The tour will the 2000 on May 2 , starting at $8: 30$ a registration.

Like alw
Kearney Farm, which is located nort of Iowa Park.
The cost of the tour will be $\$ 5$ per person, and we will have a catered meal for lunch.

In addition to looking at the tes plots, we will have speakers on notill, marketing, weed control, whea back from some of the speakers, so 1 back from some of the speakers, so the full agenda.
To get a head count for the meal, we are asking everyone to RSVP if you plan to attend. Please call th Extension office at 716-5580.
I have been real surprised to se scorpions out and about this early. killed a couple this weekend in my garage, and received a couple of calls bbout them, and how what we know First scopions are
First, scorpions are arachnids, spiders. They have two eyeses on the top of the head, and usually two to five pairs of eyes along the front corners of the head.

They do not see well, however and must rely on the sense of touch, using their pectines and other organ for navigation and detecting prey. There are about 90 species o scorpions that have been identified in
the United States. Texas has 18 spethe United States. Texas has 18 spe
cies and only one species cies and only one species,
Centruroides vittatus (striped barik Ceniruroides viltatus (striped bark
scorpion), occur throughout the state. The species has a gestation of about eight months, and litter size varie from 13 to 47, and lives about four years.

When handled or disturbed, scorpions can inflict a painful sting using the poison gland at the end of the tail. Avoiding their habitats helps prevent sungs.
The stings from Texas scorpions produce only moderate reactions in
most people because the poison has most people because the poison has
litule effect on the nervous system. litue effect on the nervous system.
However, a person who is stung by a scorpion should be watched closely for adverse reactions.
An ice pack applied to the affected area will relieve some pain. If swelling and/or pain persists, or if breathing difficulties occur, imme-
diate medical attention is necessary. diate medical attention is necessary.

Scorpions are difficult tocontrol with insecticides along. Therefore, the first control strategy is to modify
the area surrounding a house: Remove all trash, logs, boards, stones, bricks and other objects from around the house . . . Keep grass closely
mown near the home ... Store gar bage containers in a frame that a lows them to rest above the ground . Plug weep holes in brick veneer homes with steel wool, pieces of nylon
scouring pad or small squares of scouring pad or small squares of
screen wire. chemicals, use insecticides produces that contain any of the following active ingredients: permethrin, cyfluthrin, cypermethrin, lambdacyhalothrin, deltamethrin, propoxur, diazinon, chlorpyrifos, malathion or synergized pyrethrins.
Apply pesticides around the foundation of the house and up to one foot above ground level on the exte-
rior walls. Also apply pesticides rior walls. Also apply pesticides
around doors, windoweaves andother

## potential points of entry

age for dosage, mixing and applica tion methods.


## Soil, water week slated

Keeping communy watrs clean and plentiful is a common goal

all Americans should embrace, ac all Americans should embrace, ac
cording to organizers of the 2000 Soil and Water Ste wardship Week, set for April 30 through May 7th. The focus
of this year's national observance is of this year's national observance is
on the total watershed management approach to natural resources conservation, and the theme is "Community Waters."
"Developing a postive stewardship attitude is important as we work together to maintain an adequate supply of clean water." Said Fred Dwyer, chairman of the Wichita Soil
and Water Conservation District, and Water Conservation District,
sponcers of this year's Stewardship sponcers of this year's Stewardship
Week. "Our local district would like to help take the leadership to bring all to help take the leadership to bring all
interested groups and individuals tointerested groups and individuals to-
gether to discuss how to improve the gether to discuss how to improve the
health of ourown watersheds," Dwyer added.

The abundance of good, clean

## must be replenished as time passe

 and conditions change. With recent drought, it is even more apparent that water conservation efforts shoud never be abandoned. Modern con-servation efforts are now focused servation efforts are now focused on
ways to keep our natural water supways to keep our natural water sup-
ply clean, helping to keep down wa ply clean, helping to keep down wa-
ter treatment costs. Farmers are currently installing and maintaining permanently grassed waterways and filter strips along the edges of cropland fields and streams to prevent soil and nutrients from being washed into major streams and water supplies Similar peactices are being installed around construction sites and parking lots in suburban and urban areas. To learn more about how you
can protect your watershed, contact the Natural Resources Conservation the Natural Resources Conservation
Service and the Wichita Soil and Service and the Wichita Soil and
Water Conservation District, at the USDA Service Center at 402 North Wall in Iowa Park or phone $592-4147$ wis not guaranteed as some kind

Cattlewomen offer scholarship

Wichita Falls Area
Cattlewomen have recently announced they will be awarding a $\$ 450$ scholarship to the Texas A\&M Beef College Station.

This scholars
to a qualifying young beef coulde to a qualifying young beef cattle
rancher between the ages of 20 and 39. This scholarship is made available through the IVOMEC Generations of Excellence program administered by the Texas Catlewomen. Texas Catlewomen have re-
ceived approximatley $\$ 125,000$ durceived approximatey $\$ 125,000$ dur-
ing the last four years from their ing the last four years from their
partnership efforts with Morial, the partnership efforts with Morial, the
manufacturer of IVOMEC IVOMEC Generations of Excellence Program originated in 1996 and has become a national success with con-
tributions to state catle associations

## TXU reps 'electrify' IPHS

## rough your home? What should milliamp to stop the heart.

 you do if you see a downed electrical line? Can you hear, see or smell elec-$\qquad$ These questions and more were nswered last week when Ray Ogden Nathan Allen and James Cotton from TXU Electric spoke at Iowa Park High School.
Highlights of the presentation included an arcing demonstration, procedures for handling electricity in potentially dangerous situation, and sharing facts about what electrician They told sudents that mos homes use 122 to 240 sor mos

First Assembly of God slates revival services
 Rick Mitchell Ministries, Sunday Shrough Friday.
Services will begin Sunday Services will begin Sunday
morning at 11 a.m. and Sunday evening at $6 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Monday through
Friday services will be at 7 p.m. each

They told the audience that if they ever saw a downed line, they hould call 9-1-1, or TXU.

They also gave a description of the job of an electrician, and demonstrated safe procedures to practice regularly
seen, heard or smelled.


Honor rolls for the fifth six weeks grading period have been released at Iowa Park High School. Names of Elite Honor Roll
12th Grade - Corlissa Lynn
and Callie Jean Beckwith, Deanna Maria Diviness, William Robert Farley, Erin Labeth Foster, Simone Marie Fuselier, Shanley Hope Honeycutt, Kimberly Kay Long, Amber Lashay Miller, Jenley, Karen RuthSchell Dustin Wayne Shierry, Kristy LeeAnn Tucker. Shierry, Kristy LeeAnn Tucker Gholson, Sandra DeeAnn Honeycutt, Sean Leon Horton, Cheyenne Dawn Patterson, Jason Scott Pelz, Michae Paul Roberts, April Dawn Rohrbaugh. 10th Grade - Richard Arthur Ashton, Shari Lynn Bodnar, Wade Miller Busby, Phillip Pierre Fuselier Anthony Michael Hopper, Steven Danney Duane Rasco, Mind Lor Danney Duane Rasco, Mindy Lou
Reaves, John Randall Schram, Janet Michele Sikes, Dana Brooke Smith.

Junior High
band winner
Band received a Division I rating and Band receiveda Division I rating and phy at the 30th annual Sandy Lake Music Festival held last week. ing were from Millsap, Lancaster, Dallas, Hillsboro, and Malakoff. Sixty five students and 10 spon-
sors made the trip. After performing at the festival, the group visited the Galleria Mall in Dallas for an afternoon of shopping and ice skating. The students paraticipating were Serena Arredondo, Phillip Baugh,
Brittany Benge, Glenn Bess, Ben Brittany Benge, Glenn Bess, Ben
Bowling, Gidgette Byrd, Amy Bowling, Gidgette Byrd, Amy
Carendar, Kevin Carleton, Julia Carr, Clare Carrillo-Miranda, Matt Collum, Brittany Cornal Childs, Ashley Costello, Hunter Davis, Kevin Frazier, Michael Fulkerson.
Also, Zane Fulton, Randy Garza,
Katie Gass, Ashley Gee Kate Gass, Ashley Gee, Decima
Grassmyer, Brooke Graves, Kayla Green, Tonya Hartman, Brandon
Hopper, Reba King Melissa Kwa Hopper, Reba King, Melissa Kwas,
Lauralee Lasater, Ashli Lewis, Lisa Lauralee Lasater, Ashli Lewis, Lisa
Livernois, Courtney Lytle, Teddy Livernois, Courtney Lytle, Teddy
Lytle, Chris Marrs, Shanna McCray, Lytue, Chris Marrs, Shanna McCray,
Amy McCreary, Amanda McMillan, Grant Miller, Kim Miller, Josh Also, Lexie Nolan, Dakota Patterson, Jeremy Pelz, Amanda
Perry, BradenPery Perry, Braden Perry, Kraig Pool, Toby Poter, Kevin Pugh, Alicia Rasco,
Lyndsey Reid, Matt Reis, Andy Rennhack, Russ Robinson, Jennifer Roy, A.J. Smith, Ryne Smith, Jacqueline Stone, Kristena Suarez,
Ben Trotter, Matt Wilson, Stephan Ben Trotter, Mat Whisol,
Wirme Scolt
The sponsors and bus drivers were Karla Hopper, Brenda Lewis,
Pat Pelz, Stacia Arredondo, Fulton, Anita Childs, Patricia Costello, Cara Lasater, Judy Munoz, Janet Bowling, Harold Smith and
Harold Brown.

## High school honor rolls released

Arredondo, Robert Joseph Baumer, Daniel Allen Bess, Taler Renee
Boland, Brett Mathew Hayley, Heid Louise Little, Michelle Amanda McCreary, Stormi Jo Raines, Erin McCreary, St
Marie Shook.

AA Honor Roll
12th Grade. Corlis
12th Grade - Corlissa Lynn Adams, Jodi Leanne Beason, Callie Jean Beckwith, Cody Wade Clark, Cody Dean Cook, Deanna Maria Diviness, Lindsey Nicole East, Wil liam Robert Farley, Erin Labeth Foster, Simone Marie Fuselier, Jeni Lee
Gibbs, Dalena Kay Gruber, Shanley Gibbs, Dalena Kay Gruber, Shanle
Hope Honeycutt, Ryan William Huff Amanda Renee Kingcade, Kimberl Kay Long, Eric Michael Martin, Heather Gail Martin, Amber Lashay Miller, John Landon Miller, Jennifer Leigh Pack, Brandi Renee' Peterman Cook, Steven Tyler Pulley, Karen Ruth Schell, Dustin Wayne Shierry,
Kristy LeeAnn Tucker, Lacy Fair Kristy LeeAnn Tucker, Lacy Fair
Wells, Valerie Marie Wicks, Jame Wells, Valerie Marie Wicks, Jame
Cole Yarbrough. Cole Yarbrough.
11 th Grade - Pete Andrew Ermis, Emily Ann Gholson, Sandra Dee-Ann Honeycutt, Sean Leo
Horton, Cheyenne Dawn Paterso
Jason Scott Pelz, Michacl Paul Rob rts, April Dawn Rohrbaugh.


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 frey Michael Duerson, Shane Denver Dunn, Ricky Aaron Duran Aubrey Olivia Ehling, Lelani Lei Gibbs, Heather Lea Gilmore, Karlee Janice Gilmore, Tara Cheri Godwin,Shannon Rance Green, Saige Payne Shannon Rance Green, Saige Payne
Hamilton, Shelly Renea Hamilton, Crystal Dawn Hoffman, Krysha Marie Hoover.
Also, Megan Leann Horton, Sommer Lynn Johnson, Jessica Ann Joplin, Damon Richard Kirkpatrick-
Fox, Nadia Lambiase,Christy Denise Fox,Nadia Lambiase,Christy Denise Landers, Christen Ann Luera, Jen-
nifer Lynn Mahoney, Justin Richard Matott, Kevin Clifford McShan, Micky Wayne Miser, Marte Scout Mitchell, Staci Ann Morgan, Kaycie Ann Myers, Lisa Rence Nichols, Justin Don Penn, Justin Wayne Phillips, Amanda Rence Reed, Kenny Don Rice, Will Aaron Richter, Jessy
Franklin Robertson, Russell Gien Franklin Robertson, Russell Glenn
Sanders, Dayna Maric Screst Sanders, Dayna Marie Scroggins,
Jason Daniel Simmons, Jason Daniel Simmons, Meagan
Louise Smith, Tama Michelle Swan Louise Smith, Tama Michelle Swan, Bryan Odell Swanson, Melissa
Nichole Threet, Whitney Lauren
Wasinger Sandy Nicole Williams.
11th Grade - Summer Sonnet Banks, Ryan Lee Bess, Johnna Lynn Brown, Derrick Ryan Carlton, Chrisine Ruth Dillard, Robyn Rae Dillard

Valarie Nicole Erfurt, Dustin Edward Fain, Jennifer Renee Golladay Kristen Alayne Green, Rachel Shay Kristen Alayne Green, Rachel Shay
Higginbotham, Heath Wayne Hodges, Leslie Michelle Hodges, Bette Ruth Howard, Kacie Lynn Howard, Sarah Renee Johnson, Joshua Grant Lytue, Candy Renae Mathis, Robert Bryan McCann, Zachary Ray Miller, Angela Marie Pena, Andrea Dawn Peters, Helen Christine Pruitt, Angela Kay Raschke, Christopher Michael Simmons, Brittany Lynn Taylor, Daisy Jean Thomp-
son, Deon Eugene Turner, Crystal son, Deon Eugene Turner, Crystal
De Vernon, Candice Jean Willinghan. 10th Grade - Aaron Zacarias Abeyta, Cody Phillip Allen, Daniel Alexander Baka, Kelley Renee Billington, Megan Renea Brammr, Ashley Rae Brandt, Domonique Nicole Clynch, Elizabeth Ann Collins, Tori Jenea Crawford, Rober Dean Duerksen, Blythe M. Esterline,
Virginia Carolyn Ezzell. Ruth Mich Virginia Carolyn Ezzell, Ruth Michelle Fitzgerald, Bobbie Lynn Gilmore,
Aaron Kyle Haws, Aaron Kyle Haws, Randal Nei
Henderson, Lindsay Nichole Hunter Daniel Alan Jacobson, Mary Kathryn Kight, Andrea Marie Kwas, Jame Anthony Miller, Heather Jo Moody, Mathew Dean Ohm, Jennifer Ann Peterman, William Ray Price Rebecka Bre-ann Raschke, Mandi Dawn Recco,Lauren Elizabeth Ress

Freddie William Simmons, Andrew
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## Hawks nail down place in playoffs <br> cool and stayed focused. Bess came

The Iowa Park Hawks reached the 2000 season, to make the playoffs.
had to win to win the district title. That could come on Tuesday the only team in district 5-3A to beat Iowa Park.

Iowa Park, now $21-5$ overall and $7-1$ in district play, will travel to Childress ( $0-8$ ) in district play today,
pot Monday with an 11-1 run-rule victory over Henrietta. Earlier in the week, the Hawks defeated Graham 8
home on Tuesday.
Currently the standings have Twa Park alone the top with Bowie and Graham tied for second and third with two losses. Graham's two losses were to Iowa Park while Bowie's tu backs were to Graham.

we to play a first-round playoffgame.
On Friday, Iowa Park jumped on top of Graham 2-0 in the first inning before Graham came back with wo runs in the bottom of the second lo tie the score at 2-2. The Steers took the lead at 4-2 on a two run home run in the bottom of the fourth.

But that lead was short lived as
he Hawks fought back in the top of the fifth inning, hanging a four spot on the board to regain the lead at 6-4. The Hawks then added a pair of in-
surance runs in the top of the seventh
to make the final 8-4.
Ryan Bess came on in relief of
Scotty Mitchell in the fourth inning to pick up the win, improving to 4-1
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Chase Wright led the Hawks at the plate with a $4 \times 4$ evening including 3 runs scored and a pair of RBI. Brandon Willeford finished $2 \times 3$ with knocked in. Tyler P pair of runs
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Grahamandneverseemedtogetdown even when we fell behind," said head coach David Fuhrman. "We kept our

800M Run - 1. Love, 2:57.69. 100M Dash - 1. Garcia, 13.71;
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in and really shut them down, which was a big plus for us. We also did another good job of running the bases. We stole five bases and didn't have anyone thrown out."
Against Henri Against Henrietta, low Park led 2-1 after the first inning, then from that point on it was all Iowa Park as the Hawks and Wright held the Bearcats scoreless the next five in-
nings. Iowa Park scored three runs in nings. Iowa Park scored three runs in the fourth, fifth and sixth to force the run rule and make the final 11-1.
Wright improved to $6-0$ for the Wright improved to $6-0$ for the season with the win allowing only
three hits in his six innings of work. Justin Phillips led the Hawks at the plate finishing $2 \times 2$ with 3 runs scored and a RBI. Mason Adams finished $2 \times 3$ with a run scored and Willeford finished $2 \times 4$ with a run

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ut of the Henrietta game was the way Chase threw his change-up," Fuhrman stated. "Instead of striking ut a lot of batters we were getuing which gave our defense a chance to work. This was also the second game in a row where we didn't make any errors and for a high school baseball eam that's pretty good.

Tuesday's game against Bowie is a game the kids have been looking forward to since they beat us earlier this year," Fuhrman added. "Beating having clinched a playoff spot takes some of the pressure off, but it should be a good game. Were getting better every time we take the field and that's what you want to be doing this time of

Both games, today's in Childres and Tuesday's regular season finale, will start at $5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.

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