



Community celebrates SHHS Blue Ribbon status

by Janet Felderhoff
 "On behalf of the 32,000 citizens of Cooke County, we give you all of our congratulations," Cooke County Judge Russell Duncan told students, faculty, administration, advisory board, teachers, and families of Sacred Heart High School. "You ought to be up here and we should be down there applauding you on a job well done. Congratulations to all of you!"

Judge Duncan was speaking at a program on Nov. 20 in the Sacred Heart Community Center celebrating Sacred Heart High School's designation as a 1998 U.S. Department of Education National Blue Ribbon School.

"You have such a great environment," Judge Duncan continued. "The City of Muenster is certainly a part of your achievement. You have a safe place. Your students are not hassled in the locker room. In a lot of schools the students are afraid to go to the restroom because they'll be beaten up. Isn't that a terrible thing to have to endure? You have such a great environment for your students to learn in. It's refreshing for the rest of us to know that there is a place where you can still have quality education. A good student can still achieve what we expect of them. It's kind of like the American dream is still possible right here in our community."

Judge Duncan added that when industry is looking at relocating in Cooke County the schools are one of the assets that are pointed to since that is very important to the employees of the industry.

Many of the other Cooke

County officials and Muenster Mayor Henry Weinzapfel accepted the invitation to celebrate Sacred Heart High's Blue Ribbon honor. Those attending included Bill Harris, Cooke County Judge elect; Commissioners Virgil Hess and Jerry Lewis; Sheriff Mike Compton; District Attorney Janelle Haverkamp; District Judge Jerry Woodlock; District Clerk Pat Payne; County Clerk Evelyn Walterscheid; Tax Assessor Collector Billie Jean Knight; Justices of the Peace

Dorothy Lewis, Bill Freeman, and John Roane; and Judy Hunter, Cooke County Treasurer elect.

Sister Marguerite Connors, Superintendent of Schools of the Fort Worth Diocese, brought congratulations and commendations to Sacred Heart High from Bishop Joseph P. Delaney, the 17 principals of the other schools in the Fort Worth Diocese, and their teachers and faculties. She had special praise for Dr. Jack Murdock for leading the

school to such high honors. Gratitude to the faculty and staff of Sacred Heart was also noted by Sr. Marguerite.

"We are very, very grateful to the parents, grandparents, and guardians who contribute to the support of Catholic education here in Muenster," remarked Sr. Marguerite. "We thank you for entrusting your children to our care and want you to know that we will continue the work that you have begun at home. Last, but not least, congratulations boys

and girls. All of you have made this very, very possible. Our prayer for you is that the light that you shine in your lives and are visible to all of us, we hope and pray that you will carry that light and the light that is Jesus to every corner of the earth."

Sacred Heart Principal Jack Murdock explained that the Blue Ribbon School of Excellence award is the highest honor this nation bestows in the field of education. At the awards



County Judge Russell Duncan addressed the assembly. Dave Fette Photo



Sacred Heart Principal Jack Murdock, at podium, presented the Blue Ribbon plaque and flag to school representatives Betty Trevino, senior class president; Sr. Cabrini Arami of the faculty; John Bartush, representing alumni and parents; David Whitecolton, president of the SHS Advisory Council; and Fr. Tom Craig, Sacred Heart pastor. Dave Fette Photo

ceremony in Washington, D.C. on Nov. 13, the Assistant Secretary of Education Dr. C. Kent McGuire, pointed out to Principal Jack Murdock and the others present to accept their school's awards that there are over 50,000 middle and high schools in the United States. Out of that, only 166 were named Blue Ribbon schools.

"We have achieved great success," Principal Jack Murdock said. He added that it took every single person present to achieve that success. Students, faculty, parents, administration must be enthusiastically active in achieving the visions and goals of the school.

While visiting with representatives from other schools at the Blue Ribbon event in Washington, D. C., Murdock remarked that he felt that Sacred Heart School was a lot like David in the Bible story when he faced Goliath. "He had the latest technology

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Muenster Telephone "uses less stuff"

by Mary Lee Alford

The idea behind the Texas wide Use Less Stuff Day on November 19 is to bring waste prevention (or source reduction, as it is formally known) to the forefront of public consciousness. We must learn to not create so much waste by reducing and reusing products and packaging. Remember this slogan, "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!"

If you simply use less stuff you'll save money every time you shop. The city of Muenster will save money because the cost of preventing waste is zero, while the cost of recycling - not to mention landfilling - can be very expensive. This prevention means more money for important services such as our new library, education, and

road maintenance. Source reduction therefore plays a major role in efforts to develop a sustainable society, one that makes efficient use of resources while minimizing, impact on the environment.

Muenster Proud, dedicated to the cleanup and beautification of Muenster and its surrounding community, honors the Muenster Telephone Corporation with this year's Use Less Stuff Award. The Muenster Telephone Corporation currently provides Email services. Email is one of the most efficient forms of non-emergent, communication and will eventually be as common in every household as telephones and indoor toilets.

Email reduces the need for and expense of envelopes, letterhead, postage, scratch pads, message pads and other forms of paper, therefore reduces landfill waste. Email is also a time saver. You can receive and respond to messages at your convenience. There are no mistakes made by message takers because the message is directly from the sender to the receiver. With Email, you can communicate with your long distance friends and loved ones everyday without the cost of long distant fees or stationery.

Another way Muenster Telephone Corporation is helping us to use less stuff is providing a future new service called Voice Mail. Again, with

Voice Mail, there is a reduced need for message pads and answering machines which clutter space in our homes and eventually end up in landfills. While traveling, it is easy to receive your messages from anywhere around the world. If you don't feel like answering the phone, the caller can leave a Voice Mail message for you to listen to at your convenience.

With the number of organizations we belong to and meetings we all in Muenster attend, efficient communication which also helps reduce litter and provides a way to use less stuff is greatly appreciated. Thanks to the Muenster Telephone Corporation for providing ways to accomplish these goals.



David Klement, at left, Muenster native, recently received a prestigious award. He is shown in the above photo, accepting the Friend of Agriculture Award from Manatee County, Florida Farm Bureau Director Bob Spencer. David Klement is a journalist and an editor of the Bradenton, Florida Herald. In accepting the award, Klement paid tribute to his late father, Johnny Klement, who operated a dairy northeast of Muenster more than 50 years. David Klement said he has never forgotten the importance of farming, and the work ethic of farming. Courtesy photo

Muenster native honored with Farm Bureau award

Coverage of his home county's battle to eradicate the Mediterranean fruit fly to protect the integrity of local agriculture earned Muenster native David Klement the 1998 Friend of Agriculture Award by the Manatee County (Florida) Farm Bureau recently.

Klement, son of Mrs. Olivia Klement and the late J.A. Klement, was honored at a barbecue dinner at the Manatee County Fairgrounds attended by some 400 Farm Bureau members. The award was presented by Bob Spencer, a member of the Farm Bureau's Board of Directors and sales manager of a local produce company.

In presenting the award, Spencer recognized Klement's work as a journalist in depicting the plight of local agriculture as it faced a potentially ruinous invasion this past spring of the Medfly, a tiny insect native to the Mediterranean countries. The Medfly invades some 160 varieties of fruit and vegetables, spoiling the produce and laying hundreds of eggs each that eventually hatch and, unless stopped, propagate into a industry-paralyzing infestation.

Manatee County, on Florida's southwest Gulf coast, is heavily dependent on

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The Hornet offensive line charges off the line of scrimmage. Included, from right, are Aaron Klement (11), Chad Felderhoff (78), Matt York (63), Danny Felderhoff (68), Jim Stoffels (70) and Justin Klement (77). The

back field is clear for a Jesse Luke (44) handoff to Brent Sicking (40) against Detroit. Read about the playoff game in Sports. Dave Fette Photo

CHRISTEINDLMARKT ACTIVITIES

- 9 A.M. Bake Sale, sponsored by Muenster Hornet Band
- 9:30-10:00 Sacred Heart Carolers on Main Street
- 10:00-11:00 Strolling German Accordionist
- 11:00-11:30 Christmas Concert by Muenster Hornet Band
- 11:30-12:00 Sacred Heart Carolers on Main Street
- 12:00-12:30 Christmas Concert by Muenster Hornet Band
- 12:30 P.M. Visits with Santa, Downtown Muenster
- 12:30 P.M. Strolling German Accordionist
- 1:30-2:00 Flutist Trio
- 2:00-3:30 Free Sleigh Rides
- 2:30-3:00 Sacred Heart Carolers

Saturday, Nov. 28 in Muenster

Emergency Blood Drive set for Dec. 3 at KC Hall

The Texoma Regional Blood Center will conduct an emergency Blood Drive in Muenster at the KC Hall on Thursday, December 3 from noon until 8:00 p.m. to benefit

Larry Hess. He was critically injured in an automobile accident and is a patient in intensive care. The Blood Drive is sponsored by the Muenster Hospital Auxiliary.

"Thanksgiving begins in the heart ... not the table."

— William C. Howard

THE MUENSTER ENTERPRISE WOULD LIKE TO WISH EACH OF YOU, OUR LOYAL READERS, A VERY HAPPY THANKSGIVING. WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR SUPPORT THROUGH THE YEARS.



Nov. 29 ceremony opens Light Up A Life campaign

The Cooke County Home Hospice annual Light Up A Life campaign will begin with a dedication ceremony featuring special music and the lighting of a 9-foot Christmas tree on Sunday, November 29 at 2:00 p.m. at Beall's Department Store in Gainesville.

In addition to the tree at Beall's and one at Tom Thumb in Gainesville, there will be a tree in Muenster this year, at Gehrig's Hardware Store.

Home Hospice of Cooke County is a non-profit organization which gives care to the terminally ill and their families regardless of their ability to pay. Through the interdisciplinary team, Home

Hospice celebrates life by working to make each day of life the best possible for the patients and their families. All the funds raised from the Light Up A Life campaign are used in Cooke County for direct patient care. Your tax-deductible gift allows Home Hospice to continue to provide the highest quality care.

The Home Hospice Auxiliary sponsors the Light Up A Life fund-raiser each year. Auxiliary member Theresa Mae Walterscheid of Muenster is serving as the Light Up A Life County Representative Coordinator for the second straight year. In this position, she organizes and coordinates

all the Light Up A Life volunteers, county-wide, who sit at the trees during the entire November 29 - December 18 campaign. She is also serving as the Muenster representative. Sally Arendt is the representative from Lindsay. Anyone wishing to volunteer during the Light Up A Life campaign may call Theresa Mae at 759-4437 or 759-2744. This invitation is extended especially to the Forestburg, Myra and Rosston communities.

Everyone is invited to stop by Beall's and attend the short dedication ceremony on November 29. It will be a

heartwarming and beautiful way to start the Christmas season with the Youth Choir from Temple Baptist Church and persons from Cooke County telling what Home Hospice has meant to them. Finally, there will be the dramatic moment as the tree lights are turned on by a Hospice family.

The Christmas season is such an appropriate time to give special Light Up A Life recognition in memory of a loved one or to honor someone who lives. For each donation an angel will be put on one of the three Christmas trees located at Gehrig's Hardware, Beall's and Tom Thumb. Home Hospice volunteers will be on hand at all three trees from November 29 through December 18 to accept donations, give information and answer any questions about Home Hospice or the Auxiliary.

For additional information contact Home Hospice of Cooke County at 940-665-9891.

From My Side of the Fence

by Ed Cler

Yesterday it was Christmas it seems, then Easter, the Fourth of July, and now Thanksgiving is upon us.

I sometimes wonder why so many of us hardly ever think of expressing our gratitude for the many and varied gifts our Creator has showered upon us as time goes by.

For one thing, our ability to enjoy life and each other, as well as the many good neighbors and friends we have acquired over the years.

Then too there is the ability to not take ourselves too seriously, and to laugh at ourselves at times.

There are times when we have pain and are handicapped to some extent, and then we have only to look around and see how much better off we are than some other folk.

It was good to see them again and to find Richard doing so well after his serious accident and long hospital stay. He was in a good mood and joking and laughing about himself and me, about some of the happenings in Re-hab where we first became acquainted. It was real satisfying to find Richard so much improved, and this is another thing to be grateful for.

I don't believe anyone saying "Thank You" for some favor to them isn't immediately repaid for the courtesy, by a quick smile.

Frowners always have more wrinkles than smileers.

So the next time we feel low and are inclined to gripe and feel sorry for ourselves, let's just look in the mirror and nine times out of ten we will come away grinning, and realize just how fortunate we really are.

Then the word "Thanksgiving" will mean what it was originally intended to be.

Who will help with Muenster Library Building Funds?

by Janet Felderhoff

As a community Muenster determined that it was necessary to find a new location for the Muenster Public Library. The present facility is inadequate for several reasons. Lack of sufficient and functional space is the main concern.

Norman Luke, a Muenster native, helped to initiate the goal of building a new library with his offer to donate up to \$100,000 by matching contributions made by individuals or non-profit organizations. He and his wife, Evelyn, are making the gesture to honor Norman's parents, Joe and Bettye Luke. Bettye was the Muenster librarian for many years.

Since that time, land has been purchased for building the new facility. Fund raising and donations have brought in

around \$150,000. Twice that amount is needed to begin construction.

With that goal in mind a meeting has been scheduled for Monday, Nov. 30 at 7 p.m. in City Hall. Volunteers are needed to solicit funds for the library's Building Fund. All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting Monday. Packets have been put together to assist those who volunteer to seek donations.

Although donations of any amount are appreciated, donations of \$1,000 or more will enable the donor to have their name or the name of someone they wish to honor or remember etched on a marble wall in the new library.

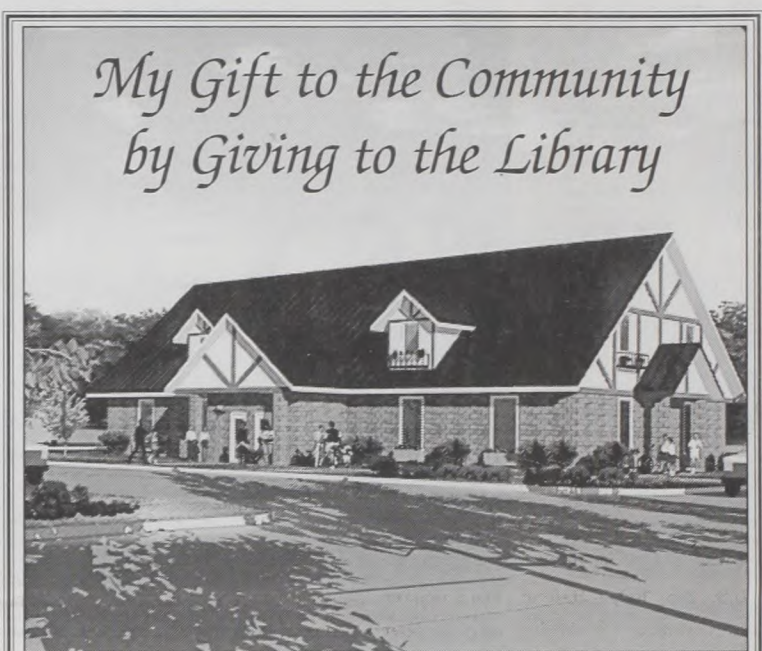
There are several donor level designations: Diamond, \$50,000 and up; Gold, \$25,000 to \$49,999.99; Silver, \$10,000 to \$24,999.99; Bronze, \$5,000

to \$9,999.99; and Friend, \$1,000 to \$4,999.99.

For a \$100 donation a brick can be purchased to honor or memorialize someone. There will be two choices of letter size, 3/4 inch and 5/8 inch. The 3/4 inch lettering allows up to three lines with a maximum of 14 letters per line including spaces. If 5/8 lettering is selected, up to four lines per brick is allowed with a maximum of 16 letters per line. Those who have already purchased bricks at a lesser price should be assured that their donations will be honored.

Contributions to the fund are tax deductible. A target date of Jan. 31, 1999 has been set by the Committee to conclude this fund raising drive.

A Fund Raising Committee has been meeting. They have decided that they need more volunteers from the community to make their fund raising drive active and effective. The mission of the Muenster Public Library is to improve and enhance the informational, educational, and recreational services to all adults and children in Muenster and surrounding areas. If you are interested in seeing a new library in the community, consider volunteering for the fund raising drive. For more information, contact Nancy Walter at (940)759-2712.



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Above donors' names will be etched in marble similar to the Morton Meyerson Symphony Center, as shown



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It Was News Then ...

30 YEARS AGO
 June 21, 1968
 Final authorization for construction of the expansion on the city's sewer plant has been received from the Texas Water Quality Board. Construction contract has been awarded to Bayer Brothers. Red Cross free regular Swim classes will begin July 8 and continue over a two week period. The 1968 grain harvest in Muenster nears completion. New Arrivals: a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fisher, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hess. Solemn religious service marks silver jubilee of Father Paul Hoedebeck OSB, Muenster native. City annexes seven acres in northwest part of town, including the Herbie Miller addition. Weddings: Donna Prescher and Lendon Bauer are married in St. John's Church of Valley View; Julianne Christine and James Turner are married in St. Paul's Church of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

10 YEARS AGO
 June 24, 1988
 Muenster Jaycees name Al Felderhoff as "Outstanding Citizen of Muenster for 1988." Sacred Heart High School hires Jack B. Murdock as new Principal. Muenster Milling Company hosts Dairy Day for the dairy industry of North Texas area. State Comptroller sends sales tax check showing 47.53 percent increase over June 1987. Obituary: Joe J. Neu of Lindsay dies at 84. Wayne Becker receives \$4,000 scholarship from Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show. It is presented at 4-H State Roundup at TAMU. Sister Henriann Fuhrmann of Lindsay observes golden jubilee. Wedding: Karen Sue Williams and Ronald Joe Evans are married in Gainesville. New Arrivals: Chad Joseph Hess to Clarence and Kelly Hess; Dustin Marshall Lloyd Black to Wendell and DeAnn Black; Kayla Michelle Dieter to Stan and Rhonda Dieter; Sara LaDon Knabe to Mr. and Mrs.

Raymond Knabe; Grant Michael Georgia to Glenn and Eileen Georgia.
30 YEARS AGO
 June 28, 1968
 National recognition has come to the Muenster Jaycees for their park improvement project. They received first place in Division I at the National Convention in Phoenix, Arizona. Earlier, at the Texas State Convention, Muenster Jaycees received the top award in their category of towns under 5,000. Attending the National Convention and bringing the trophy and award home were Ted Henscheid, Herman Grewing, and Willie Fisher. Joe Galloway of Wichita Falls joined them there. Lindsay and St. Peter's Parish will host tenth annual Homecoming. Father Alcuin Kubis, pastor of Sacred Heart Church will be transferred. Weddings: Ruth Yosten and Pat Klement are married in Sacred Heart Church. Cynthia Ann Insel marries Michael Ray Henderson in St. Mary's Church of Gainesville.

2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!

Sunday, November 29	Monday, November 30	Tuesday, December 1	Wednesday, December 2	Thursday, December 3	Friday, December 4	Saturday, December 5
Life Teen 7 P.M.	First Reconciliation 7 p.m. Muenster 7 g/b; 8 g/b, vs. Alvord, H, 5 P.M. Muenster Quarterback Club Meeting, 7 p.m., gym Muenster Livestock Meeting, 7 P.M., Cooke Co. Fairgrounds	Muenster VGB vs. Gold-Burg, T, 6 P.M. SH Jvg/b, VGB vs. Prairie Valley, H, 4 P.M.	Religious Ed. Class, 7 P.M.	TDH Immunization Clinic, 9-11 A.M., Cooke Co. Elec. Co-op Emergency Blood Drive, KC Hall, 12-8 P.M. for Larry Hess		NET Retreat for freshmen and sophomores, 9 A.M.-10 P.M. Children's Christmas Party with Santa, VFW & Auxiliary, VFW Hall, 10 A.M., Santa's Visit
		Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Muenster VG/B in Forestburg Tournament		
Sunday, December 6	Monday, December 7	Tuesday, December 8	Wednesday, December 9	Thursday, December 10	Friday, December 11	Saturday, December 12
	Muenster 7 g/b, 8 g/b vs. Valley View, H, 5 P.M.	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION Muenster JVG/B, VG/B vs. Lindsay, H, 4:30 P.M. SH JVG/B, VG/B vs. Saint Jo, T, 4 P.M.	SH Parish Reconciliation Service, 7 P.M., No Rel. Ed. Class			
		Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Muenster VG/B & Sacred Heart VG/B in Red River Shootout	

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Dispatch discussed at firefighters meeting

Members of the Cooke County Firefighters Association held their quarterly meeting this month at the Farm Bureau. President Mike Selby opened the meeting with Randy Johnson leading the flag pledge. Denise Pearce presented the minutes and treasurer's report. She also distributed notebooks to each department containing information on other departments.

New training officer Chuck Skinner was introduced. EMS Director Bob Harbin reported on the Cascade system, handed out new map books, and told of medical protocol books coming out.

Special guests were Cooke County Sheriff Mike Compton and dispatcher Kathy Jennings. They spoke about

the new dispatch system where all calls go to the Sheriff's Office.

Selby reported that the ID card project is complete, immunizations will be completed this month, and additional pagers have been ordered.

The Association elected officers for 1999. They are Mike Selby, president; Dale Alexander, vice-president; and Denise Pearce, secretary-treasurer.

Thirty members are participating in the fire academy. Jody Henry and Wally Cox are conducting the event which runs through May.

The next meeting is Jan. 6, 1999 at 7 p.m. at the Era Fire Station.



Sacred Heart Principal Jack Murdock is interviewed by Channel 12 News after last Friday's Blue Ribbon School of Excellence Award ceremony. There was a full house, including area media, present to celebrate the national award.

Janet Felderhoff photo

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BLUE RIBBON

and all of the resources of the day to equip him for combat. He was a giant in size and had a helmet, a shield, armor and mighty sword. David had no technology or resources ... What David did have was great courage and even greater things fell under him.

"David defeated Goliath and it was later reported that they crowned him King David. Today we are like the shepherd David. We have few resources, but great faith in our God that will permit us to do His will. Today with the awarding of the Blue Ribbon School, we have won a great victory over the Goliaths of this world and I want today to say thanks be to God for giving

us this blessing."

Representatives of the groups who made winning the Blue Ribbon designation possible were presented the plaque with the Blue Ribbon logo. Murdock called forward Sacred Heart Pastor Father Tom Craig, SHS Advisory Council President David Whitecotton, John Bartush of Sacred Heart Alumni and Parents, Sister Cabrini Arami for Sacred Heart faculty, Class of 1999 President Betty Trevino.

Cooke County Judge Russell Duncan signed a proclamation earlier in the week designating Nov. 22-28 Sacred Heart High School Week in Cooke County. This proclamation and one signed by Muenster Mayor Henry Weinzapfel were read by Nicholas Taylor, class of 2001 president. Jordan Kohler, Class of 2000 read a letter of congratulations from U.S. Congressman Ralph Hall.

Chuck Bartush of the Sacred Heart Advisory Council acted as master of ceremonies. Father Tom Craig offered the invocation and benediction. Singing the National Anthem were the Sacred Heart High School Choir under the direction of Pam Fette. They also sang "The Power of One" after the presentation. Students Jeff Hartman and Russell Fette led the Pledge to the Flag and gave the welcoming address, respectively.



Pam Fette read a short story about saving one life at a time before the Sacred Heart School Choir sang "The Power of One" during last Friday's Blue Ribbon celebration. Members are, from left, Diane Becker, Adrienne Bartel, Melanie Klement, Lee Skinner, Director Pam Fette, Gina Yosten, Dana Miller, Glenn Gleason, Kendall Sellers, Adam Klement, Jackie Bartush and Amy Truebenbach.

Dave Fette Photo

Prime Outlets at Gainesville welcomes new two stores

Prime Outlets at Gainesville welcomes Nocona Boot Company and Lorianna to its tenant lineup, according to Jeffrey Kellogg, general manager.

Nocona Boot Company, located between Paul Harris Direct and Factory Brand Shoes, sells western style boots from several popular manufacturers, as well as western style clothing and accessories. For specific information you can call the store at (940) 668-8166.

Lorianna, located next to Springmaid/Wamsutta and Famous Brand Housewares, features ladies' career-oriented clothing including suits, dresses, etc. For more information, please call (940)

665-4601.

Prime Outlets at Gainesville, owned and managed by Baltimore-based Prime Retail (NYSE:PRT and PRT.PRB), is an open-air, village style manufacturer's outlet center located on IH-35 at exit #501. The center, which opened to the public in August 1993 contains 316,000 square feet of space featuring over 80 shops. Center hours are Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sundays, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Gainesville Factory Shops is one of 50 outlet centers owned and operated nationwide by Prime Retail. For more information on Prime Outlets at Gainesville or Prime Retail, visit the company's website at www.primeoutlets.com.

Rep. Hall honored by Medical Association

U.S. Rep. Ralph Hall of Rockwall has been honored with a *Patient Protector* Award by the Texas Medical Association.

Rep. Hall was honored by physicians at the Association's Fall Leadership Conference in September in Austin. The award is presented to lawmakers who advocate for patients' rights in the legislative arena.

"Rep. Hall's steadfast loyalty to the principles of patient protection during the recent congressional debate over managed care reforms makes

him a member of an exclusive group of legislators who have endured relentless pressure and personal attacks in the course of public debate on these vital issues," Robert W. Sloane, Jr., M.D., chair of Texas Medical Association's Council on Legislation, said.

Other Texas congressmen honored with the award were U.S. Reps. Charles Stenholm of Abilene; Max Sandlin of Marshall; Henry Bonilla of San Antonio; Ron Paul of Surfside; Jim Turner of Crockett; and Ken Brady of The Woodlands.

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agriculture and tourism as its major economic components. It is first in Florida in production of tomatoes with \$114.7 million in annual gross revenues, 10th in citrus with \$33.5 million in annual revenues, and fifth in production of bell peppers, with an annual crop value of \$10.2 million. Overall agriculture contributes \$235.3 million to the county's economy.

As Editorial Page editor of the county's local newspaper, the *Bradenton Herald*, Klement wrote editorials that helped readers understand the threat posed by the Medfly and defended use of the most effective method of dealing with the insect, aerial spraying of the pesticide Malathion. Most of the urban area of Manatee County, with a population of more than 200,000, underwent two separate nighttime sprayings of Malathion by specially equipped planes flying computer-directed courses to ensure maximum spray coverage. The operation, supervised by federal, state and local agriculture officials, generated much controversy as environmentalists and chemically-sensitive residents organized to protest the spraying despite scientific assurances that the level of Malathion concentration used was safe for human and pets.

Klement's editorials addressed the economic damage of allowing the Medfly infestation to spread and the scientific data that validated its safety and effectiveness. He concluded that, except for a handful of residents with chronic chemical allergies who were offered free lodging in a neighboring county, the

benefits of swift eradication constituted a justifiable tradeoff that residents need not fear and should accept as the price a healthy economy and affordable produce. His editorials were based on interviews with the State Agriculture Commissioner, local Extension Service staffers, residents and his own personal experience. Ironically, the origin of the Medfly outbreak was only about 10 blocks from Klement's home in Bradenton, and the orange tree in his front yard was one of many in which traps were hung to catch random flies and measure the success of the eradication effort.

Manatee County tomato growers had to dump most of their spring crop into the county landfill, at a cost of tens of thousands of dollars. Citrus growers fared somewhat better, as a majority of their winter crop had already been harvested when the fly first appeared, but late-maturing citrus had to be dumped as well. The eradication effort proved to be successful, however. The county was declared Medfly-free in October.

In accepting the award, Klement paid tribute to the insights gained from his late father, who ran a dairy northeast of Muenster for over 50 years and which is still operated today by his sister and brother-in-law, Sug and Harold Bindel. Though he did not choose to follow his father in the farming business, Klement said, he never forgot the importance of its role in providing America's abundance or the work ethic that farming instills in its practitioners.

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Golden wedding observed by Ottos Nov. 15

by Elfreda Fette

Earle and Jewel Marie Otto observed their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 15, 1998 by hosting a noon meal in Sacred Heart Community Center and an Open House from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

They were married on Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1948 in a solemn Nuptial Mass in Sacred Heart Church officiated by Father Herman Laux OSB at 8:30 a.m. following the custom at that time.

Earle is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Otto and Jewel is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hoffman.

Their family consists of a daughter, Elaine, son-in-law Bob Bruns and two grandsons Brandon Bruns and Blake Bruns. Elaine is a first grade teacher at Wallace Etheridge Elementary School in Garland, Bob is a partner with Ernst and Young in Dallas; Brandon is a senior at the University of Texas in Austin and Blake is a senior at Naaman Forrest High School in Garland. The family resides in Garland.

The noon meal on Sunday was catered by Rohmer's Restaurant.

After dinner, Bob Bruns presented a brief, humorous review of fond memories of the couple, including their first meeting on October 12, 1944, through their courtship, and special events in their life during their 50 year marriage. He concluded with a toast to the honor couple, and then introduced his sons Brandon and Blake, who gave touching remarks expressing their special relationships with their grandparents.

Background music during

the meal and for dancing throughout the afternoon was presented by the Gary Lee Orchestra of Dallas, playing mostly music from the forties.

The three-tiered all ivory anniversary cake was accented with ivory and gold flowers and ribbon between layers, and held a gold keepsake 50th ornament amid ivory flowers. The cake table also held a crystal punch bowl and silver coffee service, also gold candles and an arrangement of fresh flowers. Highlighting the wall behind the cake table was a lighted, tulle-draped wide curtain, with lighted ficus trees. Wine was served from a fountain placed on a gold and ivory decorated table. The anniversary cake was served by Jewel's nieces and nephew, Marco and Monica Cerilli, David and Kristen Hoffman, and Travis Platt.

Guest tables were covered with ivory cloths, and held a mirrored three-tier lighted candelabra with a gold angel surrounded by fresh magnolia leaves sprinkled with gold angel dust. Lighted votives and ivy were placed at each end of the centered gold ribbon.

A special table displayed pictures from the couple's wedding day; and a background lattice held enlarged photos and pictures from 1944 to 1998.

The golden anniversary bride attended the celebration wearing a formal two-piece purple silk dress with beaded neckline and matching shoes.

The entrance to the reception area was decorated with white pillars holding ivy baskets draped in tulle; and a large topiary tree with ivory roses on a lace covered table.

Guests registered at a round lace-covered table which held a framed wedding invitation; there also were twelve yellow roses in a tall vase.

Centered in the reception area was a large table skirted in ivory and gold with a five-tiered lighted candelabra in a tall arrangement of ivory flowers. Hors d'oeuvres, cheeses, and a bountiful assortment of pick up foods were served throughout the afternoon, catered by Rohmer's Restaurant.

Decorations were created by The Scheids.

Throughout the afternoon guests reminisced, delighted in meeting old friends and recalled the Ottos wedding day. Many remembered the elegant white satin wedding gown Jewel wore, designed with a formal train. Her illusion veil was attached to a crown of starched lace. She carried a white gardenia with stephanotis atop a white mother-of-pearl prayer book.

Attendants were Helen Weber of Wichita Falls as maid of honor, wearing bronze faille taffeta and carrying bronze colored mums; and the bride's sister Gladys Ann (Hoffman) Mayer, as bridesmaid, wearing forest green faille taffeta and carrying yellow mums. Rody Klement was best man, William Hertel of Munday was groomsman, J.P. Flusche and the bride's brother Allen Hoffman were ushers. Included in the festivities was a wedding brunch for 40 guests, an informal afternoon reception, a buffet supper for 200 guests, and a dance in the evening.

Numerous relatives and friends attended the golden

anniversary celebration from the local area, Muenster, Lindsay and Gainesville. Guests who came from a distance included: Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Hoffman of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayer of Pilot Point, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bussey, Flower Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Marco Cerilli, Marco, Monica and Mia of Flower Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hoffman of Venus, Greg Hoffman of Venus, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hoffman, David and Kristen of Benbrook, Cindy Platt, Travis and Alaina of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bruns and Blake of Garland, Brandon Bruns of Austin, Mrs. Dolly Gilley of Dallas, Gretchen Kostyniak of Fort Worth, Mrs. LaVerne Elliott of Canton.

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Jewel Marie and Earle Otto

Commission announces republishing of book

The Sesquicentennial Commission is having A. Morton Smith's book, "The First Hundred Years of Cooke County", republished. Copies are on sale and order forms can be picked up and filled out at the Muenster Chamber of Commerce, the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce, First State Bank, and Morton Museum. For \$25 plus \$3 shipping and handling you can own this book. This book is a must for every home, business, and school. It would make a perfect holiday gift and remembrance.

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YEARS AGO ...

10 YEARS AGO June 17, 1988

Attendance at Germanfest 1988 is estimated at 52,000 over the three day festival - up slightly from the year before, but gross revenues down about \$5,000. Public meeting set for July 26 to discuss the Red River Bridge project - meeting will be held in Saint Jo.

Muenster Jaycees will hold 26th annual banquet, installation ceremony, awards and announcement to honor City's Outstanding Citizen. Muenster's AMPI Plant, designed to make cheese from 30 million pounds of milk a month, is in process of expanding its capabilities. Obituary: Frank J. Walterscheid dies in Hereford. Wedding: Laura Kay Griffin marries Bart Wayne Pope. Golden Wedding: Stan and Rosabel Yosten observe 50th wedding anniversary. New

Arrivals: a daughter, Jennifer Dossia Endres to Jack and Mary Endres; a daughter Kimberly Kaye Bloedel to Dana and Pam Bloedel.

50 YEARS AGO June 25, 1948

Fire about 10:30 a.m. on June 17 destroys new car, new garage and several hundred dollars worth of equipment at Al Trubench home. Cooke County Dairy Herd Improvement Association ranks first among counties in average production of milk per cow, and second in average amount of butterfat per cow. Area gets 1.63 inch rain for lift to pastures and row crop. Obituary: Mrs. Mary Schad, 68, Lindsay pioneer dies there. Ancient model pipe organ traded in on purchase of new electric organ by Sacred Heart Church.

In the Service

Marine Sgt. Darren L. Montgomery, son of H. Clay and Donna Montgomery of Route 7, Lake Kiowa, recently had the opportunity to participate in a beach clean-up project while stationed in Okinawa, Japan, with 2nd Battalion, 8th Marines, as part of the Unit Deployment Program (UDP).

Volunteers from Montgomery's unit spent a day cleaning debris from the mile-long Koki Beach area with help from Okinawan businessmen of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Corporation.

The project was part of an ongoing community-minded relationship between

Okinawan citizens and Marine volunteers stationed there, who also participated in Earth Citizens Day, a Japanese national holiday, as well as a painting and maintenance project at the Airakuen Leprosarium on nearby Yagaji Island.

UDP units based in the United States come to Okinawa for six months to train. From Okinawa, Montgomery's unit can deploy to mainland Japan, Korea and many other Pacific countries.

The 1992 graduate of Valley View High School of Valley View, joined the Marine Corps in May 1995.

VFW Auxiliary #6205 meets

The November 16 meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to VFW #6205 conducted by President Frances Bayer had a full agenda. The reading of the minutes was read by Secretary, Mary Lee Hennigan and the Treasurer report was given by Agnes Hesse, pro-tem for treasurer Lucille Hesse.

Reports were given by Ethel Hesse, Hospital, Rehab, and Community Activities chairman. She reported that Frances Bayer and Ethel Hennigan made a visit and delivered a donation of clothing and gift items from the Auxiliary to the Bonham VA Hospital and Rehabilitation Center. Linda Knabe, conductress gave a report of praise on the Veterans Day programs and all the participation especially of the Sacred Heart School children.

Dorothy Hesse, Voice of Democracy chairman, gave a report on the progress of the Speech-Essay "My Service to America," winners which have been sent to District. First place at Sacred Heart School is Glenn Gleason of Sherman and first at Muenster ISD is Eric Fisher of Muenster. She also reported on the progress of the youth essay "What Freedom

Means To Me."

Reports were also given on the VFW District One Meeting on November 8 in Denton. Attending from Muenster Auxiliary and VFW were President Frances Bayer, Conductress Linda Knabe, VFW Commander Johnny Rohmer, Sr. Vice Arthur Bayer, and Quartermaster Don Eckart. A report was also given on the success of the Bake Sale for Cancer Aid and Research. Membership chairman, Mary Lee Hennigan, reminded everyone "Dues are due now."

New Business included the decision to again sponsor the fund-raiser "In Lieu of Christmas Cards." The Children's Christmas party with Santa was set for December 5 at 9:30 a.m. All VFW members, auxiliary, their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren are welcome to attend.

The Ladies Auxiliary also decided to meet a week early in December in order to have a joint Christmas social with the men. The date of the December meeting is Monday, December 14 at 8 p.m. at the post home. The Ladies are asked to bring a covered dish.

Katherine Luttmmer celebrates birthday!

Katherine Louise Luttmmer celebrated her first birthday party with her parents, Linda and Bob Luttmmer, her brothers and sisters; her aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. The party, held at Muenster City Park, was themed "Winnie the Pooh." Two special birthday cakes

were made for "Katie." Her big sister, Julie made one following the "Winnie the Pooh" theme. Another was made by her maternal grandmother. Katherine Louise Luttmmer is the granddaughter of Emma Lou Hess of Muenster and Helen Luttmmer of Lindsay.

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Joe P. & Marie Fuhrmann celebrate golden anniversary Nov. 15

by Elfreda Fette
In observance of their golden wedding, and surrounded by their children, spouses, and grandchildren, Joe Paul and Marie Fuhrmann of Lindsay, celebrated by attending a Mass Thanksgiving for 50 years together, in St. Peter's Church Lindsay on Sunday November 15, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. The anniversary Mass is offered by Father Eugene Luke, OSB, pastor. They were vored by the attendance of any fellow parishioners, and accompanied by the presence of their original maid of honor and best man, Theresa (Fuhrmann) Uchton and Joe Schmidkofer. The day was a typical autumn day, with early morning mist and late afternoon sunshine, all in contrast to the very dry, very windy conditions of their wedding day, November 17, 1948.

On Sunday, November 15, the extended family, children, spouses, grandchildren and original wedding attendants gathered for noon dinner upstairs at The Center Restaurant, joined by special guests Father Eugene Luke OSB, Viola Schmidkofer and Tammie Lively. Joe P. and Marie Fuhrmann's family includes Norbert and Albert Fuhrmann of Greenville; Rita Lusk and Patrick and Cathy of Lindsay; Paul, Edward, Andrew and Leonard Fuhrmann of Lindsay; Jane and Michael Otto and Jennifer, Christina, and Joe of Lindsay; Pete and Marian Fuhrmann and William and Matthew of Wylie; Alice and Chuck Schumacher and Kimberly and Jason of Lindsay; Lucy and Damian Krahl and Lucinda and Travis of Gainesville. The Fuhrmanns



Marie and Joe P. Fuhrmann

have the distinction of having the 95 year old mother of Marie (Catherine Schmidkofer) still living at St. Richard's Villa. Not many goldenweds have that generation still alive and well. Joe Fuhrmann is the son of the late Willie and Maggie Fuhrmann and Marie is the daughter of Catherine Schmidkofer and the late John Schmidkofer. Recalled frequently in conversations during the anniversary dinner was the dry, windy weather the wedding day; the breakfast served after Mass, at the bride's parents' home, where a dinner was also served at noon; and an evening reception there, followed by a dance at the Lindsay Gun Club. The bride wore a blue suit and hat, and carried a gardenia on her

mother's German prayer book. The bridesmaid wore a gray suit and had a carnation corsage. Their wedding trip took them first to Subiaco to visit Joe's brothers and cousins; then to Port Arthur and Galveston. They have lived on their present farm north of Lindsay for the past 40 years where they farmed and raised registered Limousin cattle. Her special hobbies are quilting, quilt shows, quilt books, and embroidery. His special hobbies are tending his pecan trees; fishing; picking wild grapes and providing them to Marie for jelly making; and never missing a Notre Dame football game on TV. He is well-versed in their standing, scores, players and traditions, etc.

Auxiliary #6205 sponsors "In Lieu of Christmas Cards"

The annual "In Lieu of Christmas Cards" will again be sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary to Muenster VFW 6205. "In Lieu of Christmas Cards" is an opportunity for the members of the community to help the Auxiliary provide aid to the ill and distressed persons of the community. By making a monetary donation of \$10.00 or more, the name of the donor will appear on a holiday card ad in the Muenster Enterprise and the extra monies earned from the donation will be put in the Auxiliary's local relief fund to help those who are in need. Please remember when making

your donation, the price of the ad, the cost and number of Christmas cards you would send, and the monies spent on stamps. Please send your listing of how you wish your name to appear on the ad with the amount of your donation - checks payable to "Ladies Auxiliary to VFW #6205," to chairperson, Frances Bayer, Rt. 1 Box 1, Muenster, Texas 76252 or chairperson Juanita Knabe, 520 N. Walnut, Muenster, Texas 76252. Deadline for placing in the Christmas paper is Dec. 14, 1998.

Pneumococcal vaccinations can prevent illness or death

Every year, more than half a million people in the U.S. get pneumonia, and 40,000 die of pneumococcal disease. People with low resistance are especially at risk for these deadly infections, at least half of which can be prevented by a simple, safe vaccine. But only 43% of Texans over 65 years old needing vaccination have taken advantage of this protection.

Those who should also receive the vaccine are:
• Anyone over 2 years of age who has a long-term health problem such as heart disease, sickle cell disease, alcoholism, lung disease, diabetes, cirrhosis, or leaks of cerebrospinal fluid.

"Many who die from pneumococcal disease have not been vaccinated and simply do not know about the protection it offers," said William R. Archer, MD, Texas Commissioner of Health. "I urge everyone who is 65 or older or who has certain health problems to get this safe vaccination. Be sure to discuss this with your doctor."

• Anyone over 2 years of age who has a disease or condition that lowers the body's resistance to infections, such as Hodgkins disease, kidney failure, nephrotic syndrome, damaged spleen or no spleen, lymphoma, leukemia, multiple myeloma, HIV infection or AIDS, or organ transplant.

The Texas Department of Health (TDH) recommends that those who are 65 or older or have diabetes, heart or lung disease talk with their health care provider about the "pneumonia shot." The pneumococcal vaccination, offers protection against the deadly effect of pneumonia and its complications. TDH is working in partnership with other agencies to ensure the availability and accessibility of the vaccine to the public.

• Anyone over 2 years of age who is taking any drug or treatment that lowers the body's resistance to infections, such as long term steroids, radiation therapy, or certain cancer drugs.

Pneumococcal disease can lead to serious infections of the lungs (Pneumonia), the blood (bacteremia), and the covering of the brain (meningitis). About 1 out of every 20 people who get pneumococcal pneumonia dies from it, as do about 2 out of 10 people who get bacteremia, and 3 out of 10 who get meningitis. People with special health problems are even more likely to die from the disease. Drugs such as penicillin were once effective in treating these infections, but the disease has become more resistant to these drugs, making treatment of pneumococcal infections more difficult. This makes prevention of the disease through vaccination even more important.

Usually one dose of the vaccine is all that is needed. However, a second dose is recommended for those 65 and older who got their first dose when they were under 65 or if 5 or more years have passed since that dose. A second dose is also recommended for people who have a damaged spleen or no spleen, sickle-cell disease, HIV infection or AIDS, cancer, leukemia, lymphoma multiple myeloma, kidney failure, nephrotic syndrome, had an organ or bone marrow transplant, or are taking medications that lowers immunity (such as chemotherapy or long-term steroids). Children 10 years old and younger may get this second dose 3 years after the first dose. Those older than 10 should receive the second dose 5 years after the first dose.

Area Happenings

Christmas...Listen with your heart!
The First Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra of Gainesville will open the Christmas season on December 6 at 7 p.m. with their 1998 Christmas musical "Christmas...Listen with your heart." There is no charge for the concert. A nursery will be provided for children 3 years old and younger. For more information, call 940-665-4347.

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Pagel twins turn 6 on Nov. 7

Kelsey and Derek Pagel, Renate and Jacob Pagel's twins, celebrated their sixth birthday with two parties. A pizza party was held in conjunction with a field trip to The Center Restaurant for both Mrs. Ledbetter's Kindergarten and Mrs. Davis' Kindergarten classes on Thursday, November 5. After pizza, Kelsey and Derek shared homemade cookies with their classmates. On their actual birthday, November 7, Kelsey and Derek entertained friends and family upstairs at The Center. Kelsey's Barbie-car cake and Derek's Hot-Wheels-car cake



Kelsey Pagel



Derek Pagel

were both baked and decorated by their mother.

Sharing in the twins' big day were their parents, Renate and Jacob; their sister Miranda and brother Collin; grandparents Pat and Tommie Sue Hess; great-grandmother Leona Hamilton; friends Jill Reiter and Dustin Wimmer.

Also attending were several aunts, uncles and cousins: Rodney and Cindy Hess; Stuart Hess; Garrett Miller; Denise and Nicole Pagel; Marlene, Kelly, and Sandy Endres; and Sharlene, Shannon, and Dainah Hartman.

St. Anne's Society meets

The St. Anne's Society met in the Sacred Heart Community Center Snap Room on November 1 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting opened with prayer. Brenda Flusche read the minutes and Tillie Otto read the treasurer's report. Both the minutes and treasurer's report were approved.

It was also decided to continue to give donations to EWTN on a monthly basis until the end of the year and was considered to send Sr. Robert Hesse more money. It was also discussed and agreed upon to sell chances for a quilt at Fischer's Meat Market on the weekend of Christkindmarkt, November 27 and 28. Chances will also be

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Cub Scouts Pack #664 hold Turkey Shoot Nov. 15

Cub Scout Pack 664 held its annual turkey shoot Sunday, November 15 at the VFW Hall. It was a fun and educational day for the scouts. Safety, of course, was foremost. Shirley Knabe supervised the event and discussed fire arm safety with the boys before they were allowed to shoot. An adult was assigned to each boy for guidance and safety. The scouts were allowed to shoot BBs at two targets. The high score out of each den received a turkey as a prize. While the boys waited for their turn to shoot, they played games and enjoyed refreshments inside the hall. The winners of the washer toss game received dressing mix and the winners of the Velcro ball throw received pies. The pack wishes to thank Mrs. Knabe and all the volunteers who made the event possible.

Other awards given were: Den 5 Tiger Cubs - Pierce Morrill, Scott Endres, Christopher Valliere, Steven Valliere, Jacob Bayer, Ryan Henscheid, Chad Henscheid, and Tyler Pagel each received a turkey shoot patch and tiger paw #15.
Den 4 Tiger Cubs - Ashton Barrett, Dustin Pumphrey, Jeremy Lutkenhaus, J.D. Tankersley, and Bryce Frazier each received a turkey shoot patch and tiger paws #5, 7, and 9. Zachary Moritz received tiger paws #5, 7, and 9.
Den 3 Wolves - Brandon Bindel, John Rohmer, Paul

Crabtree, Kirk Felderhoff, Seth Pierce, Mitchell Hesse, Josh Sicking, Ryan Bartush, Dillon Haverkamp, and Allen Fette each received a turkey shoot patch. In addition, Brandon Bindel and Josh Sicking received soccer, swimming, BB shooting, and archery beltloops and summertime activity pins. John Rohmer and Ryan Bartush received swimming, BB shooting, and archery beltloops and summertime activity pins. Paul Crabtree received swimming, BB shooting, and archery beltloops, and a student of the month pin. Kirk Felderhoff, Seth Pierce, and Mitchell Hesse received swimming, BB shooting, and archery beltloops.

Den 1 Webelos - Matthew Abney received a turkey shoot patch, and readyman, outdoorsman, traveler, and family member activity pins and an overnighter patch. Brad Endres and Chad Endres each received a turkey shoot patch, and a readyman, outdoorsman, and naturalist activity pins and an overnighter patch. Evan Koessler received a turkey shoot patch, a soccer beltloop, and sportsman, readyman, and outdoorsman activity pins, and an overnighter patch. Michael Valliere received a turkey shoot patch, a soccer beltloop, a sportsman, readyman, outdoorsman, and artist activity pins and an overnighter patch. Kyle Caldwell and Joseph Cowden each received a turkey shoot patch, readyman and outdoorsman activity pins and an overnighter patch.

The pack also welcomes Bear Braden Frazier, who was accidentally not listed as a new member.



Winners of Turkey Shoot and Games, from left front, Jeremy Lutkenhaus, Jacob Bayer, Ryan Bartush, Michael Valliere, John Rohmer; Back, Steven Valliere, Bryce Frazier, Scott Endres, John Cowden, Dillon Haverkamp, Kyle Caldwell, Matthew Abney, Braden Frazier, and Cubmaster Ben Bindel.

MISD scores on AEIS report

by Steve Cooper

Muenster ISD has received its yearly AEIS (Academic Excellence Indicator System) report from the Texas Education Agency. This is an annual report on the district's performance in many different areas. The report is available to the public at the following locations: each campus principal's office, the administration office, MISD library, and a copy is given to the local newspaper.

Highlights of the report include TAAS scores which show MISD scoring higher in each grade tested than the state and regional groups. A new area of comparison in the academic report is called the TAAS/TASP Equivalency (this area gives a predictor of student success in taking the college TASP test - students not passing the TASP have to take remedial classes in college before they can take regular course work). MISD students scored 94.1% in this area, while the state and regional averages were 42.4% and 46.1%. This means that 94.1% of the students from MISD have an

excellent chance of passing the college TASP. Finally, the academic portion of the report confirms the exemplary status of the elementary school, middle school, and high school for the 1997-98 school year.

In the financial section of the report, Muenster's average wealth per pupil is \$189,792. The state's average wealth per pupil is \$182,154. This makes Muenster an above average wealth school district, which is important, because it impacts the districts level and degree of state funding. Above average wealth districts get less state money than lower wealth districts.

MISD's tax rate for 1997-98 was \$1.173 while the state average was \$1.497. MISD's instructional expenditure per pupil was \$2925 and the state average was \$2958. MISD continues to perform at a very high level of efficiency as student performance remains exemplary and instructional costs are low. This all translates, once again, to an excellent return on the taxpayers investment.

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Paw Prints

First Grade's "Got Skills"

The first grade has settled down into the routine of school. They are slowly but surely plugging away at all the skills that help them make it through life at a successful level.

One thing the first graders are learning about is their own bodies. They just learned about their skeleton. When this reporter asked how many bones were in the human body, he was given a slow, but enthusiastic "206". The first graders have been working on improving their math skills with adding of the numbers one through 10.

Another skill they have just learned about and will continue to have trouble with all the way through elementary and junior high, is spelling. Some of them will pick it up quick as a whistle, others will have a harder time understanding. That is just the way it is with spelling. A person either gets it or they don't.

In Mrs. Bayer's art class, the first graders have begun work on making stained glass windows to make their classroom beautiful for the

holiday season. They also performed a charitable act last Thursday for the patrons at the St. Richard's Villa Rest Home. They sang about 10 Halloween songs. The latest thing the first grade learned was the safety rules for a safe trick-or-treating. Surely every first grader followed all these rules and all had a safe Halloween.

The first graders are busy making their classroom beautiful or making the elderly feel great about themselves. Not only are they making the world a little more beautiful, but are pleased with their work. In addition to having fun they are enjoying their learning experiences.

Sacred Heart's Third Grade

Beginning the second quarter of school the third grade has made a great start. The third graders are under the direction of Ms. Ashley. They are learning how to make the world a better place. In science, they are learning about insects. They participated in Red Ribbon Week. The third grade learned that "Drug free is the way to be".

The third graders are making a difference in the world by trying to help the south Texas flood victims. They have involved the whole school in this project. The project was collecting clothing, canned foods, and bottled water. They are learning that the way to change the world is to work together.

They are studying insects by doing reports on the different insects that they have collected. They are also learning how to display the insects in their classroom. Their classroom bulletin board is covered in the students' reports and pictures of the many insects that they have studied.

During the week of Oct. 26-30, along with the rest of the students at Sacred Heart, the third grade participated in Red Ribbon Week. During the week, to show that they were drug free, they wore red ribbons. They listened to a talk about how drugs will ruin a person's life. The talk was given by one of Sacred Heart's seniors, Russell Fette.

With many weeks left in the second quarter, the third grade has time to do much more.

Years Ago

30 YEARS AGO
June 14, 1968

Robert Bayer is named Democratic nominee for Precinct 4 Commissioner on the ballot for the general election in November. Father Paul Hoedebeck will observe his silver jubilee as a priest on Saturday and Sunday, in his hometown. Obituary: Ed Pautler dies at age 58. Good drying weather allows combines to re-enter harvest fields. Martin Klement is elected new Grand Knight of Muenster Knights of Columbus. Gene Hartman is new Grand Knight of Denton Knights of Columbus. Graduates of Subiaco Academy are Mike Stoffels, Glenn Trachta and Norbert Fuhrmann. Wedding: Sharlene Wimmer and Duwayne Schilling are married in Sacred Heart Church. New Arrivals: a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sandmann; a son for Mr. and Mrs. James Krahl; a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sandmann; a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Manola Pena (who are close friends of the Antomietis).

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Sports

Muenster loses heartbreaker to Detroit

The 1998 Muenster Hornet football season came to a close Friday as they lost the regional quarter final contest to the Detroit Eagles 41-21 at Bonham.

The loss came after a 4-1 district record with their only loss to the district champion Era Hornets.

"It was a great season," said Coach Randy Tankersley. "I'm very proud of the team effort from first game to last game. I really hated to see the season end."

Darren Hennigan took the opening kick, returning it 19 yards to the Hornet 37 yard line. Runs by Jesse Luke, Brent Sicking and Bryan Miller took Muenster into Eagle territory. A Luke to Craig Hartman pass picked up 16 yards to the 28. Miller ran three for 11 yards, Sicking twice for 15, with Bryan Miller scoring on a 2 yard run. Nick Silmon kicked the point after to give Muenster a 7-0 lead with 6:16 on the clock.

An on-side kick gave Detroit the ball at midfield. Three pass plays later, Darren Hennigan picked off an Eagle pass on Muenster's 34 yard line. The Hornet offense gained only a yard and punted. A high snap over the punter's head gave Detroit possession on Muenster's 33 yard line. Three Larry Harris runs later, he scored on a 7 yard run. The kick tied the game 7-7 with 3:12 remaining in the first quarter.

It was three runs and punt for Muenster, putting the Eagles on their own 30 yard line. Four Harris runs and Detroit scored on a 25 yard run. With 10:48 on the 2nd quarter clock, Detroit took a 14-7 lead after the PAT kick.

Muenster fought back. Miller and Sicking ran for 12 yards and Sicking caught a Luke pass for another 13 to the Eagle 36. A face-mask flag gained 5, then three plays later a Bryan Miller half-back pass to Darren Hennigan was good for a touchdown. The extra kick was blocked for a 13-14 score with 6:30 remaining in the first half.

Detroit's Harris ran a few more plays, then other Eagles ran a couple to get Detroit to the 11 yard line. Harris then ran the ball into the end zone. The kick failed and with 1:16 still on the clock, Muenster trailed 20-13.

The Hornets took the kick on their 33 yard line. Three plays later, Jesse Luke found Casey Walterscheid in the clear down field, for a 68 yard touchdown pass. With 40 seconds on the clock, a Luke to Sicking pass on the points after gave Muenster a 21-20 lead at half-time.

The Eagles came out the 3rd quarter flying high. Six of 8 runs were Larry Harris picking up 48 yards. Penalties backed up the Eagles momentarily, but a 43 yard pass took Detroit to the one yard line. Another penalty, then a touchdown pass from Brett Shelby to Cedric Patt. Harris ran for two and the Eagles took a 28-21 lead with 5:07 remaining on the clock.

Muenster's runners gained 13 yards in 4 plays and a Luke to Josh Luke pass picked up another 10. But at midfield a fumbled ball was covered by the Eagles.

Detroit's offense struggled and got frustrated with two holding flags and a delay of game, putting them in a fourth and 31 as the final quarter began. The punt put the Hornets on their 35 yard line.

Jesse Luke picked up 14 yards in two runs with Sicking getting 5 more before the Eagles intercepted a Muenster pass. Harris ran 6 of 7 plays for 59 yards to the two yard line. Muenster's goal line defense held the run for 3 plays, but the Eagles scored on 4th down on a Pratt from Shelby pass. The kick failed and Muenster fell behind 34-21 with 3 minutes remaining in the game.

Muenster began their next offensive possession on the 13 yard line. Three incomplete passes were followed by an interception. The next play was another Detroit touchdown on a 3 yard run. With 2:15 left in the game, the Eagles took a commanding 41-21 lead.

Muenster came close to scoring, but the pass fell incomplete as time ticked off the clock to end the Hornet football season.

"The kids played a super game against Detroit. Our only downfall was too many missed tackles," commented Coach Tankersley, who noted offensive standouts Jesse Luke, Casey Walterscheid, and Darren Hennigan. On the defensive side of the ball, Aaron Klement, Angel



Nick Silmon (75) and Matt York (63) attempt to clear the way for Brent Sicking (40) in Muenster's playoff game against Detroit. After a close

three quarters, the Eagles took the regional quarter finalist title, defeating the Hornets 41-21. Photo by Janie Hartman

Hernandez, Craig Hartman, and Matt York were standouts.

M	7	14	0	0	21
D	7	13	8	13	41

TEAM STATS

M	D
11	22
31/99	43/347
142	31
6/18/2	5/10/1
1/33	1/26
1/1	1/0
2/25	11/80

RUSHERS: Bryan Miller 14-40, Brent Sicking 11/38; Larry Harris 29/246. TURNOVERS: Darren Hennigan.



Texas Wildlife

by Thompson Temple

Aging bucks "on hoof"

Many hunters going hunting this season may find it interesting to try to figure out how old a buck is by looking at him. The buck in the photo with this article is a 2 1/2 year old 10 point deer. We know this for sure because he has an ear tag that was put in when he was about four months old.

I made a mistake when I said that deer in the wild could have ear tags. I was reading the new laws for 1998 and I saw where the law had been changed for the release of pen raised deer. The tag now has to be removed. Sorry.

Well back to aging deer "on the hoof". The buck in the photo has a pretty straight back, a flat stomach, and a young looking face. This is really a great buck to have 10 points on his second rack!

The Lord worked things out so that fawns are frequently

Tigerettes win Saint Jo Tourney

The Sacred Heart Tigerettes improved their basketball record to 5-0 after taking three wins last weekend at the Saint Jo Tournament and earning the tournament championship.

Kayla Felderhoff was named MVP, collecting 66 points in the tournament. Leah Rigler was named to the all-tournament team.

First round action saw the Tigerettes jump into an early lead over Goldburg and dominate the game to a 62-26 victory.

Felderhoff put 24 of the Tigerette points on the scoreboard. Sarah Hess added 8, Rigler and Deann Felderhoff 7 apiece and Jennifer Hess 6. Joanna Gehrig scored 5, Andrea Barnhill 3 and Holly Hartman 2. Sarah Hess led Sacred Heart with 10

rebounds. Gehrig is credited for 10 steals and 10 assists.

Going up the winners bracket, the Tigerettes second game was with Petrolia. "This was a good test for us and the girls really responded," said Coach Jon LeBrasseur.

Felderhoff led with 25 points. Anne Flusche put in 10, Joanna Gehrig 9 points with 9 assists and 10 steals. Rigler added 8 points, Sarah Hess put in 6 and pulled down 14 rebounds, Jenny Hess scored 4 and Hartman 2.

SH	17	13	18	16	64
P	5	7	16	12	40

The Tigerettes met the host Lady Panthers in the championship game Saturday night. "We had a great first quarter," noted Coach Jon. "The defense was excellent." Sacred Heart jumped into a 21-2 lead at the end of the first.

"The girls controlled the boards," continued LeBrasseur, with Sarah Hess and Kayla Felderhoff each pulling down 14 rebounds. Felderhoff and Hess also led in scoring with 17 and 12 points. Jennifer Hess and Rigler each added 6. Gehrig put in 4, Andrea Bauer 3 and Anne Flusche 1.

SH	21	8	15	5	49
SJ	2	6	8	16	32

Tigers compete in Saint Jo Tournament last weekend

The Sacred Heart Tigers competed in the Saint Jo Basketball Tournament last weekend, their opening game against 2A Aubrey. "Pat Miller played excellent defense," noted Coach Tommy Frazier.

Lucien Gehrig pulled down 11 rebounds and had 7 steals for the Tigers. Sacred Heart had difficulty finding the basket, getting only 10 points. Miller scored 4, with Gehrig, Jordan Kohler and Jon Yosten each scoring 2.

SH	2	4	0	4	10
A	14	8	12	17	51

In round two, the Tigers were challenged by the host Saint Jo Panthers, falling 26-49. Gehrig led the Tigers with 9 points, with Matthew Nasche, Yosten and Miller each scoring 4. Russell Fette and Adam Barnhill hit 2 apiece and Jeff Hartman 1. Miller pulled

down 9 rebounds and Gehrig took 7 steals to lead the defense.

Ben Botello led the Panthers with 19 points.

In round three, the Tigers tangled with Goldburg. "We shot the ball better than we did in the previous two games," noted Frazier on Sacred Heart's 40-59 loss.

Gehrig hit 15 points to lead the Tiger scoring. Barnhill added 11, Jon Yosten 7, and Miller 3. Nicholas Yosten put in 2, with Stephen Hofbauer and Jordan Kohler each getting a free throw. Yosten and Gehrig led the defense. Yosten pulled down 13 rebounds and Gehrig had 6 steals.

Skinner of Goldburg burned the boards with 30 points.

SH	7	13	11	9	40
G	10	13	17	19	59

CCYC football news

The Red River Cycle Trails, 5th and 6th Grade Football team, finished the season with a 7-1 record. Their single loss came in the championship game, which kept Red River from advancing to the Super Bowl.

"I am very proud of this team," said Coach James Dunham. "Thanks to all the boys and assistant coaches. We had fun doing what we like doing the best."

Team members from Muenster were - Chase Cain, Derrick Felderhoff, Justin Wolf, Clint Miller, Sean Fuhrmann, Clayton Truelsenbach, and Paul Bartush.

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Stoffels wins season's contest ...

Football Contest ends

After twelve weeks of local football, the *Muenster Enterprise* concludes their annual football contest.

Week 12's first place was awarded to Kelly Bayer, who missed only 8 games. Barbie Barnhill came in 2nd with a score of 30 and Tommy Frazier 3rd, after winning the tie-breaker with a 6 point spread. Also getting 29 were Ted Heers and Mark Grewing.

Carol Grewing and Wayne Klement correctly guessed 28, while Tim Bindel, Dave Reiter, Edgar Dyer, Jon LeBrasseur, Terry Walterscheid, and Peachie Huchton each picked 27 winners.

Everyone correctly picked Era, Oklahoma State, Dallas, UCLA, TCU and Celina.

Only one missed Notre Dame, Jacksboro, and Italy. Low score of the week was 21. Cash prizes for the week were available for pick up at: 1st, Schumacher & Kral CPA; 2nd, Klement Ford of Muenster; 3rd, Brown Motor Company.

With the end of the contest,

the season winners are announced. There was a total of 440 games, after taking out one week for low scores. Correctly picking 337 game winners for a 76.5% score, Mike Stoffels takes the season first place prize of \$100. Guessing 333, at 75.6% was Dave Reiter, winning the \$50 second place prize.

Finishing in third place was Ted Heers, correctly getting 330 games and a 75% score.

Fifteen other contestants qualified for the season contest. They are as follows in order, with correct games and their percentages: Wayne Klement, 329, 74.7%; Kelly Bayer, 328, 74.5%; Barbie Barnhill, 324, 73.6%; John Sandmann, 323, 73.4%; Edgar Dyer, 323, 73.4%; Peachie Huchton, 321, 72.9%; Edna Hermes, 320, 72.7%; Tommy Frazier, 318, 72.2%; Terry Walterscheid, 316, 71.8%; Jon LeBrasseur, 313, 71.1%; Mark Grewing, 313, 71.1%; David Hesse, 301, 68.4%; Tim Bindel 300, 68.1%; Carol Grewing 295, 67%; Steve Bevers, 286, 65%.

Junior High Action

COLLINSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH TOURNAMENT November 21, 1998

SH 7th 34 Collinsville 8
Seven young Lady Cubs scored in this Sacred Heart victory. Courtney Hartman was high scorer with 10 points. Jayna Bille added 8 and Karen Gehrig 6, Cindy Hartman 4 and two each from Amy Trevino, Kate Supanski, and Kimberly Hess.

SH	14	4	16	0	34
C	2	0	2	4	8

SH 7th 30 Collinsville 37
Wesley Wimmer pumped in 19 points for the young Cubs, but Sacred Heart couldn't pull out a win in their tournament opener. Zach Barnhill added 7, with Tony Kuesler and Kevin Walterscheid 2 apiece.

SH	4	12	9	5	30
C	8	16	11	2	37

SH 7th 23 Pilot Point 32
In second round action, the Lady Cubs fell to the Lady Bear Cat Cubs. Jayna Bille led Sacred Heart with 8 points. Karen Gehrig added 7, Courtney Hartman 4, with Amy Trevino and Cindy Hartman each getting 2.

SH	4	3	7	9	23
PP	10	4	10	8	32

SH 8th 34 Collinsville 31
Jana Trushenbach led all scorers with 19 points in the 8th grade tournament opener. Raney Bauer scored 6, with Alicia Cochran, Lilly Nasche, Mary Jane Callahan and Jennifer Hoedebeck each scoring 2 points. Tiffany Richey added a free throw.

SH	14	8	5	7	34
C	4	10	2	15	31

SH 8th 37 Era 49
Mary Jane Callahan and Jennifer Hoedebeck were leading pointmakers for the Lady Cubs with 10 and 9 points. Raney Bauer added 6, Lilly Nasche and Catherine Bartush 4 each, Jana Trushenbach 3 and Crystal Hess 2.

SH	4	15	11	7	37
E	14	13	20	2	49

SH 8th 41 Collinsville 44
The Cubs lost a close contest to Collinsville in game one of 8th grade action. Marty Farrell and Jack Bille were high scorers for the Cubs with 12 and 10 points. Putting in 4 points apiece were Mikey Bayer, Chris Fuhrmann and Michael Voth. Clint Fuhrmann put in 3 points, with Jesse Coker and Thomas Whitecotton each adding 2.

SH	6	5	15	15	41
C	10	15	8	11	44

SH 8th 32 Pilot Point 46
Chris Fuhrmann and Marty Farrell each put in 10 points in the Cubs loss Saturday afternoon. Jack Bille and Michael Voth each added 4 points, while Jesse Coker and Clint Fuhrmann scored 2 apiece.

SH	6	2	14	10	32
PP	8	15	15	8	46

Minimize wildlife consumption of mycotoxins

by Mike Porter
The Noble Foundation

Many people feed wildlife so they can more easily see animals. This is a common purpose of feeding quail, turkey, deer, and backyard songbirds. Some people also feed wildlife to increase the abundance or size of the animals.

Although well meaning, many of these folks are not aware of the potential harm that can be caused by foodstuffs contaminated with mycotoxins, which are toxins produced by fungi. Mycotoxins can be produced in seeds while growing, during handling and storage, and while waiting to be consumed in feeders or on the ground. Many different mycotoxins are produced by several different fungal species. Aflatoxins, produced by *Aspergillus* fungi, are some of the better-understood and common fungal toxins in seeds, but many other mycotoxins also exist. Stress during growth tends to encourage fungal infection, and therefore mycotoxin production. Some examples of stress during growth include drought, insect damage, and overly wet conditions. Moisture in or around seeds while stored, handled, or fed tends to encourage fungal growth and mycotoxin production.

Mycotoxins are known to negatively affect mammals, birds, and fish. Relatively high levels of some mycotoxin cause acute death, while relatively low levels appear to cause no problems. Intermediate levels can cause several relatively insidious effects, such as liver damage, cancer, anemia, tissue necrosis, immune suppression, decreased milk production, decreased egg production, reduced conception, reduced ovulation, poor fetal development, abortion, reduced feed consumption, reduced feed conversion, and gastrointestinal disturbances.

Susceptibility to various mycotoxins differs among species. For example, adult mallards are killed by several levels of aflatoxin that appear to have no effect on adult bobwhite or adult white-tailed deer. However, even bobwhite and deer succumb when aflatoxin levels become high enough. Susceptibility varies with age. Young of most species are generally much more susceptible than adults.

Wildlife probably tend to be less susceptible to mycotoxin poisoning than domesticated animals because wild animals usually consume enough natural foods to dilute any mycotoxins in foods provided by humans. However, due to reduction of natural food caused by drought, wildlife in southern Oklahoma and northern Texas probably will be attracted to and consume feed provided by humans more than usual this fall and winter. To compound the risk, some of the grain produced this year might have higher levels of mycotoxins due to drought related stresses during seed production.

Mature bucks develop big necks!

by Thompson Temple
What causes this? What does it mean? A deer hunter knows! Yes, even some hunters get swollen necks when deer season arrives. Over 250,000 hunters will be pursuing whitetail deer this season. Our annual harvest of deer exceeds 300,000.

This buck is 5 1/2 years old. We know it for sure. You can age a buck with some degree of success by looking at them. This buck is full-bodied in the prime of life. You can look at him and suspect that he is neither too young nor too old! It is fun when you look at deer to try and guess how old they are. You can do it on the does also. You can look at his face and tell it too.

Back to the question at the start. The neck of a buck swells when he works his antlers on trees and bushes. This continual workout cause

his neck muscles to grow and swell. When he goes into combat with other bucks this preparation helps him. A swollen neck generally means that a buck is in the breeding season which is also known as the rut. Big necks also mean that mature bucks may throw caution to the wind to pursue doe that are in heat. Many a big buck has gone against his better judgment and taken a fall in pursuit of a doe. Some of our politicians have done the same!

Excellent September and October rains will spur the breeding season also. A well fed, healthy doe will breed. A skinny, poor one will not. This is one way that the Lord has worked things out to naturally control population numbers. We will have plenty of 1 1/2 year old does breeding for the first time. The bucks will have a full time job this year getting all the does bred!

Deer in the Coastal Bend area near Houston will breed about the first of November and again the first of December. The same is true for East Texas, Central Texas, and North Texas. The deer in South Texas usually wait until mid December to breed and breed again a month later. The reason for this is that does that were bred that did not get pregnant will come into heat 21 days later. This is the reason for two breeding times.



TEXOMA: Water fairly clear, 70 degrees; 6' low; Black bass are fair on Zara Spooks and white buzzbaits fished early. Crappie are slow. White bass are good on chrome, white and chartreuse slabs and jigs fished under the birds. Striped bass to 11 pounds are good on Pencil Poppers fished off the main lake points near drop-offs. Channel and blue catfish to 42 pounds are good on cut shad fished in the deep waters (40 to 55 feet).

RAY ROBERTS: Water fairly clear; 72 degrees; 3' low. Black bass are good on white/chartreuse spinnerbaits fished along the drop-offs and grass lines. Also try a light Carolina-rigged worm pitched in the grass. Crappie are good on minnows fished near standing timber. White bass are fair on 1/2 oz. chrome spoons fished off the main lake points.

Texas Game Warden field notes

In the course of duty, game wardens at times face harrowing situations such as confronting armed subjects who may have previous criminal histories. Heartbreaking scenarios are also part of the job - for example, searching for a young drowning victim. And there are times when game wardens are placed in harm's way, such as facing dangerous flooding situations head-on to evacuate stranded residents.

Fortunately, there are a few light moments and interesting stories which game wardens just love to share.

Before the opening of dove season, a Starr County warden heard some shots while on patrol one afternoon. Upon investigating the site, he came upon three men who claimed to have been rabbit hunting. When the warden asked the men about the dove feathers in their hair, they confessed to hunting dove and were issued citations.

In early September, a Taylor County warden received a call from a concerned citizen reporting road hunting. The caller described a vehicle as driving back and forth down the road with two guns sticking out of the window. When the

warden arrived, he found the vehicle on private property with a hoe and a rake sticking out of the window, and no evidence of road hunting.

On August 31, a warden in Wichita County cited a dove hunter for hunting out of season. The hunter had killed 10 doves and had no license. In arguing with the warden the hunter maintained, "But my watch says September first!"

An Upshur County warden attempted to pull over a DWI suspect who had run several cars off the road. The suspect at first refused to pull over then finally pulled into a gas station where officers had to physically remove him from the vehicle. The warden then had to control a crowd of angry motorists who had witnessed the events and wanted to whip the suspect for endangering other motorists. On top of it all the suspect was wearing a MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Drivers) t-shirt.

A Bexar County warden investigated a complaint from a citizen who saw a white-tailed deer wearing a dog collar. The deer was tied up in the back yard at a house in downtown San Antonio. The warden took custody of the deer pending further investigation.

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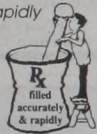
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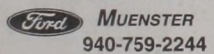
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Darren Hennigan (34) has a close encounter with the Detroit quarterback Brett Shelby near the Hornet goal line. Dave Fette Photo



Muenster quarterback Jesse Luke is given plenty of time to complete a pass for 2 extra points. Blockers include Craig Hartman and Chad Felderhoff. Photo by Janie Hartman



Nick Silmon was able to punt the ball away, after a high snap almost lost more yardage for their team. Photo by Janie Hartman



Muenster Coach Randy Tankersly tells the players and fans how proud he is of the Hornets and their performance after the playoff game against Detroit. Photo by Dave Fette

1998 Muenster Hornets Varsity Football Schedule

We	Day	Opponent	Time	Score
14	Sep. 4	Nocona	T 7:30	20
6	Sep. 11	Paradise	T 7:30	31
0	Sep. 18	Lindsay	H 7:30	34
21	Sep. 25	Alvord	T 7:30	8
41	Oct. 2	Windthorst	H 7:30	13
29	Oct. 9	Collinsville*	H 7:30	13
28	Oct. 16	Valley View* Homecoming	H 7:30	6
27	Oct. 23	Saint Jo*	T 7:30	0
54	Oct. 30	Savoy* Parents' Night	H 7:30	14
6	Nov. 6	Era*	T 7:30	41
21	Nov. 20	Detroit at Bonham	7:30	41



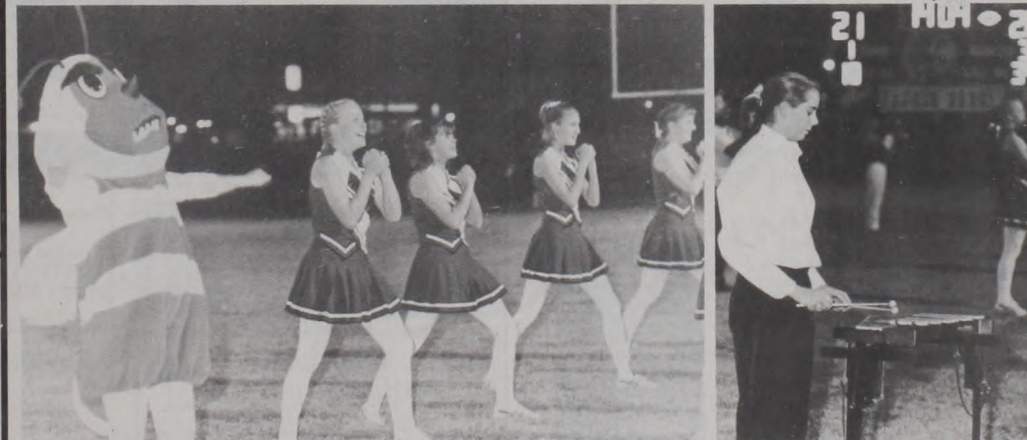
Bryan Miller goes up the middle for a short gain. Blocking is Chad Felderhoff. Janie Hartman Photo



Angel Hernandez plucks a few feathers and sacks the Eagles' quarterback. Also pictured in Craig Hartman (45). Photo by Janie Hartman



The Muenster Hornet Flag Corp performs for half-time entertainment. Photo by Janie Hartman



Hornet mascot Ami Graham performs with the cheerleaders. Also pictured in Ashley Klement, Dee Dee Walterscheid, Kelly Felderhoff, and Jackie Henschel. Dave Fette photo

Lauren Dangelmayr performs with the Hornet Band at half-time. Photo by Dave Fette

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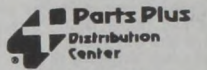


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Trail ride benefits Camp Sweeney youths

by Kit Chase
Register Staff Writer

Rain drizzled on the 25 riders as they made their way along the timbered trail that meandered through the Pryor Longhorn Ranch. Stretched out along the trail, the riders were there for the first Camp Sweeney benefit trail ride.

Camp Sweeney is a summer camp for juvenile diabetics and is located in Cooke County. Participants of the ride each gave a donation that went directly to the camp, ride sponsor Toni Pryor said.

The ride began at 10 a.m. on Saturday, November 7 and riders were able to experience the cattle trails that went around several small lakes on the Pryor ranch. In many areas, the horses and riders had to go single file because of the close timber and narrow paths.

The group traveled north and east going over dams. They went to the north boundary road where riders met their escort vehicles from Team Bonner Chevrolet in Denison that would take them west to the Pockrus Ranch IV.

General Manager of Team Bonner Jim Coder drove an escort vehicle and P.W. Pryor drove the other. Both were 1999 Chevy Trucks and they carried everyone's lunches.

Kathy Cogar of Dallas said she had taken riding lessons when she was younger but she had never expected to have so much enjoyment on a horse.

The roads were very narrow with many curves, several of the riders said. As they crossed the bridge riders would hear the horses' hooves clippity clapping.

"It is such music to those of us that ride to hear the wonderful sound that the horses' hooves make," Mrs. Pryor commented. "The horses are almost in rhythm with their feet; one with the other. As we approached the Pockrus Ranch's entry gate from the

north side and entered, before us was a panoramic view of more beautiful country," she said.

Hosts for the Pockrus Ranch were Noble and Edith McElreath. Horses followed a freshly mowed path that went around timber and lakes and dams.

The path led the riders to a dry barn and corrals for a lunch break. By this time Mrs. Pryor said everyone was cold and hungry and the inside of the barn was dry and cozy. The escort vehicles had brought the lunches to the west entrance of the barn. Everyone sat on hay bales eating lunch and conversing about the ride, she said. The horses were tied up along a pipe fence that made up the corrals.

After lunch, the riders headed back.

The ride inspired Camp Sweeney representative Leanne Eastep. "Because of this ride, we are going to expand our horse program at Camp Sweeney," Eastep said. "We are also planning another benefit ride this spring for the horse program," she added.

"Camp Sweeney received \$463, plus a few outstanding donations made on Saturday. This money will be used to support the camp horseback program."

Another trailblazer Cindy Dulock said that despite the cold weather, she enjoyed the ride. "I enjoyed the people and just being on my horse," Dulock said. "We are doing this for the kids and Camp Sweeney," she said.

On the ride back to the trailers, Dulock mentioned how she brought up the rear along with Joe Nichols and Davia Rose Coder. Even with the cold and wet weather, Dulock said she enjoyed the ride, the changing color of the leaves and the visit she had with the other riders.

The ride was held at the ranches of P.W. and Toni Longhorn Ranch and the Noble and Edith McElreath Pockrus Ranch.

Participating in the ride were Ted and Peggy Teague, Hendrix, Oklahoma; Rita Blakely on an Arabian, Muenster; James and Jane Hays, Denison; Loyd and Gwen Trubenbach, Muenster; Jim and D.R. Coder, Gordonville; Kaye and Melody Eldredge, Gainesville; Joe Nichols, Gainesville; Cindy Dulock, Wayne A. Smith, Kendrick, Oklahoma; Dr. Leonard Smith, Hendrix, Oklahoma; Dr. Gordon Yeargan, Gainesville; Kathy Cogar, Dallas; Noble and Edith McElreath, Whitesboro; Leanne Eastep, Lake Kiowa; J.E. Harris, Dallas; Toni and P.W. Pryor, Gordonville; Mary Campbell, Carol Sims, Hendrix, Oklahoma; Justin Pockrus and Natalie Pockrus, Whitesboro.



Loyd Trubenbach, one of several local riders, participates in Camp Sweeney Benefit Trail Ride. Courtesy Photo

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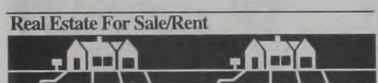
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"You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you."
TO: Keith Bayer, Defendant,
GREETING:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Original Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 4th day of January, A.D., 1999, before the Honorable 235th District Court of Cooke County, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Original Petition was filed in said Court on the 23rd day of June, A.D., 1998, in this case, numbered 98-337 on the docket of said Court, and styled, MUENSTER STATE BANK, Plaintiff, vs. KEITH BAYER, Defendant.
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant have a note agreement and Defendant executed a security agreement. Defendant defaulted in paying the note on January 11, 1995, by refusing to surrender the collateral that is subject of the security agreement. Plaintiff requests the Court to grant judgment against Defendant, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.
The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates thereof, and make due return as the law directs.
Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this the 17th day of November, A.D., 1998.
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