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Young Future Farmers competed in the Kiddie Tractor Pull at the Antique Farm Machinery Show, including Cabe, who was unable to get a "full" pull.

Photo by Janie Hartman

Muenster ISD Board gets \$50,000 TIF grant

by Janie Hartman
The Muenster ISD School
Board had a called meeting
on Wednesday, Aug. 29 to
discuss the budget, the tax
rate, and other items.

The meeting began with
routine consent items,
which the Board approved,
including: four more
transfers; adding librarian
to the acute teacher
shortage list; termite control
for high school and high
school gymnasium; the
awarding of the TIF Grant
for \$50,000; a change in
health insurance after
quotes from Aetna came
back with large increases.
The faculty voted again,
with 27 picking to stay with
Unicare. Also the district is
attempting to get federal
grants for school repair and
renovation. "Not being a low
income school district is a
negative against us,"
Superintendent Clyde
Steelman noted, adding that
the district is already a stap
ahead because they have
good documentation already
prepared.

The final consent item
was the discussion of
athletic season passes. At a
district meeting last
Wednesday morning, it was
voted to keep football
admission prices the same
as last year - \$4.00 for
adults, \$2.00 for students at
varsity games, and a \$2.00
charge for all at JV and

The Board also discussed the 2001-2002 budget and 2002 tax rate to be ready for last Saturday's public meeting.

To conclude, Gerrie Eckart and Nancy Perryman were both hired on a nine month contract.

PUBLIC MEETING

The Muenster ISD held a public meeting on Saturday, Sept. 1, to discuss the school district's budget that determined the tax rate that was adopted. Public participation in the discussion was invited, but there was no public attendance.

The Board approved the following budget:

Expenditures: General Fund - \$3,058,516; Cafeteria Program - \$124,950; State Technology Allotment - \$13,850; Interest & Sinking - \$138,160.

Revenue; General Fund - \$3,186,882; Cafeteria

-\$138,160. TOTAL
\$3,335,576.

Revenue: General Fund
\$3,186,882; Cafeteria
Program -\$103,200; State
Technology Allotment
\$13,950; Interest & Sinking
\$139,181. TOTAL
\$3,443,213.

The tax rate for the
district had a 4¢ increase
with 1.30647 for
maintenance and operation,
and 0.07500 for 1 & S for a
total tax rate of 1.38147.
This increase is 10¢ below
the roll back rate and 4¢
below the state's rate to
maintain level.

Plans presented for Main Street and Highway 82 beautification

by Dave Fette
Keep Muenster Beautiful coordinator Mary Lee Alford presented plans to the City Council Monday night for renovations of the intersection of Highway 82 and Main Street in Muenster. The plans have been in development for a long time, but patience in working with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for this major beautification and access project will be worth the wait said Alford. The original idea was to reconstruct and landscape one corner of the intersection to include welcome to Muenster. With Alford's encouragement and based on the merits of the project, TxDOT proposes to reconstruct and landscape all four corners and both sides of Main Street all the way north to First Street. The plans include sidewalk, coordinated brick and stonework, plantings, irrigation and lighting TxDOT's plans include modifications for handicapped access in line with the Americans With

Tax rate hearing held by Cooke County Commissioners Court

by Janet Felderhoff
Only one person spoke up at the Sept. 4 Public Hearing held by Cooke County Commissioners Court on the proposed tax rate. The proposed rate is Hands and is wife built a new home that cost \$30,000.00. The sport valuation. James Murray of Gainesville said, "Apparently our taxes are going to go up. When our income, us for example that are on Social Security, our income goes up about two percent. Our living cost is going up 10 to 15 percent.

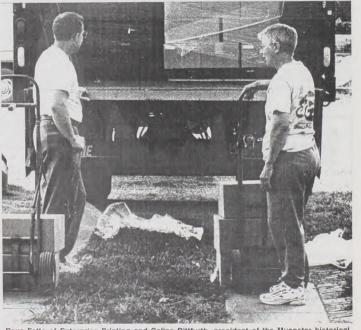
and that just don't add up. ... Today I'm being taxed to death."

Murray complained that he and his wife built a new home that cost \$30,000.00. The larris advised Murray. He are in Social Security, our income, us for example that are on Social Security, our income goes up about two percent. Our living cost is going up 10 to 15 percent.

Murray complained that he appraisal District about that valuation." Judge not have been that cost \$30,000.00. The larris advised Murray at his request, which it almost has, but is falling apart now, said Murray. He felt it was appraised to high.

County Judge Bill Harris advised Murray to it just has to do with the valuation. They'll work with you."

With no other complaints or protests voiced, Commissioners Court on Monday, Sept. 10.



Dave Fette of Enterprise Printing and Celine Dittfurth, president of the Muenster historical Commission, unload the second printing of the Muenster Centennial History Book last weekend at the Muenster Museum. The books are available for sale at the museum on Thursdays, Fridays, and Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m., at City Hall, and the Chamber of Commerce. The price presently remains \$75, due to the delay in shipment. Pre-sold books can be picked up at the museum only. Buyers can also contact Celine Dittfurth, 759-4154; Junied Bright, 759-4482; or Jewel Otto at 759-4243 to purchase books.

Reduce - reuse - recycle - rebuy on September 8

On Saturday, September organization to win the 8th the community of Governor's Community Muenster will participate in a major recycling event with (GCAA), which would bring its community wide garage sale. Those wishing to participate and be listed on the program should contact the Muenster Chamber of Commerce. This is one of the many events within the we recycle, reuse and rebuy community helping the Keep Muenster Beautiful greater chance we have of County Distributing

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Cooke County gets transit funds Special election to fill

State transportation officials awarded \$68,000 to support public transportation services in Cooke County. The Texas Transportation services in Cooke County. The Texas Transportation Commission approved the measure last week at its monthly meeting.

"I am pleased by this action, which will provide action, which will provide transportation to citizens in the Cooke County area. Rural Texas has often been left out and the need here is

sen. Haywood's seat

by Janet Felderhoff
The death of Texas
Senator Tom Haywood left
his position on the Texas
Senate vacant. A special
election was called for this
November in conjunction
with the regular election on
proposed Constitutional
Amendments.

Those seeking to run for
that position have until Oct
9 to file with the Secretary
Haywood's office is stil
open for case work and stil
helping constituents in any
way they can, according to
Patrick Fortner.



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Customer service: it's not a department ... it's an attitude

Every business has customers, and "customer service" is important not only to the organization, but to the community. On Thursday, Sept. 20, the North Texas Center for Nonprofit Management will be offering a seminar Nonprofit Management will be offering a seminar CUSTOMER SERVICE, It's Not a Department...It's an Attitude! The program will be held at the First Christian Church, 3701 Taft Blvd. in Fellowship Hall in Wichita Falls, from 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

"Business owners and nonprofit organizations make the assumption their employees know how to offer good customer service, yet statistics show that a majority of employees have never been trained in basic customer service skills, said Aaron Alejandro, Executive Director of the Texas FFA Foundation, one of the speakers for the seminar. This seminar will show why customer service is important to every organization and how to speakers that will cover a wide range of topics.

This program is presented by the North Texas Center for Nonprofit Management in cooperation with the Midwestern State University Small Business Development Center. Charge for the program is

NCTC breaks enrollment record

Enrollment numbers continue to soar at North Central Texas College that Central Texas College that central Texas College that central Texas College that will undoubtedly stay above 5,000 students. While some 2001 headcount system wide of 5,246—another record.

This will mark the first time in the more than 75-

Obituaries

Billie Edward Mohon 1930 - 2001

Billie Edward (Bill)
Mohon of Pilot Point died on
Aug. 29, 2001 at age 71, at
the home of his daughter,
following a brief illness.
He was born July 18,
1930 in the Rock Hill
Community to James
Edward Mohon and Eva
Mae Morris Mohon, and was
a member of the Rock Hill
Baptist Church. On July 23,
1953 he married Bobbie
Nell Hunter in Gainesville.
He served in the U.S. Army
stationed at Fort Hood. He
owned Pilot Point Livestock
Exchange, Inc. from 1963 to
1973. After selling the sale
barn, he farmed and grazed
cattle, and up until his
death he sold hay to area
horse ranches.
Well-known for his
friendship, he still valued a
man's word on a simple
handshake. He gave
generously to those in need;
and had a deep love and
devotion for his wife of 48

years, and his children; and was loved in return by his grandchildren. He will be remembered for his barbecues, and the joy he found in searching for newborn, calves.

Survivors are his wife Bobbie Nell of Pilot Point; three sisters, Ida May Kirby of Aubrey, Eddene Miller of Garland and Joan Cohagen of Denton; also numerous nieces, nephews and many, many friends.

Survivors are his wife Bobbie Nell of Pilot Point; three sons Billie Don Mohon of Hodgeson, Oklahoma, Mitch Mohon and Wes Mohon of Pilot Point; daughters Donna Loiselle of Pilot Point and Robin Boydstun and husband Scott of Denton. There are six grandchildren, Zac Loiselle and wife Laurie of Denton, Patricia Mohon of Pilot Point, and Luke Mohon, Rheales and Sam Boydstun of Denton, patricia Mohon of Denton, patricia Mohon of Denton, Patricia Mohon of Denton, three step-greatgrandchildren, Alli, Jennia and Becky Defoore of Denton, and special adopted family, Jerry, Quannah, Lupe, Maria and Cynthia Berker Says. 2 years—\$59

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Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The Muenster Hospital District conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase the total tax revenues of the **Muenster Hospital District** from properties on the tax roll in the preceeding year by 109.17 percent on August 24, 2001, 12:00 PM. The Muenster Hospital District was scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting which was to be held on September 7, 2001.

That meeting has been rescheduled and will now be held on September 14, 2001 at 12:00 PM at Muenster Hospital District Board Room, 605 N. Maple, Muenster, Texas.

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Wednesday, September 12, 200 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Library open 2:30 - 5:30 pm C of C Breakfast, 7:30 am, Rohmer's Restaurant Religious Ed Class, 7 pm MISD Board Meeting, 7:30 pm

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Friday, September 14, 2001 Muenster Museum Open 1-4pm MMH Board Meeting, noon, Board Room MHS @ Millsap SH vs. Colleyville Covenant, H, 7:30

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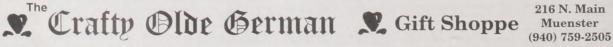
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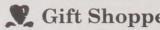
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KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON

A PRESCRIPTION FOR MEDICARE

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Thirty-six years ago, when Medicare was created to provide health coverage for elderly Americans, hospital stays and doctors' treatments were the most costly portion of the care that was to be provided. Prescription drugs represented only a small percentage of medical expenditures.

Today, that picture is very different. Nearly 400 new drugs have been developed in the last decade alone to fight diseases such as cancer, heart disease, diabetes and arthritis. While the drugs themselves are expensive, their use has proven to save health-care dollars in the long run.

Take, for example, anticoagulants: A year's worth of these blood-thinning agents, which help prevent the recurrence of strokes, costs \$1,000. Compare that to \$100,000 in lifetime costs for taking care of an individual who has suffered a stroke. Similarly, the new 'H2 antagonist' drugs are used to treat ulcers in patients who otherwise would need surgery costing \$28,000 or more. A year's worth of such drugs can cost \$900.

Medicare would pay for the ulcer surgery. But Medicare does not provide prescription drug coverage. Although two-thirds of seniors have private, supplementary coverage that helps with the cost of prescription drugs, the other third are paying 100 percent of their escalating drug costs. It is unfortunate that while more than 98 percent of employer-sponsored health plans pay for prescription drugs. Medicare's benefit package has yet to be updated to include this benefit.

Congress and the Bush administration are trying to

Congress and the Bush administration are trying to figure out the best way to address this situation. We are looking for a way to provide prescription drugs to those

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who need them but are unable to afford them. We must be careful to design a plan that is responsible, and tailored to those who truly need the help. Seniors who are happy with their existing coverage should not be forced into a more costly, one-size-fits-all government program.

Nor should the elderly be handed a government program that decides which drugs they may and may not have. Such decisions are best made by doctors and patients, not an anonymous bureaucrat in Washington, D.C.

An effective prescription drug benefit proposal has to meet certain criteria for common sense and effectiveness. Government should not set up a plan that would duplicate coverage that already exists in the private sector. Nor should we have to wait five or 10 years for a plan to take effect.

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The approach I favor would have two main components;

It has to provide immediate assistance to the states to expand or initiate their prescription drug support programs for moderate to low-income seniors. In many states these programs have put needed drugs within the reach of many elderly individuals who otherwise were going without. We should provide immediate and ongoing relief to the millions of seniors currently forced to pay full retail prices for prescription drugs.

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To accomplish this, the President has proposed making available to Medicare beneficiaries a prescription drug discount card, either free of charge or for a nominal fee, sponsored and administered by private entities.

Medicare would then require the card sponsors to publish the discounted prices for most prescription drugs purchased by seniors, to encourage competition. Ultimately, well-informed buyers will push the market toward more competitive pricing for everyone, whether on Medicare or covered by other insurance.

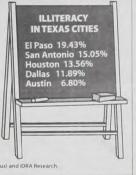
There should be a Medicare prescription drug benefit as part of a broader Medicare modernization plan that gives seniors more choice and control over their health care.

Today, medical advances mean patients can be treated at home or in the doctor's office, and the emphasis has shifted to preventative care. Still more effective prescription drugs are expected to be available to the elderly in the years ahead to help treat breast and prostate cancer, Alzheimer's disease and diabetes. We need to strengthen the system and make it as modern and effective as 21st of the care o system and make it as modern and effective as 21 ntury medicine.

Keeping an Eye on Texas

Where We Stand

Texas ranks 47th among the 50 states in literacy. Four million Texans about 25 percent of the adult population, are unable to read basic signs and maps. Volunteer to help others learn to read through local library literacy programs.



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For more information contact THC's Archeology Division at 512/463-6096.

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Before burning brush piles, pastures, 15 etc., please have the courtesy to notify dispatchers at the Cooke County Sheriff's Dept. 940-665-3471. This will avoid volunteer firemen being called out on

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NCTC led the state's public community colleges last year by posting a 20 percent increase in "contact hours"—the number college officials say is actually more notable than headcount since it is the basis for state funding and reflects the course loads of individual students. Contact hours are up by about 6.5 percent.

Enrollment throughout the North Central Texas College District is up from 4,848 students last year to 5,246 at this point. That's an increase of about 8 percent. This breaks down to 1,610 students at the Gainesville Campus, 3,489 at the Corinth Campus and 196 at the Bowie Campus.

At the NCTC Corinth Campus, enrollment for fall 2001 is up by 109 students, or about 3 percent, over last year.

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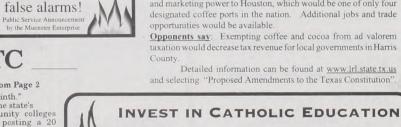
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Constitutional Amendment Election Set For November 6

This Austin Update will be the first in a series in which I will summarize certain propositions that will be on the November 6th ballot. This Update will cover Propositions #1 and #17. More information is

* PROPOSITION#1: CLEARING BASTROP COUNTY LAND **PROPOSITION*#I: CLEARING BASING PCOUNTY LAND
TITLES - Early Texas settlers received "patents" to their land from the
state. In 1900 all land that had not received a patent reverted into the
School Land Fund. In 1925, a vacancy of 221 acres was discovered in
Bastrop County. A "vacancy" is a piece of unsurveyed land that is
property of the Permanent School Fund (PSF) and not part of any
patented survey. Some of the adjoining owners to the 221 acres
purchased portions of the tract, occupied, fenced and paid taxes on
portions of the PSF land. Private owners of the land in question are portions of the PSF land. Private owners of the land in question are without legal recourse to acquire the patent because the lands had been constitutionally dedicated to the Permanent School Fund. This proposition would surrender any claim of the State of Texas to the 221 acres in question in Bastrop County while allowing the state to retain

Proponents say: This amendment is necessary to clear the land title, will save the expense of a lengthy court battle and resolve inequity.

Opponents say: The state received compensation for just 21 acres in the disputed tract. Relinquishing claims to the land would represent a loss of an estimated \$383,000 to the PSF.

* PROPOSITION #17: SETTLING LAND DISPUTES - This amendment would allow the state to release claim to certain lands, except for mineral rights, and to clear the title defects for the owners of the land. Claimants would have to show that they acquired the land on or before January 1, 1952, and they were unaware the land belonged

Proponents say: This amendment would create a permanent procedure to settle land-title disputes involving public school lands without the expense and trouble of a constitutional amendment election. without the expense and froute of a constitutional amendment election for each dispute (such as Proposition #1). The General Land Office (GLO) would be given the right to review cases. The GLO estimates that as many as 1,000 claims over disputed land remain unsolved, and Texas voters should not have to judge each one individually.

Opponents say: The Legislature and Texas voters should retain the right to review specific decisions made to give up the state's interests and to resolve title problems involving landowners.

Proposed Amendments Target Roadway Assistance and Tax Exemptions

This Austin Update will be the second in a series about ed Constitutional Amendments to be voted on November 6. PROPOSITION #2: FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR ROADWAY PROJECTS: Substandard "colonia" developments along the Texas-Mexico border are prohibited by state law. However, many colonias were built prior to this legislation. This amendment will allow the Governor to authorize up to \$175 million in general obligation bonds to provide financial assistance to counties for projects that would provide access roads to connect

counties for projects that would provide access roads to connect border colonias with public roads.

Proponents say: About 800 colonias exist along the Texas-Mexico border. About 2,000 miles of road could be built which would provide a good start toward making colonias more livable.

Opponents say: Interest and other costs make bonded roads more expensive. The program would favor one area of the state over others and would neglect other needy Texans.

PROPOSITION #3: TAX EXEMPTION FOR COFFEE & PROPOSITION #3: TAX EXEMPTION FOR COFFEE & COCOA: Harris County has applied to the New York Board of Trade to be designated an exchange port for coffee, where coffee could be stored and shipped. The Board of Trade has said it will not consider the county's application unless coffee and cocoa are exempted from taxation. The Constitution states that all inventory held for the production of income is subject to ad valorem taxation unless specifically exempted. This proposition would add green coffee and raw cocoa to the list of specifically exempt personal property.

Proponents say: Harris County's designation as an exchange port by the New York Board of Trade would bring global recognition and marketing power to Houston, which would be one of only four designated coffee ports in the nation. Additional jobs and trade opportunities would be available.

Opponents say: Exempting coffee and cocoa from ad valorem taxation would decrease tax revenue for local governments in Harris

Detailed information can be found at www.lrl.state.tx.us and selecting "Proposed Amendments to the Texas Constitution".

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Lifestyle

Shawn and von Ree marry in Bridgeport

by Elfreda Fette
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory
Kirk von Ree are on their
wedding trip to Jamaica,
and, upon their return will
reside in Bridgeport. They
were married on Saturday,
Sept. 1, 2001 in a
traditional ceremony in
First United Methodist
Church of Bridgeport,
officiated by Rev. Larry
Krouger at 6:00 p.m.
The bride is the former
Robyn Lannette Shawn,
daughter of David and
Connie Shawn of Runaway
Bay, Texas.
The groom is the son of
Carl and Rita Sue yon Ree
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daughter of David and Connie Shawn of Runaway Bay, Texas.

The groom is the son of Carl and Rita Sue von Ree of Saint Jo, Texas.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Bridgeport High School and a 1998 graduate of the University of North Texas. She also attended Hill College and the University of Dallas. She is a coach, and self-employed by, and owner of Gymnastic Advantage.

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Saint Jo High School. He is Ranch Foreman of Lucky Star Ranch.

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Presented for marriage by her father, David Shawn, the bride chose an exquisitely contoured sleeveless, white matte satin halter style gown accented with an embroidered lace bodice covered in seed pearls and crystal sequins. The Basque waist dropped to a v-shape, floating over a voluminous, multi-layered, shirred tulle and matte satin skirt embroidered with lace medallions that were accented with seed pearls and crystal sequins scattered all over the floor length skirt. The multi-layered, cathedral train matched the medallion covered skirt. The veil was of a Spanish design style that matched the skirt and train. All featured a satin trimmed hem. The bride wore white elbow length gloves and carried a bouquet of white lilies and pale yellow roses filled with stenosis and English ivy and pearls.

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Matron of honor was the bride's friend, Renéé Lawrence of Bridgeport.

Bridesmaids were Jamie Erwin of Bridgeport, Shelly Rangel of Alvord, Cierra Bivens of Bowie, Amy Hiler of Keller, Jean Straughn of Jacksboro, all friends of the bride, and Penny Brown, cousin of the bride of Bridgeport.

Junior bridesmaid was Alicia Erwin of Bridgeport.
They were attired in floorlength, A-line gowns of corn silk, matte satin with sweetheart necklines. Ivory, iridescent floor-length jackets completed their ensemble. Each carried a bouquet of cream, long-stem Virginia roses. The Junior Bridesmaid's ivory, matte satin gown featured a lace bodice covered in seed pearls and crystal sequins with a multi-layered, floorlength tulle skirt with scattered medallions accented with seed pearls and crystal sequins. She also carried a bouquet of cream, long-stem Virginia roses.
Flower girls were Taya Wright and McKenna

cream, long-stem Virginia roses.
Flower girls were Taya Wright and McKenna Waddell both cousins of the bride, and Lacy Erwin, friend of the bride. The flower girls' sleeveless gowns of ivory matte satin had a lace bodice covered in seed pearl and sequins with a multi-layered floor length tulle skirt covered in seed pearl and sequined medallions. Their ensemble was completed with halos of corn silk tulle, ivory pearls with a hint of periwinkle flowers. They carried a basket of rose petals to

Dane Fisher is one!

Dane Fisher celebrated his first birthday with a summer theme. He is the son of Dyan Fisher of Krum. Dane's grandparents are Jack and Debbie Brittian of Krum and David and Helen Fisher of Muenster. His great-grandparents are Trudy Felderhoff and the late Vince Felderhoff and Paul and Dorothy Fisher all of Muenster.

His party was July 28 at a grand Brittian. Sandwiches, chips and dips and his mother opened gifts. His mother opened gifts. His mother opened gifts. His mother opened gifts. His mother grandparents, and great-grandmothers. Also several aunts, uncles, great-uncles, cousins and friends helped Dane

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sprinkle in the bride's path.
Ringbearer was Garrett
von Ree, son of the groom.
Junior groomsman was
Dustin von Ree, son of the
groom. Both boys wore black
western hats, western pants
and boots and long-tailed
formal black coats,
matching exactly the attire
of the groom, best man and
all the groomsmen
throughout the service. At
the wedding blessing and
The Lord's Prayer, the hats
were removed and all
reverently bowed their
heads.
Bryan Nance, friend of

reverently bowed their heads.

Bryan Nance, friend of the groom stood with him as best man.

Groomsmen were Eric von Ree of Saint Jo brother of the groom, Monty Shawn of Bridgeport brother of the bride, Lee Donnely of Valley View, Rodney St. John of Gainesville, Jim Meyers of Valley View, and Scott Hillburn of Era, friends of the groom.

Candlelighters were Allison Selz and Tandy Stallings both of Bridgeport and students and friends of the bride. They wore corn silk, matte satin, A-line floor length gowns with a sweetheart neckline and their ensemble was completed with elbow length

Mother of the bride was escorted and seated by her son, Monty Shawn. Mother of the groom was escorted and seated by the groom, Kirk von Ree.

Wedding music was presented by organist, Linda Thompson, including the traditional wedding marches and "Ill Stand By You" and "Amazed By You" and "Amazed By You" and "Keeper Of The Stars" for the lighting of the unity candle.

RECEPTION

RECEPTION

A reception, dinner and dancing followed at "The Club" at Runaway Bay, hosted by the bride's parents, David and Connie Shawn for 250 guests. Lilly Claborn presided at the guest book.

The two-tiered wedding cake with waterfall, was surrounded by and decorated with fresh white roses and star-gazer lilies.

A profusion of fresh flowers enhanced the reception area.

The rehearsal dinner was held in the Reception Hall of First United Methodist Church in Bridgeport, and hosted by the groom's parents, Carl and Rita Sue von Ree.



Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Kirk von Re ... 'nee Robyn Lannette Shawn ...

"Walk for Life" is planned by ABBA

ABBA Women's Center, a crisis pregnancy center serving Gainesville and surrounding areas, is hosting its second annual "Walk for Life" on Saturday, Sept. 29 at the Lindsay ISD track from 9 to 11 a.m.

ABBA is looking to open a medical facility in which limited ultrasound will be available to clients by 2002. "Walk for Life" will aid in the funding of this project and the many services already offered at ABBA.

The walk is a non-athletic event, open to all ages. Walkers can sponsor themselves or may be sponsored by others. They can walk on a team or otheir own.

Each walker raising \$150 in pledges will receive a T-shirt Prizes will be awarded to the oldest walker, the youngest walker, the team raising the most money, the team with the most family

Gainesville VFW to host

Life."

For additiona information and/or sponsor registration forms, cal ABBA at 668-6391; Li: Caldwell at 665-2988; Jam. Cope at 726-3549; Lorent Sandman at 726-3582; of Stacie Miller at 759-4932.

Gainesville VFW to host Chili Cook-off Sept. 14-15

Gainesville VFW Post
1922 will be hosting its 9th
for Chili and \$5 for beans.
annual Chili Cook-Off, Cooks and assistants
Cookin' For Kids on Sept. receive a complimentary
14-15. Proceeds benefit dinner. Others are
educational and welcomed at \$5 per person
recreational programs for on Friday at 6:30 p.m.
the youth of Cooke Chili and bean tasting.
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September: special for seniors, stargazers at FW Museum of Science and History

September at the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History will be a special time for both seniors and stargazers. Seniors 60+ can take advantage of discounts during "Grandparents Weekend" and "Senior Days at the Museum," while stargazers of all ages can enjoy an "Equinox Extra" on September 21.
"Grandparents Weekend" is September 8-9, 2001. Both days, grandparents

will receive one free Exhibits admission with the purchase of a regularly priced child Exhibits admission. Grandparents will also get \$10 discount on an annual Discovery Pass or Family Discovery Pass purchased that weekend.

Senior specials will continue September 14 - 30, 2001, with 'Senior Days at the Museum' All seniors 60+ will be treated to children's prices to the Omni Theater, Exhibits, and Noble Planetarium. That means seniors can see an IMAX® film in the Omni Theater for just \$4.50, wist the Museum's hands-on exhibits for \$4.50, and enjoy a star show in the Planetarium for \$3.50. Seniors can also purchase combination tickets at children's prices.

NOTICE

DIALOGUE, an ongoing support group for cancer patients and their families and friends will meet Thursday, Sept. 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the Home Hospice office, 1001 E. Broadway, Gainesville. For more information call Kelly Lamkin, L.S.W. at 665-9891.

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The Noble Planetarium's "Equinox Extra" special on Friday, September 21, is for all ages. In honor of the Autumnal Equinox, all visitors to the Museum exhibits or Omni Theater can see a Planetarium show for just \$1\$. The offer is valid for either of the Planetarium's programs, Collisions and Texas Sky Tonight. Starting at 2:30 p.m., both shows will alternate throughout the afternoon.

The Fort Worth Museum of Science and History is located at 1501 Montgomery Street in Fort Worth's Cultural District. Exhibit hours are 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and noon to 5:30 p.m. Sunday. Omni shows start at 1:45 p.m. during the week, at 10:15 on Saturdays, and 12:45 p.m. on Sundays. For more information, call \$17-255-9300 or go to www.fortworthmuseum.org.

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Muenster Girl Scout Troop 45 took on the project of keeping the yard at the Seyler Muenster Museum clean, as community project. Last Saturday was the first day of clean-up that will continue through Fall. Pictured are, from left, Kristen Miller, Jessika Hartman, Renee Dittfurth, and Winter Dittfurth in front.

Muenster Antique Mall marks first anniversary

Muenster Antique Mall marked the end of its first year in business by giving away six gift certificates.

Muenster's only antique mall opened its doors on Apr. 15, 2000 with 15 vendors. Now 45 vendors invite you to stroll down memory lane and enjoy the variety in 6000 square feet of shopping area, just big enough to get your feet wet, but small enough to walk through.

Vendors have their merchandise attractively displayed to help you choose a unique decorating item for your living room, or perhaps you'll find an old teapot like grandma had. Specialized areas include German clocks, folk art, quilts, light fixtures, salt and pepper shakers, glassware, jewelry,





"Better living for Texans" programs set

by Evelyn Yeatts,
County Extension Agent,
FCS
The Better Living for
Texans Program is a free
program sonosored by
Texas Cooperative
Extension. It is designed to
provide limited resource
families with food and
nutrition, Food Guide
Pyramid, Food Dollars and
Food Safety. These classes
will be on Wednesday, Oct.
24 and repeated on
Wednesday, Nov. 14 in the
Cooke County Courthouse,
room B-4.
A Bridge to Health Series
will begin at the ABBA
Center located at 414 E.
Elm on Sept. 4. A Healthy
Esting for Children series
will begin at ABBA on Oct.
9.
Classes are being given
in English, as well as in
Spanish. They are all feet

Human Services and U.S.D.A. Food & Nutrition Services.

A variety of programs are currently scheduled for Cooke County families. On Thursday, Sept. 6, 30-minute Food Safety classes will be held throughout the day from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Classes will be in the Outreach Health Services/WIC office, located at 800 E. California.

Stretching Food Dollars

Will begin at ABBA on Oct.
Classes are being given in Spanish. They are all free and will be taught by Extension Agent - Family & Consumer Science and Dee Martin, Better Living for Texans Program Assistant.
For additional information or questions, call the County Extension Office at 668.5412.

New Arrivals

Sicking

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Sicking of Bristow, Oklahoma are proud to announce the birth of their son Noah Parker Sicking, Noah was born August 22 at 11:02 a.m. at St. John's Medical Center in Tulsa. He weighed 10 lb. and was 22 inches long. Noah has two big sisters, Danielle age 7 1/2 and Haylee age 3.

Grandparents are Jerry and Evelyn Sicking of Muenster, and George and Virginia Krahl of Gainesville. Greatgrandparents are Regina Flusche of Decatur, Eleanore Sicking of Myra, and Lena Fleitmann of Lindsay.

Traffanstedt

Tony Jr. and Angela Traffanstedt of Myra joyfully announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Chloe Rochelle Traffanstedt, on Aug. 25, 2001 at 2:07 a.m., weighing 7 lb. 70:2 and measuring 19 inches in length. Grandparents are Donald and Peggy Matthews of Myra, Werner and Mary Schaeferling of Whitesboro, and Tony Sr. and Sandi Traffanstedt of Azle. Great-grandparents are Donald Traffanstedt of Azle. Great-grandparents are Dwayne and Sharlene Schilling, Charlie Wimmer, and Caroline Hess. of Muenster and Marie Herr of Gainesville.

Saint Jo Opry Sept. 8

The next Saint Jo Opry is scheduled for Saturday he spirit, Sept. 8. The show will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will be held in the Saint Jo School Auditorium.

Special guests scheduled to appear on the September show include Billy Gilmore, Gene Brown, and Kim Gray, to Community Service all from Bowie. Other musicians besides the Country Cut-ups who are scheduled to perform are Jerry Reynolds of Concessions will be Forestburg and Roger

VLB offers assistance

On Tuesday, Sept. 11, regarding the newly opened Amanda Fanning, a Texas State Veterans representative with the Texas Veterans Land Board (TVLB), will be present at the Cooke County Courthouse from 8:30 a.m. - Courthouse. If you have 12:30 p.m. The TVLB further questions please representative will assist and answer questions (903) 640-4164.



Sandra Stillman of Lewisville and Carl Bayer of Muenster wish to announce their engagement and upcoming wedding. Sandra is the daughter of Rollie and Florence Stillman of Rocky Mount, Missouri and the late Neva Stillman of St. Louis, Missouri. Carl is the son of Rosalee Bayer and the late Robert Bayer of Muenster. Sandra is employed by Sage Enterprise, Inc. of Grand Prairie as an account coordinator and Carl has been employed by Valenite Inc. of Gainesville for 27 years. The couple will exchange vows on Sept. 15, 2001 at Lake Kiowa Lodge at 6:00 p.m. with a reception immediately following. They plan to spend their honeymoon in Colorado Springs, Colorado at beautiful resort and spa and then travel throughout Colorado and West Texas. Afterwards, they will reside in Muenster.

Texas Cattlewomen news

Texoma CattleWomen presented plaques to three Cooke County 4-H members at the recent 4-H Achievement Banquet on Aug. 4 at the Civic Center in Gainesville. Winning Beef Dish Awards went to Adam Zimmerer, Jessica Morris, and Liam Guthrie. Adam's entry was Porcupines: Jessica prepared Ship Wreck Stew, and Liam entered Cowboy Stew. Ann

The inappropriate sale of annuities & annuity scams

This information on cautions is applicable to most senior citizens. There are very many "financial planning" workshops and seminars put on by "salesmen" in the Texoma Region who promote purchases of the Annuities, Long term care insurance, By-pass trusts, Living "insurance" items. It is often a fact that these free meal included presentations include many of the issues involving loss of a homestead to fund nursing decility care and exaggerated costs.

Most seniors do not realize that there may be insurance of information if they will contact their Area Agency on Aging article. Much information provided is not entirely reached at 1100 Lawrence correct, is not provided if SNAP Center, Gainesville, negative to the sale of their

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AWANA Clubs Scavenger Hunt

Where: Muenster Park

When: September 8, 2001

Time: 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Who: Kids {pre-school - 12th grade}

{AWANA Clubs is a kids' club to help kids meet Jesus and memorize His Word.}

> First Baptist, Muenster (940) 759-2772 (940) 759-4668

r Junior High Student Council, from left, back – Brad Endres, Zach Swirczynski, Derek Malcom Martin, Travis Felderhoff, Ryan Fuhrmann, Dustin Wimmer; Front – Michael Kelly Endres, Jessica Walterscheid, Megan Felderhoff, Melissa Cox, and Chris

Student Council announced

The 2001-2002 school year at Muenster Junior high began with newly elected Student Council officers and representatives. Officers of the Council include Malcom Martin, president; Ryan Fuhrmann, vice-president; Dustin Wimmer, secretary; and Megan Felderhoff at the closing of the last Wimmer, secretary; Kelly Endres, treasurer, and Megan Felderhoff at the beginning of this school year, and the representatives are the class officers. Seventh grade Class officers seventh grade Endres, president; Student Council president, and Rachel Lively, a former Gainesville High School sign to delass officers. Seventh grade Class officers and representatives include Brad Endres, president; Jessica Walterscheid, secretary; and responsibilities of the beginning of this school year, and the beginning of this school year, and the beginning of this school year, and the beginning of this school year.

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School News

Muenster plans for UIL meet

Muenster Elementary coaches and students in grades 2 through 6 are preparing for the University of Interscholastic League (UIL) Academic Meet to be held on Nov. 30.

Lou Heers coaches 4th and 5th grade Art Contest. The contest involves the study of 40 paintings from the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C. and also from Texas art galleries and museums. As part of their study, students de monstrate an understanding of basic art history and concepts.

Jerry Eckart coaches

demonstrate an understanding of basic art history and concepts.

Jerry Eckart coaches Calculator Applications for grade 6. The Calculator Applications Contest stimulates the development of mathematical and calculator skills. Both intellectual and practical goals develop mathematical reasoning and knowledge and require the application of problem-solving skills toward realistic problems.

Jerry also coaches Mathematics for grade 6. This contest includes problems covering numeration systems, arithmetic operations, geometry problems, and algebra problems.

Dalana Chisam and Jerry Eckart coach Number Sense for grades 4, 5, and 6. In the Number Sense Contest students take a 10-minute mental math test that requires high-speed solutions of math problems.

Rosemary Dankesreiter

coaches grade 2 Creative Writing. The contest promotes creativity in an academic format and encourages writing skills at an early grade level. Through preparation for the contest, students learn to evaluate their own writing and the writing of others.

Kristi Schneider teaches students in grades 5 and 6 to compete in Dictionary Skills by using all elements of a dictionary and the information it contains to answer test questions.

Coach Lisa Hettler prepares students in grades 5 and 6 to compete in the Maps, Graphs and Charts Contest. Students obtain information from maps, graphs, charts and atlases to answer the test questions.

Diane Endres, Rosemary Dankesreiter, Kim Budish, and Kristi Schneider prepare students in grades 3, 4, 5, and 6 for Ready Writing. In this contest the students choose between two prompts to define the audience and to provide a purpose for their writing. Students have 2 hours to write and edit their own work.

Students in grades 5 and 6 work with Diane Endres

Students have 2 hours to write and edit their own work.

Students in grades 5 and 6 work with Diane Endres to prepare for the Listening Skills Contest. The students take notes as they listen to the contest script. They use their notes to answer objective questions and an essay tie breaker question.

Jill Reiter prepares

students in grades 5 and 6 to compete in Music Memory. Students identify and correctly spell the names of classic selections and composers.

Coaches Patsy Fleitman and Danna Fredrick prepare students in grades 4, 5 and 6 to compete in Oral Reading. Students select and prepare a poem to be read within 6 minutes. Evaluation includes the student's overall speaking effectiveness, appropriateness of the selection, understanding of the material, and control of the presentation.

Good spellers in grades 3, 4, 5, and 6 sharpen their skills under the direction of coaches Amy Anderle and Deb Klement. Students print or write spelling words pronounced at five words per minutes. Twenty percent of the words come from an outside source and 80% of the words come from the current "A+ Spelling List."

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So, of the words come from the current "A+ Spelling List."

Grade 2 and 3 students use recall, their own expression and insight to retell a story for an audience. Patsy Bayer coaches the Storytelling Team of 2nd and 3rd grade students.

Saint Jo will host the UIL Zone meet Nov. 30 for students from five area schools. The schools competing in the academic contests include: Alvord, Chico, Muenster, Petrolia, and Saint Jo.

School Lunch Menus

WEEK OF SEPT. 10 - 14 MUENSTER ISD

MULENSTER ISD

Mon. - Tacos, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, pinto beans, peaches, pumpkin bread.

Tues. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/gravy, corn, pears, hot rolls.

Wed. - Sub sandwiches (ham, turkey, cheese), lettuce, tomatoes, chips, apples, carrot sticks, oatmeal cookies.

Thurs. - Steak fingers, creamed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, pineapple tidbits, hot rolls.

Fri. - Barbecue sandwiches, French fries,

tidbits, hot rolls.
Fri. Barbecue
sandwiches, French fries,
pork and beans, pickles and
onions, applesauce, ice
cream.

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tots, carrot sticks, oranges. Tues. - Mexican casserole, ranch style beans, salad, fruit

ranch style beans, sarac, fruit.

Wed. - Chicken spaghetti, corn, lettuce, applesauce, garlic toast.

Thurs. - Chicken fried steak, potatoes, gravy, peas, fruit.

Fri. - Ham and cheese on a bun, baked beans, lettuce, pineapple.

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Pepperoni pizza, and peaches,

sticks, mixed fruit, bread. Fri. - Barbecue sandwich, French fries, pinto beans, ice cream.

Wed. - Chicken spaghetti, corn, lettuce, applesauce, garlic toast.

Thurs. - Chicken fried steak, potatoes, gravy, peas, fruit.

Fri. - Ham and cheese on a bun, baked beans, lettuce, pineapple.

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Pepperoni pizza, corn, lettuce, salad, peaches, bread.

Tues. - Beef tips and rice, green beans, corn breads, cornbread, chocolate pears, bread.

Tues. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce or chicken strips, green beans, pineapple tidbits, tossed salad, breadsticks.

Wed. - Soft tacos, crimmings, pinto beans, cornbread, chocolate pudding.

Thurs. - Pizza: pepperoni or cheese, corn, tossed chicken, cheesy potatoes, peas, pineapple, bread.

Thurs. - Cheese enchiladas w/chili, ranch trimmings, French fries, ice tream.

Clubs resume **AWANA**

The AWANA Clubs will resume regular meetings starting with Kickoff Day this Saturday, Sept. 8, at Muenster Park from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. This event includes the annual Scavenger Hunt and hot dog cookout. All AWANA Clubbers, those interested in AWANA Clubs and their families are encouraged to attend.

Muenster. Clubbers are asked to check-in at 5:10 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall and will check-out at 7:00 p.m. Leaders and clubbers congregate for the Flag Ceremony, then divide into their respective clubs for Handbook Time, Game Time, and Council Time for awards, worship, and a Bible message. Regular meetings begin this Sunday, Sept. 9, at 5:10 p.m. All young people are encouraged to attend, regardless of their denominational affiliation.

Evening services at First Baptist Church will be held

for adults at 6:00 p.m. every Sunday evening, to coincide with the AWANA Clubs. This allows parents the freedom and convenience to come to a weekly Bible Study that is designed just for them as well. Our Bible teacher this year will be Gary Baird, past President of International Crusades, who currently serves as Executive Director of the Turtle Hill Lodge and Conference Center of Muenster. All are welcome!

For more information, contact Pastor Bill Ledbetter (759-2772) or (759-4668).

Gerri Eckart honored by UIL for presentation

Mrs. Gerri Eckart recently received an honor from the University Interscholastic League for a presentation that she gave at the UIL Academic Capital Conference held in Austin this past June. She was praised for her wealth of knowledge, her friendly manner, and her thorough preparation. Rhonda Sharp Alves, Assistant Academic Director and Director of Elementary and Junior High Academics, said, "UIL cannot operate without volunteers willing to share their expertise and no one better embodies the spirit of volunteerism than does Gerri Eckart. Hook forward to working with her in the future! It is obvious that

quality personnel are a priority at Muenster ISD."

"We are extremely honored to have Mrs. Eckart as our media specialist for MISD and as a member of this comunity. She is a shining example of our 'Exemplary' school," stated MISD principal, Phil Newton.

All the flowers of tomorrow are in the seeds of today.

There are two lasting bequests we can give our children, roots and wings.



Thank-you

We want to say a simple heartfelt thank-you to everyone for the kindnesses shown toward our family during Joyce's illness and now in our time of sorrow at her death. Whether you remembered Joyce in prayer, visited, offered assistance or comfort, your thoughtfulness is much appreciated.

A special thank-you to Father John Ohner, OSA for the comforting services, to Pam and David Fette, Christy Hesse, and Ruth Felderhoff for the lovely music, to the altar servers, to the CDA ladies for preparing the meal after the funeral, and the Muenster Knights of Columbus for the use of the

We are grateful to all who attended the wake and funeral services, sent food, flowers, Mass offerings, donations, memorials, cards, etc

> Norman Koelzer & Family Agnes Owen & Family





We are now serving Breakfast from 6am to 10am, 7 days a week.

The menu consists of fresh fruit, several kinds of danishes, pastries, coffee cakes, and muffins. We will serve a flavored coffee of the day as well as regular coffee, juice or milk.

Join us and start your day in a relaxing way.

Sports

Tigers defeat Era

The Tigers of Sacred Heart High School began the 2001 football season last Friday night with a big 20-12 victory over the Era Hornets.

"It was a game where our youth really showed on both sides of the ball, especially in the first half," noted Tiger Coach Kris Hogan.

"But overall I am proud of the poise we were able to play with for four quarters." Offensively, Coach Hogan believed the Tiger backs ran hard, but did not protect the ball especially well. "Our offensive line played much better in the second half than in the first, so we have some things to work on in the coming weeks."

The Tiger offense was first on the field, but was unable to move forward, punting on 4th and 20 from their 13 yard line.

plays later, Era was in the end zone with a one yard run by Chancey Graves. The extra run failed for a 0-6 score with 4-10 remaining in the first half of play.

The Tiger offense struggled and punted. Another threat to score was stopped when Matt Donohue covered a fumbled ball on the Tiger 29. Sacred Heart ran out the remaining time to the mid-game break.

The teams exchanged a few punts, then the Tiger offense took control and moved the ball 53 yards with one Whitecotton and five Krahl carries, the final one good for 6 points. The extra kick failed for a 6-6 ball game with 5:20 left on the third quarter clock.

The Era fans rose to their feet when Josh Aljoe returned the Tiger kick 75

remaining in the game.

Things kept going the Tigers' way. A motion flag was followed by a Jack Biffle interception. Biffle returned the ball to the Hornet 9 yard line. Krahl ran it in on the first play from scrimmage for the score. Knabe's kick gave Sacred Heart a 20-12 lead with 6:21 still on the clock.

Era got off 6 plays before Michael Voth intercepted a pass near midfield. The Tiger offense controlled the last 5 1/2 minutes on the clock moving inside the Hornet 20 before allowing the clock to tick down to zero, and a Tiger 20-12 victory.

"Era did a nice job using an offensive attack they had not previously shown, and initially this was giving us some problems. Fortunately, we were able to adjust and



The Muenster Hornets scrimmaged the Gainesville State School last week in preparation fo this Friday's game against Nocona. Last season, the Indians slipped a victory past Muenster Action begins at 7:30 per at Hornet Stadium.

JV Tigers drop Hornets 12-0

The Junior Varsity Sacred Heart Tigers traveled to Era last Thursday to begin the 2001 football season, and brought home a 12-0 victory.

The Tiger offense started action with runs by Jeff Reiter, Andy Davis, and Aaron Walterscheid taking Sacred Heart to midfield, where they settled for a punt, sticking Era on their 15 yard line. The Hornets got in a few good runs, but a sack by Clayton

Cubs fall to Era 14-8

Truebenbach held the Hornets back, forcing a punt.

Three plays later, Era intercepted, ran a few plays, then lost yards with tackles by Davis, Daniel Bartush, and Wes Wimmer.

From their own 43, Sacred Heart's offense worked on the clock, moving down field with runs by Reiter, Davis, and Walterscheid, taking 13 plays to drive 57 yards, the final play a quarterback

Cubs fall to Era 14-8

The Sacred Heart Cubs yard run by Ferguson. The Tigers moved down field inside the Tiger 20 yard line, but the drive was stopped when Wes Wimmer covered a loose ball, giving Sacred Wes Wimmer covered a loose ball, giving Sacred down field inside the Tiger 20 yard line.

Ten runs by Reiter and

yard run by Ferguson. The extra point attempt was stopped by Flusche for an 8-14 score with 2:44 remaining in the game. Sacred Heart's offense controlled the remainder of the game with seven runs by Krahl and a 15 yard penalty taking the Cubs to the 14 yard line. Krahl gained another 10 yards, but time ran out for Sacred Heart at the four yard line.

Ten runs by Reiter and Davis moved the ball to the one yard line. Another score with 1:20 remaining in the game. Any threat of Era scoring was stopped by two Wimmer sacks.

Sacred Heart's leading rusher was Jeff Reiter with 21 carries for 109 yards.

Thank You to the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department, the Lindsay Volunteer Fire Department, the Myra Volunteer Fire Department, the Era Volunteer Fire Department, the Rosston Volunteer Department, the Forestburg Volunteer Fire Department and the Saint Jo Volunteer Fire Department and to all who helped on the grass fire of August 25.

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SH running back Thomas Whitecotton keeps the Era defense at arm's length for a gain early in

Era, beginning at midfield, threatened to score, but a loose ball was covered by Chris Hoedebeck, giving Sacred Heart possession on their 14 yard line. Runs by Johnny Krahl and Thomas Whitecotton took the ball to the 41, where the Tigers were forced to punt.

The Hornets carried the ball into the second quarter, getting inside the Tiger 25 before Sacred Heart halted the drive. Two plays later Carlos Saavedra covered the Carlos Saavedra covered the tot the 20. Six

yards for a touchdown. The PAT was wide for a 6-12 Hornet lead.

The Tigers' next drive ended early when Aljoe ended early when Aljoe ended early when Aljoe toveral plays later Whitecotton recovered at midfield for Sacred Heart.

Runs by Krahl, Whitecotton, and Paul Bartush carried the Tigers to the 5 yard line. A quarterback keeper by Bartush tied the game 12-12. John Knabe's kick returned the lead to the Tigers 13-12 with 6:54

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Friday night's scheduled Sacred Heart Gubs had a tough battle against the Era 8th grade team last Thursday night, ending the game short 8-14.

The Cubs took the opening kick, and starting on their 35 yard line took a dozen plays to drive 65 yards to find the end zone. Runs by Aaron Krahl and one by Nolan Hartman ended with a 26 yard Krahl run for the score. Hartman ran in the extra points for an 8-0 score with 3:59 remaining in the first period of play.

Era's offense came right back, finding the end zone on a 65 yard run by Justin Ferguson, only to have a motion flag call it back. Five plays later, Ferguson found pay dirt, then ran in the points after to tie the game 8-to score with 3:59 remaining in the first period of play.

The teams exchanged possession several times with Micah Flusche, Arlie Bayer, and Krahl holding Era to a minus 4 yards. The Cubs, again led by Krahl, got in nine runs before booting the ball back to Era. A quarterback sack by Bayer ended the first half of play.

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Kevin Walterscheid (60) tackles Era's H.T. Crenshaw after a completed pass.

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Hornet action from last week's scrin State School. Janie Hartman



Sacred Heart's defense held tight in the middle for three downs at the goal line, but the Hornets finally went outside for 6 points.

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	Sep. 14	Millsap	T	7:30	
	Sep. 21	Callisburg	T	7:30	
	Sep. 28	Collinsville	H	7:30	
	Oct. 5	Chico	T	7:30	
	Oct. 12	Saint Jo * **	H	7:30	
	Oct. 19	Alvord *	T	7:30	
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2001 Sacred Heart Tigers Varsity Football Schedule

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	Sep. 14	Colleyville Covenant	H	7:30	
	Sep. 21	Canyon Creek	H	7:30	
	Sep. 28	Houston Cypress**	H	7:30	
	Oct. 5	Prestonwood*	H	7:30	
	Oct. 12	Rockwall*	H	7:30	
	Oct. 19	Tyler Street*	T	7:30	
	Oct. 26	Dallas Lakehill*	T	7:30	
	Nov. 2	Ambassadors*	T	7:30	

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Jacksboro scratches Knights

The Lindsay Knights opened their 2001 season last Friday night, hosting the 2-A powerhouse Jacksboro Tigers.

The boys play with a lot of effort, stated Coach Charlie Meurer about the Knights. We made lots of errors, but with an open week we can work on these things.

A fumble and a bad snap assisted the Tigers in defeating the Knights 28-6.

Lindsay's offense began action at their 20 yard line. With 4:34 on the clock, and the Knights booted the ball back to the Tigers. Both offenses saw action before time expired for the half-time break.

Two plays later a fumbled ball gave Jacksboro possession on the 18 yard line. A pass play quickly moved the Tigers to the 8, but tackles by Ryan Kasparek, Adam Anderle, and Josh Goldsmith put the ball in a 4th and goal situation on the 4 yard line.

Jacksboro settled for a field goal to take an early 0-3 lead.

The Knight offense again struggled, loosing yards instead of gaining, punting on 4th and 15.

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The Knight offense lost yards on their second attempted drive and punted. The Tigers moved the ball down field, getting two good pass completions. On first and goal, a loose ball was covered by Rhett Rimmer giving the Knights possession on their 2 yard line.

line.

Jacksboro ran the ball into the second quarter mixing ground and air attacks against the Knights. A 34 yard touchdown pass gave the Tigers a 0-9 lead with 10:24 on the first half clock.

yardage



Chris Horner (35) and Ryan Kasparek (55) assis

Hess and Haverkamp's performances for Carroll noted in Metroplex papers

Two "Muenster kids" were recognized in Saturday's Dallas Morning News for their performances on the football field last Friday night.

The article, "Carroll sacks Wichita Falls" explains the play that turned the game around for Southlake Carroll. With less than 8 minutes to go, defensive tackle Cody Hess, son of LeeRoy and Colleen Hess, assisted in a "pancaked" quarterback sack, causing a fumble that was picked up and ran for a touchdown.

Also adding to the 28–14 Carroll victory was leading rusher, Kody Haverkamp, who carried 16 times for 63 yards. Kody is the son of Roger and Monica Haverkamp and grandson of Mickey and Benny Haverkamp and Jake Schilling.

Intoxicated boaters could lose license under new TPW law

Boating-while-intoxicated (BWI) offenders beware: refusing to submit to an intoxication test -- either a blood sample or a breathalyzer -- may result in an automatic driver's license suspension of 180 days.

days.

Beginning Sept. 1, 2001, Texas Parks and Wildlife game wardens and other marine safety enforcement officers will be authorized to confiscate the driver's license of persons suspected of BWI who refuse an intoxication test. This applies to operators of watercraft with engines that have a manufacturer's rating of 50 horsepower or more.

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"We are determined to keep BWI violators off the water not only to keep other boaters safe but to stop a BWI from turning into a DWI down the road," said Dennis Johnston, TPW director of water safety enforcement.

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enforcement.
Under the new legislation, BWI offenders

who do not submit to an intoxication test will be issued a temporary driving permit valid for 40 days. The provisions do not apply to offenders who willingly undergo a sobriety test and fail.

Legislation effective Sept. 1, 1999, lowered the blood alcohol content standard from 0.10 to 0.08 percent for boat operators as well as automobile drivers. Any boat operator who appears to be under the influence or who has a blood alcohol content of 0.08 percent or greater may be arrested.

"We suggest that boaters simply leave the alcohol at home," said Johnston. "Most people wouldn't load up a chest full of beer before hitting the road, and they should look at boating the same way."

For more information concerning the new laws, contact Johnston at (512) 389-4628 or visit the Texas Parks and Wildlife Web site (http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/boat/boat.htm).



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punt saw a high snap go over the punter's head, setting up the Tigers' next touchdown. Four runs, 33 yards and Jacksboro had a ZB lead with 1:52 remaining in the third period. The teams exchanged punts, then the Knights have an open date this Friday night, then their 35 yard line. Runs by 14.

Hunting regulation errors noted in Outdoor Annual

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Adam Anderle (21) finds a hole in the Knights' offensive line for a 65-yard run. Making the opening included Mitch Creed (89), Ryan Kasparek (55), Nathan Bruce (5), Brandon Ferguson (50) and Adam Schreiber (72).

Janie Hartman Photo

Hunters will notice a change in the way game regulations are presented in this year's 2001-2002 Texas Parks and Wildlife Outdoor Annual. What they might not notice are a few errors that appear in the booklet, which became available Aug. 15 when new licenses went on sale.

To ensure hunters and anglers are legal in the field, states David Sinclair, TPW director of wildlife enforcement, sportsmen should be aware there are a few cases of inaccurate information in the new Outdoor Annual. The following are some of the revisions that should be noted before going afield this fall:

• Applications for the two new hunt categories in the Big Time Texas Hunts program may not be purchased through license vendors. Entries in the Texas Premium Buck Hunt must be mailed in to TPW and are available

aware that antlerless deer may be taken by Managed Land Deer permits only, except on the Hagerman National Wildlife Refuge.

"In an effort to help hunters and anglers, we made the booklet more user-friendly this year by going to a graphics-based format," Sinclair said. "If you aren't sure about a regulation or have conflicting information, contact your local TPW game warden or call toll-free at 800-792-1112, prior to going hunting or fishing."

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initiatives will be Butterfield Stage's Youth Theatre Director, Pat Adams. Adams. Classes scheduled for the

Classes scheduled for the iall semester include: Creative Dramatics, for youths 6 - 8 years, to be held on Tuesdays from 4 - 5 p.m.; Young Performers, for youth 9 - 11 years, scheduled for Mondays from 4 - 5 p.m.; and Teen Acting Class, for youths 12 years - young adult, to be conducted on

Mondays from 5 - 6:30 p.m. Classes are conducted for a period of eight weeks and focus on improvisation, scene development, and performance skills. At the performance skills. At the semester's conclusion, an acting showcase is presented featuring the students' work.

Class size is limited, so early registration is encouraged. Tuition is \$50 for BSP members and \$60 for non-members. Class applications are presently being accepted, and parents and guardians may register their child by mail (P.O. Box 251, Gainesville, TX 76241) or in person at the theatre (201 S. Denton) Monday - Friday from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 2 - 4 p.m.

For more information concerning the fall theatre classes or other 2001-2002 activities, contact the theatre at 940-665-8152.

Farm & Ranch

TFU: farmers victims of tax cuts - again!

The U.S. Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Midsession Review, released by the administration shows the budget surplus that fueled the recent tax cut has eroded, along with opportunities to provide adequate funds to implement policies needed by farmers, ranchers and rural America.

Horse barn design and construction workshop

workshop

The Denton County Extension Horse Committee will host a horse barn design and construction workshop on Sept. 15, beginning with registration at 8:45 a.m.

The workshop will take place at the Denton County Carroll Courts Building, 401 W. Hickory in Denton. Parking will be at the building's lot at Mulberry and Carroll Blvd.

"The clinic will cover building topics involving wood frame and steel construction, and wood barn construction," said Rebecca Parker, Denton County Extension agent. "Participating barn builders will provide exhibits and handouts for those attending," Parker said. Speakers will cover such topics as site planning, construction materials, design and ventilation, as well as pros and cons to the various types of construction. The program will end at noon. Cost for attending is free; however, attendance will be limited to 100.

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"While the administration promoted a tax cut that mostly benefited the wealthy, it rejected needed funds for agriculture in the recently-signed assistance package and now threatens the viability of future farm programs," Texas Farmers Union President Wes Sims said. "We need Congress and the administration to pay added attention to the needs of America's family farmers and ranchers."

Stalled economic growth

and the largest tax cut in history have resulted in a reassessment of budget surplus projections that could limit additional spending for domestic agriculture programs provided for in the 2002 budget resolution. The political reality is that Congress may not be willing to approve a farm bill that will in fact be raiding Social Security and Medicare.

"Unfortunately, this outcome was predicted by many prior to the passage of the tax bill," Sims said. "This action will make it extremely difficult to establish meaningful farm legislation that provides new market opportunities and an improved economic safety net for farmers and ranchers."

Ag Briefs

One way to improve gains and cattle performance is by offering livestock tank water. Tank water is preferred by cattle and can be healthier, according to forage specialists. Ponds and streams are "polluted" when cattle wade into the water, stirring up mud and depositing urine and manure.

manure.
Young steers were noted gaining an extra 3/10 to 4/10 of a pound per day drinking tank water.

The maturity of a plant is just one factor in putting up good silage. Moisture, the speed of harvest, chop length, distribution and compaction all require attention when preparing silage.

Moisture testing is the most accurate way to determine whole-plant moisture. If harvested too wet, too early, energy is lost. Too dry, excessive heating occurs, feeding on yeast and mold problems.

To recover from drought, grass and forage plants require rest and water. Some locations may need interseeding or reseeded. If pastures do need seeded, follow these tips:

• Be sure the area is suitable for seeding.
• Choose plants adaptable to the area.
• Kill the weeds and prepare a seed bed.
• Plant mixtures of species to reduce the risk of plant failure.

Devan Sicking, with his father Alan Sicking, took part in the "parade" at the annual Cooke County Antique Farm machinery Show last weekend in Lindsay on an old John Deere tractor.

A meadow of wildflowers or a sea of weeds ... depends on your perspective.

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Source	Variety	Test Weight	Yield (bu/ac)			2001 Yield	3 Year Yield	
		Avg. (lb/bu)	Prosper	Dallas	Era	Howe	Avg (bu/ac)	Avg. (by/ac)
TAMU	Dallas	33.7	53.8	81.6	61.9	81.9	69.8	95.2
Terrell	Secretariat 495	37.1	49.9	74.6	59.4	96.7	70.1	90.6
UPL	Chapman	32.5	59.2	68.2	48.7	101.4	69.4	89.9
TAMU	TAMO 397	37.9	65.5	75.2	101.5	117.0	89.8	89.1
Ark Co.	Harrison	34.8	75.6	63.5	61.9	84.8	71.4	84.6
Ark.Co.	811	38.9	49.6	58.5	43.0	73.1	56.0	80.1

AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS & BARLEY YELLOW DWARF VIRUS WINTER OAT - NORTH TEXAS BLACKLANDS - 2000 - 2001

Source	Variety	Maturity (Early, Medium, Medium-Late, Late)	Winter Hardiness (Tender, Intermediate, Hardy	Height (Short, Medium, Tall)	Barley Yellow Dwarf Virus (R, MR, MS, \$)*
TAMU	Dallas	ML	Н	M	MR-R
Terrell	Secretariat 495	M	H	M	MS-MR
UFL	Chapman	E	1	M	MS-MR
TAMU	TAMO 397	E	T	T	MR
Ark Co.	Harrison	M	H	M	MS-MR
Ark.Co.	811	E	н	M	MR-R

*Resistance to various diseases noted by: R=resistance, MR=moderately resistance, MS=moderately susceptible, S=susceptible. Where two reactions are given, the first reaction is predominant.

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Boer Goats

County Agent's Report by Craig Rosenbaum

OAT TRIALS

Oats have not been under cultivation as long as the other cereal crops. The common oat appears first to have been found growing wild in regions of Western Europe; from there it spread to various parts of the world.

Oats are not native to the Americas; like all other cereals but corn, they came into North America through two routes. The first was with Northern Europeans, who used oats as a grain and forage crop for livestock and, to a lesser extent, for human food. No doubt many of them brought seed of oats with them as they settled along the east coast to form the new Colonies.

The three major hazards of oat production in Texas are drouth, low temperature injury, and disease. All are unpredictable and may cause serious damage in any season.

Drouth periods most seriously affecting oats occur in the fall, interfering with seeding and crop establishment, and in the March-April period when the grain crop is heading.

Spring-type oat varieties are damaged to varying degrees by temperatures of twenty (20°) - thirty (30°) degrees Fahrenheit. When the winter type varieties were introduced, they not only usually survived fall seeding, but also provided winter pasture and grain

Winter-killing of the small grains in Texas is influenced by variety, degree of hardening before the freeze, soil moisture and fertility, and temperature fluctuations. Oats need cold fall temperatures to harden plants. Our freeze damage comes when we have those eighty (80°) degree fall days and then the twenty (20°) degree fall days and then the twenty and the first in potential losses to the oat crop because shich may attack oats in Texas causing minor or serious losses are leaf (crown) rust, stem rust, septoria, and yellow dwarf. The rusts rank first in potential losses to the oat crop because infection frequent to the northern states. Crown rust can happen but

generally it is not a threat this far north. Most of the newer varieties are not resistant but are tolerant to yellow dwarf virus.

Oats are probably damaged less by insects than most crops. The greenbug, an aphid which can reproduce at low temperatures of the winter months, often causes local and sometimes widespread damage to oats and other cereals. This and other aphids may transmit a virus causing the Yellow Dwarf disease.

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disease.

However, one insect we do see that prefers oats are the winter grain mite. Winter grain mites tend to be repeat visitors to the same fields. If you had them last year, look for them again this year.

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Nearly all the oat grain produced in Texas is used for home livestock feed or is sold to local mills; eighty-five (85%) percent of the United States production of oat grain is used for feed. Oats make one of the best concentrate feeds for breeding stock of all kinds. Oats have about the same protein content as grain sorghum and barley but do not have as much as wheat. The value of oats as a winter pasture for livestock was recognized as soon as the winter-type oat varieties were introduced. Hay production is generally better than wheat. Tallest varieties include Harrison, Secretariat 495 and 811. But, all tend to produce a great deal of forage.

And, oats have little to no vernilization requirements so they can be planted as a spring crop for small grain production or hay. Most spring planted oats are seeded before February 15, and the earlier - the better.

Listed below are the oat variety is a little tender for us in North Texas and can receive severe winter damage.

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