# MISD receives ninth exemplary rating

For the ninth year in a row Muenster ISD has received an Exemplary rating, the highest academic rating administered by the Texas Education Agency (TEA). This success is the result of hard-working students, teachers and campus principals who continuously set high expectations. TEA has continued to raise the bar on schools, and MISD has always cleared that bar with room to spare.

To earn the Exemplary rating, a school or a district needed to have at least a 90 percent passing rate for all students on the social studies TAAS test and have an annual dropout rate of 1.0 percent or less for all students on the result of achieve a 90 percent possing rate for all students on the social studies TAAS test and have an annual dropout rate of 1.0 percent or less for all students and rate of a studies TAAS test and have an annual dropout rate of suddents and each student group.

In September, the state, as required by law, will issue Gold Performance Acknowledgement for the first time. Campuses and districts will be eligible to earn this acknowledgment for high performance on a number of indicators. Last

Decision upheld by

Lindsay ISD board

school district in the state to receive an Exemplary rating and academic acknowledgement in six supplemental areas. Districts and campuses can earn the new recognition for attendance rates; Algebra I end-of-course examination results; advanced academic

course completion; advanced placement/ International Baccalaureate examination results; college admission districts will retain their 2002 accountability ratings. Campuses' 2002 ratings will not be carried forward, but recommended high school program participation.

Campuses can also earn

performance evaluation. This evaluation will identify the indicators and student groups where 2003 performance does not meet 2004 a ccountability standards. In December 2003, districts will receive an overall designation of either 2003 Performance Meets 2004 Standard(s) or 2003 Performance Does Not Meet 2004 Standard(s).

A completely revamped accountability system will debut in 2004. It is now being designed, with input from educators in the field. It is expected to be based on student performance on the TAKS test and the school completion rate. Additional accountability information, including ratings for individual districts and schools, the 2002 Accountability Manual and the 2003 Accountability Manual and the 2003 Accountability Manual and the 2003 Account/2002. District and campus dropout

erfreport/account/2002.
District and campus dropout rates can be found at http://www.tea.state.tx.us/research

SPRING 2002 TAAS TEST RESULTS Grades 3-8 and 10

	MISD	State
Reading	99.1%	91.3%
Math	99.5%	92.7%
Writing	100%	88.7%
Social Studies	97.3%	83.7%
Dropout Rate	0%	1%

# Present for Mitch Felderhoff's (center) Eagle Scout rank were, from left, US Congressman Raiph Hall; State Representative Ron Clark. Sharon, and Ronnie Felderhoff. Mitch Felderhoff earns Eagle Scout Rank

Mitchell W. Felderhoff, son of Ronnie & Sharon Felderhoff, was awarded the highest rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America, that of Eagle Scout, in ceremonies in Sacred Heart Church in Muenster on Sunday afternoon, August 4.

The rank of Eagle Scout was conferred at 2 p.m. Sunday in a full and formal Eagle Court of Honor with the Honorable Ralph Hall, United States Congressman, District 4, and the Honorable Ron Clark, States Representative, District 62, participating in the ceremonies.

Greeting guests as they arrived were cousins Lauren Pape and Nichole Metzler.

Amanda

Felderhoff, sister of the Eagle Courd of the Eagle candidate, played piano selections from Beethoven and Debusys as a prelude to the opening of the Court. The Court. The Court of Honor Metzler on Sunday afternoon, August 4.

The rank of Eagle Scout the Court. The Color Guard of Beats of the U.S.A." by Lee Greenwood on the piano. The Color Guard of Karl Fisher and Daniel Bartush the United States flag and the Boy Scouts of America the United States flag

#### King proposes no annexation without representation

Recently, State Representative Phil King (R-Weatherford) announced his intent to sponsor legislation to end the practice of cities annexing into unincorporated areas without the approval of landowners.

landowners.
King's proposal comes in the wake of Fort Worth's preparations to annex into eastern Parker County without the approval of local residents.
"It's a fundamental question of right and wrong.

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By Janet Felderhoff
Discussion following a letter submitted to the Lindsay ISD School Board asking them to reconsider the path they had taken led to a special meeting being set for Monday, Aug. 5 to include an agenda item that would reconsider the directive. The directive was to have each item on a deficiency list completed by its respective deficiency elimination due date as shown on the list. There were 136 items on the original list with completion times ranging from July 22, 2002 to Jan. 3, 2003.

Board President Danny Nortman said requests from the audience ranged from, "tear the whole document up to just take out the last sentence to just let us know how each one of you feel individually." He chose to de the latter of the three.

Nortman stated, "We all know that sometimes you say things that you wish you hadn't said. The power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the spoken word, however, pales in comparison to the power of the written word. We are all taught from early on to read the fine print and know what you are signing before you sign it. Your signature, whether you take the time or not, implies that you have studied the document thoroughly and agree to its See LINDSAY, Pg. 4

# Muenster Lake dam construction begins

which is somewhat similar to the sand used in making concrete. Raymond Lee, project manager for the filtering effect will leave Natural Resource (Conservation Service) in the dam. Any water that might otherwise seep into locations of the foundation and of the work and praises and chimney drains were calculated by project geologists to collect any water that might seep into the dam and drain it away, preventing saturation and down to nonpermeable soil

Riprap (broken stone) will be added to help prevent erosion.

Muenster Lake is an NRCS project. (NRCS was formerly the Soil Conservation Service.) When the lake is completed, water will flow out through two pipes. The City of Muenster will use one pipe for drinking water, and the NRCS will use the other for flood control.

Unfortunately, liability considerations prevent open access to the construction site by curious residents. Any visitors must be accompanied by an official involved in the project and must wear a hard hat at all times, even inside a vehicle. A map of the project, with the latest information available, can be viewed at the Muenster Chamber of Commerce offices. The water board will soon advertise for bids for fencing the entire lake site. Any land owner with questions about boundaries should contact Muenster City Hall.

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# By Don Rohmer Beavers Construction has finished removing soil from the site designated for the first phase of construction of the dam that will create Muenster Lake, and has begun the actual construction. Multiengine scrapers with more than 10,000 horsepower made short work of digging down to nonpermeable soil. The crew has begun installation of a 1150-foot foundation drain at what will be the bottom of the dam, and construction of a cutoff trench in front of the dam. The rest of phase one will consist of hauling in soil to form the 72-foot-high dam, pausing every five feet to fill in a chimney drain. Phase one includes about half of the dam, the rest of which will be built in phase two. Most of the funding is in place for both phases. The offices of Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison and Congressman Ralph Hall have offered their help in procurement, so that the second phase of construction can begin as soon as the first is completed. The foundation drain is a six-inch perforated PVC pipe buried in two feet of coarse drain-fill material, which is a type of gravel. That is covered by one foot of fine drain-fill material,

# Classes begin August 14 at Muenster ISD

Muenster teachers began the new school year with a staff development day on Thursday, Aug. 8. After a welcome from the university of North Texas in Denton. She has a degree in Interdisciplinary the new school year with a staff development day on Thursday, Aug. 8. After a welcome from the University of North Texas in Concerning technology, University of Interscholastic League, mentor teachers, crisis management, Professional Development, and Appriasal System and gifted students. Teachers work in their classrooms on Aug. 13.

Superintendent Clyde Steelman noted that this would be an interesting year. The TACS test is replacing the TAAS test, which has been in place for 10 years. He said they hope to continue the success of the past years in the accountability ratings.

Student enrollment in the pre AP and AP classes is up this year, according to Steelman. Last year another nine classes were added to this program.

"Overall from a Board standpoint, we're looking at a couple of major capital improvements this year," Steelman said. "Other than that we just hope to continue our success in UIL defending our State championship in academic UIL and defending our State championship in academic UIL and defending our District title in UIL Meenster ISD is in a new schools both in academic understands in the pre AP and AP classes in the pre AP and AP classes is up this year, according to Steelman and "Other than that we just hope to continue our success in UIL defending our State championship in academic UIL and defending our District title in UIL Meenster ISD is in a new schools both in academic and a thletics," and Scott Is well and the telementary defending our District title in UIL Meenster ISD is in a new schools both in academic and a thletics," and Scott Is well and the Elementary school district. Joining the Muenster Steelman and Melanie Miller for first grade and Liss Pagel for hid graduated from Evans and Scott Is well and the Elementary School district. Joining the Muens to the profession of the profession of the p

Missouri. She holds a degree in Music Education with certification in grades one through six.

Lisa Pagel graduated from the university of North Texas in Denton. She has a degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with a specialty in Reading. Lisa taught 3rd grade at Whitesboro Elementary School for eight years.

Monte Endres graduated from Sacred Heart High in 1981 and from the University of North Texas in Denton in 1992. He and his wife, Jacque, have four daughters, Brooke, Abby, Erin, and Taylor. Monte comes to Muenster ISD from Era High School where he coached football, basketball and track from 1997 to 2002. He also coached those sports at Callisburg from 1994 to 1996 and at round Rock from 1992 to 1994.

James McAlister and his wife, Melissa, have two sons, Payton, age 3 1/2, and Aubrey, 10 months. His hometown is Alvord. He graduated from Alvord High School. James earned a degree from Southwest Texas State University with a major in Ex. Sports Science and a minor in History. McAlister was a coach and teacher at Saint Jo from 1998 to 2002 and at Azle from 1997 to 1998. His hobbies are fishing and golf. Molly Sicking is a Muenster native. She graduated from Sacred Heart High School and went on to earn a degree from Texas Woman's University. She has a major in Biology and a minor in Chemistry. She has a teaching certificate in Composite Science. Molly taught at Lindsay from 1997 to 2002. Prio: to that she taught at Collinsville from 1996 to 1997. She is married to Wesley Sicking. They have three daughters, Shelbi, age 6, Kelsi, age 4, and Jenna, age 2.

Parent Night for all Muenster elementary prekindergarten through grade four students is Monday, Aug. 12 from 7-8 p.m. At this time parents have an opportunity to meet their child's teacher and learn about the grade level requirements regarding discipline, homework, curriculum, and classroom procedures. Parents may pick up a syllabus in their child's classroom. School supplies should be brought along on Parents Night.

Orientation for all 5th and 6th graders is Saturday, August 10 from 9 a.m. to noon. This event provides an opportunity for parents, students, and teachers to get acquainted with one another.

After a brief orientation explaining the classroom procedures, parents and students cover textbooks and store school supplies. Orientation is completed by locating lockers, walking through the daily class schedule, and visiting with friends.

Students in grades seven through 12 who have not picked up their class schedules meed to do so before the first day of class, Please pick these up at the high school office between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Muenster ISD is again participating in the National School Lunch/Breakfast Program. To receive these free or reduced price lunches, parents must complete a form, which is available from the school to see if their child or children qualify. For further information call 759-2281

Teachers and staff for Muenster Elementary are as follows:

Muensei Benenaar as follows:

Pre kindergarten - Danna Frederick, Sharon Ledbetter 1st grade - Kim Fleming, Melanie Miller 2nd grade - Kim Budish, Carol Ann Hess 3st - Amy Anderle, Dianne Endres, Lisa Pagel 4th - Deb Klement, Cheryl Presnall

3'a — Amy Anderle,
Dianne Endres, Lisa Pagel
4'b — Deb Klement, Cheryl
Presnall
Resource K-3 — Dana
Coleman, Social Studies, 5th
grade, Learning Lab
Resource 4-6 — Jim Van
Vleet, Social Studies 5th and
6'b grade, Learning Lab
Computer - Kay Hickey
Reading 5-6 - Lou Heers,
Gifted and talented,
Administration Assistant
Science - Leigh Hale, UIL
Coordinator
Language Arts — Kristi
Schneider, TAAS
Coordinator, Administrative
Assistant
Librarian — Lisa Hettler
Mathematics — DaLana
Chisam, UIL Coordinator
Learning Lab — Jim Van
Vleet, Spanish, History
Physical Education —
Brad Budish
Speech Pathologist —
Deborah Lawson
Diagnostician — Ken
Heilman
School Nurse — Marlene
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Custodian — Mike
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Wednesday, August 21, 2002 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30 S.N.A.P. Center St. Peter's Celebration honoring Benedictines -Mass, hall MISD PreK-11th School

Thursday, August 22, 2002 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM MMH Blood Drive, KC Hall

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# Lindsay ISD campus refurbished to start school

By Janet Felderhoff
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# KXGM sold to Hispanic group

Entravision Holding Company, licensee of radio frequency 106.5, announced the future upgrade of the frequency to 100,000 watts and the change of dial position from 106.5 to 106.7, effective Friday, August 9, 2002. Charley and Pam Henderson, Henderson Broadcasting, L.P. sold the local FM frequency 106.5 which KXGM-FM has operated on for the past 10 1/2 years, in September 2000 to First Broadcasting Company, L.P., Dallas, Texas.

The new station will sacramento, California. Entravision is one of the largest Hispanic broadcasting groups in the United States. Henderson Broadcasting Company has been operating and programming KXGM for Entravision through a TBA (Time Brokerage Agreement) for the past 19 months while Entravision has gone through a tedious upgrade procedure with the FCC.

The new station will broadcast from a 2000 foot

Texas.

In January, 2001 First broadcast from a 2000 food and frequency to Entravision

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# From My Side of the Fence by Ed

I first learned to know Dr. Crawford when I was a kid of 6 or 7. He loved to shoot jackrabbits, but did not like to walk through the grass and weeds to find them.

In those times jackrabbits were everywhere - along the roads, in the bar ditches, and they often sat in the shade of a sunflower, cockle burr, or other weeds.

Doe would often pick me up in his Model T coupe, and then drive out into the country. These old jacks would jump up at his passing them, and then would be totally visible to the shooter.

This is what Doc wanted, and when it happened he would quickly stop and take a shot. If he was fortunate enough to make a kill, I

fence and retrieve the rabbit for him.

I thought going hunting with the kind old gentleman was fun. Doc liked to shoot several, and then bring them to people who had dogs that would eat the meat.

I don't know if Doc Crawford was an M.D. or not. The first medical doctor I remember was Dr. Dudley. He was a kindly man, and lanced a couple gum-boils I had.

I remember how scared I was when he came to me with that lancet in his hand, but he assured me there would be no pain, and there wasn't. Just a bit of bloody fluid and stinging sensation

that went away very quickly.

Dad offered to pay the good doctor, but he only laughed and handed me a couple mints.

Doctor Dudley was a regular at most all of the all day wedding celebrations of those times, and he spent most of his time with the kids.

most of his time who kids.

He always had both coat pockets full of mints and generously handed them to the children, who usually crowded around him.

I also remember his delivering my younger sister, Lucille, but at age 7, didn't know just what part he played in it.
I cannot remember whatever became of him.

# **Letters to the Editor**

To the Editor:

I was so saddened to learn that Muenster has lost one of its greatest men, Tony Luke. I so enjoyed reading the beautiful obituary by Elfreda, and the wonderful letters of tribute. I, too, would like to say what a privilege and a pleasure it was for me to know Tony Luke for all these years. If tried to list all the accolades I hold within my heart for Tony, they would probably reach all the way to Heaven and come right back again! As a little girl I used to love going to the Variety Store, and walking up and down the aisles with all the fascinating merchandise to see! Many times I would ask Mother or Daddy for a couple of dollars so I could go "shopping" at the Variety Store. I know that Mr. Luke knew that I was going to browse for hours, and then only spend a couple of dollars, but he treated all the other customers. He would always say, just look

all you want to, and let me know if I can help you with anything." Then I'd be off on my adventure! I remember how meticulously clean he kept the store, and how well organized and well arranged all the different departments were. I would spend hours just walking up and down the aisles just mesmerized by all the wonderful items on display!

Tony Luke touched the lives of everyone in Muenster either directly or indirectly by the beautiful music he provided for so many of the weddings, funerals, and Masses at Sacred Heart Church The fact that he found time to share his talent with so many was such a blessing for the entire community. Tony Luke will be missed, but never forgotten. His legend will live on through those of us who loved him so dearly. Tony Luke was not just a good man, he was a great man, and we are all better for having known him, and now that he has gone on to prepare a place

for us, Heaven is a better place, as well!

To all the members of his family I would like to say, "God must love all of you deeply to have sent you to the best that He had! I don't know any two people that I love, admire, and respect more than I do Leona and Tony Luke! Our family motto is: Sorrow shared is divided, and joy shared is multiplied. May it bring you all comfort in knowing how many people share in your sorrow and grief, and may it bring you much joy to know what a wonderful influence your loved one had on so many people.

On Wednesday, July 31.

your loved one had on so many people.

On Wednesday, July 31, 2002, God broke many, many hearts to prove to us-He only takes the best!

"Goodbye, Tony Luke, and thanks for touching all our lives in such a special way, and thanks for all the cherished memories that will live on in our hearts forever! We love you, good!"

Sincerely, Judy Hartman 818 Stanley Dr. Denton, TX 76201

Dear Editor:
Football fans need to know that there is a brand new team in North Texas. No, it's not the new and improved Cowboys. It's the Dallas Diamonds, one of the newest teams of the National Women's Football League. The WPFL is in it's 4th year, and, while it is not receiving much publicity, I believe that it is here to stay. On Saturday the 3rd I attended their first game against the Houston Energy at Birdville ISD in North Richland Hills (9200 Mid Cities Blvd.). The Diamonds lost the game to the two-time defending national champion Energy, but it was an amazing thing to

watch. Women playing football! Who would have guessed it? These women probably will not make much money for playing if they make any. They all hold other jobs. The closest one to us is Teresa Salyer from Whitesboro. The next closest is Judy Mask from Sherman. Skill wise these women did not grow up playing tackle football, and they are just figuring out how to run the plays. They make junior high mistakes, but their athletic ability is at least comparable to junior college teams. No, they do not hit as hard as the guys in the pros, but they could beat almost any high school team of guys.

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They play by all of the same rules as the NFL players. I think it was well worth the \$15 admission to see the Diamonds beginning to set their place in Dallas sports history. The remaining home games begin at 7 p.m. at Birdville ISD on the following dates: August 17 and 24, September 21 and 28, and October 19. Please try to get out to see at least one of their games. They play hard and give their fans some exciting football to watch. Wear a purple shirt and be ready to cheer on your Dallas Diamonds!

Sarah "TANK" Hess 521 N. Oak Muenster, TX 76252

To The Editor,

I would like to commend Joan Fuhrmann for the persistent research she has done in the breast cancer/abortion representation by The American Cancer Society. I find it unacceptable that an organization mislead the American people about the facts concerning the risk and treatment of diseases such as cancer.

As an 11 year survivor of cancer, my success in defeating this illness depended on the grace of God, the prayers of many and the God-given talent of the doctors who treated me. Another important factor in my being a survivor were the many dedicated people my being a survivor were the many dedicated people

who spent countless hours of research determining what might be risk factors and what treatments best meet the needs to cure such an illness.

an illness.

With approximately one million young women getting abortions every year. The American Cancer Society is putting each and every one of these women at risk by withholding and even misleading them by publishing false and inaccurate information. The people who lead such organizations should be held accountable when they jeopardize the health of American women.

Locally, many people put much time and effort in to

raise funds for The American Cancer Society. I challenge them to inform Jackie Bayly-Bryant of The American Cancer Society of their disappointment in this organization's involvement in reporting false and misleading information and take whatever action is needed to insure this doesn't happen again.

Granted, The American Cancer Society does many good things to advance the fight against cancer, however, one intentional misrepresentation of facts undermines all the good they do.

Sincerely.

do. Sincerely, Marilyn Bierschenk 8357 CR 341 Muenster, Texas 76252

# KXGM Sold, continued from page 3 will be programmed by Entravision. "The broadcasting business is a very volatile business at the present time with a few big companies acquiring a large segment of the nation's broadcast stations as a direct result of the Communications Act of 1996" Henderson said. "It's been fun, but all good things must come to an end. We have allways strived to provide our listeners with quality local programming as well as an effective venue for our advertisers. Keeping our listeners entertained and informed has been of one KXGM's top priorities" Henderson stated. Henderson said, "We presently have our sights on several FM broadcast

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KING

People who are going to be affected by annexation should have some say in whether they want to be annexed," explained King.

Generally, home rule cities are allowed to annex property adjacent to their city limits without any approval from property owners. King proposes to require written approval from individual property owners or, in the case of platted residential developments, a majority of residents.

residents
"This is Texas! We value
property rights. Requiring
landowner approval will
simply mean that
municipalities will have to
negotiate and sell their
wares," said King.

Lindsay ISD Board, from pg. 1

shrug of the shoulders or a rolling of the eyes a message is received by the person posing the question. The public then takes that message and interprets it however they see fit. This is all very natural and very normal. It can also be very damaging, but it is the nature of the imperfect system under which we govern."

Signing of the directive was not an action item, Nortman emphasized. It was an employee performance directive to be kept confidential and placed in Winn's file, said Nortman. It was Winn who chose that the directive be in open session, as was his right.

As a personal preference Nortman would have preferred that the directive be much more short and sweet. "The legal advice we received from the Denton attorney, in a nutshell, said that we should not dwell on what has or has not been accomplished," Nortman explained. "The only thing that mattered we were told was his performance going forward and I agree with that advice. Therefore, in my opinion, a simple statement attached to the deficiencies list emphasizing the due dates for each item would have been sufficient."

The sentence that spoke of possible immediate termination for not complying with the

of possible immediate termination for not complying with the directive, was harsher than Nortman thought necessary. He would have preferred, "may result in future disciplinary action". The Attorney advised that it be worded as it was. "It is supposedly industry standard verbage for this type of document," he said. "We reached a group compromise and that document is the result of that compromise," Nortman continued. "Good, bad, or indifferent, it is what it is and I must stand behind that signature. I cannot go back and say that I didn't really mean to sign it ... Ive also stated all along that, in my opinion, this document is not a tool for termination. Any reasonable person can easily see that a myriad of mitigating circumstances could evolve during the ongoing work on the deficiencies list - bad weather days, sub contractors not showing up on time, employees calling in sick, materials not delivered on time. All of these things are things that really do happen in real life and as a result could easily void the termination clause into our legal system. That's why to me the document serves as nothing but an attention getter. The real tool for the termination of a superintendent is the nonextension of a contract. The previous Board which includes all but two members of this Board chose to extend Mr. Winn's contract by one year this past January."

Nortman hoped to accomplish three things by taking the stance he did. They are to appease the public's request to some degree; to maintain the integrity of the Board's action; and to restore some level of dignity to Mr. Winn's contract by one year this going thand it's not just about maintenance." He said that there are two new Board members and the Board is taking a bit different direction than in the past. "The probine seems to be thinking that we have Mr. Winn's hands tied," noted Bezner. "We're right on track with the budget. We're right on track with a

care of business. If the public doesn't feel like we're doing our job, then I'm sorry. Every year we vote on new Board members and that's your place. You mention that we're micromanaging the administration and at this point we are. We've gotten beyond where it should be getting, but we felt like we had to get to that point to drive the issue home. ... Mr. Winn has done a lot of good things. There a few things he needs to watch a little

occument for us to use to direct Mr. Winn. There's no more guessing what we want. He knows and I think it's helped him quite a bit."
Wayne Fleitman said that if he'd handled the deficiencies list himself it would have been different. "We've got seven people and what I try to do is something best for the school and I think all seven Board members do that," Fleitman remarked. "The last sentence there about the termination clause is a little harsh. We discussed that. Damian said that is a standard thing on a lot of deals. I supervise some employees at work and that's a clause in ours. I hate that it is. I know I'm not going to use it a lot of times, but it's a clause and it's there. "Believe it or not we've already discussed a lot of things that everybody brought up. We weren't born yesterday as much as some of you think we might have been. We are here for the best of the school I said

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closer and he's doing that."
He said the directive sounded harsh, but the said the sounded harsh, but the said they were not trying to run Winn out of town and there was no way that that and coment could do that. David Arendt said hagreed with most of what Nortman said. He said they went in with differences of opinion and worked real hard at getting a consensus because divisiveness had to end with the school board. There was a lot of command the send of the said that much time maybe we don't always make the best decisions that late in the day." he said. "Maybe we get pressured, and I don't mean by other people, but by time and irredness, and got to get the maintenance done. If six used as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six used as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get the maintenance done. If six sued as a tool to get all the actions taken care of and get everybody back on board to thinking only of what the six gold to thinking only of what the six gold to thinking only of what the six gold to the walk to move of maintenance taken care of and get everybody behind that verbal dirit work and so they tried to thinking only of what the six gold to the walk to make the early shown and the staken care of and the rest of the issues. If you get it done and try to get it done and try

a feasibility study could be done.

Principal Jerry Metzler reported that there are 482 students now enrolled. That compares to 468 last year, an increase of about three percent. He noted that in District Accountability, LISD earned an Exemplary District rating as it has for the last six years. The Elementary K-8 received the Exemplary rating, but the high school was rated Recognized due to exit level 10th grade students receiving an 89.7% rating when at least 90% is needed for Exemplary. He said they have the right to appeal the ratings and may do so since the campus is actually set up K-6 and 7-12, which could bring the score up.

Other business at the

Other business at the Aug. 5 Board meeting were:
• Approve one transfer request with a vote of 5-2 with Conaway and Connett voting against. This brings the kindergarten number to 36.

Hired Rhelda Harris as Spanish teacher with five sections (75% salary).
 Approved contract renewal with Region XI for services for 2002-03.

Heard report from Monica Johnson Parkhill on class size reduction funds.

# **Obituaries**

#### Gertrude Koelzer 1912-2002

by Elfreda Fette
Mass of Christian Burial
was held for Gertrude
Theresa (Sicking) Koelzer
on Monday, Aug. 5, 2002 in
Sacred Heart Church at
10:00 a.m. officiated by
Father Don Branner OSA.
Mrs. Koelzer died at age
90 on Aug. 2, 2002 at 10:40
a.m. in Gainesville. She was
born on Apr. 2, 1912 in
Muenster to August Sicking
and Augusta Flies Sicking.
On Nov. 27, 1929 she
married Peter Frank
Koelzer in Sacred Heart
Church. She was a member
of Sacred Heart Parish and
a member of St. Anne's
Society. A dedicated
homemaker, she loved being
with, and doing for, her
family. Some of her
specialties were crocheting
and baking. She was the
mother of four daughters
and four sons, and
grandmother of 35; greatgrandmother of 34 and
great-great grandmother of
four.

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Survivors are four daughters, Aileen Knabe of Muenster, Alice Hermes of Lindsay, Veronica Jones of Madill, Oklahoma, and Dolores Hermes of Woodbine; and four sons Victor Koelzer of Lindsay, Veronica Jones of Muenster, Norman Koelzer of Muenster, Norman Koelzer of Muenster, Norman Koelzer of Muenster, and Melvin Koelzer of Muenster, and Melvin Koelzer of Muenster, and Melvin Koelzer of Muenster, Norman Koelzer of Gainesville, Marie Ford of Rosston, Hilda Prescher of Gainesville, Marie Ford of Rosston, Hilda Prescher of Taxing part in the special liturgy for the funeral Mass

Gertrude Koelzer

Valley View, and Dorothy Buttnell Orotty, and a sister-in-law Christina destrement Sucking both of Muenster.

Valley View, and Dorothy Buttnell Orotty, and a sister-in-law Christina as sicking and Victor Kaensas; and two brothers, Louis Sicking and Victor Frank Koelzer, on Apr. 16, 1987; her parents; three grandchildren Margie Walterscheid, Melissa Koelzer, and Debbie Jones. Also one great-grandchild ren. Annie Hacker, Hattie Zawks and Margaret Rainwater.

On Sunday, Aug. 4, and Margaret Rainwater.

On Sunday Aug. 4,



Edna Mary Dolle 1916-2002

with Father Don Branner OSA were altar servers Alvin Hartman and Joe Felderhoff.

Felderhoff.
Liturgical Readings from
the Old Testament and New
Testament respectively
were given by grandsons,
Danny Nortman and Glenn
Hermes.
Offertory gifts of bread
and wine were presented at
the altar by grandchildren
Tina Marshall and Shellie
Fleitman, and Toby
Walterscheid, a greatgrandchild.
Eucharistic Minister

grandchild.
Eucharistic Ministers
were Ethel Bayer, Kathy
Berres, Dolores Miller,
Stacie Miller, Marcy Wilde,
and Dorothy Hartman.

by Elfreda Fette
Edna Mary Dolle of
Littlefield died at age 85 on
July 30, 2002. She was the
mother of Kay Pagel of
Muenster, and Sharon Dolle
of Lubbock, Bill Dolle of
Maple, J.T. Dolle of
Littlefield, and Don Dolle of
Canyon; and grandmother
of 16 and greatgrandmother of 24.
Edna Mary Dolle was
born Aug. 14, 1916 in
Temple, Texas. On Nov. 5,
1935 she married Herbert
O. Dolle in Littlefield. The
couple farmed near
Littlefield until retiring in
1977. He died on Dec. 19,
2000.
She was a member of



couple farmed near Littlefield until retiring in 1977. He died on Dec. 19, 2000.

She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Littlefield and its Altar Society; also a member of Littlefield Garden Club and Home Demonstration Club, and was an active DCCW member.

Survivors include three sons, Bill Dolle of Maple, J.T. Dolle of Littlefield, and Don Dolle of Canyon; two daughters Kay Pagel of Muenster, Sharon Dolle of Muenster, Sharon Dolle of Lubbock; one sister Dora Schlottman of Katy, Texas; 16 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Buria was held Friday, Aug. 2, 2002 in Sacred Heart

Edna Dolle

Catholic Church in Littlefield, officiated by Rev. Participating in the liturgy of the funeral Mass vere granddaughters of Mrs. Dolle, Jennifer (Dolle) Maczygembe and Traci Dolle Porter. Survivors include three sons, Bill Dolle of Maple, and Dolle Porter. Eucharistic Ministers were J.T. Dolle and Dolle Porter. Sacred music was presented by West Garcia and Billy Garcia of Levelland, including "How Great Thou Art" "Ave Maria." "One Bread, One Body," and 'Be Not Afraid." Remarks of Remembrance

were read by her nephew, Royce Bruce.

Burial in Littlefield Memorial Park was directed by Hammons Funeral Home. Pallbearers were grandsons Ryan Dolle, Michael Dolle, Allen Dolle, Michael Dolle, Allen Dolle, Matthew Dolle, and nephews Mark Jilek, Royce Bruce, and Kenneth Schlottman.

A Rosary Service was held at Hammons Funeral Chapel in Littlefield on Thursday at 7:00 pm. After the service and burial, members of the Sacred Heart Altar Society served a family meal.

Among relatives and friends attending from out-of-town were her only living sister, Dora Schlottman, nieces and nephews, from Corpus Christi, Lake Jackson, Vega, Farmers Branch, Lubbock, Pep, Midland, Katy, Houston, Austin, Spring, Muenster, Burlington, Fort Worth, Canyon, Levelland, Amarillo, Portland, Lewisville, Slaton, Sudan, Texas; Grand Coteal, Louisiana, Portales, New Mexico, and Clovis, N

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# Sewer plant upgrades approved by TNRCC

by Dave Fette

The plans and specifications have been approved for the Muenster Waste Water Treatment Plant upgrade by the Texas Resources Conservation Commission. Engineer Jeff James from Kimley Horn told the Muenster City Council Monday night that he expects the permit to be approved too, so the city is waiting on TNRCC to begin advertising for contractors to do the construction. The council approved the fair housing statement, proposed by Pat Dillon, relating to the Texas Community Development Program contract. The statement simply requires publishing in the local newspaper.

The council also learned Monday that the city will receive payments totaling \$4,400.00 as their part of the settlement of a lawsuit by Denton and 37 other cities against TXU Electric and Gas concerning franchise fee inequalities. The city will accept the settlement and as a result may not challenge the ruling. Terry Tombaugh of Texas FFA receives Ford officer.

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# Texas FFA receives Ford gift

The Texas FFA Foundation launched a \$15 million capital campaign with a record gift of \$1.3 million from the Ford Motor Company at the state FFA group's 74th annual convention in Ft. Worth on July 10.

The Texas FFA FA FOUNDATION THE FEA program in Texas.

The Foundation began the campaign to provide a solid financial footing and FFA program in Texas.

The Texas FFA Association, the largest youth organization for agricultural and rural leadership development in the state. Currently, there are 980 FFA chapters with almost 100,000 students enrolled in agricultural science classes. The goal of

#### Eric Lawton McBride 1974-2002

Eric Lawton McBride of Saint Jo died at his home on Aug. 5, 2002 at 4:50 a.m., at age 28.

Funeral service was held Wednesday, Aug. 7 at 10:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Saint Jo, officiated by Rev. Gary Carter.

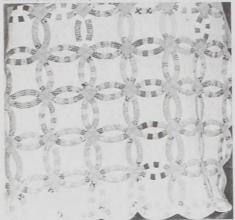
Eric Lawton McBride was born on Feb. 8, 1974 in Gainesville to W.J. and Earlene McBride. He attended the Saint Joschools all of his life; worked at Weber Aircraft for the past two years. A member of the Saint Jo Fire

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#### **Baptisms**

Following the ceremony, family and friends gathered at Geordan's home for a barbeque lunch. A special baptismal cake was made for a barbeque lunch. A special baptismal cake was made aptismal cake was made aptismal cake was made special baptismal cake was

# Texas Cattle Women's

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Lambert Hess, son of Paul and Lillian Hess, and Sandy Schreiber, daughter of Peggy and Mike Roberts and Daniel Schreiber, announce their engagement. Lambert is a 1999 graduate of Lindsay High School and is employed at Universal Machining in Muenster. Sandy is a 1997 graduate of Lindsay High School and a 2001 graduate of NCTC. She is employed at Nike Factory Store in Gainesville. The couple plans a September 14, 2002 wedding at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay. Afterwards they will reside in Lindsay.

# Sterling Grace is two

Sterling Grace Walterscheid celebrated her second birthday with a mermaid swimming party at Emler's Swim School in Arlington. The celebration was held on Sunday, July 28. Guests enjoyed swimming in the indoor pool, and eating Sterling's special mermaid cake that was made by Lisa Rohmer. Videos and pictures were made throughout the party. Sterling received many nice gifts from all of her guests. Attending her party were her parents Jennifer and Darren Walterscheid, and big sister Kimber Louise; grandparents Judy and Juny and LouAnn Spaeth of Lindsay and LouAnn Spaeth of Lindsay and the great granddaughter of Elsie Endres of Muenster and David and LouAnn Spaeth of Lindsay and the great granddaughter of Elsie Endres of Muenster and Marie "Mickey" Spaeth of Gainesville.

Le Women's Place browned hamburger in bottom of greased baking dish. Wash out seeds in chilies. Pat dry Stuff chilies with strips of Monterey Jack cheese. Lay on top of hamburger in baking dish. Beat eggs; beat in flour with eggbeater. Add milk and seasonings. Pour over chilies. Cover with grated cheese Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes, uncovered.

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#### Library awards program to be re-scheduled

The annual Muenster Public Library's summer reading awards ceremony and party that was planned for Friday, Aug. 9, at 10:30 a.m. will be rescheduled to a future date. The new date will be announced when determined.

# White family from New York enjoy summer visit

The Jack and Jenny White family had the pleasure of a visit from Aunt Lori, Grandma Mary and Grandpa Bert White from New York. They arrived July 5. Grandma and Grandpa stayed until July 15, and Aunt Lori was able to stay until the 21st. During their stay they had lots of fun playing with Emily, Alyssa, Amy, and Grace, visiting with the relderhoff clan, and enjoying the local shops.

Jack and Jenny thought the visit went fairly well until they received the following story from Grandpa White:

The My Chigger And Me by Bert "Bites" White On a recent trip to Muenster, Texas, I visited my son Jack White, and his wonderful wife Jenny, plus their great children, Emily, Alyssa, Amy, and Grace.
I also met many other fine people and was immediately enjoying my visit to Muenster. That is, I did enjoy Muenster, until I met those ferocious warriors, those hunters of flesh, those insects that live on the legs (and beyond) of people who

# Kolby Klement turns two



# **New Arrivals**

Hellman

Hellman
Tony Weir, Jr. and
Melanie Hellman are
parents of their first child, a
daughter, Chloe Elizabeth
Hellman, born in
Gainesville Memorial
Hospital on July 23, 2002 at
8:30 p.m. weighing 7 lb. 2
oz. and measuring 20 inches
in length. Grandparents are
Dale Hellman of Muenster
and Tony and Regina Weir,
Sr. of Gainesville, Leona
Hellman of Gainesville, and
Paula Battles of Whitesboro.

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loyalty.

Gary Fisher, master of ceremonies, then called for the Honor Guard to present the Eagle candidate to the court. Eagle scouts Chad Felderhoff, Mitch's brother, and Eric Fisher then escorted Mitch to the front of the church. Gary then explained that Mitch had distinguished himself in his continued, active service in Scouting. He explained that a a minimum of 21 merit badges is required to achieve the rank of Eagle and Mitch had completed his service project and had served in various leadership positions for his troop. Mitch sat before the Eagle board of review on May 19, 2002, and had presented his records for approval to the National Council of Boy Scouts of America.

The ceremony continued as Brad Metzler, uncle, portraying the Voice of the Eagle, outlined the responsibilities of an Eagle Scout and the significance of the Eagle Rank.

Each Scouting rank was represented in an impressive candle-lighting ceremony, which included Scout Kirk Felderhoff, Tenderfoot Scout John Rohmer, Second Class Scout Chad Endres, First Class Scout Michael Voth.

Tom Valliere, Committee Chairman, then explained to those present the meaning of the Eagle Badge. He explained that only 2 percent of all boys in scouting achieve its highest rank, that of Eagle. He further commented, "that The Eagle Scout badge is a symbol of what a young man has done; but, more importantly, it represents

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what a young man will be in the future when he grows to manhood:

Gary Fisher then invited the Honor Guards to escort Mitch's parents to his side so that they might share in his special award. The Honorable Raiph Hall then horised the especial content on his special award. The Honorable Raiph Hall then horised the significance of the Eagle Charge. Mitch was the stressed how many of totaday's leaders come from the ranks of Eagle Scouts. He care the underscored the achievement of scouting's underscome the achievement of scouting's underscome the care that the care that the care that the care the care that the care that the care that the care that the care the care the care that the

# Junior girl scouts enjoy trip to Houston

Nine 3rd and 4th grade
Junior Girl Scouts of Troop
1122 in Muenster, enjoyed a
long weekend together in
celebration of a successful
scout year. Girls scouts who
made the trip were Danielle
Lewis, Laura Sweeney,
Brianna Klement, Briana
Bindel, Caitlin Beavers,
Alley Trubenbach, Taylor
Klement, Kalyn
Dangelmayr, and Nicole
Pagel. Chaperones were
Dana Walterscheid, Denise
Sweeney, Melinda Klement,
Tina Bindel, Cheryl
Beavers, Judy Trubenbach,
Carol Klement, Leslie
Dangelmayr, and Denise
Pagel.
The group left for
Houston on Friday, July 19.
On the way, the girls
stopped off for a picnic
lunch and enjoyed a
spaceship theme cake made
by Judy Trubenbach. After
hours on the road singing,
playing games, using
walkie-talkies, watching
movies, seeing lots of traffic
and trees, the group reached
its destination. An evening

with Mexican food and swimming was enjoyed by

swimming was enjoyed by everyone.

Saturday was an exciting day of touring the NASA Johnson Space Center. The group took a tram tour to the hanger that houses the X-38. It is the emergency escape vehicle for astronauts to return home from the space station. It is presently under construction but should be completed within the next year.

year.
The vacuum chamber The vacuum chamber was another interesting stop on the tour which showed the training area for astronauts to experience zero gravity as in space. The 40 ton door of the chamber was so well balanced that it could be moved by only one person. the rest of the space center was explored individually by the girls which included an IMAX show, demonstration of upcoming missions, a simulated shuttle ride, plus hands-on activities.

The day was concluded

hands-on activities.

The day was concluded with an afternoon on

Galveston Beach, enjoyed collecting live crabs, surfing and building sand Sunday started at Saint Mary's Basilica in Galv cathedral, which in 1847, contains statues and alta over from Spain on the outside we from Belgium. M gold threaded worn by the pridisplay along v pictures and men the past.

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Before heading higroup stopped for a lesson at the Ba Texas and San Monument. After g feet up the tower Jacinto to vie battlegrounds battleship, the girls down into the hist and also up to the areas. What a site!

With a safe trip h lots of memories, t is ready for another year of scouting.

#### Metroplex mission with Billy Graham invites students

The Metroplex Mission with Billy Graham will host an "Ignite the Flame/Surround the Stadium" rally at Texas Stadium on Sunday, Aug. 11, from 2:00 to 4:30 in the afternoon. Featuring music by the praise and worship band "Salvador" and speaker Ron Hutchcraft, the event will provide students the opportunity to physically link hands and surround the stadium, praying that it will be filled come Oct. 17-20.

Austin's own "Salvador" will perform at the event, leading the teens in the band's own unique "salsa" style praise and worship music. The group has not only participated in hundreds of concerts, music festivals, and youth conferences, but has been

invited to performer crusades or mission Billy Graham, Fra Graham, and Nicky Craspeaker and author Hutcheraft is a 37 veteran of family min who has experience results of a Billy Gramission first-hand as chair of the 1991 Nor New Jersey Billy Gramissions across the mission and speake advance of Billy Gramissions across the mission semphasis for this will be to encourage students to sign on famission - to volunte some capacity, help sy the word, get their groups involved, etc. above all, pray.

For more informatithe event, call the mission office at (817) 1880.

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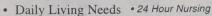
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# Joni Sturm attends conference

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Joni Sturm, a member of the Family and Consumer Sciences Teachers Association of Texas (FCSTAT) and a family and consumer sciences teacher at Muenster High School, joined a registration in excess of 1,800 teachers at the Texas Education Agency's (TEA) 2002 State Professional Development Conference for Family and Consumer Sciences Teachers, July 30 - Aug. 1 at the Westin Galleria in Houston, Texas. The annual conference is planned and cordinated by the Family and Consumer Sciences Education Unit of the Career and Technology Education Division of TEA.

The theme, "Family and Consumer Sciences Good for Life," provided the framework for the four day conference where attendees were offered training to enhance their teaching methodology skills, update their content knowledge, and refine their program

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# SH teachers attend seminar

Four faculty members from Sacred Heart School joined early childhood educators from all around the state in attending the 21st DLM Summer Institute held at the Hotel Inter-Continental in Dallas from July 23-26. In attendance from Sacred Heart Preschool were Pam Dangelmayr, Kathy Berres and Susan Yosten, along with Annette Bayer, Kindergarten teacher.

Each day began with a delightful keynote address which incorporated children's literature and teacher participation

through music and movement. Highlights of the institute were presentations by early childhood specialists Dr. Jean Feldman, Dr. Thomas Moore, "Mr. Al" Stewart, and DLM staff members. Participants were able to choose from over 40 breakout sessions and each earned 18 hours of continuing education, many designated as gift/talented hours.

good start, positive guidance, integrating motor development, creating a literacy rich environment, enhancing emergent writing, using music across the curriculum, storytelling, and the use of anecdotal records.

The teachers and aides spent time sharing information and materials gathered in the various sessions and discussing ways to implement them in the classroom. All agreed that this was time well spent in preparation for the new school year.

#### Homeschool families gather at park to fellowship

Red River Christian Homeschoolers celebrated their annual Potluck and Pool Party on Friday, July 26, 2002 at the Muenster Pavilion and Pool with an attendance of 110 people from Cooke and surrounding counties. The event, planned and coordinated by Sara and Randy Bell of Muenster, included three Japanese 4H exchange students who are spending a month in Texas to experience 4H here. A time of fellowship and food was followed by fun in the pool.

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graduation ceremony. There are no dues or requirements to participate in the group. If you are considering home schooling as an option for your family, visit their web s i t e a t http://redriverchs.faithweb.c om.

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Mon. - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, peaches, bread. Tues. - Spaghetti and meat, corn, salad, pineapple, bread. Fri. - Barbecue sandwich, potato salad, pinto beans, pears.

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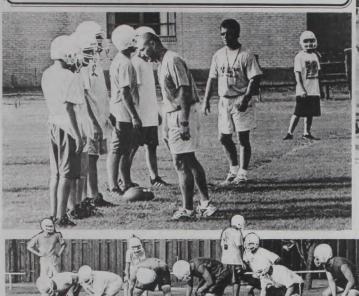
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# **Sports**





The Muenster Hornets began the 2002 football set Monday morning under the direction of Coach Monte End Of the 47 boys who reported to the field, only 8 seniors suit out for the team. Photos by Janie Hartr

#### Jace Koelzer competes in summer track

Jacé Koelzer finished summer track at the State meet in Waco, Texas. Jacé, daughter of Smoke and Carol Koelzer, spent her summer running, jumping, and hurdling her way to a successful season.

Jacé has been a member of Texas Amateur Athletic Federation for the last eight years. She competed in the 13-14 year old age bracket, taking a third place finish in the 100 meter hurdles with a time of 16.56 seconds, and a second place finish in the 300 meter hurdles with a time of 50.98 seconds.

Jacé will be a freshman at Muenster High School this year.

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from a game the past
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Richey, Keith Hermes,
Brandan Bindel, Craig
Grewing, Dylan Flusche,
Matt Flusche, Aaron
Flusche, Eric Hellman,
Richie Sweeney, Tyler
Pagel, Jeremy Lutkenhaus,
and Toby Dyess. Bat boy
was Isac Walterscheid.
Coaches this past year were
Kenny Hartman, David
Flusche, Ben Bindel, and
Michael Hermes.

# Golf tourney set by Muenster Booster Club

Muenster High Booster
Club is sponsoring a golf tournament on Saturday,
Aug. 17 at 2 p.m. at the Turtle Hill Golf Course. It is a four-person scramble with an entry fee of \$240 per team (\$60 each).
Hot dogs will be available and meal follows the event. To enter, contact Jim Endres (evenings) at 759-4540 or Ronnie Felderhoff at Muenster Mill (days)

To-turn III Muental Topoceds benefit the Students of Muenster ISD. Last year the Booster Club was type and warm-ups for boys and girls in junior high and high school athletics.

Anyone wishing to donate or help should call Ronnie or Jim at the above humbers.

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#### Sign-up has begun for youth sports program

Football

Football
Football sign-up has begun at the Cooke County Youth Center for 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th graders.
There is a cost of \$40 for program fee and a \$15 membership fee. Sign-up ends Aug. 27.
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Soccer
Sign-up times have begun
for this Fall's soccer season.

Scheduled times are Fridays, Aug. 9 and 16, 6-8 p.m. and Saturdays, Aug. 10 and 17 from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the Redi Mix Building, 518 East Scott Street in Gainesville.

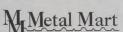
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lower losses than round bales put up loosely.

Percent of moisture in hay when it is baled is also directly related to nutrient and dry matter losses. High moisture causes hay to heat up, making for substantial losses.

Extension studies hay

Extension studies have also shown that most losses occur on the outside layer of the bale. Moreover, a majority of the outside layer losses occur at the bottom of the bale where it comes in contact with the soil.

The same study showed that storing hay outside on pallets or tires brought the losses down to about 12 percent. Hay stored on pallets or tires and covered with a tarpaulin brought losses down to 7 percent. But hay stored on the ground (without pallets or tires) and covered, lost nearly 13 percent.

By far, the lowest losses occurred to hay stored inside barns or sheds only about 3.5 percent. You say you don't have enough barn space to store all your hay? Then building another barn, particularly a relatively inexpensive one such as a pole barn, might pay off, said Greg Clary, economist with Texas Cooperative Extension.

Yet another Extension study set the cost per bale of an open pole barn at about \$1.60 per bale.

According to Clary, a pole barn pays for itself if dry matter losses are 17 percent or more. Redmon estimates that even with cheap hay, an open pole barn can pay for itself in six to seven years.

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Redmon also noted that considering the cost return on hay harvesting equipment, most producers would be better off buying hay, not baling their own. This rule stands true even if tomorrow brings a drought, he said.

# Farm bill stays intact so far

policy, but withdrew them when it became clear that there was insufficient support to pass them. Some have vowed to raise the issues again when the full Senate considers the bill. No amendments to limit farm payments have been offered.

Sen. Tom Harkin (DIO) I owa) offered an amendment to reallocate \$15 million from the Environmental Quality

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seeing drought damage during the August recess would influence lawmakers to support the \$5 billion bill co-authored by Montana Sens. Max Baucus (D) and Conrad Burns (R). "I think there may be a change in attitude when they come back," Harkin said disaster assistance will be the first agenda item when the committee resumes work. U know ... seenough food and fiber for the work of the committee resumes work. U know ... seenough food and fiber for the work of the committee resumes work.

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The American Farm Bureau Federation opposes efforts to rearrange the funding authorized in the new farm bill.

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#### Senate AG committee delays emergency assistance

The Senate Agriculture Committee failed to mark a nemergency assistance unan emergency assiculture spending bill to help farmers and ranchers who have suffered crop and livestock losses during the past two years due to extreme drought and flooding.

Chairman Tom Harkin (D-Iowa) adjourned the committee saying members were too far apart to agree on a package. Harkin hoped

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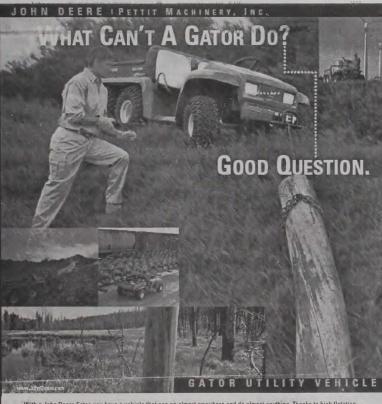
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