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Parachutists duplicate WWII jumps; ĥonor veteran paratroopers

By Janet Felderhoff
Despite a plane that trived more than two burs behind schedule, slays did not deter most he had come to watch the orld War II Airborne emonstration Team (ADT) erform. On Saturday, Dec. the WWII ADT

Bayer, Rohmer make Eagle

young men are the most important people we have to consider. They are very important to the future of our country especially during these troubled times," Hall said. He emphasized that only about two percent of scouts persevere to reach the Eagle Rank. "So these two represent the best of one hundred good boys in their efforts to live up to all that the Boy Scouts of America stand for. I encourage you all to pray for our nation and our fine president and today for Daniel and John who we are very proud of," said Hall.



County addresses jail issues following inspection

By Janet Felderhoff
The Jail Standards
Commission wrote up Cooke
County Jail after a recent
inspection of the jail facility.
It was cited for
Maintenance and
Housekeeping's failure to
control mold, mildew, rust
and need of repainting. It
said that there is a "mold,
mildew, and rust problem.
Cracked paint is causing
deterioration and is unsafe
and unsanitary". Cooke
County has 30 days to
respond as to how this is
being corrected.

Judge Bill Freeman said
that he inspected the
showers after learning of
the citation. He reported
that there was no visible
sign of mold and mildew,
but the showers needed to
be scraped and painted.

Sheriff Compton said
there are two showers in
each block and there are

eight or more inmates per block. He feels that the block will have to be vacated for three to seven days to scrape and paint since the paint will need time to cure before the showers are used. Compton stressed that he didn't want to compromise the safety of the facility.

Using immates to do some of the work was suggested. Compton was agreeable as long as it was the type of work approved by the Jail Standards Commission. There could be a security problem with the type of tools required to do the job, workman going in and out, and the required supervision, he said.

Also what to do with the immates while their block is being done is a problem. Currently Cooke County

Puppets play at Community Center

by Dave Fette
A holiday puppet show will premiere at the Sacred Heart Community Center Saturday. "Little Red Boots for Christmas" is produced by Living Well Ranch and Unique Images of Muenster with sponsorship by the Muenster Chamber of Commerce.

Puppet master D



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This display was jumpe heduled in conjunction betwee the the Camp Howze Days

Col. elebration sponsored by comma te Morton Museum and



unit remarked, "In addition to the educational aspect of performance, we want to assure that the heroic deeds of the U.S. Airborne units and all U.S. Veterans of World War II are never forgotten."

Two Cooke County men, AI Felderhoff and J.B. Stokes, who were World War II paratroopers were honored after the jump. Stokes was present for the entire event. Even though he uses canes to walk and finds standing for long periods difficult, Stokes milled with the crowd all morning. When asked about standing so long he was

damage.

Anyone who wished could tour "Boggie Baby". Inside they saw a narrow row running up the middle of the plane. Also down the center was the cable to which each paratrooper attached his static line. On each side was seating for the paratroopers. Nothing could be described as made for comfort; especially taking note of the long flights the men must have endured.

The event was an opportunity to look through a window into the past to get a glimmer of what our troops did during World War II.



guy drove the jeep.

One of the ADT jumpers was injured during the demonstration. As he was jumping a static line from another jumper became entangled around his head giving him scrapes, bruises and a black eye. He lost his helmet, but thankfully suffered minimal physical damage.

WWII.
Col, Cuthbertson said
that what they do is to
remember and honor the
Veterans who served our
country.
There were many young
people present at the event.
They were allowed to view

Give the "Gift of Life" -

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Muenster
Texoma Regional Blood
Center will be in Muenster
on Thursday, Dec. 19, from noon to 8:00 pm. The blood
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Muenster High School
gymnasium and is
sponsored by the Muenster
Hospital and assisted by the
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Honor Society, and MHS
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From My Side of the Fence Ed Cler

Those of us who watched the Dallas Cowboys play the San Francisco Forty Niners yesterday were surprised to see the Cowboys lead the Niners for a great part of the game. The Niners are one the better teams in the league and the Cowboys have a dismal record, struggling all season for a few wins.

It was distressing to see our quarterback taking the hits, one after the other. Pass protection was nonexistent, but Chad kept coming up for more.

Needless to say, the offense idd little more than three plays and punt, keeping the defense on the field most of the time. They did a tremendous job keeping the Niners off balance, and breaking up their plays, but in the waning moments of the game, when the Cowboys

2002 holiday window winners announced

"The Fabulous Forties: It's a wonderful life in our town" was the winter holiday window decorating challenge presented to downtown Gainesville merchants earlier this year. Windows depicting the Camp Howze era of the 1940's was part of a yearlong tribute to Camp Howze and its importance Jeweler's on California Street, 3" Place to Hairloom on North Commerce and a Street project, See WINDOWS, pg 3"











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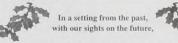
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Members of the World War II Demonstration Team with the C-47 Skytrain "Boogie Baby" used in their demonstration jumps. In the center are two WWII veteran paratroopers Ralph Spina and J.B. Stokes. Spina boarded the plane and rode with the men for the Photo by Janet Felderh paratrooper during the June 6, 1944 invasion of Normandy. A priest collected the parachute and stored it away. Slips of that parachute are now being presented to Veterans of WWII.



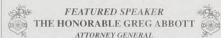
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Thursday, December 19, 2002 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM MMH Blood Drive, KC Hall, 12-8РМ Santa Claus at Muenster Library, 4-6РМ

Sunday, December 22, 2002 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM

Monday, December 23, 2002

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Obituaries

Tony Stephen Rohmer 1927 - 2002

by Elfreda Fette
Mass of Christian Burial
was offered for Tony
Stephen Rohmer on
Monday, Dec. 9, 2002 at
11:00 a.m. in Sacred Heart
Church, officiated by Father
John Ohner, OSA pastor.
Tony Rohmer died at age 74
on Dec. 6, 2002 in Denton
Regional Medical Center at
2:15 p.m.
Survivors are his wife,
Marjorie Rohmer of
Muenster, one daughter and
son-in-law, Renee and Adam
Schniederjan of Muenster,
Clindy Rohmer of Muenster,
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There are 13 grandchildren.
Also five sisters, Sr.
Romana Rohmer OSB of Pocahontas, Arkansas,
Loretta Spaeth of Longview,
Dorothy Wright of Irving,
and Ida Rohmer of Fort
Worth. Also three brothers,
Maurus Rohmer of St.
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farm north of Muenster, with five sisters and four brothers... He attended Sacred Heart School through the tenth grade... when his brothers left for military duty overseas, Tony stayed home to help his father on the family farm... On Nov. 27, 1951 he married Marjorie Ann Sandmann in St. Peter's Church... They have raised a family of four sons and one daughter and have 13 grandchildren...

"While his family was growing up, Tony was working his way towards a promising future in the oil field north of Nocona... the story of a man named Weldon Lunn... "Hackberry" was often told by Tony, in family story time... Hackberry could see the value in Tony's work and dedication, and took an interest in him... he knew that Tony was a trustworthy man...

"One day he advised Tony to become interested in some non-producing wells that had potential, but needed a lot of work to make them profitable... When Tony stated simply his inability to go into such debt..... Hackberry sent him to the Nocona Bank, saying Tell them I sent you - I'm on the Board of Directors'...

"Tony loved his family and was proud of his work... and he worked long, hard hours... Eventually his children joined him in the business... A very conservative man, he was also quite inventive... when he found throw-away pieces, he could rework them to be serviceable. He called them 'Dingfobs'... The family still enjoys his Dingfobs.... In the last few years, his concern never dimmed... even when he could not go out into the oil field.

"Tony's character and demeanor remain with us in one way or another... • His conservatism and frugality: Renee.

"...Tony loved to travel... he was tremendously proud of his grandchildren... and their accomplishments...

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"Who Let the Dogs Out", one of the colorful floats in the Muenster Chris Hannah and Will Wimmer, Trenton Wimmer, Brady Lemons, Sara an Wimmer and Wendy Lemons with Lulu, Luke, and Rosie Posie (the dogs).

EAGLE SCOUTS

continued from pg. 1

through Scouting with Jeff Schniederjan, John Rohmer, Mark Gehrig, Chad Endres, Evan Koesler, Daniel Bartush, and Aaron Klement representing the ranks and lighting a candle for each one.

Daniel Rohmer rose to the rank of Eagle by working for personal advancement and earning over 21 merit badges, helping other scouts in their work, and demonstrating outstanding scout spirit over his years of membership. His final task was to organize, finance, and carry out a service project to benefit the Muenster Independent School District. Röhmer prepared and re-painted the railing around Hornet Stadium through his leadership and with the

help of business professionals and his fellow scouts. He was in charge of procuring supplies and organizing volunteers. Rohmer offered thanks to the scouts, dedicated parents, and Joe Pagel at Community Lumber Co. for guidance in improving the appearance of Muenster Hornet Stadium.

Johnathan Bayer was promoted to Eagle as his final advancement after earning over 21 merit badges, with personal leadership and scout spirit as determining factors in his award. Bayer said that the campouts and outdoor activities at the Wichita Mountains, Philmont Scout Ranch, and Camp Grayson were among his favorites. His first aid training came

Congratulations!



to Daniel Rohmer and Johnathan Bayer Muenster's Newest Eagle Scouts We are proud of you!

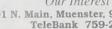


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Florence (Arend) Rauschuber 1919 - 2002

Mass of Christian Burial was held for Florence (Arend) Rauschuber in St. Theresa Church of Lindsay on Oct. 7, 1939.

After retiring from Sears Roebuck and Co., Florence 2002 at 11:00 a.m. officiated by Father Roy Oggero.

She died at age 83 on Friday, Dec. 6, 2002 at 12:20 p.m. in a Houston hospital where she had been a patient for ten days. The daughter of Nicholas and Lena Arend, she was born on Sept. 2, 1919 in Celera, Oklahoma. Following the family moved to Lindsay, Texas. She continued her education there and graduated from Lindsay High School in 1937, and then went to work in Wichita Falls, where she met her future husband, Eddie Rauschuber. They

C.P.A.

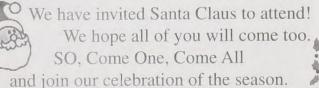
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HOLIDAY WINDOWS

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Facilities are faced with multiple issues as well. They are attempting to meet the needs of an individual they care for while trying to meet the needs of an individual they care for while trying to meet participation requirements and maintain a cost-effective program. Facilities, guardians and families are now asking, "what next?"

"Programming for Aging In dividuals with Developmental Disabilities" (PAIDD), offers an alternative to traditional nursing home placement. Long-term care facilities that operate these special units must have chosen to participate in a unique program. In addition to their normal services, activities and 24-hour nursing care, they have chosen to offer a quality program to individuals with developmental disabilities. These facilities are committed to providing a specialized care unit to serve this unique population.

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Gainesville Convalescent Center recognizes that individuals have worked a lifetime to acquire skills in areas such as personal hygiene and grooming, academics, money management, socialization. It is their goal to delay regression by reinforcing skills through informal and voluntary active treatment and training. They believe that participation in "Programming for Aging Individuals with Developmental Disabilities" will result in longer skill retention and greater quality of life for those aging individuals.

To learn more about this special program in North Texas, contact Angela South at (940) 665-2826, ext. 28. Gainesville Convalescent Center is the #1 provider of long term care in Cooke County for over 30 years.

Baptism

Struxness
The baptism of Logan
David Struxness, infant son
of Zak and Amy Struxness,
was held Sunday, Dec. 1 in
St. Peter's Church of
Lindsay following the 10:00
a.m. Mass. Father Ron
Scheible officiated at the
ceremony. Baptismal
sponsors were Tommy Joe
and Sarah Dankesreiter of
Lubbock.
Logan David was dressed

sponsors were Tommy Joe and Sarah Dankesreiter of Lubbock.
Logan David was dressed in a beautifully handmade gown that was made by Logan's great-grandmother Theresa M. Hermes of Lindsay. This same baptismal gown was traditionally worn by all of Tony and Theresa Hermes's children and all the children of Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter.
Present for the baptism were: parents Zak and Amy Struxness and daughter Erin Faith of Parker, Colorado, baptismal sponsors Tommy Joe and Sarah Dankesreiter; greatgrandmother Theresa M. Hermes; Larry and Connie Dankesreiter of Fort Worth; Tom and Lucille Hesse of Muenster; Cyril Hermes of Lake Dallas; Ralph and Debbie Hermes, Jennifer and Jessica of Gainesville; Randy Hermes of Houston; John and Dana Walterscheid, Anne, Sara, Abby and Lora of Muenster; Eric and Cheramie Dankesreiter, Benjamin and Kathryn of Lewisville; and Jeff and Angie Tempel of Muenster.
Following the ceremony

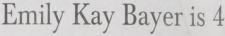
everyone gathered at the home of Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter for a bountiful banquet of King Ranch Chicken, salad, beans, fruit, and rolls. A beautifully decorated cake adorned with white lacy icing and blue flowers and inscribed with "God Bless Logan" was served with ice cream for dessert. Gifts were opened and many pictures were taken. Everyone enjoyed an afternoon of visiting.

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Rohmer
Mark Christopher Rohmer, infant son of Curtis and Patricia Rohmer, received the Sacrament of Baptism on Nov. 30, 2002 in St. Mark's Catholic Church of Plano, officiated by Father Rudy Garcia at 11:00 a.m.

Baptismal sponsors are Gary and Robin Rohmer, an uncle and aunt. Attending with the parents were the grandparents, Viola Rohmer of Muenster and Isela and Sergio Macias, Sr. of El Paso, and Thomas and Eric Rohmer, also Alan Rohmer, Tyler Rohmer; Lauren, Drew, and Sean Rohmer; Kathy Rohmer; Brian Rohmer; Chuy and Laura Moya, Isaac and Nicholas Moya; Catalina Macias; Sara Valencia and Lupe Valencia; John and Betty Hamilton and Mary; Pauline Creigton; and Sylvia Cordova.

A dinner attended by all of the above was a barbecue meal served by Spring Creek Barbecue, in the home, with a christening cake baked by Betty Rose Walterscheid.



Emily Bayer, daughter of Weldon and Loren Bayer, turned four on Dec. 2. She celebrated her birthday Dec. 1 at her home. Decorations of balloons and "Barbie" was the chosen theme. Cake and ice cream were served and gifts opened.

Guests included grandparents Clinton and Barbara Bayer, James and Karlyn Martin all of Muenster, and Randolph Hermes of Houston; greatgrandmother Theresa Hermes and great-uncle Frank Hermes; uncle and aunt Jared and Leah Bayer, uncle Heath Bayer; and friends Steve, Carrie, and Erin Osborn.



Ladies Auxiliary/VFW Post hold meetings and Christmas Party

The Ladies Auxiliary
VFW Post 6205 held their
regular meeting Dec. 9 in
the Post Home. President
Frances Bayer presided.
Chaplain Ethel Hesse,
Conductress Linda Knabe,
and Patriotic Instructor
Bonnie Hess pro tem led
opening ritual and pledge to
the flag. Roll call and
minutes of the previous
meeting were read by Ida
Bindel, secretary.
Juanita Knabe gave the
treasurer's report. Linda
Knabe and Sandy Hennigan
decorated the tree at the
Post Home in time for the
Christmas Party for the
children and grandchildren
of veterans that was held
Dec. 7. There were 24
children attending and
receiving gifts from Santa.
Cookies and sodas were
served and coffee for the
adults attending. The tree
was decorated in red, white,
and blue including 1000
Buddy Poppies and 30 flags.
Ethel Hesse, rehab
chairman, gave her report
which included sending four
cards. Armella Cler gave
her report on program
participation. Mid Winter
round-in will be held Jan

cards. Armella Cler gave her report on program participation. Mid Winter round-up will be held Jan. 22-26. Parge White was the winner in the Youth Essay

Contest. Kate Sepanski placed 5th in the District in the Voice of Democracy contest.

In Lieu of Christmas Cards deadline is Dec. 16. Contact Juanita Knabe or Frances Bayer. This fundraiser helps charity donations. For a \$10.00 donation or more, your name will be listed in the Auxiliary's ad in the Enterprise.

The VFW Post 6205 held their regular meeting also, and the men prepared barbecue chicken and the Ladies Auxiliary each brought a covered dish to share for the annual Christmas party. There were 13 men and 12 ladies present who enjoyed fellowship and food.

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II, now has the world's
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Saint Nick visits Dangelmayr and Felderhoff clan, Dec. 7

The annual gathering of the children of Tony and Theresia Felderhoff celebrating the feast of St. Nicholas was held on Saturday, Dec. 7, in the beautifully decorated home of Theresa Mae and Sylvan Walterscheid.

The evening began with singing of many Christmas carols, awaiting the arrival of St. Nicholas. Ruth Felderhoff played the organ and Christy Hesse led all in singing. Father John also joined the musicians by playing his flute.

The families of the late Tony and Theresia Dangelmayr Felderhoff and Bertha Fleitman look forward to this celebration started generations ago by Joseph and Theresia Dangelmayr. Four generations of families were present.

A loud rap on the roof and

generations of families were present.

A loud rap on the roof and then the front door announced the arrival of St. Nicholas. The children all gathered around him as he asked them questions, took each child on his lap and asked them what they wanted for Christmas. The children all prayed for him, remembering the deceased members of the

Dangelmayr/Felderhoff families who passed on this great tradition. St. Nicholas then distributed 70 sacks of fruit, candy, etc. to

great tradition. St. Nicholas then distributed 70 sacks of fruit, candy, etc. to everyone.

The group sang "Happy Birthday" to Aunt Bertha Fleitman, 92 years young on Dec. 5, and the many persons celebrating December birthdays. A bountiful table of Christmas goodies, kolaches, cinnamon rolls, punch, and hot cider were served.

All present had special prayers for successful surgery for Joe Felderhoff. Joe and daughter Anne left Sunday for New Orleans, Louisiana where Joe had surgery on Tuesday. Charles Felderhoff of Waco joined his brother on Monday to spend the two weeks with Joe for surgery and recovery.

Relatives attending were: Bertha Fleitman; Girlie Felderhoff of Gainesville; Charles Felderhoff of Waco, Mary, John, Joseph, Michelle, and Matthew Fiala of Hickory Creek; Don, Judy, Daniel, Daryl, and Donald Woodall of Aledo; Kathy, Karl, Melissa, R.J., Nathan, Katy, and Jacob Metzler of Era; Nicholas

Saint Peter's holiday events

The ROCK and CACTUS youth groups of Saint ins of the parish again this Peter's Parish in Lindsay will have a Christmas Christmas season. Donated items of cookies, cakes, Dec. 22 in Lindsay breads, muffins, candy, Dec. 22 in Lindsay fruit, etc. were packaged in old coats and blankets to be donated to Cooke County Friends of the Family. For information call Debra at 665-3404.

A crib is set up in the back of church for small

and Tera Alford of San Marcos; Steve and Donna Felderhoff of The Colony; Ronnie, Patti, Anthony, and James Felderhoff of Hutto; Carol and Kristin Zimmerer of Denton.

Also Alvin and Joanie Hartman; Monica and Kristin LeBrasseur; Bobby, Sharlene, Shannon, and Dainah Hartman; Theresa Mae and Sylvan Walterscheid; Danny, Nanette, and Isac Walterscheid all of Muenster; Greg, Julie, Eric, Alexandra, and Hilary Walterscheid of Highland Village; Amy and Glen Swirczynski of Forney; Joe and Ruth Felderhoff; Christy, Bert, Joseph, Rebekah, John Paul, Daniel, Julian, and the newest family member Rachel Hesse; Neil, Anne, Matthew, Kaitlin, and Samuel Hesse; Neil, Anne, Matthew, Kaitlin, and Grace White; Rose and Ben Ganzon of Fort Worth.

On Sunday, the Alvin Hartman family and Sylvan Walterscheid family enjoyed another Christmas tree hunting party and the great of hamburgers and s'mores.

New **Arrival**

Hess
Stacey Hess and Lynette
Gray of Walnut Bend
announce the birth of a
daughter, Mackenzie Dawn
Hess on Dec. 5, 2002 at 1:20
p.m. weighing 7 lb. 6 oz. and
measuring 20 1/2 inches in
length. She joins three
siblings, Megan Hess age
17, Carrie Hess age 14, and
Lisa Hess age 12.
Grandparents are John and
Marylin Gray of Lindsay,
Boyce and Linda Morgan of
Callisburg, and Paul and
Lillian (Sis) Hess of
Lindsay. Greatgrandparents are Norma
and Elvin Gray of Walnut
Bend and Margaret Reiter
of Muenster.



Jeffrey Wade Klement of Lubbock has accepted membership in Golden Key International Honour Society and was individually honored during a campus ceremony.

"It is only fitting that a high academic achiever like Jeff be recognized by Golden Key," said Alexander D. Perwich II, Golden Key executive director. "Our members are inspired and motivated by the challenge not only to be recognized for their outstanding accomplishments but also to make a positive impact on our world through the Society's commitment to service."

Golden Key International Honour Society is a nonprofit, academic honors organization that provides academic recognition, leadership opportunities. Community service, career networking, and

olunteers to the Muenster Public Library were honored last week with a luncheon at the utchman Restaurant in Lindsay. Library workers attending were, from left, front – Evelyn oesler, Alice Davidson, Betty Felderhoff; Back – Library Manager Jody Thomas, Kay Broyles, nd Ethel Hesse. The Friends of the Library Board treated them.

Honour Society inducts

Jeffrey Wade Klement

Saint Jo Tour of Homes

The Saint Jo Chamber of Commerce will present its Commerce will be commerced with a commerce with a commerce with a commerce will be commerced with a commerce with a com

quarter horse ranch outside of town.

Tickets will go on sale at 1 p.m. on Dec. 14 at the Texas Kings Hotel. The cost is \$5.00 per person. Those purchasing a ticket will be entered in a drawing for a \$250 Walmart gift certificate or a \$100 Home Depot gift certificate. The drawing will take place on

Saint Jo Opry planning 16th Anniversary/ Christmas Show Dec. 14

Australia, Canada, Malaysia, South Africa, and New Zealand. Membership into the Society is by invitation only to the top 15 percent of juniors and seniors in all fields of study. Jeff is also a member of the Cardinal Key National Honor Society and the American Society of Civil Engineers, where he serves as Chapter President.

Over the Christmas holidays, Tech's Chapter will travel to Mexico City to participate in ASCE's Annual Steel Bridge Competition against numerous other colleges from Texas and Mexico.

Jeff is a 2000 graduate of Muenster High School. His parents are Wayne and Tudor Klement.

TOF HOMES

the square after the tour.
Appearing on the tour will be: The Texas Kings Hotel, David and Suzanne Lawson's Rafter L Ranch, Roger and Kay Pearce's home at 200 S. Main, Tom and Sherri Davis' home at 209 E. Evans, and Leeton and Kim Phillips' home at 900 S. Main.

After visiting the homes, everyone is invited back to the square for the gift certificate drawings. A "Christmas on the Square' celebration will also follow the tour. It will feature a lighted Christmas parade, pictures with Santa, and Christmas caroling.

Show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be celebrating their 16th Anniversary/Christmas show Dec. 14 in the Saint Jo Opry will be

Christmas wish list for special folks

Christmas Eve 5 p.m. Midnight Mass Christmas Day 9 a.m.

A crib is set up in the back of church for small item donations for the ABBA Center. The center is in need of items for Mom and Baby. For large item donations, call 665-6447.

Mental Health Community Support Services, located at 106-B North Sunset Boulevard, Sherman, is requesting Christmas Wish List items Sherman, is requesting Christmas Wish List items this holiday season for approximately 30 members of an adult mental health program. This is a group of people who usually do not receive gifts. They make

Saint Peter's Society will be celebrating their 100th year at Lindsay. Members, past members, and their wives are welcome to attend 10:00 Mass on Dec. 22. After Mass, a dinner and meeting will be held at the Wooden Spoon.

Saint Anne Society

their homes in Cooke, Fannin and Grayson Counties.

Requested items are: bath soap, bubble bath, dishwashing liquid, cleaning supplies, toothpaste, tooth brushes, make-up, socks and underwear, shaving cream, after-shave, mouth wash,

coats and gloves, razors, dishes, body lotion, pots and pans, toilet paper, linens, paper towels, canned goods, facial tissue, gift baskets, deodorant, laundry detergent, shampoo, conditioner and hair spray.

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School

Sacred Heart National Honor Society conducts food drive to benefit VISTO

In the true spirit of Thanksgiving, the Sacred Heart National Honor Society conducted a food drive prior to the Thanksgiving holidays. This type of drive also coincides with the Sacred Heart Mission Statement of "promotting dignity for all."

Mrs. Debbie Endres, 5th spirit of the event by conducting a contest to see donation to VISTO in Gainesville. Schoolwide and delivered Friday, Nov. 21. The school was well



Pictured, from left, are Michael Voth, Marty Farrell, and Joe Davis representatives of Sacred Heart National Honor Society at VISTO in Gainesville. The food in the foreground was the result of a school wide food drive sponsored by the NHS of Sacred Heart before Thanksgiving.

Courtesy photo

Sacred Heart second grade tours Heard Museum and Wildlife Sanctuary

Founded on Oct. 1, 1967 by Miss Bessie Heard, the Heard Natural Science Museum and Wildlife Sanctuary includes a 25,000 square foot science museum, a 289 acre wildlife sanctuary, a 4,000 square foot Raptor Rehabilitation

Bits of Wisdom

Watch out for salami – just one slice has 2 to 12 gm. Of fat.





School Lunch Menus

WEEK OF DEC. 16 - 20 MUENSTER ISD

MUENSTER ISD

Mon. - Hot dogs w/chili,
potato wedges, ranch style
beans, cake, mixed fruit.

Tues. - Spaghetti w/meat
sauce, lettuce salad
w/dressing, green beans,
peaches, hot rolls.

Wed. - Ham and cheese
sandwich, lettuce and
tomatoes, chips and salsa,
cookies, pineapple.

Thurs. - Baked ham,
creamed potatoes w/gravy,
corn, pears, hot rolls.

Fri. - Barbecue
sandwiches, pickles and
onions, French fries, pork
and beans, applesauce, ice
cream.

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cream.

SACRED HEART

Mon. - Chicken crispitos
or beef enchiladas, pinto
beans, salsa/chips, apples,
bread.

Tues. - Ham, cheesy potatoes, green beans, applesauce, salad, bread.
Wed. - Chicken nuggets, potatoes, gravy, mixed vegetables, oranges, bread.
Thurs. - Barbecue sandwich, onions, potato wedges, peaches.
Fri. - No lunch.
LINDSAY ISD

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Salisbury steak or fish sticks, green beans, tossed salad, Texas toast, strawberry delight.

Tues. - Chicken fried steak or chicken strips, mashed potatoes, gravy, tossed salad, peaches, hot roll.

Wed. - Crispy tacos, trimmings, pinto beans,

roll.
Wed. - Crispy tacos, trimmings, pinto beans, cornbread, chocolate chip cookie.
Thurs. - Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese sandwich, tossed salad, sliced pears, rice krispy treat.
Fri. - Sub sandwich, trimmings, potato chips, pickle spears, ice cream. LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Steak fingers, creamed potatoes, green beans, pears, bread.

Tues. - Vegetable beef soup, sandwich, lettuce, pickle, crackers, oranges.

Wed. - Tacos, pinto beans, peaches, applesauce, bread.

Thurs. - Spaghetti and meat sauce, lettuce salad, corn, iced cake, bread.

Fri. - Chicken sandwich, French fries, lettuce, pickle, ice cream.

The standard of the soup, grilled cheese sandwich, tossed salad, sliced pears, rice krispy treat.

Fri. - Sub sandwich, trimmings, potato cheese sandwich, trimmings, potato chips, pickle spears, ice cream.

Save water outdoors

Wash your car on the lawn if possible to reduce

· Wash your car on the lawn if possible to reduce runoff.



Muenster Junior High Student Council officers are, from left, front - Megan Felderhoff, Laura Heers, Zach Swirczynski, Krystal Wolf, and Jessica Walterscheid; back – 8th grade representatives Bret Walterscheid, Evan Koesler, Sandy Endres, and Brad Endres; and 7th grade representatives Alison Teafatiller, Garrett Hennigan, Lee Walterscheid, and Hillary Swirczynski.

Muenster ISD Junior High Student Council holiday projects abound

The Junior High Student Council of Muenster ISD recently enjoyed the Thanksgiving holiday by giving to families in need. The students packaged a wonderful Thanksgiving meal, fit with a turkey, sweet potatoes, cornbread dressing, fresh fruits, pies, and many more holiday meal items. The fresh and frozen foods were delivered

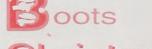


Hans and his puppet friends will be in the spotlight Saturday in "Little Red Boots for Christmas" produced by the Living Well Ranch and Unique Images.

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Results of Elementary UII District Meet

The elementary UIL meet for area schools was hosted by Era on Nov. 22. Schools attending the meet were Muenster, Lindsay, Era, Collinsville, Slidell, and Tioga. Lindsay Elementary won the District's championship with an overall score of 705 team points. Muenster finished 2nd with 698 team points, followed by Era.

The following are Muenster and Lindsay results:

Muenster and Lindsay results:
4TH GR. ART - 1st,
Muenster, Taylor Klement,
Shane Presnall, Taylor
Reiter; 2nd, Lindsay,
Jessica Block, Emily
Conaway, Kelsey Hermes,
Savannah Stoffels. 5TH GR.
ART - 1st, Muenster,
Shaina Felderhoff, Jackie
Klement, Lia Heers, Delana
Sicking; 2nd, Lindsay,
John Block, Kristin Martin,
Dax Fleitman, Haley
Hughes.

John Block, Krisen.
Dax Fleitman, Haley Hughes.
6TH GR. CALCULATOR-1st, Beverly Knabe, L; 1st, Amber Nortman, L; 3rd, Nick Bezner, L; 4th, Noel Barnhill, M.
2ND GR. CREATIVE WRITING - 1st, Brooke Walterscheid, M; 2nd, Alyssa Stewart, M; 3rd, Megan Schumacher, L.
5TH GR. DICTIONARY SCHLIS - 2nd, T.J. Acuna, M.

4th, Colton Hermes, L; 5th, Haley Hughes, L. SIXTH GR. DICTIONARY SKIILS
-1st, Nick Bezner, L; 2nd, Jordanne Hellman. M. 3rd, Amber Nortman, L; 4th, Kelly Laux, L.
-5TH GR. LISTENING-2nd, Alex Cooney, L; 4th, Matt Bain, M; 4th, Lia Heers, M. 6TH GR.
LISTENING - 1st, Paul Crabtree, M; 1st, John Rohmer, M; 4th, Derek Hundt, L; 6th, John Monday, M.
-5TH GR. MAPS, GRAPHS & CHARTS - 1st, Steven Valliere, M; 2nd, Colton Hermes, L; 4th, Dillon Hanson, L; 6th, Austin Reiter, L, 6TH GR.
MAPS, GRAPHS & CHARTS - 1st, Nick Bezner, L; 2nd, Jon Michael Sweeney, L; 4th, Jared Flusche, M; 5th, Jeff Schniederjan, M.
-6TH GR. MATH - 1st, Nick Bezner, L; 5th, Kelly Laux, L; 6th, Noel Barnhill, M.
-3RD GR. MUSIC MEMORY - 1st, Lindsay



s 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Graders who participated in the



in the District UIL meet.









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Tyler Anderle, Devon Kubis, Lindsay Kelley; 4th Lindsay, Emily Conaway, Jordan Fleitman, Caitlin Huston, Blake Meek, Stephanie Zwinggi. 5TH GR. MUSIC MEMORY-2nd, Lindsay, Dax Fleitman, Colton Hermas Stephanie Zwinggi. 5TH
GR. MUSIC MEMORY 2nd, Lindsay, Dax
Fleitman, Colton Hermes,
Adam Krebs, Austin Reiter,
3rd, Muenster, Amanda
Dangelmayr, Erin Endres,
Eric Hellman, Jeremy
Lutkenhaus. 6TH GR.
MUSIC MEMORY - 1st,
Muenster, Samantha
Endres, Jordanne Hellman,
Tori Wright; 3rd, Lindsay,
Wes Morrison, Kendall Neu,
Rhiannon Robinson.
4TH GR. NUMBER
SENSE - 1st, Shane
Presnall, M; 2nd, Troy
Kirby, L; 3rd, Madison
Parkhill, L; 5th, Thomas
Rohmer, L. 5TH GR.
NUMBER SENSE - 1st,
Levi Trubenbach, M; 2nd,
Lia Heers, M; 5th, Shaina
Felderhoff, M; 6th, Haley
Hughes, L. 6TH GR.
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Felderhoff, M; 6th, Haley
Hughes, L. 6TH GR.
NUMBER SENSE - 1st,
Nick Bezner, L; 3rd, Sam

Muenster FFA competes in LDE contest

Saturday, Nov. 23, was the District 1 FFA Leadership Development Contest (LDE). Crystal Fuhrmann placed 2nd in the Jr. Creed Speaking contest and advanced to Area. Other members who participated in the District contest were Diana Felderhoff in Sr. Creed Speaking, and a FFA Quiz team including Travis Felderhoff, Ryan Fuhrmann, and Joseph Dangelmayr. The Area contest was Saturday, Dec. 7 at Texas A&M University at Commerce where Crystal Fuhrmann placed 10th.

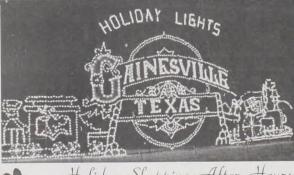
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4TH GR. ORAL
READING - 2nd, Alley
Trubenbach, M; 4th,
Michelle Henscheid, M; 6th,
Carol Ann Dickerson, L
5TH GR. ORAL READING1st, Dax Fleitman, L; 2nd,
Dillon Hanson, L; 3rd,
Natalie Valliere, M; 4th,
Cammi Neu, L; 5th, Sara
Walterscheid, M, 6TH GR.
ORAL READING - 1st, Sam
Sparkman, L; 2nd, Kelsey
Hawkins, L; 3rd, Derek
Hundt, L; 6th, Brooklyn
Caldwell, M
3RD GR. READY
WRITING - 1st, Emily
Hellman, M; 2nd, Landon
Presnall, M; 3rd, Allison
Pagel, M; 4th, Lucinda
Krahl, L, 4TH GR. READY
WRITING - 2nd, Hayley
Hess, M; 6th, Taylor Reiter,
M, 5TH GR. READY
WRITING - 1st, Lia Heers,
M; 2nd, Colton Hermes, L,
3rd, Alex Cooney, L; 4th,
Dax Fleitman, L; 5th,
Shaina Felderhoff, M; 6th,
Levi Trubenbach, M, 6TH
GR. READY WRITING -

1st, Amber Nortman, L;
2nd, Jordanne Hellman, M;
3rd, Samantha Endres, M;
4th, Brandy Dangelmayr,
M; 5th, Nick Bezner, L.
3RD GR. SPELLING 1st, Lucinda Krahl, L; 2nd,
Landon Presnall, M; 4th,
Blake Grewing, M; 5th Lana
Heers, M. 4TH GR.
SPELLING - 1st, Madison
Parkhill, L; 2nd, Taylor
Reiter, M; 3rd, Shane
Presnall, M; 4th, Taylor
Klement, M; 6th, Todd
Bezner, L 5TH GR.
SPELLING - 1st, Lia Heers,
M; 2nd, Katie McAden, M;
3rd, Zohaib Anwar, L; 4th,
Alex Cooney, L; 5th, Dillon
Hanson, L. 6TH GR.
SPELLING - 1st, Nick
Bezner, L; 2nd, Kelly Laux,
L; 3rd, Paul Crabtree, M;
4th, Kelsey Hawkins, L;
5th, Brandan Bindel, M,
2 N D G R
STORYTELLING - 1st,
Chisam Reiter, L; 2nd,
Brooke Walterscheid, M;
3rd, Austin Hennigan, M;
4th, Kassidy Gum, L 3RD
GR. STORYTELLING - 1st,
Jimmy Abner, M; 4th,
Kameron Heady, M; 5th,
Amelia Haverkamp, L.



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Sports

Sacred Heart and Trinity Valley win Red River Shoot-Out in Muenster

The Red River Shoot-Out was held last weekend in the Sacred Heart and Muenster gymnasiums. Sixteen teams participated in the three day event that ended Saturday night in the Hornet gym.

In girls action, the Sacred Heart Tigerettes edged out the Lady Hornets of Muenster to take the championship trophy. The Trinity Valley boys defeated Henrietta for the boys 1st place. The third place battle saw the Tigers win over the Hornets.

Karen Gehrig was named

saw the ligers win over the Hornets.

Karen Gehrig was named MVP of the All-Tournament team. Also from Sacred Heart making the team were Mary Jane Callahan, Raney Bauer, and Jayna Biffle. Lady Hornets earning All-Tournament were Alisha Walterscheid, Lisa Felderhoff, and JoAnna Felderhoff.

On the boys side, Tigers Clint Fuhrmann and Jack Biffle earned places on the team. Cody Cory and Russell Endres were the Hornets receiving the honor. Action began Thursday afternoon.

Muenster JV 22

Jacksboro 50

The young Lady Hornets had three rough quarters against the varsity Jacksboro team. Tara Swirezynski put in 8 points for Muenster, with Kallie Gerstberger adding 6 and Jacé Koelzer, Stevie Klement, Chelsea Felderhoff, and Abby Endres all scoring 2 apiece. M 4 11 4 3 22

J 13 10 12 15 50

Lindsay 38 Henrietta 60

The Knights fell to the Bearcats Thursday afternoon after falling behind 20-9 in the first quarter. Rhett Rimmer dropped in 11 points to lead Lindsay scorers. Trinity Otto added 8, Mitch Creed 7, Richard Klement 5, Cody Anderle 3, and 2 apiece by Brandon Kiesel and Chuck Hinds.

L 9 12 8 9 38

H 20 14 12 14 60

Trinity Valley 60

Paradise 54

The team from Fort Worth advanced in the winners bracket, putting the Lady Bearcats in the consolation bracket.

Trinity Valley 60

Paradise 64

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Paradise 54

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Trinity Valley 60

Paradise 62

The Tigerettes began tournament action relying on Karen Gehrig and Mary Hermes with 15, 14, and 10 points respectively. Melinad Walterscheid, Amanda Felderhoff 6, Kami Klement 5, and Jami Gerstberger 4.

M 27 18 20 21 86

L 5 2 6 18

Sacred Heart 58

Paradise 42

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Chris Hoedebeck brings in a lay-up and Chris Fuhrmann (12) waits for the rebound.

Dave Fette photo



Red River Shoot Out girls' champions,
Photo courtesy of C

Fuhrmann 5, and Clint
Fuhrmann 2 for the Tigers.
Russell Endres scored 14
points for Muenster, with
Wolf and Fuhrmann each
Wolf and Fuhrmann each
getting 8. Cody Cory and
Witch Felderhoff getting 2
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SH 6 18 9 14 47
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getting 8. Cody Cory and

with Tyler Walterscheid and Mitch Felderhoff getting 2 apiece.

SH 6 18 9 14 47 M 17 5 8 10 40 Sacred Heart 35 Muenster 33

In a standing room only packed Muenster gym, the Tigerettes and Lady Hornets fought for every point in a defensive battle for the girls championship. "Both teams played hard. It was a play-off atmosphere," commented Coach Jon. "The game will only help the teams as they prepare for district action."

JoAnna Felderhoff was high point maker in the contest with 15. Lisa Felderhoff added 10 points, with Megan Lippe getting 4, and Brooke Endres and Melinda Walterscheid 2 apiece.

The Tigerettes were led

and Brooke Endres and Melinda Walterscheid 2 apiece.

The Tigerettes were led on the board by Jayna Biffle with 11 points and 8 rebounds. Maggie Farrell added 6 points with 4 steals. Karen Gehrig, Raney Bauer, and Jennifer Hoedebeck each scored 4, with Stephanie Henscheid and Jacqueline Bauer both adding 3.

SH 10 5 10 10 35 M 6 8 13 6 33 Trinity Valley 88 Henrietta 73.

The final game of the tournament, the boys championship, went to Trinity Valley, with Henrietta settling for 2nd place.

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Jennifer Hoedebeck shoots a The average American jump shot during Shoot Out eats 20,000 M&M's in a action. Dave Fette photo lifetime.

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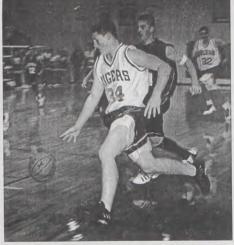
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Sacred Heart exchanges wins with Collinsville

Sacred Heart hosted the Collinsville basketball teams Tuebenbach each getting an 89-31 victory, but the Tigers were handed a disappointing 32-30 loss. "We seem to be coming out of our slump as we hit 8 threes," commented Coach Jon LeBrasseur of the Tigerette team. "We needed a nice solid game as we prepare for the Nocona tournament."

Raney Bauer was high scorer for Sacred Heart with 15 points. She also had nine assists and six steals. Mary Jane Callahan put in 13 points, Jayan Biffle 12, and Karen Gehrig and Jana Truebenbach each getting SH 12 3 5 10 30 11. Courtney Hartman C 4 11 5 12 32



Clayton Truebenbach makes a high-speed approach ahead of the Jacksboro defense at the Red River Shoot-Out.

Lady Knights in Classic

The Lindsay Lady Knights participated in the Ray Roberts Classic Basketball Tournament last weekend in Collinsville and Pilot Point. Lindsay lost the first match, then won the next two for the consolation prize.

Lindsay 36 Valley View 55 In their control Lindsay 36
Valley View 55
In their opening game
Thursday, the Lady Knights
could not contain Valley
View's Tara Graham, who
scored 24 points. Lindsay
had a good first quarter
before allowing the Lady
Eagles into the game.
Elaine Hess scored 12
points, with Katie Schneider
adding 8, and Emmy
Trammell 6. Mallory Block
and Lori Kasparek each put
in 4 points, with Alex
Hellinger getting 2.
L 12 6 2 16 36
VV 7 17 15 16 55
Lindsay 30 Anna 27
A fourth quarter
comeback kept the Lady
Knights in the tournament
Friday with a close battle
with the Lady Coyotes. Only
four Lindsay players hit the
basket, with Schneider
scoring 12. Trammell added
9, Hess 7, and Cheryl Knabe
2.
L 8 2 6 14 30

L 8 2 6 14 30
A 10 6 4 7 27
Lindsay 59 Howe 34
Domination of the scoreboard the first period gave Lindsay the lift needed to win the consolation round of the tournament. The 13 point lead gained ground each quarter with the Lady

Knights entering the final period with a 26 point lead. Trammell was high point maker in the game with 23 points. Hess added 14, with Schneider getting 9, Lindsay Williams 6, Kasparek 4, and Block 3.

L 23 13 14 9 59
H 10 6 8 10 34

Sacred Heart Alumni and Supporters basketball

games are set

The annual Sacred Heart Alumni and Supporter basketball games are set for Saturday, Dec. 21. The ladies will tip-off around 5:00 p.m. with the men immediately following the ladies' game. The games are open to any alumni or anyone that currently has children in Sacred Heart School. The games will take place in Sacred Heart Gym. There will be a \$5 charge for each player to cover the cost of the officials. The social will be at the new home of Ken Hesse immediately following the men's game. If you have any questions, contact Neil Hesse at 759-4821 or Sandra Reeves at 759-4050.

Junior Varsity Action

Muenster 35 Ponder 19
The JV Lady Hornets had eight girls put points on the board in Tuesday's victory. Jace Koelzer and Kallie Gerstberger each scored 7 points. Abby Endres added 5, with Chelsea Felderhoff, Stevie Klement, and Tara Swirczynski all getting 4. Jenna Felderhoff and Deann Dangelmayr got 2 apiece.

M 9 3 15 8 35
P 6 4 5 4 19

M 9 3 10 5 48

Sacred Heart 46

Collinsville 47

The Tigers were handed a disposition of the first half, Sacred Heart allowed the Pirates 29 points to take the win. Paul Bartush scored 28 points to lead the Tigers under the basket. Wes Wimmer added 9, Adam Taylor 4, Andy Davis 3, and Thomas Otto 2.

Junior High Action

C 13 5 18 11 47

Sacred Heart 56
Collinsville 18
Nine Tigerettes put points on the board against the Lady Pirates to improve their season record to 6-1. Diana Knabe was Sacred Heart's high point maker with 12. Hannah Hess and Nicole Bayer each added 10 points, with Lisa Endres getting 7, Shannon Hartman 6, Melissa Thomas 5, Katie Flusche 3, Joelle Fuhrmann 2, and Debra Yosten 1.

Lady Hornets improved the season to 12-1

The Lady Hornets improved the season record to 12-1 Tuesday night with a 55-37 victory over Ponder. Ponder out-scored Muenster the first quarter, then the Lady Hornets went to the locker room at half-time with a tied score on the board. Muenster then put 38 points on the board, while holding Ponder to 20 to get the win.

Jami Gerstberger was the leading scorer for Muenster with 14 points. Robyn Hermes added 11 and Melinda Walterscheid 10 for double digit scores. Lisa Felderhoff nut in 8 Magan

Lindsay 18 Era 21
The Lindsay 8th grade Lady Squires fell to Era Monday night.
Brittany Anderle put in 12 points for Lindsay with Mereitth Bezner added 4 and Liz Neu 2.
L 6 2 6 4 18
E 3 7 3 8 21
Lindsay 29 Era 7
The 7th grade Lady Squires brought home a big win Monday night. Chelsea Hermes led all scorers with 12 points Madisen Burrows, Emily Fuhrmann, and Jordan Heilman each dropped in 4 points. Stephanie Neu and Liz Dieter added 2 points apiece and Lauren Creed 1.
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Knights also get win

Lindsay Lady Knights pulverize Prairie Valley

The Lady Knights had a free-for-all Tuesday night as they pounded Prairie Valley to a 91-7 one-sided beating. Lindsay took a quick and early lead, ending the first period 32-3, and holding Prairie Valley to only 1 point the second half.

Lori Kasparek was high scorer with 19 points. Cheryl Knabe, Elaine Hess, and Katie Schneider all added a dozen, with Emmy Trammell getting 11. Mallory Block and Whitney Neu each scored 9 points, Lindsay Williams 4, and Stephanie Jankiewicz 3.

L 32 26 23 10 91 PV 3 3 0 1 7 PV11 9 7 4 31

Sacred Heart Tigers win over Fort Worth Bethesda

The Sacred Heart Tigers traveled to Fort Worth Monday night and brought home a 50-37 victory. A Farrell added 15, Jack Biffle obse first half was followed by the Tigers outscoring their opponent 27-13 the second half. Sacred Heart hit 72% from the charity stripe.

Game Warden Field Notes

A Cajun was stopped by a game warden in Southern Louisiana recently with two ice chests of fish, leaving a bayou well known for its fishing.

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"Pet fish?!"

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"That's a bunch of hooey!
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The Cajun looked at the game warden for a moment and then said, It's the truth ma' friend, I'll show you. It really works."

"Okay, I've GOT to see this!"

"Okay, I've GOT to see this!"
The Cajun poured the fish in to the bayou and stood and waited.
After several minutes, the game warden turned to him and said, "
Well?"

Well, what?" said the

"Well, what."
Cajun.
"When are you going to call them back?"
"Call who back?"
"The FISH."
"What fish?"

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All persons having claims against this Estate which is rrently being administered are required to present them within e-time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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A renewal contract was signed with Southwestern Bell for a new immate phone system. By unanimous approval Commissioners agreed to a three-year contract that would begin when the current contract expires in November of 2003. As explained by Sherman Herrington, senior account manager with Southwestern Bell, the proposal includes new digital imaging system equipment that will be used by the Sheriff's Department for booking purposes.

Sheriff Mike Compton

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Sheriff Mike Compton said that currently they email photos of inmates on a regular basis to various agencies. "Digital images are so much superior to the old photographic that photographi

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install a buried cable upon and along the right-of-way of CR 416 in Precinct #4. Hess said that he had made changes in the contract to bring it up to the required standards of depth, etc.

Sgt. Ray Sappington of the Texas DPS reported that two bids had been submitted on a lease for the Texas DPS's copy machine. The bid specs asked for a minimum of 8,000 copies per month. Dustin Office Machines bid \$246 per month with .0115 per copy after 8,000. Xerox bid \$210 per month with .0094 per copy after 8,000. Commissioners approved the lower Xerox bid.

NCTC to offer alcohol seller/ server training

A four-hour alcohol seller/server's training course, required for employees of any business approved by the Texas Alcohol Beverage Commission to sell beer or liquor, is now offered through the North Central Texas College Continuing Education Division.

This program is aimed at helping retailers become familiar with laws concerning sales to minors and intoxicated persons, as well as techniques to prevent such sales.

With a minimum of five students - either from one business or several combined - training can be scheduled morning, afternoon, evening or Saturdays. Additionally, NCTC has scheduled one training per month throughout the spring and summer semesters. On the Gainesville Campus, sessions are scheduled from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Jan. 29; 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on March 13; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on May; and 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. on May; and 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. on July 9. All courses will be instructed by Dean Underdahl of Denton, a TABC approved instructor. For information or to register, please contact the NCTC at (940) 668-4272.

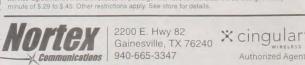
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2003.

By a vote of 4-1, the commissioners determined that Canada unfairly subsidizes production of Durum and hard red spring wheat, and that the wheat is sold in the United States at less than fair market value.

at less value.

The CWB was quick to denounce the ITC determination. In a news release issued on the day of the ruling, the CWB called it "just another step in continued American trade harassment."

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CATTLE AUCTION MEDIA REPORT

The office of the United States Trade This is quite simply an attack on western Canadian farmers and anything that gives them a competitive advantage," said Larry Hill, chairman of the CWB directors' trade committee. The facts of this case do not support a ruling against us, we do not 'dump' grain, nor do we have unfair subsidies. This has been shown time and time again."

Durum wheat is used mainly to make pasta. Hard red spring wheat is used mainly to make pasta. Hard red spring wheat is used primarily in breads. The North American Millers Association, which represents pasta and bread manufacturers, opposes the Commerce Department investigation. NAMA officials testified before the ITC in October that, in their years of purchasing wheat from Canada, they had

Rural voices help drive election results says American Farm Bureau

By Bob Stallman President, American Farm Bureau

President, American Farm Bureau

It felt good to vote on November 5.

I don't know about you, but I believe exercising my right to vote is truly what being an American is all about. No matter what the results, the privilege of voting is something I never take for granted. It's how we, as citizens, make sure our voices are heard. And if you ever doubted that we in rural America can make a difference, this election certainly proved otherwise.

Despite it being an "off-year" election, several key Senate races around the nation had us sitting on the edge of our seats. In many of those races, it was rural America that held the power. Farmers and ranchers along with our rural neighbors literally decided the outcome and shaped the national political landscape in the unprecedented fashion we find for the 108th Congress.

Disaster assistance,

national energy policy, forest management policy and grazing rights, taxes and trade are all issues of significant importance to agriculture at this time. Farm Bureau members do an outstanding job of discussing and debating these issues through our policy development process in order to determine our organization's stand. Our work doesn't end there, however.

It is up to us to cast our outside a way that will help to the suppositions. It also is up to us to talk with our rural, and urban, neighbors so they understand how their vote affects us, and our nation's agricultural industry.

The results of this past election prove how important it is for farm and ranch families to mobilize and stay involved. It also is up to us to talk with our rural, and serve understand how their vote affects us, and our nation's affects us, and our nation's affect us, and our nat

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Agriculture Briefs

A report from American Farmland Trust says 86% of U.S. fruits and vegetables and 63% of dairy products come from land threatened by urban sprawl.

A big wheat purchase by Egypt in October sent future prices up the limit, surging through night trading - 43¢ in less than 24 hours!

USDA estimates 8.97 billion bushel crop of corn

Hog prices bottomed in late August due to sow liquidation. It is expected that 4th quarter prices will be in the high \$20s, under the USDA's low \$30s forecast.

Fed cattle prices are likely to increase to the upper \$60s late this year predicts University of Nebraska ag economist Darrell Mark.

America program offers scholarships, internship opportunities, and annual conferences for students majoring in agriculture or

agribusiness. For more information, check their web site: www.agfuture.org.

As of Oct. 2002, any food sold as organic must meet criteria set by the USDA's National Organic Rule. If labeled organic, products must be produced without pesticides, antibiotics, hormones, synthetic fertilizers, or genetic modification, and has four levels of purity. 100% organic - does not contain any non-organic ingredients; organic - at least 95% pure; made with organic ingredients - at least 70% organic with no added sulfites; so me organic ingredients - products containing less than 70% organic.

Researchers now believe

Researchers now believe that bananas may help cut the risk of strokes, because of their high potassium content. Bananas also contain

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in beef. A required daily
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Top breakfast foods in order of popularity are: ready-to-eat cereal; bread; fruit; eggs; hot cereal; pancakes/waffles; bacon; bagels; sausage;

Texas Representative Larry Combest, Republican Head of the House Agriculture Committee will retire from Congress next May due to family health

U.S. beef muscle meat shipments to China were up 78% in the first eight months of 2002.

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Muenster ISD bands present Christmas concerts Dec. 8

Christmas concerts Dec. 8

by Elfreda Fette
The Christmas season was brightened Sunday afternoon, Dec. 8, with a splendid band concert presented by the Muenster High School Band, the 7th Grade Band, and the 6th Grade Band conducted by Jerry Everett in Sacred Heart Church at 3:00 p.m.

Pride was justifiably shown by parents of the students, and admiration was evidenced by faculty members and hundreds of guests and friends who attended the program. A capacity crowd reached almost standing room only. Even to us casual observers, the improvement in the 6th Grade Band was noticeable. It is a tempting thought to anticipate that High School Marching Band when they reach their junior and senior years.

Current membership in the High School Band is eleven on flutes; fifteen on clarinets; one bass clarinet; three on alto saxophone; three on horns in F; twelve on trumpets; five on rombones; seven on euphoniums; three on tubas; six on percussion; two on mallet percussion; making a total of 70 members.

Current membership in the 7th Grade Band is three on flutes; three on clarinets; one on bassoon; two on alto saxophones; three on tubas; six on percussion; making a total of 70 members.

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Current membership in the 6th Grade Band is seven on flutes; six on clarinets; five on particus saxophone; making a total of 34 members.

Current membership in the 6th Grade Band is seven on flutes; six on clarinets; five





Shannon Grewing and Diana Felderhof



Top photo - Kelly Grewing; middle - Stevie Klement, Russell Endres, and Matt Beaver; Mindy Walterscheid on the cymbals.





Muenster Hornet Band Christmas Concert Photos by Janie Hartman



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