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## Muenster High Class of 2005 graduates May 27

By Janet Felderhoff  
Muenster ISD's 2005 senior class bid adieu to the routine of high school life. They celebrated their graduation on Friday, May 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Muenster Hornet Gymnasium.

Members of the Class of 2005 are Bryan Victor Bayer, Jared Wade Britain, Chase Christopher Cain, Casey Wayne Coker, Donald Joshua Dickerson, Brittani Marie Eanes, Christine Nichole Eanes, Russell Werner Endres, Kevin Ensey, James Fanning, Derek John Felderhoff, Dustin John Felderhoff, JoAnna Marie Felderhoff, Lana Rose Fisher, August John Fleitman, John Spencer Fredrick III, Sean Michael Fuhrmann, Kallie

Brianne Gerstberger, Richard Gage Gilliland, Carrie Ann Grewing, Shannon Leigh Grewing, Courtney Shay Henry, Kristen Nicole Hess, Todd Robert Hess, Douglas Edward Keener, Stevie Rae Kleiment, Daniel Jay McGrew II, Jamie Lynn Milam, Clint John Miller, Allyson Marie Moody, Ruthie Lanelle Muller, Michelle Lynn Pagel, Meredith Elaine Painter, Kimberly Dawn Parsons, Cassandra Ann Sicking, Tara Daile Swirczynski, Stephen Adam Vinson, Jeffrey Tyler Walterscheid, Mindy Leigh Walterscheid, Whitney Michelle Watson, Justin Adam Wolf, and Matthew Yosten.

The graduates entered the gymnasium to "Pomp

and Circumstance" played by Eddie Green. Whitney Watson offered the invocation.

Salutatorian Sean Fuhrmann recalled how quickly the past four years have gone and memorable the times were. "We have all been faced with tribulations, yet we always seem to overcome them, not alone but instead with the help of friends and family," noted Fuhrmann. "There has always been someone to lend a helping hand whether it be a friend, family member, faculty member, or coach."

Fuhrmann attributed the fact that they were at their graduation to the relationship the graduates had with their friends, family, teachers, and coaches. He said that they'd grown tremendously in knowledge through their education and experiences.

"We have been prepared to face the real world," said Fuhrmann. "Our teachers have not only taught us much information, but they have also taught us how to take that information and apply it. Our coaches taught us that in order to achieve something, we must work hard for it. Nothing can be accomplished without putting forth the work!"

Fuhrmann concluded with a poem, "Moving On" by Karin Laverty.

Class Valedictorian Adam Vinson spoke of the graduates' future. He said, "When we leave this place tonight, we leave closer to being real men and women than ever we were before. We have ended a major part of our lives, and we will

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Tara Swirczynski, Jamie Milam, and Daniel McGrew wait in the foyer of the Muenster High School Gymnasium for the procession to begin the Muenster High graduation ceremony last Friday evening. See more graduation pictures in the school news. Janie Hartman photo

## Five Cooke County communities win Keep Texas Beautiful Awards!

Once again Cooke County will be well represented at the Keep Texas Beautiful (KTB) conference to be held in Houston June 27 through 30. Every year cities and communities all over the great State of Texas compete for a portion of a \$1 million prize awarded to nine different communities. The communities compete with others in their population category. Communities that win are eligible to win the first prize award again every three years, but continue to compete to win Governor's Community Achievement Awards of Excellence and the Sustained Excellence Awards.

Excitement is awarded to communities that score 90 or above on their applications. Sustained Excellence is given to communities that win Awards of Excellence for three consecutive years. First place Governor's Community Achievement Award winners are Muenster and Lindsay. Valley View won 2nd place and Callisburg won 3rd place in their population categories. Gainesville, Muenster, Lindsay, Valley View, and Callisburg will all receive the Awards of Excellence, and Muenster will receive its 5th Sustained Excellence Award at the KTB Conference.

Additionally this year, Valley View won 2nd place in Texas under the direction of Suzanne McCann, and Callisburg won 3rd place in the State in their population category. MaryLee Alford of Keep Texas Beautiful remarked,

Keep Muenster Beautiful President Kay Broyles led Muenster to win their fourth 1st place Governor's Community Achievement Award (GCAA) and another \$65,000. Muenster was the first Cooke County community to become an official active Keep Texas Beautiful affiliate in 1998. Within 10 months Keep Muenster Beautiful won the 1st place GCAA and its first \$65,000 award, which was used to beautify TX DOT right of way on Main Street in Muenster.

Since the organization began, Muenster has won the GCAA every year eligible, including winning the GCAA in 1986. Muenster has won a total of \$215,000 in official Keep Texas Beautiful awards.

However, the total contribution to the community through Keep Muenster Beautiful in awards, donations, in-kind services, and additional funding to the Main Street projects is now valued at over \$897,285.00 to date.

Another first place winner of the Governor's Community Achievement Award and \$60,000 this year is Lindsay. This was Lindsay's first year to compete, but they got started strong with the initial impetus from their Mayor Steven Zwinggi and strong support with a \$5,000 commitment from the City. Claudia Zimmerer served as their official "coordinator".

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Anton Knoedl, a resident of Germany who visited Muenster relatives, takes his cousin Isac Walterscheid for a ride on his motorcycle. Scott Wood photo

## German man visits Texas kin on US tour

By Janet Felderhoff  
Anton Knoedl, age 61, of Germany has been experiencing the elements in a personal way as he tours the United States on a motorcycle. Knoedl is retired from Continental Teves, Inc. where he worked as a test supervisor applications in foundation brakes. His job brought him to the United States to live from 1979 to 1981 and 2000 to 2002. He's also made many trips here from Germany.

Knoedl said that he once made a test trip by car from Detroit to Los Angeles. "I thought I had to do it once on a bike," said the inspired tourist. He owns a motorcycle that he rides in Germany.

The motorcycle Knoedl is using to tour the U.S. belongs to a friend of his who lives in Detroit. They have the exact same type bike. The friend visits Europe and uses Knoedl's bike when he is there. When his friend decided to purchase a new motorcycle, Knoedl said he told him, "Don't sell your old baby, I'm going to use it." It was shipped from Detroit to LA so that Knoedl could use it beginning May 1.

His trip has been from LA to Monterrey and then on to Yosemite National Park, down to Fresno. Knoedl went to Phoenix, Arizona to visit an old secretary of his. His next stop was Flagstaff, Arizona. He took in the tourist attractions of the

Grand Canyon and the Four Corners. He spent time visiting his in-laws and then came to Muenster to visit with Theresa Mae Walterscheid's family.

Theresa Mae and her daughter Laurie met Knoedl and his sister on a visit to Germany. He is a relative of several Muenster people. He and Theresa Mae are cousins and share the same great-grandfather, John Muck. His grandpa was a brother to Theresia Muck Dangelmayr and Frances Muck Lutkenhaus who have descendants living in Muenster.

While in Muenster, Knoedl visited the second grade class at Sacred Heart School where Theresa Mae's

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## Koelzer earns All-State

Sixteen girls from throughout the state of Texas were named to the Conference 1A Texas Girls Coaches Association 2005 Track All-State Team. Earning a place on the team was Muenster Lady Hornet Jacé Koelzer. It is the second season she was named to the team.

This year Koelzer competed at the State Meet in three events, winning the 100m hurdles, finishing 2nd in the 300m hurdles and 5th in the long jump. As the lone Lady Hornet, Jacé earned 20 points and finished in 9th place as a team. Koelzer competed as a junior and is the daughter of Jim and Carol Koelzer.



Jacé Koelzer

Also named to the team was Jaqi Trice of Alvord, and Chelsie Steinberger of Windthorst.

## Lindsay High School's 48 graduates launch on future

By Janet Felderhoff  
Lindsay High School held commencement for the 48 graduates of the Class of 2005 on Friday, May 27 at 7 p.m. in the Lindsay Centennial Hall.

Graduates were Daniel Aberasturi, Kristen Lynn Alexander, Garrett Preston Alfrey, Bradley Andrew Anderle, Cody Wayne Anderle, Rameez Anwar, Lonnie "Blake" Beadles, Brianne Laura Beaudin, Jessica Marie Bezner, Allison Ann Conaway, Lauren Diann Connett, Ryan Dean Dickerson, Joni Rae Erwin, Jacob Thomas Fuhrmann, Whitney Blaire Galubenski, Jacob Anthony Geray, Laura Elayne Hellman, Nathan John Hermes, Stephanie Noel Hermes, Cassey Nicole Hess, Christy Lynn Hess, Heidi Lynn Hess, Brian David Howard, Dana Marie Huchton, Garrett Raymond Jones, Daniel Joseph Kendall, Cheryl Rae Knabe, Thomas James Krebs, Josey Glenn Kyle, Brooke

Massengale, Scott William Neu, Trinity William Otto, Kevin Shawn Patrick, Amy Marie Polk, Kaylee Renae Privett, Randi Leigh Reed, Travis Joseph Reiter, Jonathan Loydd Rohmer, Jared Nathan Schroeder, Brittany Diane Selby, Kayla Nicole Sikes, Kelsey Denese Tucker, Brent Charles Voyles, Mackenzie Tennille Webster, Rhea Marie Williams, Andrew Joseph Yosten, Jeffrey Michael Zimmerer, and Ryan William Zimmerer.

Class Vice-President Laura Hellman gave the opening address. Lorna Goin, class sponsor, introduced the Class Salutatorian Jessica Bezner.

Speaking to her classmates Bezner said that their class is a unique group and without even one of them, all would be different people. Their differences have made them stronger.

Bezner remarked, "We are diverse, and because we share in this, we have

become a melting pot where we can express ourselves and accept each other. Our class is one whole - made up of many unique

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## City to discuss stricter traffic law enforcement

Citizens with concerns about enforcement of traffic laws within the city limits are asked to attend the City Council meeting to be held Monday, June 6 at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall. Concerns such as excessive speed, running of red lights, failure-to-yield at unmarked intersections, unlicensed vehicle use on streets, etc., will be addressed.

If you are unable to attend, you are invited to deliver your comments to City Hall by Monday, June 6 before 3 p.m.



Smoke filled the air east of Muenster Thursday evening, as dozens of spectators drove up and down Highway 82 to investigate what was burning. The Muenster Volunteer Fire Department used the old farm house for live fire training for 23 firemen. The building had been "smoked" and "burned" several times before last week for other training practices for the Department. Janie Hartman photo

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"This is awesome because Lindsay, Valley View, and Callisburg competed for the same prize along with communities their size all over the State of Texas, and these Cooke County communities ran away with the top three places! It is possible for Callisburg and Valley View to compete for first prize again this year since they did not receive 1st place, and it's conceivable that Cooke County communities could win every year and continue bringing beautification prize money into Cooke County annually. Eventually Cooke County could be the cleanest, most beautiful county in the State."

Past Keep Texas Beautiful (KTB) first place winners also include Callisburg who won \$60,000 and Gainesville who won \$70,000. The total of actual KTB awards to Cooke County communities to date is \$405,000.00. The annual \$million in awards is provided through the Texas Department of Transportation (TX DOT) and awards must be spent on beautification projects on TX DOT highway right-of-way.

Examples of how the money may be spent may be seen on Main Street (Highway 373) in Muenster with its new rock planters, trash cans, antique lighting, ADA accessible sidewalks, plants, and trees; the entry into Callisburg 'with a retaining wall and trees in a park-like setting; and, on I-35 entering Sanger from the north or south where you see red brick retaining walls welcoming you to Sanger with beautiful trees and plants. The lettering on the walls and flag poles were added later by Keep Sanger Beautiful because TX DOT rules do not allow for "signs".

These awards are called the Governor's Community Achievement Awards because it takes a community of volunteers,

organizations, law enforcement, media, youth, and teachers to win them. All of these, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in the State of Texas winners, are due to citizens in their communities seriously wanting to clean up and beautify Cooke County.

Keep Texas Beautiful, the non-profit state affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, strives to empower Texans through education to take responsibility for enhancing their community environment. KTB works with government, businesses, civic groups, and volunteers to realize their vision of making Texas the cleanest, most beautiful state in the nation. For more information on KTB programs and events, call 1-800-CLEAN-TX or visit the website at www.ktb.org.

### Local medical staff commended for hard work

Muenster Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6205 Ladies Auxiliary recently presented Muenster's physicians and family nurse practitioner with a framed citation for their contributions towards the City of Muenster Auxiliary Junior Vice President Sandra Hennigan and Conductress and Safety Chairman Linda Knabe surprised the honorees in their offices on May 24.

Mrs. Knabe informed the gathering that "Every year our Auxiliary honors individuals who perform above and beyond measure for their community. This year we have chosen the four of you. You work long, hard hours, weekends, and holidays without complaint or recognition. Well, we just wanted you to know that you ARE appreciated more

than you'll ever know and we do thank you for your time, talent, and dedication to our community, and we'd like to present you with this small token of our appreciation." Mrs. Knabe then presented Dr. Bonnie Carter, Dr. Karla Cox, Dr. Edd Advincula, and Melissa Trubenbach FNP-C with a framed citation from the Auxiliary which read "As an expression of sincere appreciation and full praise for services rendered our community."

Each award was imprinted with name, the title, and official embossed VFW logo, and a signed thank you card on behalf of the Ladies Auxiliary.

On hand were the nursing and office staff of the Health Clinic.



OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARDS - Muenster VFW Auxiliary Post #6205 represented by Linda Knabe, far left, and Sandra Hennigan, far right, presented awards to Muenster Memorial Family Health Clinic physicians, from left, Dr. Bonnie Carter, Dr. Karla Cox, Dr. Edd Advincula, and family nurse practitioner Melissa Trubenbach. Courtesy photo

### Household hazardous waste collection

Residents of Cooke, Fannin, and Grayson Counties can bring their hazardous waste on Saturday, June 4, from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. behind the Midway Mall (north end of the west parking lot) in Sherman.

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## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

- AGENDA MEETING DATE - JUNE 6, 2005
- The following is the agenda for the regular meeting of the Muenster City Council to be held at 7:30 pm in the City Hall meeting room on Monday, June 6, 2005.
1. Call meeting to order at 7:30 pm.
  2. Opening prayer.
  3. Approve minutes of the regular meeting on May 2, 2005, and special meeting on May 16, 2005.
  4. Recognize visitors and invite them to attend the entire Council meeting and to discuss their business.
  5. Consider any other business to come before the Council.
- OLD BUSINESS: None.
- NEW BUSINESS:
1. Review Police activities and receive public comments.
  2. Consider and act on ordinance regarding Almos Energy Corp. Mid-Tex Division's Request Authorizing Railroad Commission Approved Compliance Tariffs for the Annual Gas Reliability Infrastructure Program Rate Adjustment.
  3. Consider and act on rescheduling July council meeting.
  4. Discuss changing rates for bulk water purchases. Take action as necessary.
  5. Consider and act on approval of requesting bids for vehicle shed.
  6. Review and act on monthly bills.
  7. Receive status report on city projects and activities. Take action as necessary on items of discussion.
  8. EXECUTIVE SESSION - The Council may enter into closed or executive session to discuss the following: Texas Local Government Code 551.074 - Personnel.
  9. Return to open session. Take action as necessary on items of discussion in Executive Session.

### DAYS GONE BY..... by Elfreda Fette

**65 YEARS AGO**  
**May 31, 1940**  
Consolidation plan for school mergers meets opposition. Wedding: Theresa Stoffels and Ray Vogel marry at 8 a.m. Annual production of milk in Texas would fill Lake Dallas: 513,000,000 gallons. Sacred Heart 8th graders graduate: Alma Marie Luke was Valedictorian and Frank Hennigan was Salutatorian. Imelda Felderhoff received special honor for highest scholastic average. Little Charles Pagel recovers from chicken pox. Henry Yosten, young son of the Frank Yostens, falls from horse and requires several stitches. New Arrival: Dolores to the Henry Grewings. College Graduate: Mary Alice Bernauer. Ray Tempel loses finger at first joint when a barrel was dropped on his hand. Paul Tempel substitutes for him at the Farmers Store.

**50 YEARS AGO**  
**June 3, 1955**  
Arnold Bezner of Lindsay is victim of head-on crash at age 19. Twenty-one MHS seniors and nine 8th graders receive diplomas. Fourteen SHHS seniors and 39 8th graders receive diplomas. In The Service: Cpl. Ernest Wolf is radar operator in Washington; Herbie Fleitman inducted into Army; Major and Mrs. Charles Taylor and three children arrive from Georgia to visit here; S. Sgt. Ralph Hellman is on duty in

England. Monte Hellman, son of the Rudy Hellmans, to receive his Doctor of Medicine Degree. O.G. Reed delivers first load of wheat in 1955. Weddings: a double wedding for two sisters - Regina Henscheid who married Henry Pels, and Alma Henscheid who married Ronnie Herr; Albina Mages and Johnny Schmitz. New Arrivals: Ronnie to Arthur and Evelyn Felderhoff; a son to the Norman Lukes; a daughter to the Bobby Howells.

**25 YEARS AGO**  
**May 30, 1980**  
First load of wheat brought in by Aloys Fuhrmann of Lindsay. Volcano eruptions from Mount St. Helen's in Washington affect Muenster relatives. Terrifying experiences were reported by the Leo Schmitts and the Lehnertz Brothers. Others affected were Dokie Fette, Charles Klement, Johnny Eckart, the Danny Schmitts, the Gene Walters, and the Doug Gantts. Wedding: Mary Galloway and Robert A. Baumer. Lt. Joseph Bright completes assignment in Korea and reports to Florida. New Arrival Jeffrey to Gene and Linda Yosten. College Graduates: Cindy Bartush Del Olmo, Laura Klaricke Pels, Jeff Kelly, Lisa Mollenkopf Gonzales, Monica Gehrig, Julia Bayer, and Melissa Weinzapfel. Obituary: Sidney Otto.

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I especially want to Thank Kathy and Spencer Hicks. Also to Pastor Mark of the First Christian Disciples of Christ for their Chain prayers. Also to Lou A. Duncan for all the beautiful cards she sent every week. And to Janie W. for the Cross Ring. If it had not been for all the "prayers" I wouldn't be here today.

I want to "Thank" Dr. Edd, the nurses and staff at the Muenster Hospital, and to Home Health Care for coming to the house.

Carolyn Hoyt

2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!						
Sunday, June 5, 2005	Monday, June 6, 2005	Tuesday, June 7, 2005	Wednesday, June 8, 2005	Thursday, June 9, 2005	Friday, June 10, 2005	Saturday, June 11, 2005
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Parade of Gardens 1-5 PM	Sacred Heart Vacation Bible School begins 9-11:30 AM City Council mtg. 7:30 PM Compassion & Support: General Grief Support Group 6PM Home Hospice Office Sacred	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center MMH Aux mtg. 7 PM Adm. mtg. room	SH Alumni & Supporters mtg. 7:30 PM SNAP room C of C Breakfast mtg. 7:30 AM Rohmer's Rest.	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM AARP Luncheon 11:30 AM Stanford House Muenster State Bank Appreciation Day	SH Alumni Golf Tour. at Turtle Hill 1:30 PM SH Church High School Retreat 8 am - 9 pm Roadrunner Ranch
		Heart	Vacation	Bible	School	
Sunday, June 12, 2005	Monday, June 13, 2005	Tuesday, June 14, 2005	Wednesday, June 15, 2005	Thursday, June 16, 2005	Friday, June 17, 2005	Saturday, June 18, 2005
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Hessel - Fleitman Reunion at Muenster Park - noon	VFW mtg. 8 PM	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center FLAG DAY - Fly your flags		Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Texoma Blood Drive MISD new gym 12 - 8 PM	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM	Farm Safety Camp

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# OBITUARY

## Henry Hacker 1939 - 2005

By Elfreda Fette

Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 26 in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster for Henry F. "Hank" Hacker of Myra, officiated by Father John Ohner, OSA, pastor.

Mr. Hacker died at age 65 on Tuesday, May 24, 2005 in Medical City of Dallas, of heart failure.

He was born in Muenster on Oct. 7, 1939 to Andrew and Annie Sicking Hacker, and lived in Rosston for some time before moving to Myra. He has been living there for the last 35 years.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Parish. He attended Sacred Heart School and Muenster Public School. He and his brothers were owners/operators of an oil field work-over rig company for some 38 years. He and brothers James, Paul, Kenneth, and later Freddie have operated this business continually until present.

He loved farming, fishing, gardening, and especially his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He was always there as a friend and helper to anyone in need, so willing to give of his time and friendship.

Survivors include two daughters Patricia "Trish" Hendricks of Myra, and Darlene Tischler and husband Joe of Whitesboro; two sons David Hacker and wife Barbie, and Curtis Hacker, all of Myra. There are 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Also surviving are one sister Agnes Brandon of Rosston, and seven brothers Ed Hacker, Jim Hacker and wife Lynda, and Walter Hacker and wife Laurie of Myra, Robert Hacker of Gainesville, Kenneth Hacker and wife Wanda of Capps Corner, Freddie Hacker and wife Odessa of Muenster, and Louis Hacker and wife Karen of Whitesboro, and a longtime friend Debra Rasdell of Myra.

Preceding him in death were his parents, two brothers Paul Hacker and John Hacker, and a sister Anna Margaret Tempel; and Frankie Hacker. Henry and Frankie were married 34 years at the time of her death in 2000.

A Vigil was held on Wednesday in McCoy Funeral Home of Muenster at 7 p.m. led by Father John. A family Rosary was led by Hilda Sicking and Imelda Rohmer at 9 a.m. the day of the funeral.

Participating in the special liturgy of the Mass of Christian Burial, with Father John was altar server Butch Fisher.

Sherry Hacker gave the First Reading, Angie Tempel gave the Second Reading, Father John read the Gospel and led the Prayers of the Faithful.

Darlene and Joe Tischler, James Hacker, and Louis Hacker brought up the bread and wine for Offertory gifts. Eucharistic ministers were Carolyn and Charles Bayer, Leon Fuhrmann, Peggy Walterscheid, and Theresa Mae Walterscheid.

Music ministers were Christi Klement, Diane Grewing, Doug Yosten, Linda Flusche, and Shawna Herr. Songs included "Amazing Grace", "Softly and Tenderly", "Songs of the Angels", "How Great Thou Art", "Wind Beneath My Wings", and "I'll Fly Away".

Burial in Sacred Heart Cemetery was directed by McCoy Funeral Home of Muenster. Pallbearers were Jimmy Hacker, Patrick Hacker, Allin Hacker, Charles Hacker, Chris Hess, and Cris Holder.



Henry Hacker

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grandson Isac Walterscheid is a student. After school Isac had the thrill of riding with Knoedl on his motorcycle.

After leaving Muenster, Knoedl planned to visit friends in Florida and then go up to the East coast. He returns to Germany on June 24, after returning the borrowed transportation to its owner in Detroit.

So far the trip for Knoedl has been smooth going with the exception of engine trouble. He had to be towed from Yosemite Park to Fresno, which cost him \$475, and the repairs cost another \$625. Asked what most impressed him on the trip, he replied, "How can you say that the Grand Canyon is better than the monument or Highway One. You have to be there, that's

all." He noted that his trip on Highway One was taken over two days and was a gorgeous drive.

"People in the United States are more open," remarked Knoedl when asked what differences he noted from those in Germany. "They just ask you where you come from, what a nice bike, and the Germans are more stepping back. So, you get in contact with people pretty easy (here). They are open-minded."

Knoedl comes from Sulzbacher, a town about three miles from Frankfurt, Germany. It is a small town, but has a lot of headquarters such as Procter and Gamble. There is a huge shopping center. He estimated the population to be about 10,000.

# Memorial Day services held at Sacred Heart Cemetery

Muenster Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6205 and its Ladies Auxiliary held their annual Memorial Day Services on Sunday, May 29.

The tribute began with the 8 a.m. Mass offered for all deceased veterans of the parish. Liturgical readings were given by Auxiliary President Frances Bayer, Prayers of the Faithful were read by Auxiliary Conductress Linda Knabe, and gifts were carried up by

Auxiliary Senior Vice President Mary Lee Hennigan and Veterans Doug Martin and Buddy Yosten, representing the VFW Post.

Altar servers were Michael Davis, Isaac Barnhill, and Jacob Bayer. Pianist was Isaac Davis and song leaders were Phillip and Brenda Flusche and Karen Davis. Father John Ohner, OSA, was Mass celebrant.

The services continued after the Mass when the Post Color Guard, Rifle Squad, Auxiliary officers, and grandchildren of veterans led a procession to Sacred Heart Cemetery where Auxiliary Chaplain Hilda Sicking placed a floral wreath in memory of all deceased of the parish and Fr. John said a prayer in their memory.

All then processed to the flag-draped Veterans Plot where Auxiliary President Frances Bayer and Auxiliary Junior Vice President Sandra Hennigan placed a memorial and buddy poppy wreath at the Veterans main monument. Children then placed individual red carnations on each grave. Phillip and Brenda Flusche led the group in the singing of "America, the Beautiful" as the group marched off the plot.

Father John then offered prayers for the deceased veterans.

Post Commander Joe Bright then delivered the memorial address. He challenged people "to remember those who answered their Country's call and gave to the last full measure." He further stated, "The pain experienced by family and friends due to the loss of a loved one can never be erased; therefore, we have a duty to maximize the good resulting from the sacrifice of those we remember today; we have an obligation to be willing to serve our fellow citizens with equal selflessness." Bright concluded by thanking all those who participated in making the ceremony special.

The Flusches then sang "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory" before the Post Rifle Squad fired the traditional 21 gun salute for their fallen comrades. The final tribute of the ceremony was the playing of "Taps" by Ronnie and Tina Weinzapfel.

Post Color Bearers were James Hess, Don Hess, Don Hellman, and Buddy Yosten. The Rifle Squad consisted of Art Bayer, Don Eckart, Ben Hesse, Melvin Luke, David Fisher, Joe Bright, and Donald Fisher.

Auxiliary colors were carried by Mary Lee Hennigan, Ethel Hesse, Rose Marie Sicking, Megan Swirczynski, Janet Barnhill, and led by Linda Knabe.

First Communicants participating were Trey Anderle, Brandon Hennigan, Jeremy Hess, Chance Herr, Madison Hesse, Makayla Moster, Collin Pagel, Kristen Reiter, Hayden Schilling, Zachary Trubenbach, Isac Walterscheid, Lora Walterscheid, and Elizabeth Weinzapfel.

Muenster's deceased Veterans were honored at Sacred Heart Cemetery during Memorial Day Services Sunday morning. Courtesy photo

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## Senate committee passes Estes meth bill

Legislation by Senator Craig Estes (R-Wichita Falls) that would put pseudoephedrine tablets behind pharmacy counters was passed Tuesday by the Senate Health and Human Services Committee.

Pseudoephedrine tablets are essential to the process of making methamphetamine, an illegal drug that Estes calls a "scourge on our families, our communities, our state, and our nation."

Senate Bill 1077 the

centerpiece of Estes' war on the methamphetamine epidemic, is expected to be considered next week by the full Senate. Meanwhile, he is working with colleagues in the House to pass similar legislation in that chamber. Estes said he has the support of Governor Rick Perry and Lieutenant Governor David Dewhurst. "We're following Oklahoma's lead," said Estes, who is tailoring Texas' response to similar legislation passed last year

in Oklahoma. He said meth lab busts have dropped about 80% in Oklahoma. That has driven meth cooks across the border into Texas where pseudoephedrine tablets are more easily accessible.

"My primary goal is to place some reasonable limits on the accessibility of pseudoephedrine tablets. That will put an axe to the root of this terrible problem," Estes said.



# LIFESTYLE



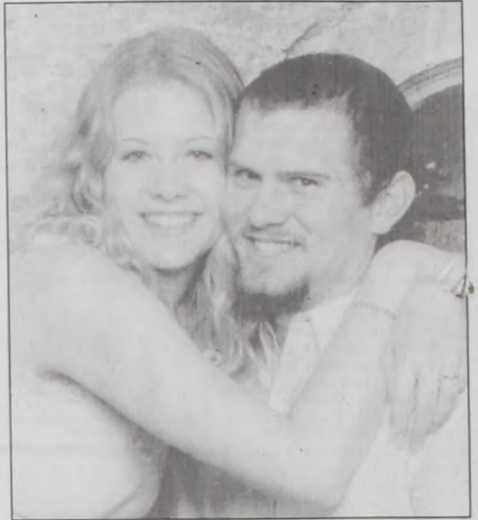
Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Graham of Muenster announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dr. Mindy Renee Graham, to Christopher Wayne Klement, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Klement of Muenster. Mindy is a 1991 graduate of Muenster High School, a 1995 graduate of the University of North Texas, and a 2000 graduate of Baylor College of Dentistry. She practices dentistry with her father in Muenster. Chris is a 1989 graduate of Muenster High School and a 1992 graduate of ITT. He is employed at Universal Machine in Muenster. The couple plans to wed at 2 p.m. June 18, 2005 at Sacred Heart Church in Muenster with Father Kyle Walterscheid officiating.

## Dates announced for swim lessons and registration

The American Red Cross Learn to Swim Program will be conducted at the Muenster Pool in July. The primary purpose of this program is to help people learn to be safe when they are in, on, or around water. The program covers skills and knowledge in a logical progression for aquatic skill development. As participants develop these skills, they will become safer and better swimmers. Students must have completed kindergarten to be eligible for classes. Registration will be held on Saturday, June 25 from 9-11 a.m. at the Muenster Pool.

Registration includes:  
 1. Swim skill test in the water;  
 2. Placement for week and hour of class;  
 3. Permission slip signed by a parent or guardian;  
 4. \$5 fee per student.  
 Week One classes begin on Monday, July 11. Levels I through V are taught at 9, 10, and 11 a.m.

Week Two classes begin on Monday, July 18. Level VII is taught at 7:30 a.m. Level VI is taught at 8:45 a.m. Levels I through V are taught at 10 and 11 a.m. Swim teachers are needed and can sign up at registration.



James and Denise Landers of Forestburg announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Amber Landers of Forestburg, to John Bryant of Valley View. He is the son of Larry and Barbara Bryant of Valley View. The couple has chosen Saturday, June 11, 2005 for their wedding, which will take place at 5:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Valley View. Miss Landers is a 2003 graduate of Forestburg High School and is currently attending North Central Texas College. She is employed by Wal-Mart. Mr. Bryant is a 2002 graduate of Valley View High School and is an employee of Peterbilt. After their marriage, they plan to reside in Gainesville.

## REUNION

The Muller-Herr-Stelzer Families reunion will be held Sunday, June 5. Families will meet under the pavilion at Muenster City Park, beginning at noon. Everyone is reminded to bring a covered dish.

## Don't forget Vacation Bible School!

Sacred Heart Parish will be hosting Vacation Bible School June 6 - 10, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Come join the fun!

## MSU lists honor students

Midwestern State University recognized 768 honor students for the Spring 2005 semester. Area students were included on this list.

To make the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.74 and no grade lower than a C. Deann Dangelmayr and Kami

Klement of Muenster were included on this list.

To make the Vice President's Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with a grade point average of 3.75 to 3.99 and no grade lower than a C. Included on this list were Kristen Yosten of Muenster and Danny Evans of Lindsay.

## NCTC landscape class shows residential designs

Some really good residential landscaping designs happen by accident but not many, said Ashley Hartman, horticulture instructor at North Central Texas College. "In fact, your chances of success are extremely slim if you just go out and start planting things here and there with no real plan in mind," she said, "and you'll probably end up wasting a lot of money on plants that die or that become overgrown or whatever and need to be gotten rid of or replaced."

Paying attention to some tried and true principles of good landscape design, she said, will save money, add to your home's value, and even do things like improve drainage and help conserve energy. "That's what our residential landscaping class is all about," she said. "As part of our new horticulture program curriculum, it's a course not only for aspiring landscaping and nursery professionals but also for the weekend gardener as well."

Basically, students in the class learn how to plan attractive, effective landscape designs for homes—designs that feature plants appropriate

to a particular soil and climate, as well as to the topography of the lot and to the profile, coloring, and architectural style of the house.

"This spring semester's class was such a joy to teach," Hartman said. "We had students of all ages and backgrounds, and the work they did on their semester projects was some of the best I've ever seen in any class I've been associated with. I was so proud of them, and I think they were pretty proud of themselves as well. The class is a lot of fun."

The project was to come up with a comprehensive landscape design for an actual, existing home—a home, in fact, that is owned by one of the class members. Each student met with and interviewed the "client," conducted a site analysis of the residence, and then designed a landscape for that particular residence based on the data collected. This, Hartman said, simulated the "real world" process of landscape design. "Already, two of my students, Mark Krebs and Ralph Craddock, are pursuing careers as landscape designers," Hartman said. "Other

students, including Jeff Jeffus, Fernando Molina, and Roger Reiter are working in the greenhouse, landscaping and turf industries.

"Sharon Wolek is an active master gardener volunteer who is applying her skills in landscaping to the NCTC campus as well

as the main entrance area at Lake Kiowa."

Persons wishing to learn more about this particular class or others in the horticulture program at NCTC may contact Ashley Hartman at 940-668-7731, ext. 4488, or email her at ahartman@nctc.edu.



DESIGNING THE LANDSCAPE—Members of the residential landscape design class just concluded at North Central Texas College show their semester projects. Learning to draft a professional landscape drawing was one element of the class, and instructor Ashley Hartman said she was extremely impressed with the drafting skills exhibited by her students. Shown, from left, Jamie Kindiger of Era, Joan Brockett of Muenster, Jeff Jeffus of Gainesville, Roger Reiter of Muenster, Sharon Wolek of Lake Kiowa, instructor Hartman, Mark and Terry Krebs of Lindsay. Class members not shown were Judy McLain and Ralph Craddock, both of Lake Kiowa, and Fernando Molina of Gainesville.

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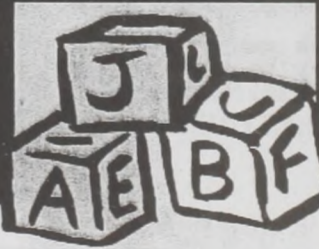
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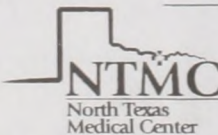
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# NEW ARRIVALS

## Walterscheid

Madyson Lee Jennifer Walterscheid of Lewisville. Grandparents announce the birth of her little sister, Meadow Brooke Walterscheid, born on April 1, 2005 at 5:32 p.m. at Presbyterian Hospital, Plano. Meadow weighed 8 lb. 12 oz. and was 20 and 3/4 inches long. Jason adopted Madyson of Gepp, Arkansas.

in January 2005.

Parents are Jason and Jennifer Walterscheid of Lewisville. Grandparents are Dave and Joan Walterscheid of Muenster and Debra Neill of Little Elm, Texas. Great-grandparents are Margaret Kupper and Augusta Walterscheid of Muenster and Robert and Joy Baker of Gepp, Arkansas.



Meadow and Madyson Walterscheid

## 2005 Chamber Rodeo seeks queen & princess contestants

The Gainesville Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking queen and princess candidates for the 18th Annual Chamber Rodeo scheduled for July 14, 15 and 16, at the Gainesville Riding Club Arena.

Ticket sales, a riding competition, and a speech competition will be the primary focus of the contest this year, and each competition will be counted with equal value toward the final score. The competition is open to young ladies between the ages of 9-13 for princess and 14-18 for queen contestants. Any young lady living in Cooke, Grayson, Denton, Montague, Wise Counties, and southern Oklahoma is eligible to participate.

Each applicant must be an experienced rider, have their own horse or access to one, and provide transportation for their horse to/from the arena for the competition as well as each rodeo performance. They must be dressed in proper western attire at all required events to represent the Chamber of Commerce. Parental consent is mandatory.

The deadline to apply is Friday, June 17, at 5 p.m. For more information contact the Gainesville Chamber at (940) 665-2831.

### Electrical safety tip

Warning signs mean business. Teach children to stay away from anything marked with signs saying "Danger," "High Voltage," or "Keep Out."

# Haven is 5!

Haven Barton-Knabe was honored on the event of her 5th birthday on Sunday, May 29 in Muenster City Park. Haven's guests were treated to hot dogs and trimmings, and served her favorite chocolate cake. They took turns trying to break a piñata filled with goodies. "Happy Birthday" was sung, pictures were taken, and gifts were opened.

Haven's guests included her dad Brian Knabe, grandmother Linda Knabe; uncle Cory Knabe; great-grandparents Gene and Elsie Hoedebeck; great-aunts Terri Cagle, Peggy Grewing, and Mary Hess; cousins Chris and Sydney Hoedebeck, Andi and Clayton Hess; and friends Doug and Nicole Hennigan, Lydia and Hunter. Sending greetings was aunt Mary Knabe.

Haven's actual birthday

was May 20 and was celebrated while she and her mother Karen Barton visited her grandparents Barton in Florida, where Haven enjoyed a visit to Disney world and trips to the beach.



Haven Barton-Knabe



**GREENING UP NCTC** - Members of the Cooke County Master Gardeners get down and dirty as part of a campus-wide landscaping project at North Central Texas College. The project included the revamping of flowerbeds and planters, and installation of a large number of new plants and shrubs, many of them donated. Shown working on one of the planters in front of the NCTC Library are, left to right, Shirley Cawyer, certified master gardener, Sylvia Bayer, and Shirley Weems. Bayer and Weems are using the project to help satisfy a requirement of 50 volunteer service hours needed for certification through the Texas A&M Extension Service Master Gardener training program. Courtesy photo

## Master Gardeners bring green to NCTC campus

Members of the Cooke County Chapter of Texas Master Gardeners are bringing a lot of green to the Gainesville Campus of North Central Texas College. Throughout the just concluded spring

semester, members of the organization have been devoting many volunteer hours to help beautify the campus with new and revamped flowerbeds, new shrubs, and other landscaping improvements.

The Elnora Smith Greenhouse, centerpiece of the college's new program of study in horticulture, has been used extensively as a resource during the Master Gardeners' campus landscaping project. For example, it served as a propagation and pre-planting storage area for much of the new vegetation that was planted.

"This included a large number of plants that were donated to NCTC by Dianne Rigler of Calla Lily Garden Center in Gainesville," said Ashley Hartman, NCTC horticulture instructor who coordinated the project. "This huge inventory of donated plants and shrubs gave us so many wonderful options we simply would not have been able to afford otherwise." Hartman said the Master Gardeners supplied additional plants and shrubs to the college.

Specific areas of

concentration in the landscaping project were the Library, Lions Field House, Math & Social Science (800) Building, Business & Computer Science (500) Building, the M.J. Cox (300) Building, the front entrance flagpole area and various other planters and flower beds around campus.

"We had a large number of volunteers coming out to help," Hartman said, "including students in classes taught by Lisa Bellows and myself. Spring semester horticulture students were Sharon Wolek, Fernando Molina, Jeff Jeffus, and Elaine Armstrong."

"A number of fall semester students helped with campus landscaping too. They were Cathy Grassman, Theresa Walterscheid, Trent Hodgekinson, Dugan Rainey, Joan Brockett, and Tony McDermott."

Hartman said much of the "heavy lifting" was done courtesy of the NCTC grounds maintenance staff that she credited with doing an outstanding and often thankless job on a year-

New members come into the Texas Master Gardeners organization by attending a training course conducted by Extension Service specialists, staff, and local experts. The program offers a minimum of 50 hours of instruction covering topics including lawn care, ornamental trees and shrubs, insects, disease and weed management, soils and plant nutrition, vegetable gardening, home fruit production, garden flowers, and water conservation.



l-r, Walter Lutkenhaus, George Jr., George Lutkenhaus holding Andrew and Larry Masten. Great-grandfather August (Gus) Lutkenhaus was unable to attend the baptism. Courtesy photo

## Lutkenhaus is baptized

Andrew Dale Lutkenhaus, son of George and Tricia Lutkenhaus and younger brother of George, Jr., was baptized on Sunday, April 17, 2005 at St. Peter's Church in Lindsay by Rev. Ron Scheible.

Baby Andrew was clothed in the baptismal gown that has been worn by four generations of the Lutkenhaus family since 1920. The white cotton eyelet gown was made for August J. "Gus" Lutkenhaus by his great-grandmother Mary Elizabeth Luttmeyer. Andrew was covered in a white baptismal blanket which was embroidered with his name and baptismal date, a special gift from his parents. He also wore a pearl anklet with a silver cross from his paternal grandparents. Andrew received a framed guardian angel picture from his Godmother, aunt Donna Neu, and a *Children's Lives of the Saints* book was presented to Andrew by his aunt Jennifer Masten.

Along with his parents, Andrew Dale was presented

at the altar for his baptism by his Godfather, Kyle Sandmann, his Godmother, aunt Donna Neu, and aunt Jennifer Masten.

Others witnessing the baptism ceremony were brother, George, Jr.; great-grandmother Armella Lutkenhaus; grandparents Larry and Sue Masten, and Walter and Kathleen Lutkenhaus. Also present were Michael Lutkenhaus and Sheila Smith; Jimmy and Laura Fisher with Nicholas and Samantha; Benny Reimer and his mother Helen Reimer from Seminole, Texas; Ryann Sandmann, Jennifer Wellan, Dave Brown and Tonnie Black, Leonard Hermes and Rita Cottle, and Peanuts and Toot Sandmann.

After the ceremony, a lunch was served at the new home of Walter Lutkenhaus in Lindsay. Gifts, candles, and flowers surrounded the white lamb-shaped cake made by Roger Dieter on a table decorated by Aunt Donna for Andrew's baptism day.

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# SCHOOL

## Muenster students honored



Muenster High School students receiving class awards last week included, from left, back - Leah Vinson, Melissa Cox, Micah Flusche, Kristen Flusche, Sean Fuhrmann, Adam Vinson; front - Lana Fisher, Derek Felderhoff, Lindsey Watson, Tara Swirczynski, and Nathan Privett. Courtesy photo

### Tanner joins international gathering of leaders

Erik Tanner of Irving, son of David and Gina Tanner, will join young leaders representing more than 80 countries worldwide during the Global Young Leaders Conference (GYLC), July 1 to 13 in Budapest, Prague, and Vienna. GYLC is a unique leadership development program for secondary school students who have demonstrated leadership potential and scholastic merit. Tanner will be among 400 outstanding scholars from across the globe to attend the conference.

The theme of GYLC is *The Leaders of Tomorrow Preparing for the Global Challenges and Responsibilities of the Future*. Tanner will interact with key leaders and newsmakers with powerful influence over politics, finance, culture, and diplomacy, and will take part in a carefully designed curriculum, which includes thought-provoking simulations that build leadership skills.

"The Global Young Leaders Conference aims to provide students like Erik with the opportunity to collaborate with fellow students from around the world to both study and resolve global conflict," said Mike Lasday, executive director of the Congressional Youth Leadership Council (CYLC), the organization that sponsors GYLC.

GYLC culminates with the *Global Summit*, in which students apply what they've learned throughout the Conference as they debate, negotiate, and build coalitions dealing with issues such as foreign aid, global warming, and cooperative efforts in space, terrorism, and human rights. Other highlights of the program include presentations by leaders from the international community, visits to embassies and international organizations, as well as explorations of European cities that are global centers of business and diplomacy.

Erik's grandparents are Bill and Billie Tanner of Gainesville and James Hess of Muenster.



Erik Tanner

Muenster High School students were honored at a Recognition and Academic Awards Ceremony held May 19 in the gymnasium. Sports recognitions were presented earlier in the week.

High School Principal Phil Newton gave the opening remarks, followed by the invocation by Student Council President Sean Fuhrmann.

The first awards presented were to 14 perfect attendance students. They were: A.J. Fleitman, Megan Dangelmayr, Patrick Lutkenhaus, Casey McAden, Leah Vinson, Chris Holder, Micah Flusche, Aaron Yosten, Jayna Rohmer, Kalya Rohmer, Heather Harrison, Laura Heers, Kim Patel, and Hillary Swirczynski.

Named to the All-Year Academic Honor Roll were Adam Vinson, senior, and Cletus Fuhrmann and Kim Patel, freshmen. Forty-one students made the All-Year A-B Honor Roll.

Academic Coordinator

Molly Sicking introduced UIL academic participants and sponsors. Sponsors then highlighted different events and accomplishments.

Class officers, FFA officers and members, FCCLA officers and members, National Honor Society, Student Council, TMSCA State participants, Yearbook staff, and High School Band were announced.

Several Muenster seniors were given special awards from the United States Marine Corps. Staff Sergeant Curtis Wilson presented Distinguished Athletic Scholar Awards to Sean Fuhrmann and Kristen Hess. Tara Swirczynski received the Scholastic Excellence Award, and Adam Vinson, the Semper Fidelis Award for Musical Excellence.

Final awards given were the Who's Who class awards. Nominations and winners (in bold) were as follows:

ACCOUNTING - Derek Felderhoff, Sean Fuhrmann,

Lana Fisher. AGRICULTURE: Michelle Pagel, Casey McAden, Crystal Fuhrmann.

ART - James Fanning, Carrie Grewing, Clint Miller, Brianna Fleitman.

ALL-AROUND GIRL - Kristen Hess, Tara Swirczynski, Whitney Watson.

ALL-AROUND BOY - Clint Miller, Sean Fuhrmann, Derek Felderhoff.

BALFOUR - Adam Vinson, Lana Fisher, Tara Swirczynski.

BAND - Adam Vinson, Carrie Grewing, A.J. Fleitman, Gage Gilliland, Bryan Bayer.

BCIS - Lindsey Watson, Laura Heers, Sandy Endres.

CAD - Micah Flusche, Eric Stoffels, Keri Ensey.

ECONOMICS - Carrie Grewing, Mindy Walterscheid, Justin Wolf.

ENGLISH - Lana Fisher, Kristen Hess, Adam Vinson.

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE -

Shannon Grewing, Kristen Hess, Tara Swirczynski, Whitney Watson.

GOVERNMENT - Justin Wolf, Michelle Pagel, Mindy Walterscheid.

HISTORY - Cletus Fuhrmann, Ricky Grewing, Craig Grewing, Ryan Fuhrmann, Nathan Privett, Amber Fuhrmann.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS - Keaton Haverkamp, Jarrod Richey, Cole Harrison.

MATH - Derek Felderhoff, Clint Miller, Whitney Watson, Adam Vinson.

SPANISH - Leah Vinson, Krystal Wolf, Laura Heers, Alison Teafattler.

SCIENCE - Adam Vinson, Lana Fisher, Whitney Watson.

SPEECH - Krystal Wolf, Melissa Cox, Jessica Walterscheid.

YEARBOOK - Kimberly Parsons, Tara Swirczynski, Kristen Hess.

THEATER ARTS - Allyson Moody, Matthew Yosten, Michael Valliere.

### Klement receives recognition

Cameron Klement received a silver medal recognition from Texas A&M University on Thursday, May 26 for his performance on the Duke University Talent Identification Program (TIP) in which 7th graders are selected to take the SAT or ACT exam. This is the same exam taken by high school students for college entrance. Students recognized for the TIP award constitute less than 1% of all 7th graders. Cameron qualified for the award by scoring 1000 on the SAT. He was also honored with a recognition certificate by CBISD on Tuesday May 17 at the School Board Meeting.

Cameron is the son of Robin and Lynn Klement of West Columbia, Texas. His grandparents are Audrey and Fernan Roy of El Campo, Texas and Irene and Ray Klement of Muenster.



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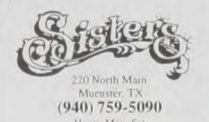


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always remember it, most of us fondly." Some would remain here the rest of their lives and others will leave to venture out into the world. "There is so much potential in this class that it is almost unbelievable. There is such a wide range and variety of talents presently in this room. All of us can go into this world and make a difference."

a blessing, so take charge of your futures, challenge yourselves to excel above and beyond your wildest imaginations, and live life to the fullest." Vinson challenged the graduates to enjoy themselves, to make long-lasting friendships, and find someone to share their lives with. "But never forget, in this process, why you are

scholarship awards to the following: Chase Cain - First National Bank of Saint Jo Muenster Branch Scholarship; Casey Coker - Montgomery GI bill for signing up four years with the U.S. Navy, 100% full tuition to institution of choice while on active duty up to 12 semester hours per year; Russell Endres - East Texas Baptist University academic tuition waiver for one year; James Fanning - Patrick R. Harris Memorial Scholarship, H.Y. Price Scholarship at Texas Tech University, Montell E. Ogden Memorial Scholarship at Texas Tech University, The Texas Grant, United States Federal Grant; Derek Felderhoff - Presidential Endowment Scholarship at Texas Tech University, William and Nancy Nelson Educational Scholarship from Chicken Express; JoAnna Felderhoff - Texas Woman's University New Student Scholarship, Mary Josephine Cox (M.J. Cox) Scholarship NCTC, Robert and Frances Farmer Scholarship NCTC; Lana Fisher - Muenster State Bank Scholarship, Jim A. Robertson Scholarship; A.J. Fleitman - Muenster Band Booster Scholarship; Sean Fuhrmann - United States Naval ROTC Scholarship, Presidential Freedom Scholarship matched by Carl and MaryLee Alford;

Muenster Jaycees Scholarship, Athletic Scholarship for Lubbock Christian University; Clint Miller - Texas Tech Merit Scholarship; Michelle Pagel - Houston Livestock and Rodeo Scholarship from Tarleton Agriculture Scholarship Committee; Meredith Painter - Norman and Evelyn Luke Scholarship from NCTC; Tara Swirczynski - Voice of Democracy - Local and District Levels, Presidential Freedom Scholarship matched by Carl and MaryLee Alford, Gainesville Soroptimist Violet Richardson Scholarship, Nortex Gene Fuhrman Memorial Scholarship, Muenster Kiwanis Scholarship, Houston Livestock and Rodeo Scholarship, Principal's Leadership Award; Whitney Watson - Southwestern Oklahoma

State University Out of State Tuition Waiver, Room and Board Athletic Scholarship, and Academic Scholarship, Jim Hilsabeck Foundation Scholarship for State UIL competitors; Adam Vinson - Texas Education Agency Honor Graduate Certificate to any Texas Public Institution, President's Scholarship at Baylor University, Achievement Baylor Scholarship, Mr. and Mrs. Chas L. McCaslin Scholarship to Baylor University, Robert C. Baird Scholarship, Dean's Scholarship at Austin College, Presidential Scholarship at Texas Tech University, Presidential Scholarship at Texas Christian University, Out of State Tuition Waiver at University of Oklahoma, Muenster Band Booster Scholarship.

the Board of Trustees, awarded diplomas, Curtis Eldridge presented the Class. Class sponsors are Mary Golloway, Kristi Schneider, and Kenny Mann. Derek Felderhoff concluded the evening's event with the benediction.

*The Muenster Museum is featuring Weddings Through the Years during the months of June and July. Items are needed to make special displays featuring marriages from the past. To loan wedding articles, including bride and groom attire, photos, decorations, etc. Bring by Muenster Museum during regular hours or call Celina at 759-4154.*

2005 Muenster High Graduation



Getting ready for Muenster High graduation were, above, Bryan Bayer gets last minute adjustments from class sponsor Kristi Schneider. Below left, Shannon Grewing, and at right, Kevin Ensey. Janie Hartman photos



Vinson speculated. "All together, we have learned much, but we still have mountains of knowledge to scale and conquer." Vinson reminded his fellow graduates that the way they live their lives is up to them. When they go off on their own, there would be nobody to tell them no or hold their hands. "We must learn to fend for ourselves and trust the morals and values that have hopefully been instilled in us," he noted. "Get out there and blaze a trail to a successful life. Every day is

here and what your true purpose is," he said. "Strive to be different, better, righteous ... and all else will follow. Ultimately, I challenge you to create the kind of person that you will be more than happy to live with all the rest of your life." Vinson concluded his address with a prayer. Principal Phil Newton introduced the guest speaker Dr. Eddie Hadlock, president of North Central Texas College, who offered words of inspiration. Newton then distributed

Carrie Grewing - NCTC Foundation First National Bank of Saint Jo Scholarship, M.J. Cox Scholarship, Muenster Band Booster Scholarship Gainesville Area Visual Arts Association Scholarship; Shannon Grewing - Maggie Fisher/Stephanie Huchton Memorial Scholarship, Muenster High School Principal's Scholarship; Courtney Henry - Muenster High School Principal's Scholarship; Kristen Hess - Muenster Knights of Columbus Scholarship, Jim Hilsabeck Foundation Scholarship for State UIL competitors, Norman and Evelyn Luke Scholarship University of North Texas, Texas Student Housing Authority Scholarship; Stevie Klement -



Sacred Heart Preschool students of 2005



2005 Sacred Heart Kindergarten Class

Sacred Heart School celebrates "Moving On"

The students of Sacred Heart Preschool and Kindergarten entertained their proud families, friends, and teachers at the annual Moving On Ceremony to mark the end of another very successful and enjoyable school year.

The program took place on May 25 at 7 p.m. in the Community Center. Mr. Jon LeBrasseur, Principal, opened the program with the invocation. The 30 Preschool children marched onto the stage to "March of the Toy Soldiers" played by their music teacher, Ruth Felderhoff. Following a welcome, the audience joined the children in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance followed by the singing of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

Zoe Klement, Stone Lamar, MacKenzie Mason, Samantha Muller, Patricia Neusch, Justin Sparks, Kate Springer, Andrew Stoffels, Carson Trubenbach, and Dean Walterscheid. Extremely proud of these children and their accomplishments in the Montessori preschool program are Pam Dangelmayr, teacher; Kathy Berres, teaching assistant; Susan Yosten and Laneta Martin, classroom aides.

Following the Preschool portion of the program, the Kindergarten class took the stage as Ruth Felderhoff played "I am a Promise." Following the welcome, the Kindergarten students entertained the audience with the following songs: "Here is the Church," "Here is the Steeple," "Head Shoulders, Knees, and Toes," "A to Z with Noah," "Peanut Butter," and for the final song Mrs. Felderhoff accompanied on the keyboard the song "First Grade, First Grade!" Sacred Heart School Principal Jon LeBrasseur presented certificates to the following students: Alane Bartush, Katy Bezner, Cody Dangelmayr, Mark Davis, Hudson Eddleman, Leah Knabe, Samantha Koessler, Bennis McCoy, Rylee Reiter, Nikolas Saldana, Avery Trubenbach, Nick Turner, and Tyler Walterscheid. Their teacher is Annette Bayer; teacher assistant, Laneta Martin; and music teacher, Ruth Felderhoff. Pastor Father John Ohner closed with a prayer. Moving On certificates were then presented to the following children who completed their final year at Sacred Heart Preschool: Andy Boles, Kagen Dangelmayr, Natalie Dangelmayr, Tanner Eddleman, Roy Endres, Ben Green, Kody Hermes, Savannah Hermes, Julian Hesse, Sam Hesse, Kincaid Johnson, Kolby Klement,

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**LISD GRADS**

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individuals. We have state champion athletes, award-winning actors, and brilliant UIL competitors. In all of these areas, the seniors who participated these past four years were crucial to the success of their team by bringing leadership, talent, and most importantly, refusal to accept good enough as okay."

Bezner expressed gratitude to teachers, coaches, and administration for helping them along the way. She then recalled several fond memories of fun times spent with classmates.

"I know I am going to miss high school and my friends," Bezner stated. "Yet in all of the good times, I find that I, like most of you, am desperately ready to graduate. We are ready to make a life outside of the cliques and expectations of high school. We are ready for change. As easy as it is to retreat into the memories of school days and childhood bliss, we need to embrace change. Accept adulthood, allow yourself to be different, and have faith that there is more out there for each of us."

Superintendent Jerry Metzler and Principal Larry Smith presented awards. Students received awards as follows:

Kristen Alexander - Chicken Express

Scholarship; Bradley Anderle - Parker-Jones Scholarship NCTC, Mary Josephine Cox (MJ Cox) Scholarship NCTC, Tommie Sue Meurer Foundation Scholarship, DAR Good Citizen Award;

Cody Anderle - English 4 Class Award, University Scholarship and Blue and Gold Scholarship to East Texas Baptist University, Catholic Life Insurance Scholarship, Carl Zimmerer NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Rameez Anwar - Outstanding Student, Valedictorian Award, Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship, National Merit Scholarship, National Merit Certificate of Merit, TEA Honor Graduate Certificate, UIL Scholar Award, Spanish 3 Class Award;

Jessica Bezner - Salutatorian Award, North Texas Medical Center Auxiliary Hughes Scholarship, Paul Pigott Paccar Foundation Scholarship, VFW Voice of Democracy Scholarship, Presidential Freedom Scholarship, Knights of Columbus Scholarship, UIL Scholar Award;

Lauren Connett - First United Methodist Church Scholarship, Dallas Baptist University Scholarship, Christian Leadership Scholarship, Theater Arts Class Award;

Ryan Dickerson - Samuel French Outstanding Performer Award, Individual and Family Life Class Award;

Joni Erwin - Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship, Cooke County Retired Teachers Scholarship, Sally Whitfield Bass Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship, Child Development Class Award;

Jacob Geray - National Merit Scholarship Program Certificate of Merit, Texas A&M University Merit Scholarship, Barnes & Noble Scholarship, A&M Regents Scholarship, Presidents Endowed Scholarship, Director's Excellence Award, National Merit Recognition Award, Federal Pell Grant, Tulane Distinguished Scholar Award;

Laura Hellman - American Petroleum Institute Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Nathan Hermes - Engineering Scholarship to Midwestern State University, PTC Scholarship, AP Calculus Class Award, Agriculture Class Award;

Stephanie Hermes - Florence Estes Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Cassey Hess - Dorothy Williams Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship;

Heidi Hess - Van and Ruth Ward Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Dana Huchton - Boyd and Naomi Ware Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship;

Garrett Jones - Florence Estes Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Danny Kendall - North Texas Medical Center Auxiliary Scholarship;

Cheryl Knabe - Nortex Communications Scholarship, Class of 2004 Scholarship, UIL Scholar Award, AP Biology Class Award, Art Class Award, Yearbook Class Award;

Josey Kyle - David and Lou Ann Spaeth Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship;

Scott Neu - MJ Cox Scholarship, Government Class Award;

Trinity Otto - Books Scholarship to Texas A&M University; Amy Polk - Baylor University Founder's Scholarship, Nutrition and

**2005 Lindsay High School Graduation**



Top, Glenna Metzler lines up the class to start graduation, including, from left, Trinity Otto, Jared Schroeder, Danny Kendall, Garrett Jones, Andrew Yosten, and Dana Huchton. Above, Bradley Anderle gets ready. At left, Blake Beadles and nieces pose for a picture. Below, Cody Anderle, Jacob Fuhrmann, and Jared Schroeder listen to Jessica Bezner's speech. Janie Hartman photos

Food Science Class Award; Kaylee Privett - Dorothy Williams Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship, FCCLA Scholarship;

Randi Reed - Randall Paclik Memorial 4-H Scholarship, Extension Education 4-H Scholarship, Sandy Yarbrough Memorial 4-H Scholarship, Sally Whitfield Bass Scholarship, MJ Cox Scholarship;

Travis Reiter - College of Engineering Scholarship to University of Texas, TMSA Top Gun Scholarship, Fort Worth Scottish Rite Foundation Scholarship, Koh Family Engineering Scholarship, Presidential Endowed Scholarship of Excellence, National Merit Scholarship Program Letter of Commendation, UIL Scholar Award;

Brittany Selby - Cooke County Masonic Lodge Scholarship NCTC, MJ Cox Scholarship; Kelsey Tucker - Don and



Sybil Harrington Honor Scholarship and Tuition Assistance Scholarship to West Texas A&M, North Texas Medical Center Auxiliary Scholarship, Hardin Simmons Freshman Dean's Scholarship, Hardin Simmons Student Payroll Award;

Mackenzie Webster - First United Methodist Scholarship;

Rhea Williams - Whittaker Full Tuition Scholarship to Salem College, Cooke County Electric Co-op Scholarship, Presidential Freedom Scholarship, Knights of Columbus Scholarship, Pat Harris Memorial Scholarship, AP English 4

Class Award, AP U.S. History Class Award, TASSP Commended Service Award. Class Sponsor Sheila Jones introduced Valedictorian Rameez Anwar.

Anwar began his Valedictorian address by thanking those who taught him during his 12 years of school, his siblings, and his parents for their support. He then recalled some of his classmates' many accomplishments.

"I believe that we all have an obligation to achieve even more," Anwar remarked. "We should use all of the success that God has granted us in high school as a stepping stone to even greater things. ... So, I challenge you all to pursue your dreams, develop your interests and talents, you've all shown that this class, if nothing else, is rife with talent."

Principal Smith presented the Senior Class and Superintendent Metzler certified them.

Participating in the awarding of diplomas were Wayne Fleitman, Lindsay ISD Board of Trustees president, Metzler, Smith, Goin, Jones, and Carol Luttmir.

Class President Rameez Anwar closed the evening's events.

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# SPORTS



Sacred Heart Tigerettes Softball team are, from left, front - Karina Skotnik, Nina Zanchetta, Nicole Bayer; middle - Laura Burton, Shannon Hartman, Hannah Hess, Taylor Torcellini, Kristina Koesler; back - Charlotte Bartush, Angela Cox, Diana Knabe, Lauren Sepanski, Jessica Schilling, Stephanie Krawietz, Debra Yosten, and Becca Stalling. Courtesy photo

## Boating season kicks off with warning about boating while drunk

Boating While Intoxicated arrests are up statewide, there were 193 BWI arrests in 2003, and in 2004 there were 279.

A reminder: a law that took effect in 2001 includes suspension of an automobile driver's license for failing to submit to alcohol testing when suspected of operating a vessel while intoxicated. This applies to watercrafts of 50 horsepower or more.

"Texas is different from many other states in that we have a year-round boating season. We also have more inland water than any of the 48 continental states. We have a coastline and all the activity there as well. We also have one of the highest number of registered boats in the nation. We just have a lot of activity. With all this in mind, we feel like overall, boating is a safe activity in Texas, but boaters should learn and

follow basic safety tips," said Willie Gonzalez, assistant chief of marine enforcement at TPWD.

There are about 623,000 boats registered in Texas.

Game wardens will be conducting media ride-alongs all summer. For

more information, contact your local game warden office. Also, TPWD boater education courses are available in a traditional classroom setting, online, and through a home video course. Call (800) 792-1112 for more details.

## Tigerettes earn honors

The Sacred Heart Tigerette softball team announces All-State and All-District selections for the 2005 season.

Hannah Hess and Nicole Bayer were both named to the All-State 2nd team, with Shannon Hartman getting Honorable Mention.

All-District team

members were: senior Becca Stalling at center field; juniors Nicole Bayer at short stop, Shannon Hartman at first base, Hannah Hess at catcher, Diana Knabe at 3rd base; and freshman Kristina Koesler at left field.

The Tigerettes advanced to the 2nd round of the TAPPS playoffs.



The Ogres, the under 10 years girls soccer team sponsored by Hesse/Schniederjan HVAC, won their division in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Carey Girls Soccer Tournament in Lewisville May 20-22. The Ogres played five games, getting four wins and a tie, and winning 4-2 over the Red Hots of Keller in the final game. Members are, from left, front - Makaylie Ward, Amber Walterscheid, Paige Herr, Cassidy Gum, Morgan Swank; back - Michelle Sicking, Mikaela Bartush, Brooke Walterscheid, Kaitlyn Hesse, Devan Henry, and Coach Will Henry. Courtesy photo

## Ranch Rodeo in Saint Jo to benefit children

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# FARM & RANCH

## TSCRA wants Corridor legislation amended

Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association is working on several amendments to S.B. 1706, the legislation passed in 2003 to enable the Trans-Texas Corridor.

The controversial plan was a major topic of discussion during 12 town hall meetings held across the state in April and May by TSCRA, Texas Beef Council and Texas Cattle Feeders Association.

TSCRA has received numerous calls asking for help in killing the program. TSCRA Executive Vice President Matt Brockman told participants at the Sanger meeting, "That would be easy to do if it weren't for the transportation problem and how big that problem is going to get over the next 20 years.

"As much as we would like to kill the plan and have it go away, we can't do that without dealing with some big-time consequences and ignoring the problem."

TSCRA acknowledges that the transportation problem must be addressed. "Whether the answer is the Trans-Texas Corridor blueprint is another matter," Brockman said.

**Amendments to protect landowners**

TSCRA and other agricultural organizations are working on several amendments to make the plan more acceptable to landowners. Issues covered by the amendments include:

**Access.** Helps ensure that accessibility will be maintained to the Corridor and surrounding areas.

**Utility.** If a portion of a road is destroyed by the construction of the Corridor, TxDOT will reconstruct the road to ensure that it is still usable.

**Acquisition of remainder.** Allows the

Department to purchase a portion of property that is severed from the original by the road project. If the remainder is of little value to the property owner, the Department shall offer to purchase it.

**Confidentiality.** Protects the confidentiality of information collected by the toll operator.

**Regulation of tolls.** Gives the Department the authority to approve or disapprove the toll rates. Under current law, the toll operator has sole discretion over the tolls.

**Conservation easements.** Current federal law often requires the State to acquire land for environmental mitigation if a road project destroys a significant amount of natural habitat. This amendment requires the Department to offer the landowner a conservation easement rather than condemning the property.

**Expiration of option to purchase/leaseback provision.** Current law allows the Department to purchase an "option to purchase" land at a future date that may be used for a road project. There has been concern that an option to purchase could indefinitely encumber the landowner's property and prevent it from being converted to other uses.

This amendment places an expiration date on the option to purchase. It also encourages the Department to lease back land that has been purchased for a road project to the landowner to continue agricultural operations until the property is needed for the project.

**Water.** Prevents the Department or a toll way operator from drilling a groundwater well and pumping water across the

State. Requires the Department to abide by local groundwater conservation district rules when drilling and operating a well.

**Quick take.** If the Department ever uses quick take to gain possession of property prior to the special commissioner's hearing, the Department will be liable for all damages caused by the early taking. Rep. Mike Krusee, chair of the House Transportation Committee, prefers language requiring the landowner be given 90 days before the Department takes possession of the property.

**Damages for diminished access.** The intent of this amendment is to compensate the landowner if a decrease in access affects the landowner's property value.

**Ancillary facilities.** There have also been extensive negotiations regarding an amendment to prohibit ancillary facilities (gas stations, restaurants, and other businesses located within the Corridor). The State could construct these facilities or lease the land to a private entity to construct the facilities.

Sen. Todd Staples, chair of the Senate Committee on Transportation & Homeland Security, has agreed to limit ancillary facilities to gas stations. Rep. Krusee wants to keep ancillary facilities in the statute, but allow the landowners whose property was condemned the option of developing the land for such purposes.

Brockman told the town hall group that there is no quick fix. Working out solutions to the TTC and the State's transportation needs is likely to be an issue that the Legislature and citizens of Texas struggle with for decades.

## COUNTY AGENT'S REPORT

WAYNE BECKER  
CEA - AG/NR

### Facts about the U.S. Farm Bill

There is talk of cutting the Farm Bill to help balance the budget. Many individuals believe that the government subsidies are big windfalls for farmers, when in fact many farmers receive little or nothing from these programs. It should also be remembered that farmers are at risk from the weather, disease, this country's economy, and the global market. The purpose of the subsidies is to stabilize the commodity prices in order to provide a reliable, reasonably priced food source to the United States consumer.

\*The Farm Bill only takes up 0.56% of the total U.S. budget.

\*Nutrition takes up 55% of the Farm Bill.

\*The entire Farm Bill costs an average household as little as 35 cents a day.

The next time you hear the huge price of the Farm Bill, you may want to reflect on what all is covered by it. One thing that is for certain, most of the Farm Bill is not direct farm subsidies. Also, the distribution of funds in the Farm Bill is continually changing. In 2000 48.35% of the money was for farm support; 48.80% was for Nutrition/Food Aid, 2.84% was designated for Conservation. Projections for the year 2005 have farm support at 30.12%; Nutrition/Food Aid at 65.12% and Conservation at 4.7% respectively.

### Aerification - A Very Important Component of Lawn Management!

Do you have areas in your lawn that receive a tremendous amount of traffic? Have you ever noticed the turf grass

declining in this area? Your lawn may be suffering from soil compaction.

When soils become compacted, several things occur. First, oxygen within the soil profile becomes depleted. Oxygen is very important in maintaining a healthy root system. Second, the rate at which water moves into the soil and through the soil profile is hindered. This is referred to as the infiltration and percolation rates in soil.

To overcome this problem, you may want to core aerify your lawn. Core aeration not only works well to break through the compaction, but will also assist in thatch management and with soil layering issues. The best time to perform this task for all warm season turf grasses is during the active growing season - preferably in the spring. Many of the equipment rental businesses have core aeration machines. Make sure you have a moderate amount of moisture and watch out for tree roots and irrigation pipes. Your lawn will definitely appreciate this cultivation practice!

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Cost per Household	Annually	Per Day	
Total U.S. Budget	100%	\$22,835.33	\$62.56
Defense	16%	\$3,653.65	\$10.01
Social Security	23%	\$5,252.13	\$14.39
Medicare/Medicaid	19%	\$4,338.71	\$11.89
Net Interest	10%	\$2,283.53	\$6.26
Non-Defense Discretionary	19%	\$4,338.71	\$11.89
Other Mandatory	6%	\$1,370.12	\$3.75
Entitlements	6%	\$1,370.12	\$3.75
Farm Bill Total*	1%	\$ 128.28	\$ 0.35

The Farm Bill only costs the average U.S. household 35 cents per day, and 55% of that goes to the food stamp program.

Only one-third of the Farm Bill goes to farm price supports and crop insurance.

\*\*This information was obtained from the United States Congress House Committee on Agriculture

The Facts on U.S. Farm Policy

Total Farm Bill Spending	Percentage	Per Household	Per Person
Nutrition (Food Stamps, WIC, School Lunches, Meals for the Elderly)	55.00%	\$0.1933	\$0.0725
Commodity Support (Farm Payments)	25.60%	\$0.0900	\$0.0337
Conservation	8.40%	\$0.0295	\$0.0000
Crop Insurance	7.70%	\$0.0271	\$0.0101
Food Aid	1.10%	\$0.0039	\$0.0014
Forestry	1.20%	\$0.0042	\$0.0016
Agricultural Research	0.30%	\$0.0011	\$0.0004
Rural Development	0.30%	\$0.0011	\$0.0004
Other	0.60%	\$0.0021	\$0.0008
Total	100.00%	\$0.3514	\$0.1317

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**CATTLE AUCTION MEDIA REPORT**

**Sale Date:** May 26, 2005

Packer Cows & Bulls \$2 to \$4  
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**STEERS**  
300-400 lb. \$140 to \$157;  
400-500 lb. \$128 to \$140  
500-600 lb. \$122 to \$128  
600-700 lb. \$115 to \$122  
700-800 lb. \$107 to \$115

**HEIFERS**  
300-400 lb. \$133 to \$150;  
400-500 lb. \$116 to \$133;  
500-600 lb. \$115 to \$121;  
600-700 lb. \$108 to \$115  
700-800 lb. \$99 to \$108

**PACKER COWS**  
Utility Boning: \$55 to \$60;  
Canner/Cutter: \$55 to \$59;  
Bulls: \$65 to \$69

**BRED COWS**  
Choice: \$875 to \$925;  
Medium-Good: \$775 to \$875;  
Medium-Poor: \$675 to \$775

**COW-CALF PAIRS**  
Choice: \$925 to \$1000;  
Medium-Good: \$875 to \$925;  
Medium-Poor: \$775 to \$875

**Feeder Steers (per lb.)**  
200-300 lbs. No. 1, 1.54-1.72; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.20-1.54; 300-400 lbs. No. 1, 1.34-1.50; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.18-1.34; 400-500 lbs. No. 1, 1.28-1.48; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.28; 500-600 lbs. No. 1, 1.21-1.31; Nos. 2 & 3, 95-1.21; 600-700 lbs. No. 1, 1.08-1.19; Nos. 2 & 3, 90-1.08; 700-800 lbs. No. 1, 1.04-1.05; Nos. 2 & 3, 85-1.04

**Feeder Heifers (per lb.)**  
200-300 lbs. No. 1, 1.35-1.46; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.25-1.35; 300-400 lbs. No. 1, 1.28-1.43; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.15-1.28; 400-500 lbs. No. 1, 1.20-1.31; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.15-1.20; 500-600 lbs. No. 1, 1.15-1.22; Nos. 2 & 3, 95-1.15; 600-700 lbs. No. 1, 1.05-1.15; Nos. 2 & 3, 85-1.05; 700-800 lbs. No. 1, 95-1.03; Nos. 2 & 3, 60-95

**Slaughter Cattle (per lb.)**  
Slaughter Bulls: Utility Grade #1-2, 1.20-1.50 lbs., 63-7250; Slaughter Cows: #1-3, 54-6150; Cutter: 35-54

**Stockers (per head)**  
Pregnancy-tested, 3 to 9-year-olds - Large Frame: \$850-5985; Medium Frame: \$900-5850  
Cow/Calf Pairs w/calves under 250 lbs. - Large Frame: \$1000-\$1250; Medium Frame: \$700-\$1000; Holstein Baby Calves: \$85-\$115; Cross-breeds: \$100-\$360

**Barrows & Gilts (per lb.)**  
US #1, 220-280: 60-65; US #2, 220-280: 50-60

**Feeders (per head):**  
100-175 lbs. \$45-590;  
25-90 lbs. \$30-\$45

**Sows (per lb.)**  
Feeder: 400 or less: 38-45; Light wt.: 400-500: 36-39; Med. wt.: 500-600: 36-39; Heavy wt.: 600+: 36-39

**Boars (per lb.)**  
300 lb. up: NT; 200-300 lbs. NT; Light wt.: 25-50

**Sheep (per lb.)**  
Feeder lambs: 40-60 lbs., 1.00-1.35; Light lambs: 60-90 lbs., 1.00-1.10; Fat lambs: 90-120 lbs., 90-100

**Ewes (per lb.)**  
Stocker: 50-58; Thin: 20-35; Fat: 45-50

**Bucks (per lb.)**  
Thin: 45-55; Fat: 40-45

**Barbados (per head)**  
Lamb: \$30-\$45  
Ewes: \$35-\$80  
Bucks: \$55-\$90

**Goats (per head)**  
Kids: 20-35 lbs. \$20-\$55;  
35-55 lbs. \$30-\$70; 55-75 lbs. \$45-\$85

**Yearlings (per head)**  
75-120 lbs. \$95-\$125

**Nannies (per head)**  
Stocker: \$85-\$95; Milk: 35-55 lbs. \$30-\$70; 55-75 lbs. \$45-\$85; Slaughter: \$65-\$90; Thin: \$25-\$50; Fat: \$65-\$90

**Billies (per head)**  
120 lbs up  
Breeders: \$100-\$115; Slaughter: \$85-\$100

**Boer Goats (per head)**  
1/2 Nanny: NT; 3/4 Nanny: NT; Full Nanny: \$75-\$140

**Goats (per head)**  
1/2 Billy: NT; 3/4 Billy: NT; Full Billy: \$85-\$150

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**Gainesville Livestock Market, Inc.**  
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Light Weight Steers & Heifers - STEADY. Feeder Steers & Heifers - \$1 to \$3 LOWER. Packer Cows & Bulls - \$3 to \$5 LOWER. Pans & Breed Cows - STEADY. Sold at Friday's sale were 1075 compared to 1281 head of cattle the previous week. Tuesday, May 31, the Market conducted the sale of 311 goats, 183 sheep, and 125 hogs. The numbers from last week were 405 goats, 357 sheep, and 205 hogs respectively. Results of both sales follow.

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HEAVY BEEF **Sirloin Steak \$4.49** lb.

LEAN TENDER **Cube Steaks \$3.89** lb.

PILGRIM'S PRIDE SMALL PACK **Drumsticks or Thighs 79¢** lb.

FISCHER'S 1/2 & 1/2 **German Sausage \$2.29** lb.

MARKET SLICED BUTTERBALL CAJUN, PEPPERED & LEMON PEPPER

BALL PARK - 1 LB. EA. **Meat Franks 2 \$3.20** FOR

**Turkey Breast \$3.39** lb.

WHOLE BONELESS - 4 LB. NET WT. **Corn King Ham \$5.99** EACH

CORN KING **Sliced Bacon 2 \$3** FOR 12 OZ.

MAMA ROSA'S ASSORTED **Mini Mama's Pizzas 2 \$5** FOR 4 PACK

ALASKAN POLLOCK **Fillets \$1.49** 2-4 OZ.

WISCONSIN - APPROX. 5 LB. LOAF **Muenster Cheese \$1.89** LB.

WISCONSIN MARKET CUT **Muenster Cheese \$1.99** LB.

**Blue Bell Ice Cream 2 \$7** FOR ASSORTED

ASSORTED FLAVORS KOOL-AID JAMMERS OR **CapriSun Drinks 3 \$5** FOR 6-10 PACKS

**Dr. Pepper \$2.99** 12 OZ. - 12 PK.

**Milwaukee Best or Milwaukee Best Light \$9.99** 12 OZ. - 24 PK.

**GROCERY SPECIALS**

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FRITO-LAY® **Canned Dips 2 \$4** FOR 9 OZ.

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ASSORTED SMACK OR ENCHILOSA **Ramen Noodles 3 \$1** FOR 10 OZ.

ASSORTED SMACK OR ENCHILOSA **Ramen Cups 4 \$1** FOR 2.25 OZ.

SYLVANIA 60 OR 100 WATT **Bug Light 2 \$4.99** FOR 2 PACK

WHERE AVAILABLE WESTERN FAMILY ASSORTED **Dog Chews \$1.89** PKG.

BEST MAID **Salad Dressing \$1.29** 32 OZ.

MCCORMICK ASSORTED GRILL MATES **Grilling Sauce 2 \$4** FOR 13.8-15 OZ.

HUNT'S ASSORTED **Spaghetti Sauce \$1.19** 26-26.5 OZ.

100-128 OZ. LIQUID, 56-90 OZ. POWDER **Sun Detergent 2 \$5** FOR

SUN CUDDLE SOFT ASSORTED **Fabric Softener 2 \$5** FOR 100 OZ.

KRAFT ASSORTED HANDI-SNACK **Pudding Cups 99¢** 4 PACK

KELLOGG'S ASSORTED **Pop-Tarts \$2.79** 22 OZ.

SHURFINE RESTAURANT OR NACHO CHEESE **Tortilla Chips \$3** 16 OZ.

THRIFTWAY PINT BOTTLES **Drinking Water 2 \$4** FOR 12 PACK

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CASA FIESTA **Taco Shells 99¢** 12 CT.

McILHENNY ORIGINAL OR JALAPENO **Tabasco Sauce 2 \$5** FOR 5 OZ.

KINGSFORD **Charcoal \$3.69** 10 LB.

LIPTON FAMILY SIZE **Tea Bags \$1.29** 24 CT.

SHUR SAVING 7.25 OZ. **Macaroni & Cheese 4 \$1** FOR

QUILTED NORTHERN **Tissue \$2.59** 12 ROLLS.

SHURFINE ASSORTED **Cake Mixes 89¢** 18 1/2 OZ.

SHUR SAVING **Flour 89¢** 5 LB.

**Sparkle Towels 89¢**



**Van Camp's Pork & Beans or Ranch Style Beans 2 \$85¢** FOR 15 OZ.

ASSORTED FLAVORS **Scope Mouthwash \$3.99** 33-33.8 OZ.



WESTERN FAMILY EX. STR. GELCAPS **Acetaminophen \$1.99** 50 CT.

WESTERN FAMILY TABLETS OR CAPLETS **Complete Allergy \$1.99** 24 CT.

WESTERN FAMILY MEN'S OR WOMEN'S **Speed 3 Razors \$2.99** 4 CT.

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ASSORTED **Jeno's Pizza 2 \$1** FOR 7.2-8.1 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED **Tony's Pizza 2 \$1** FOR

BLUE BUNNY ASSORTED FAT FREE **Sherbet 2 \$5** FOR HALF GAL.

CLASSIC SUNDAE CONES, ICE CREAM SUNDAE CUPS OR SHERBET CUPS **Blue Bunny Novelties 8-12 CT. \$3.99**

PATIO ASSORTED **Enchilada Dinners 99¢** 11-12.25 OZ.

ASSORTED COMPLETE SKILLET DINNER **Bertolli Dinner \$5.99** 24 OZ.

BIRDS EYE SELECT GROUP **Vegetables \$1.69** 16 OZ.

PLAINS ASSORTED **Cottage Cheese \$1.99** 24 OZ.

SHURFINE **American Singles \$1.69** 12 OZ.

PLAINS **Orange Juice \$2.99** GAL.

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**Cello Wrapped Iceberg Lettuce 69¢** EA.

FARM FRESH **Cantaloupe 99¢** EA.

CALIFORNIA **Red Plums 99¢** LB.

FRESH GREEN **Broccoli 99¢** LB.

TEXAS 1015 SWEET **Yellow Onions 79¢** LB.

POM WONDERFUL ASSORTED **Pomegranate Juice \$3.49** 15.2 OZ.

SPRING BLEND **Dole Salad Blends 2 \$5** FOR 5-12 OZ.

WASHINGTON EXTRA FANCY **Granny Smith Apples 99¢** LB.

ZUCCHINI **Squash 99¢** LB.

JUICY **Limes 10 \$1** FOR

CELLO PACK **Carrots 2 \$1** FOR 1 LB.

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FRESH BUNCH **Green Onions 2 \$1** FOR

FRESH BUNCH **Radishes 79¢** EA.

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