

Two die in FM 922 accident Monday

DPS Trooper Mark Tackett with the Texas Highway Patrol reported that at 4:11 p.m. on Monday, March 19, the Cooke County Sheriff's Office dispatched DPS troopers and Cooke County EMS to a three vehicle crash on FM 922 near Rosston.

The DPS report stated that a 2002 Peterbilt with trailer was traveling east on FM 922 driven by Jason Evans of Chico. Chance Waldrop of Hazel was traveling west in a 2006 Ford pickup followed by Gregory Devin of Breckenridge in a 2006 Chevrolet pickup. As Evans entered a curve, he crossed into the west bound lane striking Waldrop. Waldrop's vehicle entered the north ditch and overturned. The truck and trailer jackknifed and continued to slide east on F.M. 922. The trailer struck Devin's vehicle forcing it into the north ditch facing south.

Devin and passenger Scott Ognowski, 33 year old from Breckenridge, were pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Jason Brinkley. Both were transported to the medical examiner's office in Dallas. Devin's second passenger, Adrian Trejo of Breckenridge, age 21, was transported to Denton Regional by Cooke County EMS with head injuries. Devin and Ognowski were not wearing their seatbelts.

Trooper Tackett noted, "At the time of the crash, Cooke County was experiencing severe thunderstorms with heavy rain and hail. When driving in adverse weather conditions with reduced visibility, you should always reduce your speed for safety and be on alert. It is also important that any time you are in a moving vehicle, you must wear your seatbelt as required by law."

Lake level on the rise following recent rains



Sunny Spring weather returned Wednesday morning after a swarm of thundershowers dumped anywhere from two to more than three inches of rain on the area. With rain falling for over 24 hours, water runoff into Muenster Lake has contributed to a noticeable rise in the water level, but much more rain is needed to "fill" the Lake. **Janie Hartman photo**



Staff Sergeant Robert Cates, U.S. Army Reserve, and his wife Chrissy and sons Grayson and Pearson during a recognition ceremony at the March 12 meeting of Cooke County Commissioners Court. **Janet Felderhoff photo**

County EMS nominated for 2012 Support Freedom Award

By Janet Felderhoff

Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR), a Department of Defense agency, announced 225 Texas Guard and Reserve members nominated their employers for the 2012 Secretary of Defense Employer Support Freedom Award. Cooke County EMS was among the nominees. They were nominated by Robert Cates of Forney, a lieutenant with the County EMS.

Staff Sergeant Robert Cates, U.S. Army Reserve, is soon to be deployed for the third time in the past 12 years.

Cooke County EMS Director Kevin Grant remarked of the EMS support, "We at EMS are like family anyway. We do anything we can to support him and his family." Grant said they told Robert and Chrissy that they are willing to help in any way they can while he is performing his military duties. Grant noted, "We are very proud of him!"

Cates and his wife Chrissy and two young sons Grayson and Pearson were honored guests at the March 12 meeting of Cooke County Commissioners Court.

A proclamation was read and adopted at the meeting honoring Cates. It said in part, "Cooke County recognizes the importance of our

employees and citizens serving in the military, whether full-time or reserves.

"We understand the hardship that is placed on the family of our military personnel and we support the families left behind.

"Residents benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals and their unselfish dedication to the United States of America."

Grant said this has not been done before for employees who must take a leave of absence to serve in the military. He feels it is deserved recognition.

Semifinalists for the 2012 Freedom Award will be announced later next month.

A press release said, "The ESGR received 3,236 nominations nationwide. The Freedom Award is the Department of Defense's highest recognition for employers supporting members of the Guard and Reserve. Up to 15 recipients will be announced this summer and honored in Washington, D.C. on Sept. 20 at the 17th annual Freedom Award Ceremony."

"Guard and Reserve members, or family members acting on their behalf, nominated their civilian employers for the Freedom Award during the 12-week nomination season. Guard

and Reserve members, who stand ready to serve whenever our Nation needs them, often put their civilian lives on hold when they answer the call to duty. Supportive employers provide a tremendous amount of stability and peace of mind to these Citizen Warriors and their families, enabling them to continue their dedicated service to our country.

"Guardsmen and Reservists continue to receive outstanding support from their employers," said ESGR National Chair James G. Rebolz. "America's employers have not wavered in their commitment to these Citizen Warriors."

"Almost one-half of the U.S. military is comprised of the Guard and Reserve, and while most employers proudly support their military employees, Freedom Award recipients go

above and beyond what is required by law. Last year's recipients were nominated for superior acts of support including driving a deployed employee's children to school, replacing a military employee's broken family refrigerator while he was serving abroad, and working overtime to cover a service member's shifts so he could take part in military training.

"The Freedom Award was instituted in 1996 under the auspices of ESGR to recognize exceptional support from the employer community. In the years since, 160 employers have been honored with the award.

"Paramount to ESGR's mission is encouraging employment of Guardsmen and Reservists who bring integrity, global perspective, and proven leadership to the civilian workforce."



Kennedy-Reiter opens Muenster counseling office

By Janet Felderhoff

A new service is being offered in Muenster by Kerri Kennedy-Reiter, M.Ed.;LPC. This week, she opened an office in the Muenster Family Medical Clinic. She provides counseling for three-year olds to adults. That includes individual counseling, family, and marriage.

Kerri explained that for the children she offers what is called play therapy. "I treat issues like anxiety, depression, abuse issues, past abuse issues, children's behavior disorders, Attention Deficit Activity Disorder (ADAD), and grief. I do a little bit of chemical dependency issues. In a rural community, you treat all ages and different issues. We help them develop the coping skills to deal with whatever."

From the University of North Texas, Kerri earned a Masters degree in Education specializing in Marriage and Family Counseling. She has been in private practice for 16 years. She has owned and operated A Better Tomorrow since 1998. She has an office in Gainesville and will now be there on Mondays only. Another counselor, Michaele Ann Bryson will see patients in the Gainesville office Tuesday through Friday.

Of her job as a counselor, Kerri said, "I feel that basically, people have the skills within them to deal with their issues, but my job is to help them find their strength and their support system and coping skills in order to help them deal whether it be a chronic disorder or a life issue that's come up. My job is to help them find those skills to deal with those things."

Kerri has always liked helping people. Of her career choice she remarked, "I thought at one time that I wanted to be a teacher.



Counselor Kerri Kennedy-Reiter, left, is welcomed to her new practice in Muenster by Amy Dangelmayr, owner of the Muenster Family Medical Clinic. Kerri will be in Muenster four days a week to see patients. **Janet Felderhoff photo**

I wanted to work with children, but then I realized that I really enjoyed working with them more one on one and felt like I could make more of a difference that way. I started out being interested in children, but it's developed into helping all ages."

Kerri and her husband Marc Reiter have been married for 17 years. They live in Lindsay and have two daughters, Madison, age eight, and Kortnie, age six.

Hobbies that Kerri enjoys include singing, exercise, playing with her kids, and scrap-booking.

"I'm just excited to be here in Muenster," Kerri said. "We have a lot of people who did come from Nocona and Saint Jo, so it will be nice to have this service a little closer for those folks. They've been good to drive all the way to Gainesville. They've been great here about referring to me. They're very holistic health, they believe in not just the medicine, but dealing with issues, not just giving out medication."

In the last five to 10 years, Kerri said she has seen a big change in the local community. "They are more willing to get help. That it doesn't have the stigma that it used to. I've been so impressed that just over the last several years, I feel that the community is very willing to get help for themselves or for their children. They are not in denial. We could all use counseling at some time or another and it's not a bad thing. It's a good thing. I've seen a lot of growth in that area - a lot of open mindedness."

All things are kept confidential, stressed Kerri.

Kerri's Muenster office number is 759-2161 or she can be reached at the Gainesville office 665-8056.



Police Notes

from Muenster Chief of Police
Mark Blankenship

The first 15 days of March resulted in 23 CALLS FOR SERVICE, three INCIDENT REPORTS, 38 CITATIONS and one ARREST AND BOOK IN, by the Muenster Police Department officers. This is in addition to normal routine Patrol.

The Police Department is still asking for citizens interested in a CITIZEN RIDE ALONG PROGRAM to come by the Police Department and sign-up. The sign-up will continue through March. For information, contact City Hall or Chief Blankenship.

The Police Department again wants to remind everyone to keep your valuables safe and secure. Lock your doors, remove your keys, and secure your outside equipment.

We want to THANK the members of the City Council for the approval to purchase a new DASH CAM for one of the Police vehicles as one of the units had failed. With every step, we are moving toward a more effective and well equipped department.

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CCAD reminds businesses to render their taxable property by April 16

If you own tangible personal property that is used to produce income, then a rendition must be filed with the Cooke County Appraisal District by April 16. A rendition is a report that lists all the taxable property you owned or controlled on Jan. 1 of this year. Property includes inventory and equipment used by a business. Owners do not have to render exempt property, such as church property or an agriculture producer's equipment used for farming.

"The appraisal district may use the information submitted in the rendition to set property values," said Doug Smithson. "If more than one appraisal district appraises a property, the property owner should render in each

appraisal district office."

You can also file a report of decreased value to notify the district of significant depreciation of your property. "For example, if your property was damaged by a storm, flood, or fire last year, you should file a report of decreased value. The district will look at your property before assigning a value in 2012," said Smithson.

The last day to file a rendition or report of decreased value is April 16. If a rendition is filed late, incomplete, or not at all, a 10 or 50% penalty may be imposed. Property owners who need more time to file their renditions may file a written request with the chief appraiser on

Dr. Sherry Shields Scott to present book

Home Hospice of Grayson, Cooke, and Fannin counties is hosting three opportunities for residents of this area to hear Sherry Scott, MD, a palliative care pediatrician from Paris, Texas, discuss her personal grief journey following the death of her mother Faye Shields and the book she has written about that year. On Monday, March 26 at the Finley Cultural Center, 500 N. Elm in Sherman; Thursday, March 29 at the T.E.A.M.S. Center, 806 W. 16 in Bonham; and Tuesday, April 3 at the Muenster State Bank, 1601 Highway 82 in Gainesville, Scott will share her story and how her prior experiences with death and dying impacted her perceptions and reality.

Scott says of the time following her mother's death, "the idea of a good bereavement blew up in my face after the death of my mom because the year that followed revealed just how quirky and misunderstood grieving could be. I discovered it to be uniquely personal, particularly when, for fear of being labeled crazy, I couldn't voice to those closest to me my burning desire to return to adolescence." This is her first book.

Admission by donation of \$5 prior to event or \$7 at the door, includes dessert and drinks. Books will be available for sale - hard cover for \$25 each and paper back for \$15 each, and Dr. Scott will be delighted to autograph your copy. All proceeds benefit the bereavement programs of Home Hospice, including the provision of community support groups and the children's grief camp, Camp Dragonfly.

You are asked to reserve your spot at least two days prior to the event you plan to attend by calling (903) 868-9315 or (940) 665-9891 or emailing the Home Hospice bereavement coordinator, Jolene Senek, at jolene.senek@homehospice.org.

DAYS GONE BY.....

65 YEARS AGO
March 21, 1947

Winter stages another comeback with two-inch flurry of snow. Joe and Meinrad Hesse open feed store business. Obituaries: William Bergman, 78; Mrs. W.J. Schroeder, 69. C.D. Shamburger Lumber Co. managed by Richard Tracht adverteises new shipment of hard-to-get merchandise.

50 YEARS AGO
March 23, 1962

Denis Hofbauer is new president of St. Joseph Society. Obituary: Henry Fette, 82 (three weeks after wife dies). New Arrivals: Kim to Kenneth and Rose Zwinggi; Chris to Larry and Mary Lee Hennigan (in France while Larry is on his tour of duty with the Army). The Billy

Joe Millers and the Alvin Fuhrmans attend telephone convention in Dallas; the two men then went to Washington, DC on business. Ben Franklin Store advertises women's handbags \$1.98 and stretch gloves \$1.

25 YEARS AGO
March 20, 1987

Walter Schmitz opens Muenster's newest business, Walt's Bait and Tackle. Andy Burnett, Muenster High senior, receives appointment from the U.S. Air Force Academy. Lillian Appel vacations in Panama. Pat Fisher honored on 80th birthday. New Arrivals: Cheryl to Keith and Collette Bayer; Matthew to Billy Joe and Margie Devers; Steven to Edward and Mary Roberts.

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Today, there are 10 Cooke County children who have entered the Child Welfare system who do not have the protective advocacy of a CASA volunteer. These most vulnerable children have come into the custody of the State (foster care) through no fault of their own due to abuse or neglect. CASA has seen an increase in the number of children coming into foster care. Since March, 2011, the number of Cooke County children in foster care has risen over 40%.

According to CASA's Executive Director Vicki Robertson, these children have been taken from everything they've known into a system that can be (in spite of the best of intentions on the part of both State officials and the utmost in dedication of local workers) overwhelming to the child. "State workers are extremely overloaded and cannot focus what is needed for every child under their watch at all times.

"But that's where CASA comes in. CASA volunteers are people who get involved with only one case. Because they have only one case, they can take the time to

get to know the child and his or her individual needs. This knowledge allows the CASA volunteer to speak up for what is best for the child, particularly when CASA reports these findings back to the District Judge, who has the tremendous responsibility of making decisions that affect the very lives of these vulnerable little ones," said Robertson.

CASA is conducting new advocate training this spring, with the first such training to begin in mid-March. In order to become a CASA volunteer, an individual must have a passion for the futures of our county's most vulnerable

children, have an average of 10 to 15 hours per month to dedicate for the children, pass background checks including CPS and criminal history checks (which must be clear), have good references and be over the age of 21. Individuals must then complete 33 hours of training provided by CASA before they are approved to serve as advocates for a child.

If you are interested in working for CASA's children, contact the CASA office at 309 S. Commerce, Gainesville, by telephone at 665-2244 or check CASA websites at www.casant.org or www.becomeacasa.org.

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Sunday, March 18, 2012	Monday, March 19, 2012	Tuesday, March 20, 2012	Wednesday, March 21, 2012	Thursday, March 22, 2012	Friday, March 23, 2012	Saturday, March 24, 2012
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 pm KC Pancake Breakfast 8-10 am	VFW Aux. mtg. 7:30 pm MISD Flex Day	Library open 10am-6:30 pm	Library open 1:30 -5:30 pm Kiwanis mtg. noon, Center Reg. Ed Class MISD School Board mtg. Sacred Heart Food Pantry open 9-11 am	Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm Muenster Museum open 1-4pm MHS UIL District OAP	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m	Library open 10:30 - 2:30
Sunday, March 25, 2012	Monday, March 26, 2012	Tuesday, March 27, 2012	Wednesday, March 28, 2012	Thursday, March 29, 2012	Friday, March 30, 2012	Saturday, March 31, 2012
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 pm	Sacred Heart Jr. Hi Track meet	Library open 10am-6:30 pm MMH Board mtg. 7 pm	Library open 1:30-5:30 Kiwanis mtg. noon Center Rel. Ed Class 7 pm	Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm Library open 10am-6:30 pm Sacred Heart high school track meet	Muenster Museum open -1-4 KC Fish Fry 5:30 - 8:30 pm	Library open 10:30-2:30 G'ville Bass Club tourn. Arrowhead St. Park 7am-3pm

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**Robert S. Gruber
1913 - 2012**

Mass of Christian Burial for Robert S. Gruber of Lindsay was held March 14 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay with Fr. Raymond McDaniel officiating. Burial was in St. Peter's Cemetery under the direction of Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home of Gainesville. Rosary led by Fr. McDaniel was held March 13 followed by visitation at the funeral home. John Corcoran read the eulogy at the evening service.

Marian, he owned and operated their business for 25 years. Robert semi-retired in 1976 and continued working part-time until the store was sold in 1985. Following his retirement, he enjoyed gardening, playing cards and dominos, and traveling, spending several winters in south Texas. During his travels, he visited every state except Alaska.

Over the past decade, his health declined due to heart disease, but he was able to remain living at home. He was a member of St. Peter's Parish for 91 years.

Survivors are his wife Marian; daughter and son-in-law Annette and Joe Schmitz of Lindsay; daughter Alice Margaret Gruber of Lindsay; and sister Margaret Gruber of Denton.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers Francis William "Bill" Gruber, Randolph Gruber, and James Harold Gruber.

Assisting at the funeral Mass were altar servers Matthew Block and Travis Block. Joe Schmitz, son-in-law, gave the First and Second Readings and the Prayers of the Faithful. Bringing up Offertory Gifts were Marian Gruber, Alice Gruber, and Annette and Joe Schmitz. Eucharistic ministers were Skipper Bezner, Ginger Dieter, and MaQuita Gossett.

Music ministers were Roger Dieter, singer, and Andrew Kenney who played the pipe organ. Songs included "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," "Adagio" in F major, "Amazing Grace," and "In Paradisum."

The eulogy was read by Joe Schmitz. He remembered that Robert "for the most part, was a self-taught man throughout his life, and



Robert Gruber

a brother-in-law once said that Robert was 'smarter than a whole tree full of owls.'... He appreciated the importance of education...

"Having their business and home in such close proximity meant that they were together 24 hours a day as a family. It was so nice for their girls to get to spend so much quality time with their parents..."

Following Mass, the Decatur pine casket was taken the short distance from the church to the cemetery in a 1900s era wooden Stockton farm wagon, guided by the pallbearers. This wagon was used by the Gruber family on their farm and Robert had told his family about making two runs to Gainesville in one day, hauling loads of corn to town when he was a young boy.

Pallbearers were Virgil, Michael, Mark, and Vernon Forrester (nephews), Paul Ray Baird, and Rudy Schumacher. Honorary pallbearers were Michael Fuhrmann, Leon Fuhrmann, Jerome Fuhrmann, Bill Dankesreiter, Gilbert Kubis, and Lynn Huchton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the restoration of St. Peter's Church.

**Robert La'Rue Hughes
1928 - 2012**

Funeral for Robert La'Rue Hughes of Era was held Wednesday, March 21 at Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home. Burial was in Era Cemetery.

Robert died at the age of 83 on March 18, 2012 at North Texas Medical Center.

Born March 23, 1928 in Cleburne to Gordan "Nan" and Hazel Hughes, Robert married Bobbie Hughes on Jan. 9, 1981. He was employed at Bell Helicopter and retired in 1990. Robert was a veteran of the U.S. Army and was actively involved in Head Start and Anglers. Robert enjoyed watching western movies and spending time with his family. He had a huge impact on everyone he met and was known to all as "Papa."

Survivors are children Sherri Hughes, Mar-Linda and Robert Wright, Brett and Cindy Kaylor, Robert and Amber Kaylor, Debra and Mike Smith, Curtis and

Lola Holland, Gary Holland, and Charlotte and Jerry Freeman; brother and sister-in-law Jimmy and Billie Hughes; brother-in-law Buster Alexander; sisters-in-law Joan Alexander, Marilyn Alexander, and Debbie Alexander; mother-in-law Francis Alexander; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild; many nieces and nephews; and very special friend Carol Lee.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister Hazel Mickel; spouse Bobbie Hughes; son Bobby Hughes; daughter Brenda Raney; brothers-in-law Ronnie Alexander and Jerry Alexander; and great-grandson Reese Kaylor Murrell.

Pallbearers were Danny Wright, O'Dell Wright, David Wright, Ryan Eldridge, Deke Alexander, and Nick Taylor. Honorary pallbearer was Donald Barker.

**Ronny Dean Golden
1967 - 2012**

Funeral for Ronny Dean Golden, 44, of Oak Ridge, are set for 10 a.m., Saturday, March 24 at Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Larry Kremling officiating. Burial will follow in Dixie Cemetery in Whitesboro. A visitation is set for Friday, March 23, 6 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Ronny was born in Amarillo to Lloyd Marlin and Darlene Mae Kisselburg Golden on Aug. 9, 1967. He died at the age of 44 on March 19, 2012. The middle of five boys, he was a graduate of Whitesboro High School and Devry University. Ronny loved to fish and ride his four-wheeler. He also loved the Dallas Cowboys. He was employed as a truck driver

by Joe McElreath.

Survivors are his mother Darlene Golden of Oak Ridge; brothers and sisters-in-law Randall and Shawna Golden of Whitesboro, Billy and Michelle Golden of Sadler, and Robert and Kathy Golden of Gainesville; daughter Amber Golden of Gainesville; son Jeffery Golden of Oak Ridge; two grandchildren; and numerous aunts, uncles, nephews, and nieces.

He was preceded in death by his father, and a brother Charlie Golden.

Pallbearers will be Randall Golden, Eric Golden, Joe Lowrey, Paul Lowrey, Rich Johnson, and Russell Fomby. Honorary pallbearers will be Jason Cargile and Johnny Kisselburg.

**SH Buckaroo
and Ranch
Rodeos
slated for
April 1**

Sacred Heart Alumni & Supporters is seeking participants for its Annual Ranch Rodeo fundraiser. It will be held in the newly renovated indoor Muenster Arena on Sunday, April 1 beginning at 1 p.m.

Events include Team Mugging, Team Sorting, Un-decorating, and Team Roping. Entry fee is \$200 per four person team.

Overall team winners will be awarded: 1st place - \$400 plus belt buckles; 2nd place - \$350; 3rd place - \$300; and 4th place - \$250.

On Sunday morning beginning at 9 a.m., they will host a Buckaroo Rodeo. Entry fee is \$20 per two member team. Age appropriate obstacle courses will be set for each group. Prizes will be awarded to the fastest teams and goodie bags will be given to all participants.

For more information, call Vickie Fleitman (940) 736-1041 or Sam Hess (940) 727-1259, or sacredheartschoolmuenster.com. Click information, then Alumni Association.

**"Betty"
Yosten dies**

Elizabeth "Betty" Yosten of Muenster died at the age of 96 on Wednesday, March 21, 2012. Vigil/Rosary will be held Friday, March 23 at 6 p.m. at McCoy Funeral Home in Muenster. Mass of Christian Burial is set for 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 24 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Volunteer training scheduled

Home Hospice is looking for a few good volunteers to make a difference in the life of a patient and his or her family by becoming a patient care volunteer. If you have ever uttered the words "I'd like to help, but..." please consider that you can make a difference in the life of patients, their families, and the community.

This volunteer training is a rigorous training in which you learn about hospice, end of life care, and the impor-

tance of helping people. A hospice volunteer is considered an integral part of an interdisciplinary team of RN case manager, social worker, spiritual advisor, and certified nurse assistant. A volunteer works as a good friend or neighbor to the patient and family by reading to the patient, visiting, and allowing family members to get deserved rest or run errands. Volunteers do not provide personal care to patients.

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Fleitman and Roberts marry in Saint Jo ceremony

Kristen Nicole Fleitman of Muenster became the bride of Rocky Roberts of Saint Jo on July 16, 2011. They were married in First Baptist Church of Saint Jo in a 3 p.m. ceremony with Brother Ben Smith officiating.

The bride is the daughter of August and Paula Fleitman of Muenster and the granddaughter of the late Elmer and Pearl Richardson and the late Ben and Josephine Fleitman.

Parents of the groom are Bob Roberts and the late Sharon Roberts. His grandparents are Eugene and Matt Elizabeth Sewell.

Given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, the bride wore an Alfred Angelo A-line satin gown with spaghetti straps and corset back. A draped panel accented the waist at the side princess seam. The gown featured an ornate floral embroidery on the bodice, cascading down the side of the skirt as well as the back. It had a chapel length train. She wore a fingertip length veil to which the bride had added rhinestones. She also wore a rhinestone tiara, and rhinestone earrings, necklace, and bracelet. A pair of cowgirl boots completed the ensemble.

The bride carried a round bouquet of white roses with fuchsia pink tips and daisies. Encircling the flower stems was the groom's Aunt's Mother's Pearls necklace. The bride wore two handmade gardeners that were zebra print with pink ribbons with Kristen and Rocky on them.

Four white pedestals with lights decorated the altar. White pew bows with a pink

flower decorated every other church pew.

Billy Moore of Wichita Falls, cousin of the groom, provided piano music. Songs included "Wind Beneath My Wings" for the seating of the grandparents and bride's mother, along with lighting of the unity candle by the couple's fathers. Ryan Adair, friend of the couple, sang "There Is Love." Other songs were "The More I Seek You," "Canon In D" for the attendants, "The Wedding March" as the bride entered, "How Beautiful" sung by Candice Moore, friend of the groom, for the lighting of the unity candle, and "The Rocky Theme" as the couple exited the church.

Kerry Fleitman of Muenster served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Melinda Cameron of Roanoke and Jan Marion of Lindsay, sisters of the bride; Amy Schroeder of Callisburg, friend of the couple; and Valerie Sewell of Argyle, cousin of the groom.

The maid of honor wore a black full-length pick-up dress. Bridesmaids wore fuchsia pink pick-up dresses. They carried three fuchsia pink roses with babies breath.

Junior bridesmaids were Ashley Fleitman of Muenster, and Hayley Marion of Lindsay, both nieces of the bride. They wore full-length fuchsia pink pick-up dresses and carried three fuchsia pink roses.

Nevaeh Fleitman of Muenster, Marissa Cameron, Makenna Cameron, and Malena Cameron of Roanoke, all nieces of the bride served as flower girls. They all wore full-length fuchsia pink princess dresses. Each carried a basket of rose pedals.



Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Lee Roberts ... 'nee Kristen Nicole Fleitman ...

The ring bearer was Tyson Hobbs of Saint Jo, friend of the groom. He wore a tuxedo with fuchsia pink vest and carried a zebra pillow that had the couple's wedding date and names on it.

The best man was George Chaffin of Saint Jo, groom's friend. Groomsman were Mark Cameron of Roanoke, Brett Marion of Lindsay, all brother-in-law of the bride; Randy Fleitman of Muenster, brother of bride, and Trent Hodgkinson of Jacksboro, friend of the groom.

Junior groomsman was Stephen Marion of Lindsay, bride's nephew.

Chad Schroeder of Callisburg, friend of the couple, and Stephen Marion served

as ushers. They wore black tuxedos with a fuchsia pink vest pinned with a fuchsia pink boutonniere.

RECEPTION

A reception was held at the K of C Hall in Gainesville. Included were appetizers, drinks, and a catered meal from Rohmer's Restaurant. The Entertainer of Muenster provided dance music.

The wedding couple's first dance was "I Love Her This Big." The second dance was "Evolution." The wedding party danced to "The Dance." The bride and her father danced to "I Loved Her First."

The bride and groom cakes were made by Betty Rose Walterscheid. The bride's

cake was three-tiered with a square cake topper letter "R" decorated with black and pink zebra ribbon and silk pink flowers. The groom's cake was two layers in a horseshoe shape. Cake servers were Catherine Fleitman of Muenster, cousin of the bride, and Ali Schroeder of Callisburg and Amanda Alvarado of Denton, friends of the couple.

A rehearsal meal took place on the day before the wedding. It was held at the Smokehouse in Lindsay. The meal was hosted by the groom's father Bob Roberts.

The couple took a week-

long honeymoon trip to Riveara Maya, Mexico, and in February 2012 they took another week-long trip on a cruise to the Bahamas. They now reside in Saint Jo.

The bride is a 2000 graduate of Muenster High School. Weber Aircraft employs her.

The groom graduated from Saint Jo High School in 2003 and is also employed by Weber Aircraft.



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New Arrival



David Bowen

Bowen

Jessika Hartman and Michael Bowen of Saint Jo announce the birth of their son David Howell Bowen on Friday, Jan. 27, 2012 at 12:07 a.m. at North Texas Medical Center. David weighed 6 lb. 9 oz. and measured 21 inches in length. He is welcomed by his big sister is Nikole, age four. Grandparents are Tim and Janie Hartman of Muenster and Mike and Sandra Bowen of Dye Mound. His great-grandparents are Mary Ann Arendt of Lindsay and the late Andrew Arendt, Butch and Pearl Bowen of Winters, Texas, Darlene Allison of Odessa, and the late Ray Allison.



When Tom Dangelmayr bought tickets for Subiaco Abbey's Annual Spring Carnival raffle, he had no idea it would lead to a trip to Arkansas. On March 12, he received a telephone call informing him that he'd won a 2012 Chevy Sonic. There were 30,000 tickets sold. Tom, Haley, and twins Kevin and Kyle traveled to Subiaco last week with a trailer to bring home their prize. Pictured are the Dangelmayr siblings, from left, Cody, Kevin, Eli, and Kyle. Janie Hartman photo

College Honor

University of Dallas

Daniel Cochran of Muenster, a senior Philosophy major, has been named to the University of Dallas Honor Roll for the Fall 2011.

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SCHOOL

Arts and Crafts winners announced

Youth Art Month is an annual observance held each March to emphasize the value of art education for all children and to encourage support for quality school art programs. It is the single most important observance to advocate the strength of Texas visual art programs.

This year, the event was held on March 6 at the Muenster ISD gymnasium in conjunction with Open House. Otherwise known as the Arts and Crafts Show, Elementary, Junior High and High School participated at some level to earn prize ribbons.

ELEMENTARY

This year, the winners at the elementary level, grades 1-6, are as follows: Wade Trubenbach - Grand Champion Arts and Crafts (A&C), Chloe Hacker - Reserve Champion A&C, Nolan Bayer - Grand Champion Foods. First place winners in A&C included Erica Endres, Sarah Davis, Landri Richardson, Brooke Hammer, Morgan Hennigan, Travis Dangelmayr, Taylor Knabe, and Jessica Dangelmayr. In the Food category were Jada Binder, Katie Batha, Kaitlin Hennigan, Morgan Hennigan, and Hunter Peel. This year's People's Choice winner was Savannah Bohl with her "Beach" cake. She was presented a special winner ribbon and certificate by Lou Heers, MISD Elementary School Principal,

for having the most votes.

JUNIOR HIGH

Drawing: Black and White - 1st Mahayla Bohl, 2nd Bailey Hutson, 3rd Blayne Jones.

Drawing: Color - 1st Bailey Klement, 2nd Sawyer Sanders, 3rd Katie Hutson.

Opaque Painting - 1st Bailey Klement, 2nd Haiden Shook, 3rd Macie Pagel.

Transparent Painting - 1st Jesus Ibarra, 2nd Bailey Klement, 3rd Blayne Jones.

Mixed Media - 2D - 1st Amy Luttmir, 2nd Macie Pagel, 3rd Amy Luttmir.

Pottery - 1st Katie Kresge. **Sculpture** - 1st Blayne Jones, 2nd Blayne Jones, 3rd Bailey Klement.

Photography: Unaltered - 1st GRAND CHAMPION Mahayla Bohl, 2nd Mahayla Bohl, 3rd Sawyer Sanders.

Textiles - 1st RESERVE Amy Luttmir, 2nd Bailey Klement, 3rd Haiden Shook.

HIGH SCHOOL
Overall Show Winners

Grand Champion - Kayla Acuna for black and white Zentangle drawing; **Grand Reserve** - Demi Koelzer for striped color pencil drawing; **Grand Champion** - Kayla Acuna for colored pencil drawing; **Grand Reserve** - Noel Rodriguez for transparent painting; **Grand Reserve** - Demi Koelzer for coiled cup holder; **Grand Champion** in clothes-

ing, Brianna Rohmer; **Grand Champion** in Creative Arts, Jori McGee; **Grand Champion** in Interior Design and **Reserve Champion** in Industrial Arts, Hannah Bayer.

Individual Awards

Drawing: Black and White media - 1st Kayla Acuna, 2nd Austin Crestwell, 3rd Noel Rodriguez.

Drawing: Colored Media - 1st Caitlin Beavers, 2nd Noel Rodriguez, 3rd Mason Binder.

Opaque Painting - 1st Payton Sanders, 2nd ShyAnn Bartel, 3rd Lora Walterscheid.

Transparent Painting: Watercolor - 1st Abby Fleming, 2nd Morgan Flusche, 3rd Garrett Miller.

Mixed Media: 2d Collage - 1st Kalee Hennigan, 2nd Makayla Moster, 3rd Morgan Flusche.

Sculpture - 1st Kayla Acuna, 2nd Brianna Reiter/Carolina Gressett, 3rd Brianna Rohmer/Kalee Hennigan.

Photography: Unaltered - 1st Kendi Bayer.

Photography: Altered - 1st Danielle West.

Textiles - 1st Demi Koelzer, 2nd Blake Voth, 3rd Payton Sanders.

Miscellaneous - 1st Kassie Dangelmayr, 2nd Hannah Bayer, 3rd Audrey Taylor Saavedra.

Food - 1st, Lauren Rohmer. **Clothing (other)** - 1st, Kendi Bayer.



Muenster ISD UIL One Act Play participants, from left, front - Madison Knabe, Rachel Mouring, Makayla Pumphrey, Mariah Rocha, Danielle West; middle - Carmen Reiter, Dana Klement, Caroline Gressett, Audrey Taylor Saavedra, Destin Fleitman, Abby Pagel, Kendi Bayer, Gynell Oppermann; back - David Hutson, Brooke Walterscheid, ShyAnn Bartel, Eland Green, Caitlin Beavers, and Austin Crewell. MISD photo

Muenster competes in OAP

Muenster High School One Act Play recently took the alternate play title in UIL One Act Play competition. Students performed *The Death and Life of Larry Benson* by Kristin Serral. Several students earned

awards for their talents. All-Star Cast awards went to Brooke Walterscheid and Caitlin Beavers. Honorable Mention All-Star Cast awards went to Austin Crewell, Eland Green, and Rachel Mouring. Earning Tech

awards were Destin Fleitman and Madison Knabe. Directors for the play were Dana Klement and Gynell Oppermann, with Carmen Reiter assisting with costumes, hair, and makeup.

Summer Agriculture Institute for elementary teachers

Since 1994, Texas Farm Bureau, in cooperation with Tarleton State University, has hosted the Summer Agricultural Institute for Elementary School Teachers. The Institute strives to inform educators about the importance of food

and fiber production and show them how they can incorporate agricultural education into their classroom. Teachers will participate in field trips to area farms, ranches, and processing facilities.

Any elementary teacher wishing to combine hands-on learning activities about agriculture with partial curriculum development, receive three hours of graduate credit, and 45 clock hours of continuing professional education units, should consider attending the Texas Farm Bureau Summer Agricultural Institute. This week-long, graduate level course will be held on the campus of Tarleton State University from June 11-15.

Any elementary teacher

Cooke County Farm Bureau will award a local teacher a scholarship that covers tuition, room and board as well as resource materials. Applications are available at the Gainesville office of the Cooke County Farm Bureau, 1212 W. Hwy. 82. Application deadline is April 6. If you have any questions please call Amy Trammell at 940.665.1763.

Lunch Menus

WEEK OF MARCH 26-30 MUESTER ISD

Mon. - Corn dogs, macaroni and cheese, pinto beans, peaches, cobbler.

Tues. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, pears, wheat hot rolls.

Wed. - Chicken quesadillas, lettuce salad w/dressing, ranch style beans, oranges, cookies.

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

Fri. - Grilled cheese sandwich, nachos, pork and beans, carrots, applesauce, ice cream.

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Sloppy Joes on a bun, pickles, chips, applesauce, peanut butter brownie.

Tues. - Chicken crispitos, pinto beans, Spanish rice, oranges, cookies.

Wed. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, mixed fruit, bread stick.

Thurs. - Hamburger w/trimmings, oven fries, ice cream.

Fri. - Fish nuggets, macaroni and cheese, ranch style beans, coleslaw, peaches.

ERA ISD

Mon. - Chicken nuggets,

mashed potatoes, white gravy, carrots/broccoli mix, jiggle fruit cup.

Tues. - Lasagna, corn, breadstick, tossed salad, fruit.

Wed. - Honey-lemon chicken orange rice pilaf, California mix veggies, fruit.

Thurs. - Crispy tacos, shredded cheese, trimmings, pinto beans, fruit.

Fri. - Hamburger/fish patty sandwich, chips, trimmings, fruit, ice cream.



Muenster ISD Arts and Crafts Show winners pictured above - Elementary School winners; below, from left, at left - Principal Lou Heers with People's Choice winner Savannah Bohl; at right - FCCLA winners Kendi Bayer, Clothing-Skirts, Jori Magee, Creative Arts, Brianna Rohmer, Clothing-pants. Not shown - Hannah Bayer, Interior Design. MISD photos



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SPORTS

No break for area high school tracksters

Lindsay ISD hosted a Spring Break Track and Field Meet last week Thursday. Eight girl and 10 boy "teams" competed.

In the girls division, the Lady Knights of Lindsay took 1st place with 157 points. Pottsboro followed with 107, then Holliday 99, Muenster 95, Whitesboro 71, Saint Jo, Denton Calvary, and Leonard.

The boys top team was Aubrey with 128 points. Lindsay finished in 2nd place with 109, Holliday 102, Whitesboro 83, and Muenster 66. Rounding out the schools were Pottsboro, Sacred Heart, Overton, Lindsay JV, and Aubrey JV.

Finalists from Muenster, Lindsay, and Sacred Heart were as follows:

VARSITY GIRLS

High Jump: 4, Amber Walterscheid, M, 4' 8"

Long Jump: 2, Katie Arendt, L, 15' 4.5"; 5, Shannah Daymude, L, 14' 11.5"

Triple Jump: 5, Jordan Fleitman, L, 30' 10"; 6, Elizabeth Wallace, L, 30' 5.75"

Discus: 1, Brooke Walterscheid, M, 102' 7"; 5, Shea Garner, L, 86' 0.5"

Shot Put: 4, Lucinda Krahl, L, 29' 10"

3200m: 1, Lauren Gibbs, L, 12:00.44; 2, Megan Holt, L, 12:22.56

400m Relay: 1, Lindsay, Shannah Daymude, Ashton Reynolds, Tara Atkins, Katie Arendt, 51.48; 2, Muenster, Paige Herr, Demi Koelzer, Shelbi Sicking, Hannah Bayer, 51.89

800m: 1, Megan Caillier, L, 2:34.64

100m Hurdles: 1, Demi Koelzer, M, 16.75; 3, Michelle Sicking, M, 17.32; 5, Shea Garner, L, 17.65; 6, Mackenzie Myrick, L, 18.05

100m: 1, Ashton Reynolds, L, 12.76; 3, Hannah Bayer, M, 13.27

800m Relay: 1, Lindsay, Tara Atkins, Shannah Daymude, Ashton Reynolds, Katie Arendt, 1:53.18; 2, Muenster, Amber Walterscheid, Hannah Bayer, Shelbi Sicking, Caroline Gressett, 1:55.59

400m: 3, Megan Caillier, L, 62.78; 6, Paige Herr, M, 67.07

300m Hurdles: 1, Michelle Sicking, M, 52.10; 4, Jordan Fleitman, L, 53.52; 5, Mackenzie Myrick, L, 54.31

200m: 1, Shannah Daymude, L, 27.36; 2, Demi Koelzer, M, 27.68; 5, Tara Atkins, L, 28.38

1600m: 1, Lauren Gibbs, L, 5:51.20; 2, Megan Holt, L, 5:55.37

1600m Relay: 2, Lindsay, Megan Holt, Shannah Daymude, Lauren Gibbs, Megan

Caillier, 4:19.62; 4, Muenster, Amber Walterscheid, Michelle Sicking, Paige Herr, Shelbi Sicking, 4:31.60

VARSITY BOYS

High Jump: 1, Dawson Holt, L, 6' 2"; 3, Cole Walterscheid, M, 5' 8"; 6, Drew Cooney, L, 5' 8"

Pole Vault: 3, Caleb Anderle, L, 8' 6"; 4, Nick Dieter, L JV, 7' 6"

Long Jump: 6, Dalton Koelzer, M, 19' 6"

Triple Jump: 2, Cole Walterscheid, M, 40' 10.5"

Discus: 2, Andy Flusche, M, 125' 2.5"; 3, Dean Fleitman, L, 123' 5.5"; 5, Travis Krahl, L, 111' 11"

Shot Put: 3, Travis Krahl, L, 39' 7"; 6, Andy Flusche, M, 38' 2.25"

3200m: 2, John Price, L, 10:54.40; 4, Travis Block, L, 11:24.50

400m Relay: 5, Muenster, Andy Flusche, Steven Flusche, Trevor Hess, Colton Lang, 45.84

800m: 1, Bob Bartush, SH, 2:03.27; 2, John Paul Hesse, SH, 2:03.47; 4, Garrett Yancey, L, 2:11.94

100m Hurdles: 1, Dalton Koelzer, M, 14.82; 2, Cole Walterscheid, M, 16.10; 3, Dawson Holt, L, 16.24; 6, Trevor Cheaney, M, 18.12

100m: 5, Tyler Schofield, L, 11.48

800m Relay: 4, Lindsay, Tyler Schofield, Blake Walker, Elijah Walker, Stephen Marion, 1:36.44; 6, Muenster, Steven Flusche, Trevor Hess, Colton Lang, Blake Voth, 1:38.00

400m: 2, John Paul Hesse, SH, 53.08; 3, Bob Bartush, SH, 53.38; 4, Caleb Anderle, L, 53.42

300m Hurdles: 2, Cole Walterscheid, M, 43.32; 3, Dawson Holt, L, 44.66; 4, Trevor Cheaney, M, 46.62

200m: 1, Drew Cooney, L, 21.86; 4, Dalton Koelzer, M, 23.07; 5, Mark Krahl, L, 23.24

1600m: 2, John Price, L, 5:16.13

1600m Relay: 2, Lindsay, Caleb Anderle, Mark Krahl, Garrett Yancey, Drew Cooney, 3:33.82; 6, Muenster Trevor Hess, Blake Voth, Cole Walterscheid, Dalton Koelzer, 3:41.56

HOME HOSPICE FISH COOK-OFF

Home Hospice is sponsoring their first ever Fish Cook-Off on Sunday, April 22. The event will be held at Loose Wheels, Texas, 4716 Pool Road in Denison, from 1-4 p.m.

Cooks are wanted to enter their favorite fish dish (no shellfish) - fried, grilled, baked, or other. Any way you wanna cook it, they want to taste it! Rules include cooker provides their own total of 15 pounds of fish to be ready to serve bite size samples. Also, sides can be entered prepared either on or off-site, which includes deviled eggs, hushpuppies, salsa/tartar sauce, and cole slaw. Winning chefs will be recognized and trophies will be awarded in all categories.

Entry fees are \$25 for fish and \$10 for each side dish (\$5 each if also preparing fish).

Tasters are also welcomed to sample the chefs' mouth-watering creations by making a donation at the door. Taste testers are needed. Call the Home Hospice office, 940-665-9891 to "reserve a tasting spoon."

Live music by Morris McCann and The Casey Daniels Band will provide entertainment.

Raffle tickets offer great prizes including guided fishing trips, custom-made stainless steel grill with smoker, overnight stays, 32" flat screen TV, and a variety of other items. To donate an item call 665-9891.

Entry forms and more information is available at www.homehospice.org

Grand opening and tournament slated for Wildcat Archery Range

Wildcat Archery Range of Muenster is having their grand opening with ribbon cutting ceremonies on Saturday, March 24 at 8 am. The range is 13.4 miles north of Muenster on FM 373 at the old town site of Bulcher. The range follows the contours of the scenic 87 acres of creeks, hills, draws, and 100 year old oaks.

When you get to the range you will be stepping into a natural 3D terrain course that is set up with simulated hunting scenarios. Range has many diverse shooting situations, like pop-up blinds, tree stands, moving targets, and many more. It is a good way for archery hunters to hone their skills and for the beginners to learn a new sport.

Lady Hornets earn more honors

The Texas Girls Coaches Association has announced the 2011-12 Basketball All-State Teams. Of the 20 Conference 1A, D-1 players, the Muenster Lady Hornets had two selected to the team - seniors Lana Heers and Demi Koelzer.

Heers was also selected to play in the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All-Star Game.

Wildcat Archery has bows on site for youth, age 12 and younger (limited supply), who want to learn the sport of archery. All types of bows are welcome with the use of field tips only. There is a total of 30 real life 3D targets with more scheduled to be added in the near future.

Traditional Bow Hunters of Texas (TBOT) and Predator Longbows have chosen the Wildcat Archery Range for their Annual Muenster 2012 Traditional Bow Tournament. Traditional bows include longbows, self bows, and recurves.

All events start March 24 at 7 a.m. and end Sunday March 25 at 2 p.m. with awards and door prizes to follow. There will be vendors on site selling everything including hand-crafted bows and arrows, leather works, archery supplies, plus many other items.

Wildcat Archery Range is offering primitive RV and tent camping for the weekend. For more information, check <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Wildcat-Archery/297395043646914> or email jllynn@ntin.net.



Lindsay softball

The Lady Knights opened District play with a 7-6 loss to Chico last week. It is the first District loss in at least three years for Lindsay.

Lindsay led most of the game, but in the bottom of the 7th, the Lady Dragons pulled ahead with a shot to center right field, scoring the base runners.

Scoring runs for Lindsay were Megan Caillier, Liz Wallace, Taylor Atkins, Liz Zwinggi, Tara Atkins, and Lucinda Krahl. Caillier hit an over-the-fence home run in the 1st inning.

Hornets ranked high on poll

The Muenster Hornet baseball team is presently sitting in third place in the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association's 2012 Class 1-A poll.

Dodd City (3-1) is ranked number 1, Archer City (9-2) second, followed by Muenster (9-3) and Douglass (10-2). (as of March 16).

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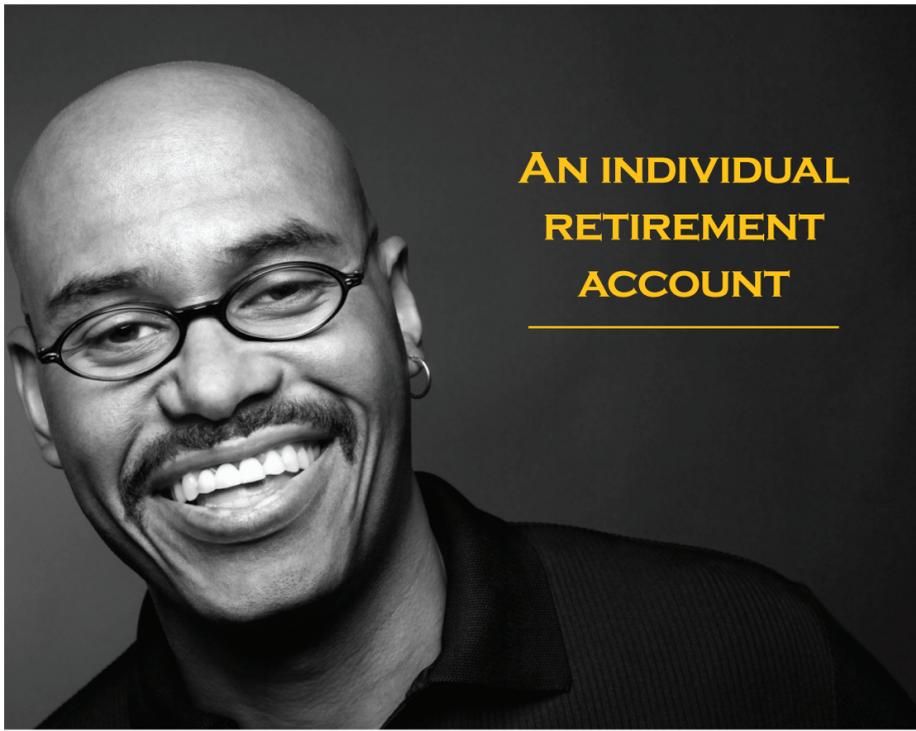
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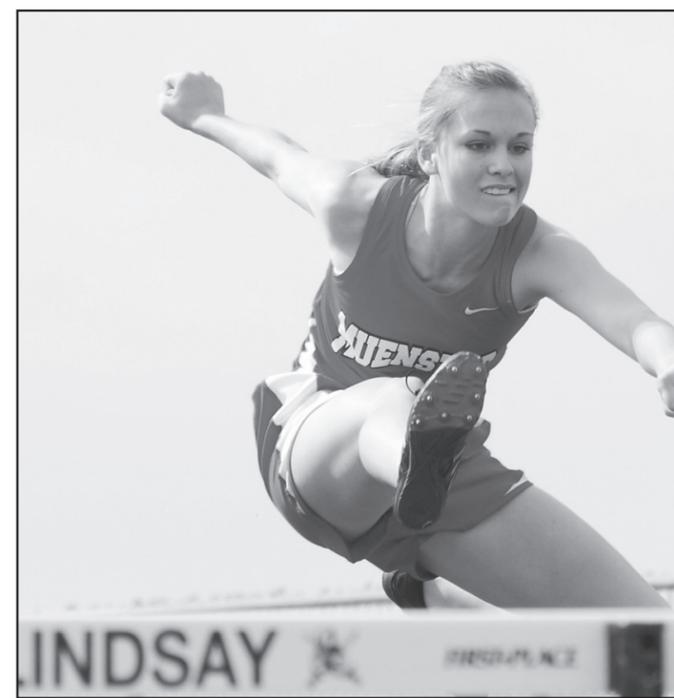
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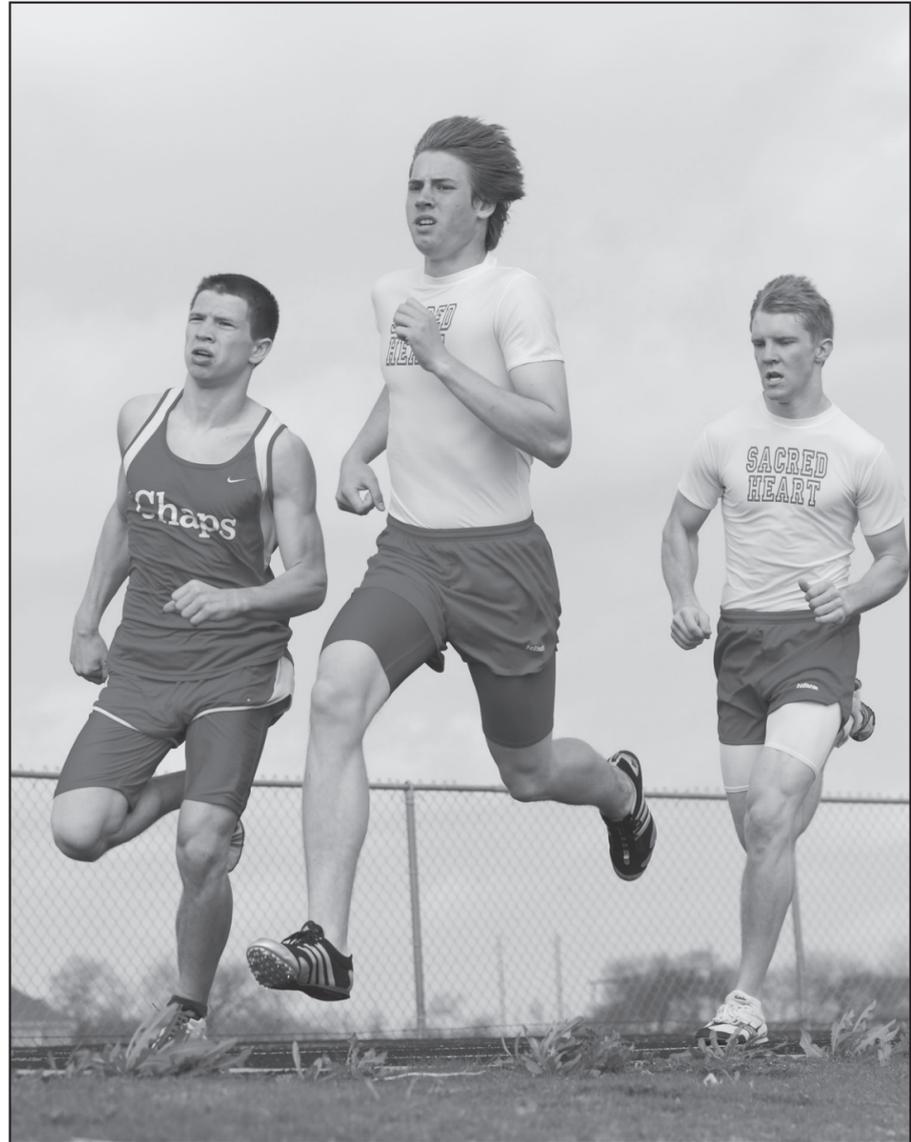
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Lindsay Spring Break Relays

Thomas Otto photos



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PRE-KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Pre-Kindergarten registration for Muenster ISD will be April 2-5, 2012. Registration folders may be picked up at the elementary office. Children must be four years old by September 1, 2012. A copy of the child's immunization records, social security card and birth certificate must be filed with the school secretary, Deborah Sanders, prior to school starting.

Parents who wish to transfer their children into the Muenster Independent School District must complete a transfer request in addition to the registration card. The MISD School Board must approve all transfer requests. For more information about transfer requests call Lou Heers, Principal, at 759-2282, extension 620.

El Registro de Pre-Kindergarten para Muenster ISD sera abril 2-5, 2012. Las carpetas del registro se pueden recoger en la oficina elementaria. Los niños deben cumplir cuatro años ante de septiembre 1, 2012. Una copia de los registros de la inmunización: tarjeta social de seguro y certificado de nacimiento oficial se deben presentar a la secretaria de la escuela, Deborah Sanders, antes de que los estudiantes empiesen en la escuela.

Los padres que desean transferir sus niños en el Muenster Distrito Independiente de Escuela debe completar una petición de la transferencia además de la tarjeta de matricula. El Comité Ejecutivo de la Escuela de MISD debe aprobar todas transferencias solicitadas. Para mas informacion acerca de la transferencia solicitada llame Lou Heers, la Directora en 759-2282, la Extension 620.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION MISD

Kindergarten registration for MISD will be held on Tuesday, April 3, from 3:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the PreK-2 building.

Parents registering children for the 2012-2013 school year must complete a registration card. A copy of the child's immunization records, social security card and birth certificate must be filed with the school secretary, Deborah Sanders, prior to school starting.

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Muenster Elementary's full day kindergarten, a child centered program, develops pre-academic skills. The kindergarten teachers use a combination of centers, discovery and direct instruction in a language-rich environment to maximize each child's potential. Students discover the fun of learning as they prepare for future academic and social success. The teachers will be on hand at registration to answer questions.

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La MATRICULA del JARDIN DE LA INFANCIA MISD

La matricula del jardin de la infancia kinder para MISD sera martes, el 3 de abril a las 3:45 p.m. hasta las 5:30 p.m. en el PreK-2 edificio elementaria.

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BOLD - Beef in an Optimal Lean Diet

Thanks to checkoff-funded research, science continues to document a growing number of healthy benefits in lean beef, while toppling some long-held negative beliefs along the way. The latest misperception to be scientifically unseated is the idea, still common among some Americans, that beef is bad for the heart.

Instead, the new checkoff-funded BOLD study (Beef in an Optimal Lean Diet) offers substantive evidence that eating lean beef daily as part of an overall healthy diet can actually lower cholesterol and is as effective in doing so as the most recommended heart-healthy diets, which often emphasize plant proteins and limit beef.

"This is great news to share with consumers," says Jason Peeler, Texas cattle feeder and chair of the Texas Beef Council's Nutrition Committee. "They can eat lean beef every day if they choose and feel confident that science supports beef's healthy benefits, which now include cholesterol-lowering effects. And it tastes great!"

With 29 lean beef cuts now available, Americans have a variety of healthy options, from steaks and roasts to lean ground beef, Peeler added.

cal trial conducted by researchers at The Pennsylvania State University. Participants following BOLD diets consumed up to 5.4 oz. of lean beef daily. At the end of five weeks, they experienced a 10% drop in LDL (or "bad") cholesterol, and a drop in total cholesterol levels. The BOLD results were comparable to the gold standard of heart-healthy diets, the DASH diet (Dietary Approaches to Stop Hypertension) which was also consumed by study participants for comparison. Many of the BOLD menus incorporated recipes from the checkoff-funded Healthy Beef Cookbook.

Checkoff dollars were allocated to study the impact of lean beef on heart risk factors when red meat, including lean beef, became increasingly restricted in dietary recommendations for heart health. Previous checkoff-funded nutrition research suggested DASH unnecessarily restricted lean beef, according to Shalene McNeill, PhD, RD, executive director of human nutrition research for NCBA, which contracts to manage checkoff programs.

"However, until the checkoff-funded the BOLD work, we didn't have a comprehensive study that would validate the benefits of adding

more lean beef to the DASH diet and other diets like it that were being recommended most often to maintain or improve heart health," McNeill added.

The BOLD study is a prime example of how checkoff research works to help drive beef demand by pursuing and publishing the scientific evidence that ultimately persuades consumers and influencers that lean beef is not only good, but good for you.

"The checkoff is the only research initiative focused solely on establishing and communicating the beneficial role of beef in the diet and addressing nutrition misperceptions," Peeler explained. Unlike the research conducted by many private industries, the ultimate goal of checkoff research is to publish results in peer-reviewed scientific journals, thus creating a public record of the results.

By early January 2012, positive news about the BOLD study had appeared in more than 60 state/national media outlets.

The BOLD study results appear in the January 2012 issue of the American Journal of Clinical Nutrition, published by the Society for Nutrition Science. The study is available online at <http://bit.ly/BOLDAJCN>.

County Agent's Report

Watch for Armyworms!

Large numbers of moths (millers) are being reported in Cooke County and in the rest of Texas. Dr. Allen Knutson, Extension entomologist, has caught many of these. The ones he has inspected are believed to be the adult version of the True Armyworm. However, it is possible that those in Cooke County could also be the adult Fall Armyworm. In either case, it is important to monitor the situation closely.

Dr. Knutson states, "These insects overwinter along the Gulf Coast, and the moths are now migrating north. The locally cool, wet weather conditions are favorable for an armyworm outbreak, so I would advise growers to inspect small grains and pastures closely during the next few weeks for potential

armyworm infestations." Homeowners should also be aware of the potential for armyworm infestations in their lawn and ornamental plants.

While it is possible that migrating moths will not result in a huge worm population; the favorable weather and large number of moths, make an armyworm outbreak a good possibility this spring. Although, a variety of natural enemies keep fall armyworm larvae down to moderate numbers.

Early detection of larvae is the best management tool and is achieved by frequent, thorough inspection of plants. Dr. Knutson estimates that it takes five days for eggs to hatch at this time of year. The hatching larvae are very small, so it might take a week of growing before one could find them. Therefore, producers are encouraged to begin scouting for small armyworms about 10 days to two weeks after first seeing moths in the fields.

When scouting, you should know armyworms feed any

time of the day or night, but are most active early in the morning or late in the evening. The first sign of armyworm feeding is noticed where the small larvae eat away the green tissue, leaving the leaf veins. This is called a "window pane" feeding effect. They begin feeding on lower leaves and then move up the plant. Once the larvae get larger, about 1/4 inch, they begin eating notches out of the leaves, veins and all. The larvae feed for about 25 days, depending on temperature.

To my knowledge, no outbreaks of armyworms have been noticed ...yet. Not a occurrences of armyworm larvae warrant control. Armyworms only require control when they occur in large numbers or plant damage is becoming excessive. At that time, there are many insecticide options for homeowners and agricultural producers to choose from.

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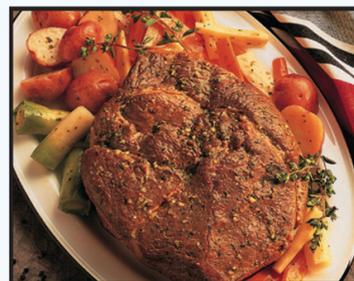
PREFERRED TRIM
BONELESS BEEF
NEW YORK

**Loin
Strip**

\$6.59
LB.

PREFERRED TRIM
BONELESS BEEF
**Chuck
Roast**

\$2.99
LB.



PILGRIMS PRIDE

**Drumsticks
or Thighs**

79¢
LB.



FRESH
Ground Chuck

LB. **\$2.69**

FISCHERS FULLY COOKED SMOKED
German Sausage

LB. **\$3.29**

MARKET SLICED
Boiled Ham

LB. **\$2.09**

REGULAR, MAPLE FLAVORED OR PEPPERED
Wright's Bacon

1.5 LB. **\$6.19**

JIMMY DEAN REGULAR
Sausage

LB. **\$3.09**

OSCAR MAYER FAT FREE OR LITE
Beef Bologna

8 OZ. **\$2.69**

OSCAR MAYER SELECT VARIETY
Meat Franks

1 LB. 2 FOR **\$5**

SHURFINE
Pimento Spread

7.5 OZ. **\$1.89**

LOUISIANA SELECT Raw Shrimp21/25 ct. 2 LB.	\$15.00
SEA BEST Tilapia Fillets1 LB. 2 FOR	\$6.00
SEA BEST BREADED Calamari or Clam Strips10 OZ.	\$2.89



Fresh Produce



**LARGE
Roma
Tomatoes**

8 \$
FOR

CELLO PACK
Mixed Bell Peppers

3 CT. **\$2.99**

LARGE
Avocados

5 FOR **\$5**

MEXICAN 1015 SWEET
Yellow Onions

LB. **69¢**

TROPICAL
Mangos

3 FOR **\$2**

BRAEBURN OR RED DELICIOUS
Premium Apples

LB. **99¢**

ROMAINE OR GREEN
Leaf Lettuce

EACH **99¢**

CRISP
Celery

EACH **99¢**

SNO-WHITE
Cauliflower

EACH **\$1.99**

FANCY
Navel Oranges

LB. **89¢**

OLD FASHION
Fresh Express Slaw

10-16 OZ. 2 FOR **\$3**

TANGY, JUICY
Lemons or Limes

4 FOR **\$1**

CELLO PACK
Radishes

6 OZ. **59¢**

Drawing Winners

Barbie Barnhill - Ice Cream Maker

Michelle Hacker - Cookie Jar

Nicole Hennigan - Digital Camera

Colt Haverkamp -

Solar Mobile Phone Charger

Brandi Knabe - Throw Blanket

Rashonda Hayes -

Basket of Groceries

Health & Beauty Care

WESTERN FAMILY CAPLETS OR TABLETS

Ibuprofen
OR EXTRA STRENGTH CAPLETS
Acetaminophen

24 CT. BTL.

2 \$3
FOR

WESTERN FAMILY DRY, ALOE, OR ADVANCED
Skin Care Lotion

10 OZ. 2 FOR **\$4**

WESTERN FAMILY MEN'S OR WOMEN'S
Comfort Razors

5 CT. 2 FOR **\$4**

ASSORTED VARIETIES MAXIPAD OR PANTILINERS
Always Feminine Products

14-32 CT. 2 FOR **\$6**

Dairy & Frozen Foods

ASSORTED FLAVORS
Plains Dips

12 OZ. 3 FOR **\$5**

DANNON ASSORTED FLAVORS
Activia Yogurt

4 PACK 3 FOR **\$5**

ASSORTED VARIETIES PUDDING OR GELATIN
Jell-O Snack Cups

6 CT. 2 FOR **\$5**

ASSORTED VARIETIES
SunnyD Drinks

64 OZ. 2 FOR **\$3**

MRS. SMITH'S SELECT VARIETIES
Fruit Cobblers

32 OZ. **\$3.99**

ASSORTED MINI TACOS OR TAQUITOS
El Charrito

18 OZ. 2 FOR **\$7**

SHURFINE MINI EARS
Corn on the Cob

8 CT. 2 FOR **\$5**

SHURFINE SELECT VARIETY
Fish Sticks or Fillets

19.2-24 OZ. 2 FOR **\$7**

ASSORTED FLAVORS
Blue Bunny Sherbet

56 OZ. CTN. **\$3.79**