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Pheasant **Hunt Raffle**

The O'Loughlin Center is raffling off a Pheasant Hunt package. This is a Package B, The Wild Hunt" offered by Lonestar Outfitters. A guided hunt with bird dogs on the Lonestar Outfitters Upland Game Hunting Preserve near Perryton.

The winner will receive an all-day hant for up to four hunters with a 5 cock per hunter limit, valued at \$600, to be scheduled at the winner's convenience. The drawing will be held on Friday, October 3, 2003.

The cost of tickets is \$10 and can be purchased at The O'Loughlin Center, 502 S Brandt in Spearman.

For more information on other packages offered by Lonestar Outfitters, go to www.lsoutfitters.com or call Ben Butler at (806) 435-2503 or (806) 898-7685, mobile. For more information on the raffle or how to purchase tickets, call 9806) 659-3030.

Proceeds will benefit The O'Loughlin Center Spearman.

New Laws Concerning Foreclosure Sales

House Bill 335, which passed in the 75th session of the Texas Legislature, went into effect on September 1 2003. This new legislation concerning property law on foreclosure sales applies to all Sheriff's Sales conducted after October 1, 2003.

Bidders must file a request for a "Statement of No Taxes Due" with the Tax Assessor-Collector's Office on property now owned or previously owned. This statement must be presented to the officer conducting the sale prior to the

Individuals may not bid on or purchase property in the name of another individual without written authorization from that individual presented to the officer conducting the sale. A deed may not be executed in the name of any person other than the successful bidder.

For more information on these requirements, call or go by the Hansford County Tax Office in the Hansford County Courthouse in Spearman.

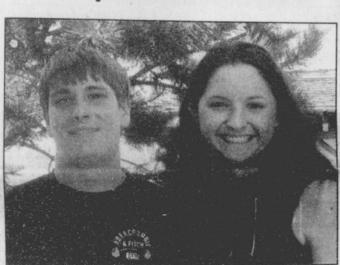
Sheets Named National Merit Scholar

On Monday, September 29, 2003, Mr. Bill Belger, Spearman High School Principal, announced that Russell Sheets has been named a Commended Student in the 2004 National Merit® Scholarship Program. A Letter of Commendation from the school and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which conducts the program, will be presented by the principal to this (these) scholastically talented senior.

About 34,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being recognized for their exceptional academic promise. Although they will not continue in the 2004 competition for Merit Scholarship® awards, Commended Students have placed among the top five percent of more than one million students who entered the 2004 competition by taking the 2002 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

"Recognition of academically talented students and of the key role played by schools in their development is essential to the pursuit of educational excellence in our nation," commented a spokesperson for the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. "The young people being named Commended Students have demonstrated outstanding academic potential by their strong performance in this highly competitive program. We hope that this recognition will help broaden their educational opportunities and that they will continue to pursue scholastic excellence and to develop their abilities to the fullest. These young people represent a very valuable national resource."

4-H Gold Star **Recipients Honored**



Tracy Brown and Kali Shields were honored at the Hansford County 4-H Awards Banquet as the 2003 Gold Star recipients.

The Hansford County 4-H record book for district compeheld Sunday, August 24th at the Gruver School Cafeteria with 4-H youth, their parents, volunteer leaders and supporters of the 4-H program in attendance.

Clete Vanderburg and Nick Slough presided over the event, which carried out the theme "Painting the Future with 4-H."

Bailey Reid led the Pledge of Allegiance and Rhett Renner led the 4-H Motto and Pledge. Tracy Brown gave the Welcome and Rachelle Holt introduced the guests. Rhett recognized parents and volunteer leaders.

This year's Gold Star recipients were Kali Shields and Tracy Brown. Kali is the daughter of Lonnie and LeAnn Shields. Tracy is the son of Billy and Joan Brown. Kali and Tracy will be honored at the District 4-H Gold Star Banquet on November 8th in Canyon.

Jessica Schmidt received the Horse award for completing a

Anna Sowder, Emily Hood and Jessica Schmidt received special awards for district fashion show competition. Jessica also received special recognition for winning the District 4-H Bake Show.

Tori Sheets was recognized for winning the District Sharethe-Fun Musical competition. Photography awards were presented to Justin Thompson and Sheldon Field for their participation in the district photography contest.

District Livestock Judging participants recognized were Austin Benton, Williams, Charlie Slough, Casey Cator, Cody Benton, Dakota Cator, Taylor Williams, Brenna Reid, Dustin Mackie, Bailey Reid, Nick Slough, Clete

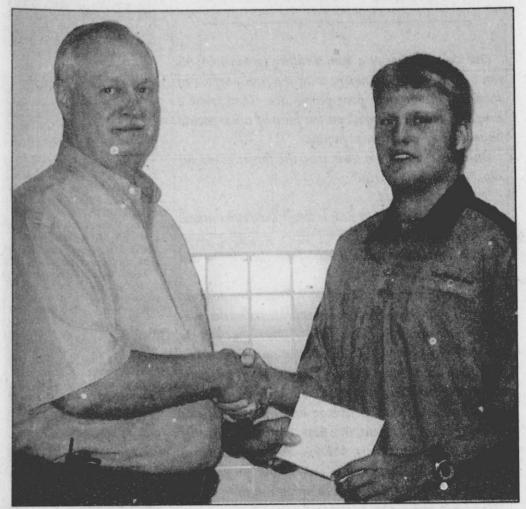
Vanderburg and Kali Shields. Year pins were presented by teen leaders Ryan Buschman, Victoria Vela, Tanner Irwin, Jessica Vela, Jessica Schmidt, Kali Shields, Brock Irwin, Britta Vanderburg and Rhett Renner to 4-H youth completing a project during the 2002-2003 year. 4-H gate signs were pre-sented to all first year members.

Amarillo College Foundation Announces Scholarships

Amarillo College Foundation recently announced the names of Gruver residents who are receiving 2003-2004 scholarships at Amarillo College.

Gruver scholarship recipients are Richard Schad, aviation maintenance major, Industrial and Transportation Technology Scholarship; and Carrie Stewart, pharmacy technology major, Foundation Directors'

College Amarillo Foundation was established in 1962 with the highest priority to provide student scholarships. More than 1000 students receive awards each year.



Spearman High School Principal Bill Belger congratulates Russell Sheets on being named a National Merit Scholar.



GHS Homecoming

Cynthia Briones (left) was crowned the 2003 School Gruver High Homecoming Queen on Friday, September 26th. Cynthia is the daughter of Tony and Araceli Briones.

2003 Homecoming candidates were (bottom, left to right) Jenny Hart, daughter of Brad and Kelly Hart, Cynthia Briones, and Meagan Knight, daughter of Tommy and Linda Knight.

Bonnie Schaeff McFadden of the Class of 1953 was crowned alumni queen. Her escort was Bob



Business Workshop Features Demographer

CANYON - West Texas A&M University's Small Business Development Center (SBDC) will present a workshop featuring demographer Dr. Steve H. Murdock from 2:30-4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 7 at the Amarillo College Business & Industry Center, 1314 S. Polk St. in Amarillo.

Murdock, who in 1997 was named one of the 50 most influential Texans by Texas Business, is director of the Center for Demographic and Socioeconomic Research and Education in The Texas A&M University System. He also is the official state demographer of

He is the author of 11 books and more than 150 articles and reports on the implications of current and future demographic

and socioeconomic change. Murdock's topics in Amarillo will be "The Changing Face of Texas," "Locating Accurate Demographic Information" and 'Practical Use Demographics."

Seating is limited, so early registration is encouraged. Cost of the workshop is \$55.
Continuing Professional Continuing Professional Education (CPE) units are avail-

For more information or to register for the workshop, contact P.J. Pronger at 806-372-5151 or Teresa Clemons at 806-372-5512, Ext. 1678.



Superintendent of Spearman Schools, Rodney Sumner, presents Donna McCubbin with a nomination letter for her daughter Linzi as part of the Hundred Home March which rep

resents the 100th home visited by the superintendent. Linzi, the 100th and final student receiving a home visit, was nominated by her theatre arts teacher Tony Sidwell.

(See related story on page 5

by Catherine R. Smith CathyRSmit@aol.com

My friend Bill Pittman sent me the following story. I'm not sure wrote it, but I do appreciate the message.

One day a father of a very wealthy family took his son on a trip to the country with the firm purpose of showing his son how poor people live. They spent a couple of days and nights on the farm of what would be considered a very poor family.

On their return from their trip, the father asked his son, "How was the trip?"

"It was great, Dad."

"Did you see how poor people live?" the father asked. "Oh yeah," said the son.

"So, tell me, what did you learn from the trip?" asked the father.

The son answered: "I saw that we have one dog and they had four. We have a pool that reaches to the middle of our garden and they have a creek that has no end. We have imported lanterns in our garden and they have the stars at night. Our patio reaches to the front yard and they have the whole horizon. We have a small piece of land to live on and they have fields that go beyond our sight. We have servants who serve us, but they serve others. We buy our food, but they grow theirs. We have walls around our property to protect us, they have friends to protect them."

The boy's father was speechless.

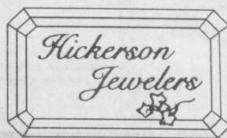
Then his son added, "Thanks, Dad, for showing me how poor we are."

Isn't perspective a wonderful thing? Wouldn't it be nice if we gave thanks for everything we have, instead of worrying about what we don't have?

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Catherine:)

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Gruver Bids Farewell To Medical Clinic

By the time you read this, a little lady who served the sick and hurting of the Gruver community will be gone.

Emptied of all her belongings earlier this year, the lady's demise, as we know her, will near completion with the opening of sealed bids on the Gruver Medical Clinic on September 9th.

Although vacant for many years now due to the lack of a doctor, the Gruver Medical Clinic was once a very active part of the business community. Staffed in her later years by Dr. Thu and then by Dr. Viola, the clinic was a busy place where you visited with your friends and met new neighbors while awaiting your time with the doctor. Appointments were not necessary — when you were sick or hurt, you just came in. No one was ever turned away.

It wasn't a fancy place with over-stuffed chairs or plush carpeting.

It wasn't a fancy place with over-stuffed chairs or plush carpeting, but it was shiny and clean, and no one seemed to mind sitting on the orange faux leather couch. The doctor, nurse, and receptionist called you by your first name (unless you were older, and then you were Mr. or Mrs.). If the patient was an older person or really sick and not up to sitting on the vinyl furniture, their kin could sit in the waiting room until the patient's name was called, and then in the waiting room until the patient's name was called, and then quickly go home and fetch the ailing. It was also not uncommon for the doctor or the nurse to call you the day after your appointment, to see how you were doing.

The last full-time doctor at the clinic was Dr. Viola. He and his large family lived in Gruver. His children were good students and active in band and sports and every other thing a kid can be in at school. Dr. and Mrs. Viola were good class parents – active in about everything a parent could be. If a football player was hurt at a junior high game, chances are Dr. V would already be there watching his son play.

Dr. Viola was always on call, I guess. He didn't seem to mind, though. When our youngest was thrown from a wagon pulled by a three-wheeler, Dr. V. left his back yard barbecue to examine the collarbone of a dirty little boy in the back seat of the suburban parked

One of the doctor's busiest times of the year was when the Gruver churches had softball teams of "athletes" who were often in less than perfect shape, and filled his office the morning after the game

with sprains, strains, and pulls from the night before.

When the swimming pool was built in the park, many parents remarked how thankful they were for the security of knowing the clinic was only a few yards away, and the doctor was usually in his office during "pool" hours.

With the moving of Dr Viola, the clinic has been dormant, except for the annual athletic physicals. On that one day, the clinic doors were once again open with youngsters and parents coming and going. But this past year, even that one special day stopped, and going. But this past year, even that one special day stopped, and physicals were not given at the clinic. The little building sat as if it were waiting for someone – some medical professional who might choose to live, work and raise his family in a great little town. The clinic seemed to say by its presence, "I'm here, use me."

It's not that I won't enjoy seeing the building being used again by city hall or whoever gets the bid, and I am mighty grateful for the wooderful doctors, physician assistant, and nurse practitioner we

wonderful doctors, physician assistant, and nurse practitioner we have in Hansford County. We should never take them for granted.

It is just that the finality of the clinic, as such, brings the sadness of an era and a time that will probably never be again.



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p.m. for away games. We will continue our regular hours Monday-Wednesday and Friday, 11 a.m.-8 p.m.

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HANSFORD HAPPENINGS

"A Feast with Friends" cookbook, compiled by the Harrington Cancer Center Circle of Friends, is being sold by Jenna McElroy. Profits from the book will go to the Circle of Friends to assist cancer patients and their families in their time of need. The cost of the ring-bound recipe collection is \$15. Call Jenna at 659-2365 or 659-2617 for more infor mation, or to place an order.

Register Tapes for Education

The Gus Birdwell Elementary PTO is proud to announce that they are saving register tapes for educational equipment. Register tapes can be collected from any Lowe's store and redeemed toward valuable educational equipment such as computers, science, band or sports equipment and more. The program kicked off on September 1, 2003 and register tapes can be collected until March 31, 2004. The students and faculty of Gus Birdwell Elementary would appreciate your support by saving your register tapes from Lowe's in order to help them receive their needed equipment. Register tapes may be taken to the Elementary Office.

Senior Citizen's Book Exchange

For those who are 55 or older and are tired of reading the same old book, come to the Golden Spread Center and exchange your book for something more exciting. Don't have a book to exchange? That's okay, come and get one any way. We have mysteries, biographies, romance, Christian books, you name it, we've got it! 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.,Golden Spread Center, The O'Loughlin Center, 502 Brandt, 659-3030 Donations appreciated.

Storytime at Hansford County Library
Beginning Thursday, October 2nd, and running through Thursday,
November 20th, Hansford County Library will host a storytime for children who are three years old up to five years old, but not attending kindergarten. This storytime will be held in the library each Thursday morning from 11 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. There is no charge for this service and no prior sign-up is necessary. If you have any questions about our storytime, please call the library at 659-2231 between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. weekdays.

Adult English Classes Offered in Gruver
Adult English Classes will continue Thursday nights from 7:00 - 9:30
p.m. in the Gruver Junior High, 600 Garrett St. Classes began October 2, 2003.

FCCLA To Host Potato, Ice Cream Supper

Come and support the FCCLA Potato and Ice Cream Supper on Friday, October 3, 2003, from 5:30 - 7 p.m. at the Spearman High School Cafeteria. The cost is \$5.00 with children under five years of age. If you would simply like a sundae, the cost is \$2.00. There will be a variety of toppings for both potatoes and sundaes.

5K Family Fun Walk/Run

A 5K Family Fun Walk/Run, presented by Gus Birdwell PTO, will be held on Saturday, October 4, 2003. Entry forms are available at Gus Birdwell Elementary or from any PTO member. For more information, contact Cindy Blackman at 659-3233. All participants will receive a race T-shirt. The race will begin at Esca Park and will finish at the High School track. Early bird registration is due by September 22nd (\$10 for adult, \$7 for child under 12, \$30 for family up to 4); Registration deadline is September 26th (\$12 for adult, \$8 for children under 12, and \$35 for family up to 4); Race Day Registration will begin at 8 a.m. on October 4th (\$14 for adult, \$9 for children under 12, and \$40 for family up to 4).

FUMC of Spearman To Host Missions Sunday
First United Methodist Church in Spearman will be hosting a special Mission Emphasis Sunday on October 5, at the church located at 407 S. Haney. The day will begin with a gathering in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a.m. where doughnuts and coffee will be served. Programs will be held at 9:45 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Lunch at 12:30 p.m., and evening services at 7 p.m. Guest speakers for the day will be Hal and Rita Carpenter, representatives from Child Evangelism Fellowship; Kerri Ann Keim, a recent participant on a mission trip to Uganda; Paul and Dawn Cox, representatives for OMS International (currently serving in Madrid, Spain); and Dean Cooke, representative for the Kairos prison ministry. This will be a great day of celebrating the Great Commission of reaching the nations for Christ. Please come join us as we hear from those who have answered their call to missions.

Book Club To Organize

An organizational meeting of those interested in forming a book club will be held Monday, October 6, at 5:00 p.m. in the Hansford County Library. If you wish to participate but cannot attend the meeting, please call the library at 659-2231 to have you name added to the list.

Introduction of Personal Computer/Windows
An Introduction of Personal Computers/Windows will be held
October 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23 and 28 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at
Spearman High School. Lisa Short will teach this very basic computer class, and will be slow-paced. Classes are small, so register
soon. To register or for more information, contact Cindy Blackman,
Community Resource Coordinator at 659-3233. Cost will be \$50.

Flu Shots To Be Given In Gruver
Flu shots will be administered at the Golden Age Center in Gruver Thursday, October 9, 2003 from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. The shots will be free for those with Medicare cards and \$20 without.

Annual Nut Sale

The Holt Community TEEA will host their Annual Nut Sale through October 15th. Anyone wishing to purchase Cashews (\$4.57/lb.), Pecans (\$5/lb.) or Walnuts (\$4/lb.) should contact Ruth Ann Jones at 659-3486. Money must accompany order. Get with friends and order a case together - minimum order is 6 pounds.

PANHANDLE PLANNER

Tribute To Woody Guthrie
October 3-4 - Pampa: "TRIBUTE TO WOODY GUTHRIE"...
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and Pete Seeger, who played with Guthrie 50 years ago! tribute3@pampastribute.org; www.pampastribute.org; (806) 669-

Buddy Walk Set

The National Down Syndrome Society will hold a Buddy Walk on Saturday, October 4, 2003 at Sam Houston Park (Western and Line Avenue, north of both I-40 and Plains Road) in Amarillo. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with the walk to begin at 10 a.m. Walk Day activities, including carnival games, bouncers, face painting, food and drinks, door prizes, raffles and lots of fun activities will be held from 10:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, call (806) 378-7911 Or, to volunteer, call (806) 468-9088 or (806) 457-8300.

Pampa Fine Arts Festival
October 11-12 - Pampa: PAMPA FINE ARTS FESTIVAL... Selling
Santa Fe Stew, desserts & soft drinks, arts & crafts booths, enter-

tainment & door prizes. Gourmet booth by arts & crafts association. M.K. Brown Auditorium at 1000 N. Sumner. (806) 665-0343. Booth entry deadline is October 1st.

Carson County Square House Museum
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M.K. Brown Auditorium at 1000 N. Sumner. (806) 665-0343. Booth
entry deadline is October 1st.

"Christmas In October"

"Christmas in October," a craft and trade show sponsored by Sharing Hop Ministry will be held at the Civic Center North Exhibit Hall in Amarillo Saturday, October 18, from 10-5. Vendors throughout the Panhandle are will host booths with a variety of arts and crafts, fine artwork, jewelry, gift items, activities for the kids, and a large holiday bake sale.

Wesley Methodist Church's Festival of Arts & Crafts
Wesley United Methodist Church of Hereford will be hosting its
23rd Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts, December 6th, from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the Community Center in Hereford. Only a limited number of booths are available. Booth fee is \$10.00. Applications may be obtained by writing or calling Ellen Collins, 801 Mile St. Hereford, TX 79045. Phone: (806) 364-0774.

Golden Spread Council Promotes Scouting

The Golden Spread Council of the Boy Scouts of America is excited to help spread the word about Cub Scouting in our area. The Golden Spread Council invites families to find out more information about Cub Scouting by calling the Golden Spread Council 806-358-6500, to visit the Scout Service Center at 401 Tascosa

College Corner

West Texas A&M University
Fourteen West Texas A&M University students will wear the coveted maroon jackets as President's Ambassadors for the 2003-2004 school year

The President's Ambassadors represent WTAMU and the Office of the President by hosting special guests of the University and assisting at special campus events that involve the president. The students are recognized by the maroon jackets they wear at each

Ambassadors must be full-time students, maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.5 and demonstrate campus leadership.

The 14 President's Ambassadors are: Jennifer Laxson, senior mass communications-broadcasting major, of Spearman

Southwestern Oklahoma State University College

Halee Del Beasley has been accepted and is enrolled in her first semester in the Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Pharmacy at Weatherford.

Thirty-seven students were admitted into the Doctor of Pharmacy program for the 2003 fall semester. The class has an average cumulative grade point of 3.61 and is composed of 22 women and 15

Minimum requirements to make application for admission to the SWISU College of Pharmacy include the completion of at least 60 semester hours of specified pre-pharmacy courses with a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00.

Beasley is the daughter of Ed and Jan Williamson of Clinton and Jim Beasley of Spearman.

Texas Tech University Leslie Merritt Holton graduated from Texas Tech University August 9, 2003 with a BBA degree in Management.

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Water District to Hold Meetings on Proposed New Rules

North Plains Groundwater District will hold "town hall" meetings to inform the public about the proposed new rules for the District. The meetings will be structured to allow the Board to receive comments and/or answer questions about the proposed rules. Each of the meetings will be open to the public. The meetings are scheduled as follows:

October 9, 2003 - Perryton, Texas at the Expo Center, 7:30 p.m. October 14, 2003 - Dumas, Texas at the Moore County Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
October 21, 2003 - Dalhart, Texas at the Rita Blanca Lake

Coliseum, 7:30 p.m.

The proposed Rules include the following changes:

• All wells to be either registered with the District or have a per-

Permits are also required for test-holes.
 Owners of new wells will be required to make application for an allowable production permit for all property under the same

• All new wells and existing wells under the same ownership will be required to install meters and report annual production.

· The maximum gallons per minute per acre production (a one time production limit) is to be lowered from 5 gpm/acre to 4

• The maximum allowable production is to be 2 acre feet per acre. · A permit is to be required for water being transported within or outside of the District.

• The spacing provisions increase the distances between wells. Anyone wishing to réview a copy of the proposed Rules and/or a summary may contact the District by phone at 806-935-6401, by mail at P.O. Box 795, Dumas, Texas 79029-0795 or in person at 603 East First, Dumas. The proposed Rules and a summary of the Rules are posted on the North Plains Groundwater Conservation District with site at http://www.norud.org. web site at http://www.npwd.org.

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October 2

Birthday - Kyler Barkley, Wayne Garrett, Jeremy Jeremy Tunnell, Richard Wagner, Della Reed, Kathi Gilley, Kelly Trout, Angelita Cruz, Pamela Ring

Anniversary - Glen Ray & Laura Mackie

October 3 Birthday - Berniece Goodrich, Ruth Ann Jones, Carroll, Doris Lloyd Eulalia Bateman, Blankenship, Brian Jackie Graham, Brian Watley,
Teresa England, Timber
Barkiey, Chad Brown, Arlene
Kennedy, Lynda Tunnell,
L.A. Williams, Griffin
George, Marsha Murphy
Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs.
Scott Davis, Jim & Linda
Beeson Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Watley,

Beeson, Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Hawkins, Mr. & Mrs Dan Desimone

October 4

Birthday - Debbie Garrett, Jan Stedje, Pam Stork, Abbi Yanke, Theresa Johnson, Gresset, Hawkins, Karl Smith, Kandy Martin, Adam Red, Bennie Brogdan, Francisco Borunda

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs.

Craig Vinson, Mr. & Mrs.

Andres Rodriquez

October 5

Birthday - Ernisting Salgado, Richard Lesly, Sue Felder, Kelly Harper, Gladys McIntyre, Carl Kizzar, Kermit McIntyre, Carl Kizzar, Glenda Johnson, Kermit Boone, Kelly Cox

October 6 Birthday - Regina Barkley, Nell Evans, Doug Ferguson, Theron Pack, Brooke Brooke Janet Williams, Mayfield, Donna Burk, Myra Berner, Kenneth Brown, John John

Nichols, Adina Garza, Carrie McLain, Paulette Laxson, Haley Pletcher, Kylee Howard

October 7

Birthday - Rex Casdorph, Pat Dawson, David Miner, Juanita Herron, Kay Ivey, Juan Holgin, Kayla Carden, Julian Rodriquez, Michael Hendrick, Clara Gonazales, Wanda Arin

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Rodney D. Clawson, Mr. & Mrs. Hack B. Johnson October 8

Birthday - Harvey Atwood, Candice Casdorph, Gary Evans, Amber Gross, Wilma Holland, Tambra Seal, Letha Stewart, Kimberly Wagoner, Debbie Avila, Will Jarvis, Paulina Nava, JoAnn Eaton, Wofford, Bert Gonzales, Steven Flowers, Kathy Gillispie, Ella Raye Carter, Jill Hodge

Anniversary - Darrel & Linda West, Mike & Pat Cudd

October 9

Birthday - Angie Lopez, Tammie Osbourne, Rhonda Ward, Rosa Rojas, Shea Crawford, Jerry Hunt, Monty Black, Betty Hazlewood, Joe Ronnie Archer McCammond, Chris Cummings, Suellen Dahl, Liz Lopez, Joyce Johnson, Mark Matthews

Anniversary - Steve & Sheri Benton, Mr. & Mrs. **David Armes**

October 10

Birthday - Matthew Brown,
Jake Barkley, Kim Blevins, Duncan, Steve Rudolph, Darrell Scroggs, Sherri Cook, Don McLain, Henton, Kortny Henton, Edwin Molina, Gary Flowers, Maribel Moreno, Mike Darnell, Jesse Tindell, Cason Finley, McCaully Jo Hart, Lyn Woolley, Toby Thomas, Kevin Kenney Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Mario Molina, Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Messer, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Karlin Edwin Kortny

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Lori Villanueva is the Speech/Language Pathologist at

She is married to Essie and

they have one son, Jonah, who

Villanueva has a BS and MS

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University, where she graduated

"The staff has been very welcoming and helpful," Villanueva said. "I immediately felt at

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New Teachers at Spearman



Krista Baird

Krista Baird is the new counselor at Spearman High School. Last year she taught 4th grade at Gus Birdwell Elementary in Spearman.

Baird is married to Todd, a teacher/coach at Spearman ISD, and they have two children, Tanner, 6, a first grader, and Trenton, 4.

Baird has a BS in Elementary Education with an endorsement Early Childhood from Northwestern Oklahoma State University. She also has a Masters in Mid-Management from Southwest Oklahoma State University.

"I am thoroughly enjoying my new assignment at the high school," Baird said. "The students are wonderful to work with, as well as the staff. I miss all of my students and co-workers at the elementary, but after working with high school students, I am convinced that Spearman ISD has the best Pre-K through 12 teachers in the

Lynxette events, spending time with her family, reading, going to movies and traveling.



Kristin Born

Kristin Born is the new high special education

Born is married to Weston, the ag teacher at Gruver High School. She is the daughter of Gary and Nelle Evans.

Born has a BS from Texas Tech University. She taught for two years at Booker Elementary. "I am looking forward to a

great year," Born said. When not teaching, Born enjoys cooking, being outdoors, and spending time with her husband and their families.



Jess Anne Fernandes Jess Anne Fernandes is a second-grade teacher at Gus Birdwell Elementary Spearman.

Fernandes is engaged to Michael Lusby.

Fernandes has a BS degree West Texas A&M University, where she graduated with honors.

Fernandes played volleyball for four years at West Texas and was first team All-American. "I am so excited to begin my

first year," Fernandes said. When not teaching, Fernandes enjoys running, skiing, spending

time with family and working on her new home.



Erica Hennigh

Erica Hennigh is a fifth-grade reading and language arts

Hennigh is married to Kenny and they have three children, Kyler, 7, Riley, 4 and Kailynne,

Hennigh has a bachelor of elementary of education from Oklahoma Panhandle State

"Everyone in Spearman has been very welcoming," Hennigh said. "I have high expectations for my students and myself for

When not teaching, Hennigh enjoys scrapbooking and playing with her kids.



Jodie Hight

Jodie Hight is the new Paraprofessional TTH in the Computer Lab Hight is married to Keith and

they have one daughter, Tyann, Hight has a BS degree from Oklahoma Panhandle State University. Before going to

work as a paraprofessional, Hight served as a substitute "I am looking forward to a

great year," Hight said. When not teaching, Hight

enjoys playing golf, painting and scrapbooking.



Amy Mesneak

Amy Mesneak is the elementary librarian. She has two children, Lauren,

14, and Zachary, 6.

Mesneak has a BBA from West
Texas A&M University, an
Elementary Teaching Certificate
from WTAMU and her Librarian Certification from the University of North Texas.

"I am really excited about being the elementary librarian and getting to know the students and members of the communi-Mesneak said.

When not teaching, she enjoys shopping gardening, antiques and reading.



Sandi Pearson

Sandi Pearson is a fourth grade teacher at Gus Birdwell

Elementary in Spearman.
She is married to Mike, and they have two children, Carson, 7, and Callie, 3.

Pearson has an undergraduate from Oklahoma degree Panhandle State University. She previously served as a long-term substitute for third grade.

"I enjoy all the people at Spearman ISD and am looking forward to a great year,' Pearson said.

When not teaching, Pearson enjoys scrapbooking and activities with her family.



Karen Price Karen Price is a fourth-grade

She is married to George and they have three sons, two who are married and one who is in college

Price has a BS degree in edu-McMurry from cation University.

When not teaching, Price enjoys reading and cooking.



Dana Saylor is the K-1 Bilingual/ESL teacher at Gus Birdwell Elementary

She is married to Jim and they have three children, Mariah, 15 Raman, 13, and Zach, 11.

Saylor has a BS degree from Oklahoma Panhandle State University. "I am really enjoying working

with the teachers and students, Saylor said.

When not teaching, Saylor enjoys reading and scrapbook-



Gerald Scovel Gerald Scovel is the high

school art teacher. He has 14 years of teaching experience.

Scovel has a Master of Education degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State

University. "I am excited about joining the staff at Spearman High School," Scovel said. "I am looking forward to continuing the rich tra-



dition of the art program that has been established here!"

enjoys white-water rafting.

When not teaching, Scovel

Annelle Teal

Annelle Teal teaches Algebra I,

Aim Algebra and Algebra II at

She is married to David, and

they have four children,

Veronica, 12, Meghan, 9, and

twins Rachel and Madison, 7.

David is the Superintendent for

Teal has a BBA from East

Texas State University. She has

13 years of teaching experience,

previously teaching at Johnson

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Franklin and Kelly McDonough of Wolfforth, TX wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Karennah Grace. Karennah was born on Saturday, September 13, 2003. She weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces and was 22 1/2 inches long.

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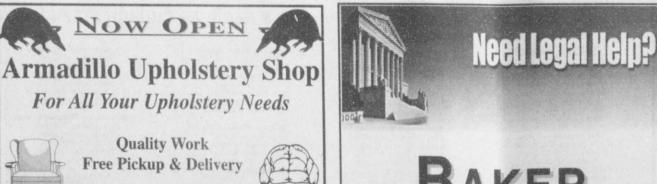
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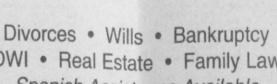
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Superintendent's Corner

About a year and a half ago, Cindy Blackman approached me about a program she had read about called the "Hundred Home March." The purpose of the program was for the superintendent to visit homes in the community to share the good news about our schools and stu-

One of Cindy's many hats is that of Parental Involvement Coordinator, and she felt that this was a perfect opportunity for me to meet with parents in their homes to facilitate better communication between the school and home. Although this seemed like a worthwhile project, it was extremely ambitious and would require a great deal of time; however, after thinking of the positive implications, made the commitment, and the "Hundred Home March" was underway.

In order to start my visits, student nominations were solicited from the teaching staff. Teachers were asked to nominate students for positive accomplishments. These reasons for celebration did not have to be grades alone, but anything that the teacher was proud about and wanted the parent to know. Once the nominations starting coming into my office, Cindy would make contact with the parents and arrange for a time for us to go by and talk with them.

At first, we met some apprehension since the only time most parents ever heard from the school in the past was when their child was in trouble at school, and never had the superintendent ever want to come by their house to talk to them about their child.

It took some convincing to assure people that we were not coming by to talk about anything that was wrong, but only about something good regarding their child. We were determined that language would not be a barrier in making a visit, so if an interpreter was needed, Elodia Bravo went with us to help translate.

The visits were casual and lasted anywhere from fifteen to thirty minutes. During the visit, we read to the parents the reason for celebration written by their child's teacher, and just let the

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parents know that we, too, were proud of their child. We reminded parents that we are partners in their child's education and want the same thing for their child, and that is to provide them with a quality education. I would often say that education is the ticket to opportunity to allow their child to become

whatever they wat to be. Depending on the age of the child, I provided the parent with some ways they could help the school and encouraged them to be involved in their child's education. I concluded with an open-ended question about any concerns that they might have. I would tell them that most people in the community think that we have a good school system, but that there is always room for improvement, and I would like for them to look me in the eye and tell me anything with which they were unhappy.

WOW! What a great way to improve two-way communication between the school and parents. I believe these visits were very well-received by the parents and on my part were extremely rewarding. In fact, as I reflect on things that I have done in my educational career, this has to stand out to be one of the most worthwhile endeavors I have ever done. I came away from the visits much more enlightened and prouder than ever about our school system and students.

Some of my experiences were priceless. One parent told me that they thought this was just another one of those government programs, and they were surprised that the school would take the time to come by and visit with them one on one. Another parent told me that she had told her children that I was coming by to make sure the house was clean and got them to help clean up.

visited the home of a senior, and during the course of the visit, I asked the parent if during the previous twelve years if anyone from the school had ever

come by to let them know that we were proud of their child. She said "No.

I thought that was sad commentary of public schools that the only time parents ever hear from us is when we are unhappy and there was a problem. I told them that my goal in the "Hundred Home March" was to let parents know that 95% of our students are doing good things, and that I was a trying to break the cycle of negativism and emphasize the positive and the many good things our students are doing. One memory that I'll never forget happened on a visit where both parents did not

speak English. Cindy and Elodia accompa-nied me to the home. Both the mother and father were present and after I started talking, I noticed a sigh of relief come over the father's face. When asked, he said that he had stayed up all night worrying about why the superintendent would come by his house. He said if the superintendent was coming, his son must have really done something bad.

Once I read the comment his son's teacher had written about him, you should have seen the smile come over his face. I asked him if his son knew we were doing by and he said yes, but that he didn't know why we were coming. After the visit I went to elementary school to find the young man. I found him in Mr. Winegarner's class. asked him to step out in the hall and introduced myself to him. I had taken with me Sandee Smith, the teacher who had nominated him, and Cindy and Elodia. I read him what Mr. Smith had said about him ad how proud we were of him. I looked back and three ladies were crying tears of joy. I don't know if that young man realized what that moment had meant, but I know that the others there did. It is moments like this that give us fuel to keep on striving to provide all our children with our best even when things are

overwhelming and not always going our way. We are making a difference one child at a time.

It took a year and a half, but on Wednesday, August 27, 1 made the one hundredth visit at the home of Donna McCubbin. Their daughter, Linzi, was nominated by Mr. Sidwell, her theater arts teacher.

What a way to wrap up the "Hundred Home March!" Over the past year and a half, I have had the privilege to talk with many caring and supportive parents about their child and share in their hopes and dreams. went to all kinds of hopes and visited with all kinds of parents: however, they all shared the same dream. To some, my visit was the first time they had ever had the chance to meet me and to get to know me. To others, it was a chance for a private oneon-one conversation. I think communication was improved, and most parents felt and appreciated the fact that the school would take the time to come by and visit with them. The question now is whether or not the "Hundred Home March" is really over. I don't think so, and I hope to continue with my visits throughout the 2003-2004 school year.

The message is loud and clear, we have some of the greatest students in the world here in Spearman, and I am proud to be the spokesperson for our teaching staff to let parents know that we appreciate the confidence they have in our schools and what a privilege it is to be a part of their child's edu-

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Not many campers tried it this weekend, but some of the Garnett family and the Odegaardes camped in tents in Dedication Park, and there were 2 R.V.s in Johnnie Lee's Park. One R.V was at the hookups. On the office side there was one R.V. at the hookups and a few people scattered around the

A few boats were seen, and some fishermen were out, but Jim didn't report any big catch-

Jim saw an 8-point mule deer buck with some does and their young. His son Hart, coming in late from Lubbock with his wife on Friday night, came up on an 8-point white tailed deer who was reluctant to jump the fence and get out of the way. Hart said he was really a nice buck.

A flock of over a 100 yellowheaded blackbirds were seen at Phil Sanders stock tank near the road on the way to the office. Penny Kruse has seen one of the little yellow birds with a black cap known as the American

Anna and Angela Harris told

of a little yellow bird that had crashed into one of their house windows. While they guarded it from their cats, they identified it as a Wilson's Warbler. It was a male and had the jaunty little black cap that looks like a beret right on top on its head. After the bird came around and flew again, it saw a moth and hit into the window again but not as forcefully as before. The second time when it got into the air, it headed south. These birds winter in the southern U. S, the Caribbean, Central or South America.

Many of you are familiar with the Ace Powers ranch buildings that are now in the Palo Duro Park area. Cleon Roberts, author of "Charley Newell Shot!" has been researching Adobe Walls After the Fight", and since Ace Powers was one of the very early ranchers along the Canadian, he was one of the players in the group that were there during the time from 1874 to 1886. I am not sure of the year he came to the Palo Duro to ranch. We know he was Sheriff in 1899 and 1900. One date given is 1897 and one is

Ace Powers and Jim Cator, buffalo hunter, were the same age as both were born in 1852, Both died in 1927.

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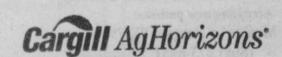
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MEETINGS & MINUTES

Gruver ISD

Meeting in regular session, Tuesday, May 9, 2003, at 6 p.m, members present were Paul Stavlo, Terry Sherrill, Jody Irwin, Davin Winger, Brent Stedje, Dwayne Thompson, and Superintendent David Teal. Absent was member Buddy Lowe, Jr.

Visitors received were Matt Branstine, Randy Reid, Diane Brown, Mica Been, Howard Hammerbeck, Mike King, and Mindy Davis

Principal Mike King gave a report on changes in the high school handbook with Principal Matt Branstine giving a report on changes in the junior high handbook and Principal Diane Brown giving a report on the changes in the elementary hand-

After a report on procedures for Leavers Engagement (a report on students leaving the Gruver School system that is required by law) by Howard Hammerbeck, the board accepted the agreed upon procedures for Leavers Engagement.

Other motions passing were the 2003-2004 student code of conduct, the approval of out-ofstate basketball games for 2003-2004, and the teacher appraisal calendar for September 7, 2003-May 7, 2004.

The motion to accept the bid from Hergert Ford on a truck passed with member Stedje voting nay.

An application and application fee of \$10,000 and any other additional cost incurred by the district from Great Plains Windpower, LLC for an Appraisal Value Limitation on qualified property passed.

The calling for a special election to designate Chapter 41 funds was set for October 11, 2003 as was the appointment of election judges, alternate judges, and early voting clerks.

Discussion items included the setting of the next board meeting for October 14, 2003, transportation, an update of the roofing of Gruver school buildings, the No Child Left Behind program, a financial report by Randy Reid, and a revenue/

expenditures report. The meeting adjourned at 8

Spearman Chamber of Commerce

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors , at noon Thursday, September 11, at Tongs Restaurant.

Members present were Missie Bates, Robert Patrick, Mark Murray, Jason Cantrell, Kevin McDonald, Rosi Martinez, and Gina Gillispie.

After a discussion concerning Boss's Day, the motion to have a Boss's Day Luncheon on Friday, October 17, at noon at the Catholic Church passed.

Tickets will sell for \$8. Missie will check with the church on room and food. Each Chamber member will bring a dozen cookies for dessert.

After discussion concerning the Spearman-oploy games, it was decided that the remainder of them needed to be sold

Murray reported that he would be interested in using them as a fundraiser with a 50/50 split on proceeds. The motion to do so,

Bates appointed the following to the nominating committee Murray, Cantrell, Martinez, and McDonald. They will meet at noon Wednesday, September 17th at the office. The committee will bring names back to the October meeting to be presented to the Chamber membership in November.

TEEA Extension

Town and Country Home Demonstration Club met at noon on September 9, 2003.

Discussion was held regardng the Lunch and Learn to be held on September 25th at noon.

Discussion was also held on participating in the October Fest on October 25, 2003 at the O'Loughlin Center. It was voted to have a Fishing Game and Confetti Eggs.

Discussion was held on helping with Manor Bingo on October 6th and 13th. We are to provide snacks each night and assist residents in playing bingo. Thirteen members attended

Gruver City Council

the noon meeting.

Meeting in regular session, September 10, the city commission of Mayor Mark Írwin, City Weller, Linda Manager Johnnie Commissioners Williams, and Chad Logsdon, and City Secretary Mark Washburn, had a lengthy agen-

Visitors were Officer Dee

Mayfield and Robert Blevins After a discussion with Seth Davidson and the Economic Development Corporation of Gruver, the commission voted to approved the Corporation's work plan and budget.

After a public hearing on the fiscal year 2003-2004 annual budget and tax rate, the commission passed Ordinance #295 adopting a .3521 per \$100.00 valuation as the 2003 tax rate and Ordinance #296, the 2003-2004 annual budget.

Following a discussion on the price of natural gas, the group passed the motion to enter into a municipal gas acquisition program with the Texas Municipal Gas Corporation.

Other motions passed were the resolution to be a member of the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative and the resolution for the dedication of property from Coy Winders and Sunray Coop for the extensions of third Street and McCree

2002-2003 budget amendments and Ordinance #297 increasing the water rate were also passed.

Approval was given to the 2003-2004 Volunteer Fire Department officers. They are First Assistant - Wayne Kruse, Second Assistant - Lynn Boyd, Training Officer - Marvin Sparks, Treasurer -Johnson, and Secretary - Penny

Spearman City Council

The City of Spearman, Texas met in regular session in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 30 SW Court, on September 16, 2003 with Mayor Steve Benton presiding. Aldermen present were: Ron Antalek. Gillispie, Donald Reed, Charles Elliott and Alfred Avila. Staff present were: City Manager Robert Patrick, City Secretary Cheryl Gibson-Salgado, Public Works Director Danny Parker and EMS Director Kevin McDonald. Visitors nald. Visitors present Mike and Skeeter Huffaker, Kay Vernon, Bob Boxwell and Mary Mayfield.

At 7:31 p.m. Mayor Benton declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order.

Alderman Elliott gave the invocation and also led the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Consent Agenda

Consideration of the minutes of the regular City Council meeting held August 19, 2003.

Consideration of the monthly fire, ambulance, police, animal control, municipal court, solid sales tax and water/wastewater reports for August, the natural gas reports for July and the animal control report for July.

Consideration of the monthly bills payable for August and the current cash position.

Consideration of the revenue and expense report for August. Consideration of uncollectible write-offs for fiscal year ending September 30, 2003.

Consideration of approving SED Corp's 2003-2004 proposed budget.

Consideration of approving the Chamber of Commerce and Stationmaster's House Museum budgets regarding disbursements of collected hotel/motel

Motion was made by Gillispie to approve the minutes of the Regular City Council meeting held on August 19, 2003; AND

Approve the monthly fire, ambulance, police, animal control, municipal court, solid waste, sales tax, water/wastewater reports for August and the natural gas report for July and the animal control report for July; however, the police and animal control reports for August and the animal control report for July were not submitted.

AND Approve the bills payable for August in the amount of \$624,512.66 and the current cash position;

Approve the Revenue and Expense report for August;

AND Approve the submitted lists of uncollectible write-offs for the fiscal year end 9/30/03;

Approve SEDCorp's 2003-04 proposed budget;

AND Approve the Chamber of Commerce and Stationmaster's House Museum budgets regarding disbursements of collected hotel/motel taxes for 2003-04. Second by Elliott. Motion unanimously carried.

Regular Agenda

Mayor Benton stated that Item #16 would be considered

Public Hearing to consider assessing the property owners of lots 7-18, block 9, OT, City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas for sidewalk replacement and repair in front of these properties of the existing sidewalks.

Mayor Benton declared the public hearing open at 7:39 p.m. Questions were asked from property owners Mike and Skeeter Huffaker, Kay Vernon, Mary Mayfield and Bob Boxwell and discussion was held. After all were in agreement Mayor Benton declared the public hearing closed at 8:21

Mayor Benton opened the public hearing at 8:22 p.m. Mr. Patrick discussed various items in the budgets. There was no public comment. Mayor Benton declared the public hearing closed at 8:35 p.m.

Consideration of Ordinance #738, an ordinance amending and approving the budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2002 through September 30, 2003 for the City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas

Motion was made by Elliott to adopt Ordinance #738. Second by Reed. Motion unanimously carried.

Consideration of Ordinance #739, an ordinance approving and adopting the budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2003 through September 30, 2004, for the City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas.

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Motion was made by Reed to adopt Ordinance #739. Second by Elliott. Motion unanimously carried.

Consideration of Ordinance #740, an ordinance levying ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the City of Spearman, Texas, for the year 2003, fixing the due date and time of payment thereof; providing for discount for prompt payment; and providing for the collection of taxes.

Motion was made Elliott to adopt Ordinance #740 which sets the tax rate at \$0.4865 per \$100 valuation of property. This is a slight increase from last year's \$0.4762 tax rate. Second by Reed. Motion unanimously carried.

Consideration of Ordinance #741, an ordinance approving the 2002 tax roll the City of Spearman, Texas.

Motion was made by Antalek to adopt Ordinance #741. Second by Elliott. Motion unanimously carried.

Public Hearing concerning the amendment to specific zoned districts and amending the zoning ordinance.

A. consideration of ordinance #742, an ordinance amending Chapter 14, Planning and Zoning, Spearman Municipal Code; amending the zoning code by certain district boundaries on the zoning map of the City of Spearman, Texas; and providing for an effective date.

Mayor Benton declared the public hearing open at 8:40 p.m. Discussion was held concerning the request for a zoning change.

The public hearing closed at 8:55 p.m. Motion was made by Reed to adopt Ordinance #742 which changes Lots 8-13, Block A, OL 3, City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas from Light Industrial District to Residential Mobile Home District. Second by Elliott. Motion carried with Gillispie voting no.

Consideration of Ordinance #743, an ordinance declaring the necessity for and ordering the removal, reconstruction and improvement of certain sidewalks or portions thereof in the City of Spearman, approving plans and specifications for such work, authorizing the City Manager to advertise for bids, directing the preparation of estimates, invoking the procedure provided Transportation Code Subchapter C, Chapter 313; determining that a part of the costs shall be borne by the City and that a part shall be borne by the abutting properties and the owners thereof; providing for the assessment of the portion of the costs to be borne by property owners; and for the fixing of a lien to secure payment of such assessments; stating the time and manner proposed for payment of all such costs; directing the City Secretary to cause a notice of the enactment of this ordinance to be filed in the Mortgage of Deed of Trust Records of Hansford County, Texas, and declaring the meeting at which this ordinance was adopted was open to the public.

Motion was made by Elliott to adopt Ordinance #743. Second by Gillispie. Motion unanimously carried.

Consideration of awarding contracts for the following:

A. One-year purchase contract for bulk fuels. B. Roof on the Municipal

Activity Center. Motion was made by Gillispie

for the following:

A. Award a contract to the only bidder, Golden Spread Sales Co., for bulk fuels for 10/01/03 through 09/30/04 for the same price as last year, \$0.980 differential + the average Petroleum U.S. Rack prices for Amarillo for each month.

B. Award a contract to the low bidder, Parsley's Sheet Metal and Roofing Co., Pampa, Tx, in the amount of \$38,161 to put a new roof on the activity center. Second by Antalek. Motion unanimously carried. No action was taken.

Motion was made by Reed to adjourn and second by Elliott. Mayor Benton declared the meeting adjourned at 9:17 p.m.





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The past week at the Manor has been very good. We have done a variety of things. Last Friday night the Texhoma Mennonite Youth Choir came over to sing for the residents. They sing acapella and they are very good. They have been coming over three or four times a year to sing for us. About twenty of them come together and they have been coming enough that the residents know them and look forward to seeing them again.

Monday morning was spent making home made ice cream. The activity room was full with people whipping and stirring and cracking and pouring and then the whirrrrrrrr of the ice cream makers. We had Resident Council after lunch and guess what ---we ate the ice cream. The residents made enough for everyone at the Manor and and the hospital, staff and all. Monday night was spent play-ing bingo with the Lion's Club. They had an almost record number of Lions there and it was especially fun to watch the interaction between them and the residents.

We had exercise on Monday morning and Musercise on Tuesday morning of course. The place got to rocking on Tuesday morning. After lunch a large group of residents went with us to Tifanee and Will Crane's beautiful new home. Tifanee visits the Manor quite often and visits and plays dominoes with residents. A while back she told me that she really wanted the residents to come visit her in her home. We made a plan and it was a wonderful trip. She helped us unload the residents and take them into the house refreshments were served, visiting was done and then we played a new game.

The new game is called crazy bunko. A pile of different prizes were put in the middle of the table then everyone rolled dice. If you roll a double you win a prize. Sounds simple, huh---oh yes, there is one catch. If you roll a double you can pick your prize from the stack in the middle of the table or if someone else has already won the prize that you really wanted, you can take it away from them. It was so much fun!! Charley Laxton was the first winner. He picked a large teddy bear. By the time that the time was up and the game was over that teddy bear had changed hands four times!

Everyone had a great time and Tifanee was a wonderful hostess. Before we left the resident names were drawn for a door prize. Pauline Winger won door prize. Thank you

Q. What is this election about?

school district.

anything.

tion will decide how that is to take place.

Why are we having to send money away?

WADA of 740 triggered our Chapter 41 status.

Q. How much will we have to send away?

Tifanee for such a nice after-

Wednesday morning we had an entertainer from Las Cruces, New Mexico. I don't think that it was his first time to entertain! He plays the keyboard, sings, tells stories and jokes. His name is Max Dunn and he said that he is 75 years young. He does a professional job of entertaining and we had the house packed full. The residents were laughing and clapping along with him the whole time that he was

Thursday afternoon we played bingo. The ever faithful axillary was on hand to help with bingo and served ice

Friday morning brought a special treat too. Mrs. Womble and Coach Todd Baird brought over the fourth grade choir. They sang for the residents and then passed out many hand shakes, visits, smiles, and many, many hugs.

Friday afternoon was the monthly birthday party. The ladie's axillary bring home made pies and help serve the residents. They are expert pie makers!! I had to get second helpings for several residents.

Janie Kunselman and Richard Kirk provided the music for the party. There was a little dancing, singing and lots of clap-

Prairie Gardens furnishes corsages for the residents with birthdays each month. This month they were beautiful bright yellow carnations on a hot pink background. Thank you to Prairie Gardens.

Saturday afternoon Si Li Tang (known to us as Jo Ann Tang) and Adriana Pinon came to the Manor for the afternoon. They popped pop corn for the residents and put on a movie. Thank you girls!! (I happened to go to 8th grade graduation last year and JoAnn was valedictorian of her class). Sunday afternoon the Gruver Methodist Youth Group came to the Manor and played bingo with the residents. Many residents were happily telling me of the special opportunity of playing bingo an extra time last week. Thank you to Jody Irwin and the Methodist Youth Group!! Everyone's caring makes the Manor special for the whole community!!!

I finished off a perfect week by winning a domino game with one of the toughs. I get to keep the domino trophy now until I get beat. While we were playing, a lady came in to watch the game. She told me that she was a mixed up girl. I said you are? She said yes, my nose runs and my feet smell, I'm just a mixed

The Gruver Grapevine by Harletta Carthel

Homecoming Draws Crowd Near perfect weather greeted the large homecoming crowd filled Greyhound Stadium Friday night as the classes of 1943, 1953, 1963, 1973, 1983, 1993, and 2003 returned to their alma mater.

Bonnie Schaeff McFadden of the Class of 1953 was crowned alumni queen. Her escort was Bob Fryatt.

2003 Homecoming queen was Cynthia Briones, the daughter of Tony and Araceli

Accident Reported

Officer Dee Mayfield of the Police Department reported one accident early Saturday morning and a lock out of a vehicle at the alumni dance as the only incidents of the homecoming weekend.

The two vehicle accident which occurred at 2:50 a.m. Saturday, at the intersection of Broadway and Cluck, resulted in extensive damage to a 2001 Chevrolet Extended Cab Pickup and \$5,000-\$10,000 damage to a 2001 Pontiac twodoor vehicle.

Wade Stewart, driver of the pickup, and his two passengers, and Lisa Johnson, driver of the car and her two passengers were not injured in the accident.

Exes Return to Alma Mater A large group of former Gruver High School students registered at the Mexican Pile

On Dinner sponsored by the

Gruver Alumni Association. Those who registered included guests from Kilgore, Arlington, Amarillo, Spearman and Gruver. (We were going to list the names of those attending, but some signatures were difficult to read.)

New Policeman Hired Terry Webster of Amarillo and a Stinnett native, has been hired as an officer with the Gruver police Department.

Officer Webster is a new graduate of the Amarillo Police Academy and will be arriving in Gruver in two to two and one half weeks.

School Slates Holiday Gruver Schools will dismiss

at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, October 2. There will be no

school Friday, October 3.
Classes will resume at the usual time Monday, October 5.

Volunteer Needed

The junior high campus improvement team is needing a Requirements include living in the Gruver School District being a member

2. Detach property

in property value.

Gruver Independent School District

Chapter 41 - Wealth Equalization Election Information

of the business community, and having no children currently in Gruver school.

Interested individuals may contact Matt Branstine at Gruver Junior High, 733-2081...

Community Care Concerns Mary Gruver has been hospitalized with a bacterial infection of the blood.

Boots Williams broke his ankle in two places last week. He is anticipating surgery in Amarillo to repair his injuries.

Coach Steve Myatt was released by his pulmonary doctor last week

He as able to view the first half the Gruver of Homecoming game from his car on Friday and is gaining strength daily.

Stephen Salazar will visit his doctor this week and may possibly be released to return to play with the Gruver Junior Varsity after suffering two broken wrists.

Val Winger continues in his recuperation following his recent foot surgeries.

Schneiders Featured in **Globe-News**

What are the odds of two members of one family being featured in separate items in the Amarillo Globe-News?

Rhonda Schneider was pictured on the front page of the Globe News and on the second page as the volunteer of the day for her work in dispensing gro-ceries at the Cornerstone Outreach.

A "portion" of her son Cory was featured on the front page of the Get Out section of the newspaper. A small picture of Cory was also on page two of the section explaining that he was the model whose lower face, shoulder, and hand were pictured by the headline 'Coming Clean."

Former Resident Update Former Gruver Methodist minister Lewis Holland and his wife Rita now reside in Abilene where he is the district superintendent of 51 Methodist

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Among The Neighbors

News comes to me that slowly Dorcas Collard is improving from a stroke.

To send cards or letters her address is: Dorcas Collard, c/o Stratford Village----2129 Rockwell Drive, Room 258----Midland, MI 48648. Her close associate, Shannon Black keeps us informed.

Don & Gloria Knox and R.G. and Alva Henderson are proud to announce the birth of their great grandson, Sager Al Rimaly, arriving September 9 at North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo at 8-pounds, 11 ounces. Grandparents are David & Tetta Knox.

Sagar will join his sister, Sarah, and parents, Cindy and Sammy Al Rimaly to their home in Saudi Arabia in October.

Mark and Anne Marie Pearson are the parents of a new little girl, Georgia Grace, born on Thursday, September 18th at BSA in Amarillo. She is welcomed by big brother Charles.

Mom, Dad and baby are doing

good. Grandparents are Dan and

Charlotte Pearson and Britt and Linda Jarvis. Great grandparents are Nolan and Helen Holt.

Britt Jarvis underwent hip replacement on Monday and is reported to be doing well.

Sympathy is extended to R. L. McFarlin and family in the passing of his brother in Dumas.

It was a pleasant surprise for this writer to have an old friend, Weatherford Hartley to visit. We shared many difficulties with the early feedlot reports.

Her daughter, Deborah Wood is a RN and lives in Spearman. She and husband, David are parents of 5-year-old Jarek and 3-year-old John.

To report local news, please call 659-3468.



Lori Watson took seventh place in trampoline and 10th place in floor gymnastics at the National Trampoline and Tumbling Contest held in Sacramento, California July 26-28.

Lori is the daughter of Sam and Jill Watson and the grand-

daughter of Lynn and Jan Stedje, all of Gruver. She is a student of Kelly's Gymnastics of Stratford.



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We have closed enrollment effective with this notice.

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

A. No. Your taxes can not exceed a rate of \$1.50 per \$100

will make the final decision. His choices are to force Gruver

1. Consolidate Gruver ISD with another school district.

4. Contract to educate non-resident students from a partner

5. Consolidate tax bases with another school district.

3. Purchase attendance credits from the state.

Q. Will this cause my taxes to go up?

2003-2004 2002-2003 \$231 Mil Property Value \$189 Mil Revenue \$3.8 Mil \$3.1 Mil \$3.8 Mil *\$3.5 Mil Budget 385 403 Enrollment 750 765 Est. WADA \$308,000 \$302,000 Est. Average Value *(\$ 400,000 budgeted out of fund balance)

TERMS

Chapter 41 - a "wealthy" school district Chapter 42 - a "non-wealthy" school district Recapture - the payment out of the district

ADA - average daily attendance WADA - weighted average daily attendance (Some classes count more for attendance than others)

Consolidate - two or more school districts become one

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A. On the ballot you will have the following statements: FOR or AGAINST

Q. What are we supposed to vote for?

Authorizing the board of trustees of the Gruver School district to educate students of other school districts and/or to purchase attendance from the state with local tax revenues.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

A. When a school district reaches a point when their value

per student is too high, the state requires the school district

to have a Chapter 41 Wealth Equalization election. We will

be required to send part of our local funding away. The elec-

Q. Is this part of the school funding plan called "Robin

A. Yes, we have been given the title of a Chapter 41 Wealthy

Q. I thought the district had a lot less money this year.

A. The recapture is calculated on prior year's property value

with current year's "Weighted Average Daily Attendance" or

WADA, Our 2002-2003 values with a projected 2003-2004

A. How much we have to send away depends on what our

WADA is for the end of the 2003-2004 school year. The state

is predicting our WADA to be about 740. If that is true, we

will have to send away about \$90,000 at the end of the year.

Our enrollment is up at this time, and our WADA could be as

high as 770. If that is the case, we may not have to send

Q. If I vote "FOR" what will that mean?

A. Voting "FOR" will mean you want local control of where your money goes - to the state or another district.

Q. What if the "AGAINST" motion carries? The Commissioner of Education for the State of Texas

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SCHOOL NEWS

Gus Birdwell Elementary News

Entries are being sought for the 5K Fun Run Walk which will be held October 4 as a fund raiser for the Gus Birdwell Elementary PTO. Contact KC Garnett or Cindy Blackman for more information

Several classes of Gus Birdwell will make a field tip to the fire station on Friday, October 10, during Fire Prevention Week

There will be no school on Monday, October 13.

TAKS Tuesday will begin Tuesday, October 14. The sessions will be after school programs to prepare students for the TAKS in the spring.

Spearman Jr. High School News

Sixth and seventh grade students were treated to a demonstration of scientific experiments courtesy of "Wings Across

Sponsored by Texas A&M University, "Wings Over Texas" is scientific presentation brought by plane to schools all over

Thursday, October 2, the junior high Lynx travel to Canadian for games beginning at 5:00 p.m.

The Junior High Cross Country team will compete at Canadian on Saturday, October 4.

There will be no school in Spearman on Monday, October 13

************** Spearman High School School News

The junior varsity Lynx will travel to Canadian on Thursday, October 2, for an 8 p.m. game.

FCCLA will host a Potato Supper October 3, in the high school cafeteria, from 5:30 - 7 p.m.

The Lynx will host Canadian in a district game beginning at :30 on Friday, October 3.

The SHS Cross Country team will compete at Canadian on Saturday, October 4

The Varsity Lynx will travel to Panhandle on Friday September 26, to play the Panhandle Panthers with a 7:30 p.m.

The SHS Band will sell Varsity Gold Discount Cards through September 26. Cards cost \$10 each. For more information contact Mrs. Holland at Spearman High School or Cathy Smith at 659-3434.

The Spearman Lynx Band will be hosting their annual Mexican Dinner on Friday, October 3, from 5-7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Tickets are \$5 each for adults, \$3.50 for children 10 and under, and children under 3 eat free.

The FCCLA will be hosting their annual potato supper Friday, October 3, at 6:00 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

There will be a school holiday Monday, October 13.

Gruver Elementary

In addition to collecting Campbell's Soup Labels and General Mills Boxtops for Education, Gruver Elementary is also collecting Lowe's grocery receipts.

Drop off bins are just inside the elementary front doors to the left and right of the office.

A school holiday is slated for Monday, October 13.

Gruver Jr. High School News

Reports cards will be issued Thursday, October 2.

Gruver Junior High will travel to Sunray on Thursday, October 2 for a 5 p.m. game. (Schedules distributed earlier slate a home game on that date, but the game will be in Sunray.)

A school holiday is slated for Monday, October 13.

Fifth graders toured the Gruver Recycling Center last week.

Gruver High School News

Winners in the Homecoming dress up days were: Pajama Day Travis McDowell, Timber Barkley, Jessica Montgomery, Jose Rodriquez; Toga Day - Kellyn King, Ofelia Rodriquez, Brock Irwin, Patricia Gaspar, Cassie Myatt, Mrs. Curry; Harley Davidson Day - Drew Grotegut, Tucker Williams, Laina Grotegut, Chelsea Reid, Diana Lopez; College T-shirt Day - Edna Pastrana, Samantha Myatt, Ben Williams, Lourdes Vega, Mrs. Gillispie; Spirit Day - Brian Johnson, David Parker, Brittanie Osbourne, Sheldon Atwood.

Gruver Junior Varsity posted a 36-0 win over White Deer on September 25.

Scoring touchdowns for Gruver were Ivan Briones, Matt Messer, Sheldon Atwood, and Crispin Borunda (2). Two-point conversions were tallied by Samuel Pena, Ivan Briones, and Matt Messer.

The GHS Cross Country team will be competing at Sunray this week after being off last week.

The GHS Hound football team has an open date this week before the district opener at Stratford on October 10.

A school holiday is slated for Monday, October 13.

Two attractive wood and iron benches and two potted spiral Junipers have been placed near the entrance of the high school building by the GHS Student Council. Shell Haynes is the student council advisor.

******************************* **Pringle-Morse School News**

An early dismissal at noon on Friday, October 10 will precede October 13 school holiday. School resume at the usual time Tuesday, October 14.

Lynxettes, JV Attend Lubbock Cross Country Meet

The Spearman Varsity Lynxettes, JV Lynxettes and JV Lynx attended the Lubbock Invitational Cross Country meet on Saturday, September 27th.

Saturday, September 27th.

The Varsity Lynxettes placed 4th out of 37 teams with 195 points, with a total of 293 runners. Other teams placing in the top five were: 1st - Holliday, 46 points; 2nd - Sundown, 104 points; 3rd - Wall, 147 points; and 5th - Shallowater, 222 points. Individual Lynxette placings and times were: 8 - Melissa Lesly, 12.55; 26 - Tabatha Shields, 13.26; 52 - Lindsey Short, 13.49; 63 - Macy Harbour, 14.01; 72 - Ashlee Flowers, 14.05; 74 - Sonny Parker, 14.06; and 112 - Rossilyn Bulls, 14.34

The V Lynxettes competed with 250 runners in the A-AAAAA

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division. Individual placings and times were: 10 - Tonya Hart, 13.53; 29 - Claudia Vaquera, 14.20; 32 - Aleisha Sweat, 14.23; 85 - Adriana Mendoza, 15.14; 92 - Jordan Short, 15.17; and 189 - Jenna McElroy, 16.45

The JV Lynx competed against 222 runners in A-AAAA. Individual placings and times were: 138 - Javier Frayre, 21.39; 176 - Jordan Sweat, 22.51; and 177 - Oswaldo Lomeli, 22.53

These Cross Country teams will participate in the Canadian Meet at the Hemphill County Rec. Complex on Saturday, October 4th. Junior High Girls will begin at 9 a.m., JV Girls at 9:30, JV Boys at 10 and Varsity Girls at 10:30

Mustangs Crash Hound Homecoming

Tot. Yds.

Punts/Avg. Penalties/Yards

by Harletta Carthel

Gruver drew first blood, but Claude had the last hurrah as the Mustangs cruised to a 20-6 win to crash the Hounds' homecom-

The big play for Gruver came early with Brock Irwin scoring on a 63 yard interception return at 8:56 in the first quarter. Gruver led the game for one minute before the Mustang's Jared

Heck hit Geoffrey Lemons with an 86 yard pass play that tied the While Gruver was able to contain the Mustangs to a 13-6 lead at halftime, the Hounds were never able to generate offensively to

overcome the deficit in the second half. Claude added seven to their score in the third quarter and were knocking at the door as the game ended.

Gruver's score was picture perfect as Ryan Winger's pass pressure resulted in the interception and 86 yard scamper by Irwin. After two bobbles by the Mustangs on their own 12 yard on their following possession, Claude tied the game with a 38 yard pass to Geoffrey Lemons who picked his way fifty yards to pay

dirt to knot the game early in the first quarter. Late in the quarter, an encore pass rush by Ryan Winger resulted in the Hounds' second interception by Cody Mac Been in the end zone to kill a Mustang scoring threat.

The Hounds good fortune was short-lived as moments later, a high snap to the Gruver punter gave Claude a second scoring

chance on Gruver's nine yard line.

Holding the Mustangs for two downs, Claude prevailed on third down with a one-yard run by by Jed Hudson.

With a fumble recovery on the Hounds 43 yard line near halftime, Claude sought to built on good fortune but the Mustang momentum ended with a Nick Slough sack for loss on Gruver's

In the third quarter, the Mustangs established game command early with a 55 yard touchdown pass to Jubal Hudson on Claude's first possession.

With a defensive struggle ensuing for the remainder of the third and fourth quarters, Hutch Reid and Nick Slough had key tackles for the Hounds to keep the Mustangs at bay.

Late in the game, Claude sustained a drive inside the Hound twenty yard line before the effort fell victim to the clock.

The Hounds will have an open date Friday before traveling to Stratford for the district opener Friday, October 10.

Game at a Glance Highland Park Gruver First downs 253 Yards Rushing 206 Yards Passing 459 Comp/Att/Int 2/8/0 5/11/2 Fumbles/Lost 2/0

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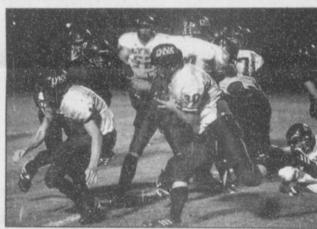
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
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COUNTY OF HANSFORD
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Court of HANSFORD County in
the following cases on the 3rd
day of September, 2003, and to
me, as Sheriff, directed and
delivered, I will proceed to sell

FOR SALE

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VS. All of Lots Numbered Fourteen All of Lots Numbered Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16), in Block Number Thirty Four (34) of the Original Townsite of Gruver, Hansford County, Texas.

ALL BIDDERS MUST REGISTER WITH THE TAX OFFICE(S) PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE.
Levied on the 3rd day of September, 2003 as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the

the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of HANSFORD COUNTY AND CITY OF GRUVER AND GRUVER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Given under my hand this 4th day of September, 2003.
R.L. McFarlin, Jr., Sheriff HANSFORD County, Texas By: Gary Evans, Deputy 3(9-18-03)B

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HANSFORD
By virtue of an Order of Sale
issued out of the Honorable
84th Judicial District Court of
HANSFORD County on the 9th
day of September, 2003 by the
Clerk thereof, in the case of
GRUVER INDEPENDENT
SCHOOL DISTRICT VS.
CHARLES THOMAS GRESS
Cause #739 and to me, as
SHERIFF directed and delivered,
I will proceed to sell, at Two (2)

SHERIFF directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at Two (2) o'clock p.m. on the 7th DAY of OCTOBER, 2003, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the courthouse of said HANSFORD County, in the City of SPEARMAN, Texas, the following described property to-wit:

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the following described property, to-wit:
Tract 1: .0013020 Royalty Interest in the Robinson #2, Lease Number 49593, RRC #49593, located in Lot 52, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 2: .0017360 Royalty Interest in the Steele J I -B-#1, 2U, & 3, Lease Number 1938, RRC #1938, located in Lot 73, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 3: .0006030 Royalty Interest in the Steele-Collard B 1-C, Lease Number 28240, RRC #28240, located in Lot 90, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 4: .0008680 Royalty Interest in the Flowers #1-57, Lease Number 134464, RRC #134464, located in Lot 57, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 5: .0008680 Royalty Interest in the Palo Duro No. 1-74, Lease Number 61021, RRC #61021, located in Lot 74, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
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County, Texas
Tract 7: .0006510 Royalty
Interest in the Collard No. 120L, Lease Number 76092, RRC
#76092, located in Lot 89, Block
45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 8: .0

Tract 8: .0013020 Royalty Interest in the Collard No. 7076-L, Lease Number 71378, RRC #71378, located in Lot 28, Block 2, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas

Tract 9: .0006030 Royalty Interest in the Tract 9: .0006030 Royalty Interest in the Steele-Collard F 2, Lease Number 79398, RRC #79398, located in Lot 1, Block 4T, T&NO Survey, Hansford County, Texas

County, Texas Tract 10: .0017360 Royalty Interest in the Steele -57- No 1, Lease Number 22136, RRC #22136, located in Lot 53, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford

County, Texas
Tract 11: .0017360 Royalty
Interest in the Steele -57- No 1A, Lease Number 37698, RRC
#37698, located in Lot 57, Block
45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 12: .0017360 Royalty
Interest in the Steele J I -E- #3,
Lease Number 12672, RRC
#12672, located in Lot 65, Block
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Tract 13: .0017360 Royalty
Interest in the Steele J I -E-#1,
Lease Number 28314, RRC
#28314, located in Lot 65, Block
45, H&TC Survey, Hansford

County, Texas
Tract 15: 0017360 Royalty
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45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 24: 0008680 Royalty Interest in the Lee No. 2, Lease Number 121241, RRC #121241, located in Lot 66, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 25: .0013020 Royalty Interest in the Flowers -A- No 1, Lease Number 111006, RRC #111006, located in Lot 54, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas

Hansford County, Texas
Tract 26: .0006030 Royalty
Interest in the Steele-Collard -A1, Lease Number 22701, RRC
#22701, located in Lot 16, Block
2, WCRR Survey, Hansford
County Texas County, Texas
Tract 27: .0008680 Royalty
Interest in the Steele J J No. 253, Lease Number 73128, RRC
#73128, located in Lot 53, Block
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County Texas

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Tract 28: .0017360 Royalty Interest in the Steele J I -A- #1, Lease Number 22760, RRC 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas
Tract 29: .0017360 Royalty Interest in the Steele J I -D- #2, Lease Number 28313, RRC #28313, located in Lot 64, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas

County, Texas
Tract 30: .0013020 Royalty
Interest in the Blodgett C R #2,
Lease Number 64323, RRC
#64323, located in Lot 40, Block
45, H&TC Survey, Hansford
County Texas County, Texas
Tract 32: .0017360 Royalty
Interest in the Steele No. 1,

Lease Number 27755, RRC #27755, located in Lot 68, Block 2, GH&H Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 33: .0006030 Royalty Interest in the Collard Steele -F-#4, Lease Number 178358, RRC #178358, located in Lot 1, Block 4T, T&NO Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 34: .0006030 Royalty Interest in the Collard Steele -F-#3, Lease Number 176899, RRC #176899, located in Lot 1, Block 4T, T&NO Survey, Hansford County, Texas Tract 35: .0017360 Royalty Interest in the Steele J I Etux #1, Lease Number 22145, RRC #22145, located in Lot 78, Block 45, H&TC Survey, Hansford County, Texas Levied on the 10th day of

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September, 2003 as the property of Charles Thomas Gress to ty of CHARLES THOMAS GRESS to settle a judgment amounting to \$2,309.16, representing delinquent taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney's fees through the date of judgment, plus all costs of court, costs of sale, and post judgment penalties and interest recoverable by law in favor of GRUVER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT. SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT

GRUVER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL
DISTRICT, SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT
SCHOOL DISTRICT AND/OR
HANSFORD COUNTY.
Given under my hand this the
10th day of September, 2003
R.L. McFarlin, Jr., Sheriff
HANSFORD County, Texas
By: Gary Evans, Deputy
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Hansford County Hospital District is accepting bids for a CT Scanner to be placed on the hospital premises and to be used by patients of the Hospital District. For product specification information and/or additional questions, contact Steve Hartgraves, CEO, 806-659-5858.

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proposal for Hansford County Hospital District. Sealed bids Hospital District. Sealed bids will be opened and read to the public at four o'clock p.m. on October 9, 2003, in the Board Room of Hansford County Hospital District located at 707 S. Roland, Spearman TX 79081

2(9-25-03)B

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Gruver Independent School District will receive bids until 4 p.m. on October 13, 2003 for a 71-passenger school bus. Bids will be reviewed at the reg-

ular October 2003 School Board ular October 2003 School Board of Trustee meeting. Please submit bids to: Gruver ISD, Att. Randy Reid, PO Box 650, Gruver, TX 79040. The District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

2(10-2-03)B

TRANSPORTATION MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN II
JOB REQUISITION
NUMBER 004618
The Texas Department of
Transportation will be accepting
applications for one full-time
position at the Hansford County
Maintenance Office located at
114 W. State Hwy. 15, Gruver,
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Texas.
The applicant must have oneyear of experience in maintenance, construction or an equipment operation-related field.
(Experience requirements may
be satisfied by full-time experience or the prorated part-time
equivalent.)
The starting salary will be

equivalent.)
The starting salary will be \$9.35-\$12.34 per hour. A completed application is required and applications will be accepted until 5 p.m., Wednesday, October 8, 2003. For further application information, including a complete job vacancy notice, contact the nearest Texas Department of Texas Department of Transportation. Information may Transportation. Information may also be accessed via the Internet at www.dot.state.tx.us. Mailed applications should be postmarked by the day the job vacancy closes and sent to: 5715 Canyon Drive; Amarillo, TX 79110; Attn: Human Resources. If more information is needed or if an applicant needs an accommodation in order to apply for this job, conorder to apply for this job, contact Janice Stafford at (806) 356-3233.

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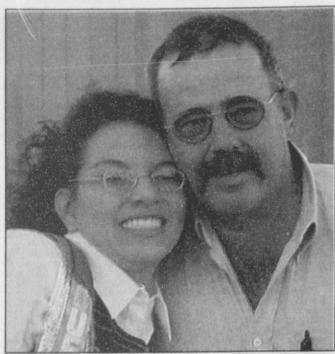
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The Long Way Back

Spearman Teen Struggles To Overcome Tragedy



Holly Tecero and Daniel Boyd embrace at the Spearman High School 2003 Homecoming game. This was the first time they had met since Daniel found Holly following her car accident in November of last year.

by Catherine Smith

August 19, 2002 was a typical first day of school for Holly Tecero as she began her junior year at Spearman High School. Holly started the school year the same as she had for the previous twelve years, talking to her friends about another year of school.

A lot can change in a year.

In the early morning hours of November 23, 2002, Holly was involved in a serious single-car accident near old Hansford. She rolled her car and was thrown

Daniel Boyd, who lives between Spearman and Gruver, was driving from his home into town that Saturday morning when he noticed skid marks on the road and decided to check them out. He turned around and followed them. When he found Holly, he called 911. He said he didn't know if she was still alive or not

H&S EMS was dispatched to the scene of the accident. Holly had sustained severe head and brain injuries as well as a broken femur and a displaced knee. She went into cardiac arrest in Spearman and again in herself starve," said Lydia.

Holly was in an unresponsive no!' swelling of her brain. She also had a tracheotomy and was on a all her energy for healing.

"The doctors had to drill a hole in her skull to measure her intracranial pressure (ICP)," Lydia Rodriquez, Holly's mothher brain.

"For the first few weeks the doctors didn't know if she would make it or not. And if she did, they didn't know what kind House at Baylor from December

of permanent damage she would

After Holly's brain stopped swelling, and she started responding, Dr. Banister suggested she be moved to Our Children's House at Baylor in Dallas. Although she was still considered to be in a coma, she was placed in an aggressive rehabilitation program.

"Everyone was pulling for her - friends, classmates, teachers, even people we didn't know" Lydia commented. "The waiting room in Amarillo stayed full. I can't thank everyone enough for their support. Several of her friends even went to Dallas to see her.'

"When we were in Dallas, they put a feeding tube in her," Lydia said. "I asked them if she could pull it out, and they said 'No. It has a bubble on the end of it and can't come out.' Well, Holly pulled it out three times."

"I could hear the nurses and doctors talking, but I couldn't answer them," Holly said. "I was thinking 'I don't want help! I will be able to do it myself."

After the third time they decided to leave it out. "I told twice and was resuscitated, once them that Holly would never let

Holly interrupted, "Heck,

'She loves to eat," her moth-

"The hospital staff in Dallas respirator to help her body use warned us about the stages of recovery that Holly would go through," Lydia said. "At times she would be very combative and aggressive."

Holly's father, Chico Tecero, er, said. "They then had to drill was the only person she trusted a second hole to drain fluid from to carry her while she was in the hospital. "My dad worked with me and fed me while I was in Dallas," Holly commented.

Holly was in Our Children's

"When I was in a coma I could hear everyone saying 'I love you' and I wanted to say 'I love you, too," said Holly.

17, 2002 to March 26, 2003. "My doctor's were very, very awesome," said Holly. After just over three months she was released to go home.

"When we came home on March 26th, several of Holly's friends were waiting outside of town for us with welcome home signs," d Lydia said. "Her friends have been so supportive. I think that speaks well of their parents and their upbringing. They check to see what she needs and what they can do for her. They really take good care of her."

"I really want to thank my friends who kept encouraging me," Holly said. "I also want to thank everyone for the gifts, cards and the many words of encouragement and wisdom."

Holly was home-bound for most of last year, and the Spearman school district provided her with a home-bound teacher. This year she is again attending high school, but takes most of her classes in special education due to her health impairment. "I didn't want to be in special ed," Holly said. "But now I'm glad that I am. Everyone is so nice to me."

"These are normal kids, each with some type of learning disability," Sheila Deal, Holly's special education teacher, said.

Holly sheepishly admits that she is now spoiled too much.

"Holly told me, 'Mrs. Deal, don't let me get away with everything. Sometimes you have to say, 'No." Mrs. Deal

Although Holly is doing much better, she is now suffering from dystonia, a neurological movement disorder that produces shaking and repetitive

"The doctor's said it was a part of the healing process of her brain," Lydia said. "It will go away with time, but is very frustrating to deal with. Holly can't feed herself, and she has to drink out of a sippee cup."

"Sometimes I think my life really stinks," Holly said. "But then I say, 'compared to what? Jesus was nailed to a cross with a wreath of thorns on his head. This is nothing compared to that."

When asked about her plans for the future Holly simply says, 'To get better.'

Holly still proudly wears her Cross Country letter jacket, though she is unable to compete this year. She is a member of the Pep Club, the National Honor Society, serving as the FCCLA secretary and plans to compete in golf again this year.

Holly was selected as a 2003 Homecoming Queen Candidate. Just before being introduced at the game on Friday, September 12th, Holly met Daniel Boyd, the man who found her after her accident, for the first time.

"My dad calls him my God Angel," Holly said.

"Her dad can't speak English very well and couldn't say guardian angel. It came out God angel," Lydia explained.

Holly probably would not be alive today if Daniel hadn't decided to take the time to check out the tire tracks on the road. But Holly also has a drive

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inside her that has kept her

Jenny, a trauma nurse in Amarillo, told Holly's mother, Lydia Rodriquez, "I knew Holly would make it because she fought us when we were trying to put in her IV."

Due to Holly's brain trauma injuries, it would have been very easy for her to give up, but she wanted to go back to school and graduate with her class. She chose not to give up on her dreams or her plans for the future. Holly is definitely a

On the first day of school this year (August 18th), Holly jumped up and down in front of one of the newly installed video monitors and yelled, "I'm here, Mr. Belger. Holly's here!"

"I think Holly is a real inspiration," Spearman I.S.D. Superintendent Rodney Sumner said. "It would have been very easy for her to not go back to school. No one would have said anything about it."

"I'm very proud of Holly for

working hard and setting her goals so high," Krista Baird, Spearman High School Counselor, said. "The positive attitude she brings to school each day is keeping her on the

road to recovery."

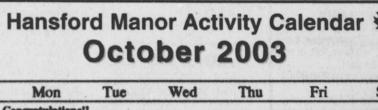
"Holly was a remarkable girl before the accident," Bill Belger, Spearman High School Principal, said. "What she has accomplished so far (since her accident) makes her even more remarkable. She is a great kid with a wonderful personality and none of that has changed. She is a real joy to have

Following graduation, Holly wants to attend Arizona State University. "I'm not sure what I want to be yet. I haven't decided between a physical therapist, special education teacher or school counselor," Holly said. "I know I can help other kids. I know how much it stinks being helpless, but I can help myself more and more all the time."

It is the role of the school district to teach students. Sometimes, however, the students become the teachers.

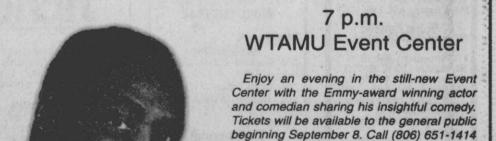


Holly Tecero poses with her father, Chico Tecero, during the 2003 Spearman High School Homecoming game on Friday, September 12th. Holly was selected as a homecoming queen



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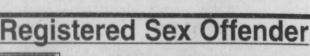
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Holly Tecero (middle) poses with her mother, Lydia

Rodriguez, and Sheila Deal, her special education teacher.



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