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# Hansford Happenings

Defensive Driving
Independent Driving School is offering a Defensive Driving Course the third Wednesday and Thursday of every month. Call the Spearman Chamber of Commerce for information

Hansford County Library Cookbooks

The Hansford County Library cookbooks have been published. The title is "Library Vittles". The cost is \$10.00, they will be on sale at the Library, the Chamber of Commerce, Five Star Equipment, Sandy's Beauty Salon, and at home football games.

**Holt Community Afghans** 

Holt Community Afghans are sold out, but anyone wishing to place an order for one may contact any Holt Club member and get their name on a list. When 50 or more orders are received, another order will be

Pot-Luck Supper To Welcome Father Raef On October 6th there will be a Pot-Luck Supper to welcome Father Scott Raef to the community. It will be at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall

**Tobacco Products Not Allowed On School Grounds** Both federal and state laws govern the use of tobacco products on school grounds. Students may neither use nor possess tobacco products on school property or at school sponsored events. Parents and other adults are also prohibited from using tobacco products on school grounds or at school sponsored events. Please cooperate with the Gruver I.S.D. School officials as they endeavor to enforce these

Greyhound Mothers Club Selling Snug Bugs, Parka Coats & Caps The Greyhound Mothers Club is selling items to raise money for athletic booster events and services. On sale will be red or black snug bugs. Snug bugs are a waist high sleeping bag that are used for those cold Friday night football games and at those cold spring track meets. The cost of the snug bugs is \$40.00 a piece. They will also be selling red and black parka coats, which will have Hounds embroidered across the back and the running hound with Gruver above it on the front left side. These will cost \$100.00. Gruver Greyhound caps will also be for sale. These are dressy looking caps and look great on anyone, they will sell for \$18.00. To order any of these items contact any Greyhound mother or call Kelly Armes - 733-5104, Joyce Simon -733-5435 or Barbara Stavalo 733-2600.

**FCA Sponsors PALS** 

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes proudly sponsors PALS (Players Always Learning Skills). This program is for both boys and girls, grades 1-6, and involves them learning a variety of basketball skills. They will perform these skills during half-time of home basketball games. PALS meets one time a week to practice and learn si cost to become a part of the PALS program is \$10 (ten dollars). This fee includes free entrance to the games at which the child will be performing and a t-shirt to be worn at performances. Each child is responsible for their own ball for each practice. Also, gym shoes are required. Street shoes are not allowed. PALS will meet on Monday afternoons. 1st and 2nd grades will meet from 3:15 to 4:00; 3rd and 4th grades will meet from 4:00 to 4:45; 5th and 6th grades will meet from 4:45 to 5:30. PALS began on September 30th and run through November 11th. Register by bringing the registration form to Coaches Shieldknight, Stopper, or Largent. No form will be accepted without the \$10 fee. For questions, please call Leann Gillaspie. 659-3889.

Girls Scouts Begin Nut Sale

Yucca Girl Scout Council begins the annual nut sale with girls taking orders. Girl Scouts will begin advance sale with taking orders October 1st through October 15th. The nut sale is the primary source of funds for troop activities. Delivery of nuts will be in November. There are seven varieties of nuts to select from: Cashews, Toffee Butter Peanuts, Peanut Crunch, Honey Peanuts, Sesame Nutz Mix and Peanut Mix.

**American Heart Association Meeting** 

The American Heart Association will hold their regular meeting at the Picnic Place at 6:30 p.m. October 7, 1996.

**Union Church Sunday School Class** 

If we could get along with everyone, our lives would be a lot easier. "How to get along with almost anyone", will be the subject matter Pastor Jerry Pollard at Union Church will be presenting in the "Nuts and Bolts" Sunday School class beginning Sunday, October 6, 9:30 a.m. Some of the topics will be: Learning to recognize personality differences; Learning to be flexible; Learning to listen; Learning to dea with negative people; Learning to get along with unwanted relatives. Pastor Pollard will endeavor to translate Biblical wisdom into practical ways of relating to those around us. "Wisdom from God's word is the basis for getting along with others", he explains. From God's word we learn how to be sensitive in dealing with others, that we might become a person of understanding.

Hansford County Farm Bureau's Annual Convention

Guest speaker for the Hansford County Farm Bureau's Annual Convention on October 12th will be Kathryn Keller. Kathryn is the Associate Legislative Director for the Texas Farm Bureau legislative office. Kathryn has worked as a legislative assistant in both the Texas Senate and Texas House of Representatives. Kathryn has been active in political campaigns and fund raising for both Republicans and Democrats. The Hansford County Farm Bureau's Annual Convention will be held at the Catholic Parish Hall in Spearman, October 12, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. All Farm Bureau members are invited to attend.

# In The Panhandle

American Red Cross Sponsors Community CPR Challenge The Ochiltree County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be conducting a Community CPR Challenge course Monday, October 14, 1996 at 7:00 to 9:00. To attend in this class, all participants are required to have a current Adult CPR card and an Infant and Child CPR card. Participants will be taking a CPR test and doing a skill test. For more information or to sign up please call the Red Cross Office at 435-8175 weekday mornings.

# Golden Spread Center Health Fair Nearing

Take charge of your health and attend the Golden Spread Center Health Fair. The fair will be held Thursday, October 10 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the O'Loughlin Center in Spearman. Sponsors for the fair are the Golden Spread Senior Citizen Center and the Hansford County Hospital

Medical screenings will include blood pressure, hearing, and the SMA-20 blood screen. Anyone wanting to have the SMA-20 blood screen should fast overnight. Flu shots and mammogram coupons will also be available. Persons who are Medicare eligible will not be charged for any of the services. Charges for those not on Medicare will include: \$20.00 for the SMA-20 blood screening, and \$10.00 for a

Coupons for mammograms will be distributed entitling participants to a \$48.00 mammogram, if appointment is made by October 31. This price is 50% discount off of the regular price charged for mammograms and does include the radiologist

Dr. Ahmed Igbal and staff from Family Medical Clinic of Hansford County, will be on hand to administer flu shots and help promote health and fitness in

Hansford County. Adults of all ages are urged to attend and take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about your state of health, prevention of diseases, and what resources are available to Hansford County

**CRP Symposium Set** 

Holders of Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) lands must soon decide what to do with their property once contracts expire. A symposium focused on CRP issues is set for October 7 at the Armstrong County Activity Center in Claude. Registration starts at 9:30 a.m.

Representative Mac Thornberry will be the keynote speaker, who will brief participants on the CRP program's status.

Armstrong County is one of only seven such sites in the nation to host the specialized conference on CRP land management and the future of the program. Coordinators are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, New Mexico State University, and the Cooperative Extension Services of the state universities in Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma. Cooperators are the Society of Range Management and USDA's Farm Service Agency and Natural Resource Conservation Service.

Registration is \$20 and includes

the noon meal.

The CRP symposium's purpose is to offer contract holders answers on what course to follow once the program is over. The major areas of interest for landholders will include policies, regulations, conservation compliance and post

contract options such as haying, grazing and cropping.

Specific topics featured during the morning session include, CRP Transition to Today, Fair 96 Policies and Regulations Impacting CRP, The Role of Conservation Compliance in CRP, and Thornberry's Washington

After lunch, the program will begin with research reports from Gary Donart and Rex Kirksey from New Mexico State University, Rob Mitchell, Texas Tech University; Jim Stiegler from Oklahoma State University and Arden Colette, West Texas A&M University.

A final session includes topics, Considering Your Future Uses for CRP: A Decision Making Process, will be conducted by Paul Ohlenbusch and Rodney Jones, Kansas State University. Closing comments and discussion end the day's events at 3 p.m.

Other CRP conferences are scheduled at Guymon, Oklahoma October 8, Portales, New Mexico - October 9; and Big Spring, Texas October 10.

For more information, contact Charles Hart, Extension Range Specialist at Fort Stockton (815) 336-8585 or Steve Young, Armstrong County Extension Agent at (806) 226-3021.

Organizations and businesses participating include: Panhandle Crisis Center, Harrington Cancer Center, Liles' Hearing Aid Service, Nikken, AARP, Widowed Persons Service, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas Panhandle Mental Health Authority, Ochiltree County Chapter American Red Cross,

American Heart Association, Hansford Home Health, Texas Department of Health, and Hansford Hospice.

Please contact, Cherri Sherrill, at Hansford County Hospital District, phone #659-2535 or 733-2954, extension 107, if you need more information.



The Gruver Greyhound defensive line sets up for a big play.

# **Greyhounds Gear Up For District**

It was an uphill battle, but the Gruver Greyhounds played with heart and determination as they faced the Stratford Elks last Friday night. The final score was

young team with 22 positions being replaced at the first of this season. According to Coach Doug Frick, we are "rebuilding the team." Nineteen players were suited to play Friday night, but four were injured in the first

In spite of the difficulties that they have faced, the Greyhounds are a determined bunch and they just keep on keeping on.

In the Stratford battle, turnovers were a big key with the Greyhounds having only 13 first downs compared to Stratford's 21.

Gruver was able to score in the third quarter on a pass from

quarterback, Jim Potts to split end Buster McLain. Brant Armes rushed 87 yards on 24 carries. Travis Bayless carried the ball 11 times for 54 yards. Victor Luciano had 24 yards from 10 carries. In all, the Greyhounds had 180 rushing yards and 73 passing

Said Coach Frick, "We are improving. Our kids are working hard. It is just a matter of putting the offense and defense together-playing both sides of the ball on Friday night." Coach Frick continued,"District play is wide open. It is like starting another season. It will be whoever plays best each Friday night, because all of our District teams seem to be comparable. I feel like we have as good a chance as anyone." Gruver plays Panhandle this

Friday night in Gruver.



This week during Homecoming, the 68 members of the Spearman High School Band will perform a special show prepared for Homecoming. The band is lead by Drum Major Cary Alvarado (pictured) and Band Director Randy Willis. The members of the Spearman High School Band would like to invite everyone to come to the football game on Friday night and support the Lynx! They would also like to take this opportunity to thank the School Board for their new uniforms!

# **HC Jackpot Steer & Lamb Show Held**

Results of the Hansford County Jackpot Steer & Lamb Show held on Saturday, September 28 in Gruver: Sheep: Amy Gift, Gruver 3rd place medium wool; Nickolas Slough, Gruver - 5th place medium wool; Kathy Slough, Gruver - 3rd & 6th place medium wool; Melody Shields, Spearman - 7th place medium wool; Kyna Shields, Spearman -7th place medium wool; Leah Mackie, Spearman - 3rd & 5th place medium wool; Ruth Shields, Spearman - 6th place medium wool.

The Grand Champion lamb was exhibited by Seth Gustin of Dalhart and the Reserve Champion was shown by Mika Karber of Vega.

Junior Showmanship was won

by Kent Williams of Liberal, Kansas and the Senior Showmanship was won by Truett Schlabbs of Hereford.

In the Steer division: Kacee Smith, Spearman placed 2nd in the Angus; Casey Smith, Gruver placed 2nd in the Shorthorn breed; Lance Williams, Gruver won 1st place and also reserve breed champion Maine. Lance also had a 3rd place heavyweight Maine steer.

The Grand and Reserve Grand Champions were shown by Zack Wall of Hereford. Junior Showmanship was won by Sheyla Davis of Dumas and the Senior Showmanship was won by Norma Rodriquez of Dumas.

A total of 37 steers and 128 lambs were exhibited.

# Laugh Live

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City Manager, Kelvin Knauf, gave me a list of English signs found in foreign countries. Kelvin assures me that these are actual, factual, real signs. I can not personally testify that this is true since the farthest I have ever been from the U.S. is Oklahoma City.

Knauf's Knutty Signs

In a Bucharest hotel lobby: The lift is being fixed for the next day. During that time we regret that you will be unbearable.

Outside a Hong Kong tailor shop: Ladies may have a fit upstairs.

In a Bangkok dry cleaner's: Drop your trousers here for best results.

In a Belgrade hotel elevator: To move the cabin, push button for wishing floor. If the cabin should enter more persons, each one should press a number of wishing floor. Driving is then going alphabetically by national order.

In a Paris hotel elevator: Please leave your values at the front desk.

In a hotel in Athens: Visitors are expected to complain at the office between the hours of 9 and 11 A.M. daily.

In a Yugoslavian hotel: The flattening of underwear with pleasure is the job of the chambermaid.

In a Japanese hotel: You are invited to take advantage of the chambermaid.

In the lobby of a Moscow hotel across from a Russian Orthodox monastery: You are welcome to visit the cemetery where famous Russian and Soviet composers, artists, and writers are buried daily except Thursday.

In an Austrian hotel catering to skiers: Not to perambulate the corridors in the hours of repose in the boots of ascension.

On the menu of a Swiss restaurant: Our wines

Until Next Time, May God Bless! GCS

You are invited to attend a

Wedding Shower Shea (Crawford) Coplen

on Saturday, October 12th from 2:00-3:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Phillip Renner 900 S. Barkley

# The Hansford County

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# Open Letter

Scruffy is dead. Maybe that doesn't seem too important to you...even f you were the one who struck the lovable yellow cat as you headed down 7th street to Roland last Monday afternoon. Oh, maybe you had a grocery list to fill or a homecoming event to attend. Who knows? But, whatever matter occupied your mind does not excuse negligence. And, it won't bring Scruffy back...ever.

Pets in any community are as valuable as its humans. They are, in fact, some of our "small children." And, though a youngster is often seen crossing a street, no one would strike it down leaving it to die, and just drive off. If you ever have the misfortune of unavoidably striking a pet, please take time to find out whose animal it was and offer your apology. And, if you've ever hit a pet on purpose, shame, shame on you.

Scruffy was a part of our family just as our kids and grandkids. We found him as an orphan baby, bottle fed him, and nursed him back to health. He never wandered the neighborhood. He comforted me when I needed it; he waited on the driveway every evening for us to come home. He played "catch the string" with my grandkids whenever they came to visit. Can you tell me what to reply to them when they ask, "Grandma, where did Scruffy go?"

If you have a pet, you understand what I mean. If you don't have a pet, or even if you don't like animals, you probably have a dad, mom, brother, sister, grandpa, or grandma. Imagine if you went outside one afternoon and found one of them dead on the sidewalk because a car had struck them and simply driven on. That's what you did to my

If you killed him, it is not too late to apologize. It won't bring him back, but at least maybe I won't feel like he died with such egregious insult and disregard. The address is 621 S. Roland St.

Sincerely, Cindy Trent

### Thank You

The Don Morley family would like to thank the Gruver, Spearman & Morse communities for all the prayer meetings & prayers for Don, all the love & concern, support, visitors at the hospital, phone calls, flowers, plants, balloon bouquets, fruit baskets & goodies, cards & more cards with wonderful words of encouragement, all the food, those who took care of our yard & many many plants. Thank You! Thank You! We are just overwhelmed with your love for us! We pray God pours his blessings on each & everyone of you!

God still does miracles in all things!

In Christ's Love, Don & Pat Morley; Kelon & Toni Morley; Vicki & John Banasik

# Thank You

We would like to thank each and every person who sponsored Stuart in the St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon, helping him win 1st prize. He is so proud of his new bike. Other thanks go out to Gary Ellsworth for helping Stuart, Julie Pittman for organizing & chairing the Bike-A-Thon, B&B Sales for the bike and all other money & prize contributions. Scot & Julie Martin & Stuart

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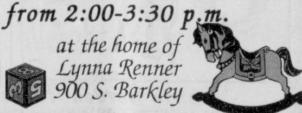
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### **Couples Currently Registered**

Greg & Shea (Crawford) Coplen - October 12th' Kory Brown & Michelle Burroughs - November 9th' Jennifer Covington & Alan White

\*Date of Bridal Shower



Spearman, Texas



# **Immunization** Clinic

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for October, protection is against polio, dipheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, and HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B).

The Texas Department of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability

They will be in Perryton at the Perryton Health Center, 201 S. Colgate on October 9 from 9-11:30 & 1:00-4:00 p.m. and on October 24 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

# Happy Bire

Kayla (Katie) Ca 15 on Monday, She will celet birthday with a Saturday, October from 4:00-6:00 p backyard, 821 S Everyone is invit us celebrate a gift another year of with us.



Todd and T wish to announce of their Morgan Ryan. She was September 10. Ft. Stockton, weighed 7 pot ounces, and wa inches long.

Morgan's gran are Tommy and Saltzman of Gr Sudy and Tom of Lubbock. grandparents & Knudson of S and Mary Ella Ragel of Hot Arkansas.



# At the Lyric Theatre

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### Hansford County Community Calent October 3-12

Thursday, October 3
Gladiola Flower Club meets at home of Myra Berner
5:00 p.m. - Spearman JH vs. Boys Ranch - Here
5:00 p.m. - Gruver JV vs. Highland Park - Here
7:00 p.m. - Gruver JH vs. Highland Park - Here
7:30 p.m. - Snake Dance - H.S. Field House (free burritos)
8:00 p.m. - Spearman JV vs. Boys Ranch - Here

Friday, October 4

2:45 p.m. - All School Pep Rally - Varsity Gym - Homecom Queen Crowned

5:30-8:00 p.m. - Spearman FFA Barbecue
8:00 p.m. - Spearman vs. Childress - Here
8:00 p.m. - Gruver vs. Panhandle - Here
10:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. - Homecoming Dance sponsored by Children after football game)

Sunday, October 6 5:30 p.m. - Pot-Luck Supper for Father Scott Raef, Sacred Hea

Monday, October 7 Gruver 4-H Food & Nutrition Project - UMC Fellowship Hall 9:30 a.m. - CRP Symposium - Armstrong Co. Activity Center, 2:00 p.m. - Spearman Elementary Early Dismissal - Parent Co

2:00 p.m. - Historical Commission Meets - Ft. Zulu Museum 6:00 p.m. - Weight Watchers - O'Loughlin Center Tuesday, October 8

Spearman 4-H Food & Nutrition Project - Church of Christ Peg. 9:30 a.m. - CRP Symposium - Guymon, Oklahoma 2:00 p.m. - Spearman Elementary Early Dismissal - Parent Contest of Contest of Christ Peg. 9:30 p.m. - Palo Duro River Authority Meets 6:00 p.m. - Gruver ISD Board Meets 6:00-9:00 p.m. - Spearman Merchants Association Moonlight Merchants - Spearman High School TAFE Meeting 8:00 p.m. - Pringle-Morse ISD Board Meets

Wednesday, October 9

9:00-11:30 a.m. - Immunization Clinic - Perryton Health Center 12:00 p.m. - Spearman CofC Women's Division Executive Boars 1:00-4:00 p.m. - Immunization Clinic - Perryton Health Center 3:00-5:00 p.m. - Rainbow Kids Klub - FUMC Spearman 5:00 p.m. - Gruver City Council Meets 5:30-6:30 p.m. - First Baptist Church Children's Choir Thursday, October 10

12:00 p.m. - Spearman Chamber Board of Directors Meet
5:00 p.m. - Spearman JH vs. Canadian - There
5:30 p.m. - Gruver JV vs. Booker - There
6:30 p.m. - Spearman FHA Meeting
7:00 p.m. - Hansford County Hospital Board Meets
7:30 p.m. - Gruver JH vs. Booker - Here
8:00 p.m. - Spearman JV vs. Canadian - There

Friday, October 11

7:30 p.m. - Spearman vs. Canadian - Here 7:30 p.m. - Gruver vs. Booker - Here Saturday, October 12
Cross Country Meet - Lake Meredith Open, Fritch 7:00 p.m. - Wheelchair Basketball Game

# Happy Birthday!

October 3

Birthdays - Berniece Goodrich, Ruth Ann Jones, Lloyd Carroll, Doris Bateman, Richard Kingsley, Eulalia Blakenship, Jacie Graham, Brian Watley, Teresa England, Timber Barkley, Chad Brown, Arlene Kennedy, Lynda Tunnell, L.A. Williams Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Scott Davis, Jim and Linda Beeson, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hawkins

October 4

Birthdays - Debbie Garrett, Jan Stedje, Pam Stork, Abbi Yankee, Theresa Johnson, Velma Williams, Jeff Gresset, Monty Hawkins, Karl Smith, Kandy Martin, Adam Red Bennie Brogdan, and Francisco Borunda

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Craig Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Callaway Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Andres Rodriquez October 5

Birthdays - Ernistina Salgado, Bill Goodrich, Richard Lesly, Sue Felder, Kelly Shieldknight, Gladys McIntyre, Carl Kizzar, Glenda Johnson, Kermit Boone, and Becky

Birthdays - Regina Barkley, Nell Evans, Doug Ferguson, Theron Pack, Brooke Mayfield, Janet Williams, Donna Burk, Myra Berner, Kenneth Brown, John Nichols, Adina Garza, and Carrie McLain

October 7

Birthdays - Rex Casdorph, Pat Dawson, David Miner, Juanita Herron, Kay Ivey, Juan Holgin, Julian David Rodriguez, Michael Cory Hendrick, Clara Gonazales, and Wanda Arin

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dale Clawson and Mr. and Mrs. Hack B. Johnson October 8

Birthdays - Harvey Attwood, Candice Casdorph, Gary Evans, Amber Gross, Wilma Holland, Tambra Seal, Letha Stewart, Kimberly Wagoner, Debbie Avila, William Jarvis, Paulina Nava, JoAnn Eaton, Bert Wofford, Maria Gonzales, Steven

Flowers, Kathy Gillispie, Ella Raye Carter, and Jill Hodge

Anniversaries - Darrel and Linda West and Mike and Pat Cudd October 9

Birthdays - Angie Lopez, Tammie Osbourne, Rhonda Ward, Rosa Rojas, Shea Crawford, Jerry Hunt, Joe Mack Close, Monty Black, Betty Hazlewood, Joe Archer Jr., Ronnie McCammond, and Chris Cummings

Anniversaries - Steve and Sheri Benton and Mr. and Mrs. David Armes October 10

Birthdays - Matthew Brown, Jake Barkley, Kim Blevins, Steve Duncan, Jase Rudolph, Darrell Scroggs, Sherri Cook, Don McLain, Kortny Henton, Edwin Molina, Gary Flowers, Maribel Moreno, Virginia Renfro, Mike Darnell, and Matthew Brown

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Mario Molina, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Messer, and Mr. and Mrs. Randy

October 11

Birthdays - Marco Favela, Doug Frick, Kadie Grotegut, Rod Holland, George C. Lowe, Jim Ratliff, Eleanor Davis, Orville Latham, Steve Mathews, Sonny Nollner, Preston Smith, Kathy Lou Biggs, Sara Williamson, Jimmie Harris, Jim Ladd, Eddie Largent, Daniel Gonzales, Dick Smith, Jimmie Harris, Rosa Blan, Jason Blan, and Adam Ferguson Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Del

Roy Gammon \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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Preston Smith

Preston Smith, 77, died Monday, September 30, 1996.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 2, 1996 at the Union Church with the Reverend Calvin Springer, former pastor, officiating. Burial was at Ochiltree Cemetery.

Mr. Smith was born in Las Animas, Colorado and moved to the Hansford area where he lived 48 years.

He married Edith Pipkin in 1945 at the Knox Pipkin home in rural Ochiltree County. He was a cement contractor for many years in the Spearman area until his retirement in 1983. He was a member of the

He was preceded in death by a son, Daniel in 1972

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Dorothy Cator of Sunray, and Anita Ralston of Dalhart; a son, Archie Smith of Spearman; a brother, Mack Smith, and a sister Mary Smith, both of Las Animas, Colorado; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Hansford Hospice, 707 Roland in Spearman, Texas.

Charles Henry Drennan

Guy H. Shields, 77, Satanta, Kansas, died Sunday evening, September 29, 1996, at Bob Wilson Memorial Grant County Hospital,

He had lived with one of his daughters in Ulysses for the last 2

The son of George and Julia Jane (Henderson) Shields, he was born on May 15, 1919, at Parsons, Kansas.

He and Idros Maize were married on November 8, 1942, at Spearman, Texas. They moved to Satanta in 1945 from Spearman, Texas. She preceded him in death on June 4, 1994. He served his country in World War II in the Medical Branch.

He was a retired Carbon Plant Employee and Custodian of Satanta He was a member of the AF & AM Masons, Hugoton, Ks.; Order of

Eastern Star, and V.F.W. Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Mayo & husband, Kenneth, Blackwell, Okla., Susan Wilmore & husband, Rick Ulysses,

Ks.; 6 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, 10 nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Idros Shields, one brother, George Shields, one sister, Helen Shields

Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 2, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. at the Haskel County Funeral Home, Sublette, Kansas with Rev. Dave Caraway presiding. Burial was at 5:00 p.m. at the Hansford Cemetery, Spearman, Texas.

A memorial has been established for the Satanta Ambulance. Memorials may be made at the Shopping Stop True-Value, Satanta or Edward Swasey Fullerton Brainard

Edward Swasey Fullerton Brainard, passed away at his Red Deer Ranch near Canadian on Monday, September 30, 1996 at the age of 91. "Bud" Brainard was born on November 11, 1904 in Sparrowbush, New York to E.H. and Kittie Brainard.

The Brainards later moved to Texas, and were one of the pioneer ranching families of Canadian and Hemphill County. "Bud" Brainard graduated from Canadian High School, and attended Kansas State College before returning to ranching with his father. Herefords have carried the Lazy B brand for over 100 year.

Bud married Sallie Lee Exum on July 18, 1926 in Shamrock. She preceded him in death on March 3, 1993.

Mr. Brainard was a long-time member, former director and honorary vice-president of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. He was also an honorary vice-president of the American Hereford Association, was a member of the Panhandle livestock Association, and was inducted into the Hereford Breeders Association Hall of Fame. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of

Mr. Brainard is survived by one son, E.H. Brainard of Pampa; one daughter, Mary Kathryn Christner of Wheeler; one nephew, E.B.P. McIntyre of Spearman; seven grandchildren and eight great-

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Graveside services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, October 2 at the Edith Ford Cemetery in Canadian, with the Rev. Brad Walker, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors.

The family requests memorials be made to Hemphill County Library or a favorite charity.



In honor of the

# Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Smith

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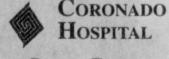
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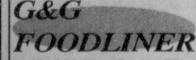
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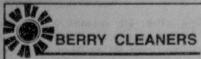
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QUESTION: Considering how difficult it is to be good parents in this day and age, why should anyone want to have children? Is it

DR. DOBSON: Parenthood is costly and complex, no doubt about it.

I'm reminded of a woman with seven rambunctious children who boarded a Los Angeles bus and sat in the seat behind me. Her hair was a mess and the black circles under her eyes revealed a state of utter exhaustion.

As she stumbled past me with her wiggling tribe, I asked, "Do all those children belong to you, or is this come kind of picnic?"

She looked at me through squinted eyes and said, 'They're all mine, and believe me, it's no picnic!"

The woman is right. Parenthood is no job for sissies. Am I suggesting, then, that newly married couples should remain childless? Certainly not! The family that loves children and wants to experience the thrill of procreation should not be frightened by the challenge

Speaking from my own perspective as a father, there has been no greater moment in my life than when I gazed into the eyes of my infant daughter, and five years later, my son.

What could be more exciting than seeing those tiny human beings begin to blossom and grow and learn and love? And what reward could be more meaningful than having my little boy or girl climb on my lap as I sit by the fire, hug my neck and whisper, "I love you, Dad."

Oh yes, children are expensive, but they're worth the price. Besides, nothing worth having comes cheap.

This question and answer is excerpted from the book Dr. Dobson Answers Your Questions. Dr. James Dobson is a psychologist, author and president of Focus on the Family, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Correspondence to Dr. Dobson should be addressed to: Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903, (c) 1982 Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

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# Among The Neighbors

James and Lyn Brown announce the arrival of a daughter, Lindsey Breann, on September 12, 1996. She weighed 10 lb., 10 oz. at Texas County Memorial Hospital

Two sisters, Jamie and Ashley, welcome her.

Grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Turner, Spearman; Jim and Irene Turner, Jackson Gap, Alabama; Harold and Mary Margaret Brown, Holden, Missouri; one great grandmother, Alto Mae Brown also of Holden. \*\*\*\*\*

Due to the heavy soaking rains, there have been numerous caveins at the Hansford Cemetery. Freeman Barkley and Don Maize have been using a small tractor to refill them. However a few of the headstones have also been displaced. Resetting these stones is not a responsibility of the Cemetery Association. It might be well for any interested person to drive out to check the condition. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Tri-State High School Rodeo results for the county for last Saturday at Wheeler were Quentin Harper-1st Steer wrestling; Travis Holland-Levi Garcia Team Roping-2nd; Pake Mayness-Travis Holland-team Roping-6th; Jennifer Reimer-Goat Tying-9th; Shawna Mitchell Pole Bending-8th.

Don and Gloria Knox returned Monday after two weeks in Wyoming. They flew up to visit their son, Danny Knox and family, who moved there recently. Danny is manager of Coastal Chemical Area and his duties will be taking him to Canada and Alaska. He is a chemical engineer.

They live at Evanston, in the southwest corner of Wyoming, 80 miles from Salt Lake City. While there they drove thru the near-by Utah mountains, into Idaho, to the Tetons and made other scenic drives. Snow came on Monday, September 16 and on several other days but the roads were kept open, and otherwise the weather was fine. They were delighted to watch the game come to their back fence, deer, elk, etc. They also enjoyed fishing the streams in the area. Don, with his pleasure in fishing and hunting, was tempted to just stay on.

Ray and Carolyn Gressett left last Tuesday for Rogers, Arkansas where they met their daughter Cindy and Tom Sinclair with children, Luke and Abby. They live in Pine Bluff. The Copper Mountain Lodge was their headquarters for the several days. The men fished and the ladies "antiqued" - and the children did some of both. They returned to Spearman on Sunday.

Estelle and Bill Jackson were in Amarillo for several days last week in the home of their son, Jim and Frances Jackson, who were on

vacation. They spent several days in Ouray, Colorado.

Bill and Estelle could hardly call their stay "baby sitting" since one grandson is 16 years old and 6 feet tall; the other is five years old which made for variety in entertainment.

Ray and Sylvia Robertson enjoyed a birthday observance over the week-end for their daughter, Brenda Annen. She and Claude and children, Cody and Sage, came from Nazareth. After their departure on Sunday, Ray and Sylvia drove to Liberal to attend the wedding of their niece. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Martha and Orrvill Latham spent a few days last week in Waco visiting her brother and sister. They had planned to visit other places also, but the weather was unpleasantly hot and humid. They came back home-arriving on Friday-which was definitely not hot and humid! \*\*\*\*\*

Greg and Shonda Odegaard and children, together with his parents, Elaine and Roger, spent the week-end in Wichita Falls. They met his sister, JoAnne and Mark Holly of Huntsville. It was the first meeting of Greg and Shonda with the son who was born to them in April.

Jim Turner visited last week here in the home of his daughter, Lyn and James Brown. He is from Jackson Gap, Alabama and came to get acquainted with his newest granddaughter, Lindsey Breann.

Norma and Buddy Payne of Ralls spent the week-end with her parents, Ernest and Louise Archer. They were surprised and pleased by the trip out to Palo Duro Lake.

Some Spearman couples missed the big rains here but were in some lighter rain at Canton, Oklahoma Lake for about ten days. Nordine and Robert Cochran, Odell and Mickey Fannin, Ben and Marian Upchurch and Edwin Pearcy took their trailers for a very enjoyable, relaxing vacation. They were somewhat abashed to report no fish, claiming the lake, with all the overflow from the rains, was too full for good fishing. That didn't dampen their pleasure and fellowship.

Matt Dunnihoo, 7th grade son of Carol and James Dunnihoo, is back in school and actually looking forward to playing football again as soon as his broken arm heals.

Matt, in the Thursday game against Stratford, went to recover a fumble and was struck on the left forearm by a Stratford player's head and helmet, breaking the radius. Fortunately Matt is right handed, so is not too handicapped.

\*\*\*\*\*\* Julie Martin and Judy Martin spent three days in Oklahoma

their new knowledge and new to the Rangers. purchases.

Guests in the home of Kelly and Sid Sawyer last week were her parents, Larry and Pat Parker. They live in Belton and came in for the 12th birthday of grandson, Colby. \*\*\*\*\*\*

A student feeling that correct spelling is unimportant would feel differently if he had been selected "Defensive Player of the Week" and it was printed "Defective Player of the Week". \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

"A prophet is not without honor, save in his own country" could be said of Spearman Mayor Buchanan. Few, if any, in Spearman knew that the Mayor had served the area in so many capacities until the announcement of his award was printed in last

Everett Vanderburg was rushed to High Plains Baptist in Amarillo from his rural home with a severe heart condition on Friday night. Their daughter, Linda Davis, on Monday states that he is out of C.C.U. and in a private room. He is doing as well as can be expected and is hoping to return home shortly.

Hoyt Biles underwent laser surgery on Tuesday at High Plains Baptist. Until the modern medical methods were utilized, the surgery would have been considered major. However in a couple of days he was able to return home and is recovering \*\*\*\*\*\*

It was bound to come-so many words or titles are referred to by initials, the same ones are having to do double duty-some are so similar, it could be confusing. Imagine a farmer making comments at what he thought was a CRP meeting, only to learn he was attending a CPR meeting!

There is great jubilation as the Texas Rangers Baseball team is in

City last week. They attended a the division play-offs for the convention of tole painters. In first time ever. There would be addition to attending some more jubilation if the team had classes, they did some shopping. won it, rather than the Mariners They returned on Sunday, bringing losing which gave the first place

> Junior High Faculty: Beckee Baker 7th & 8th grade reading, 8th A.T.; Joan Brown - Aide; Rebecka Byers - 6th, 7th, & 8th choir; Gregory Gibson - 6th grade social studies, athletics, 6th P.E.; Ella Graham - 7th & 8th Science, 8th A.T.; Mardell Griggs - 6th Hots. 6 A.T. 6, 7, & 8 title; Marty Haney - Counselor; Claudine Hardy - Library Aide; Robin Hargis - Life Skills, homebound; Wendell Neff - 7th & 8th athletics; Jerry Orr - 7th & 8th math, 7th adv. math, 7th A.T.; Brenda Pierson - 6th APT, 7th A.T. 7th/8th Math, content mastery; Ryan Rhoads - 8th Algebra I, 7th/8th athletics; Linda K. Rodgers - Resource, Content Mastery; Carolyn Savage - 6th Math/Science, 6 A.T.; Marcia Shieldknight - 7th & 8th athletics; Ric Smith - 7th & 8th athletics; Debra Stopper -Content Mastery, 8th A.T., 6th P.E. 7/8 athletics; Karon Swink -Computer I & II, 7th A.T.; Richard Trantham - 7th Texas History, 8th American History, 7th A.T.; Lillian Turner - 7th/8th English, 8th A.T.; Randall Willis - 6th A.R., 6th, 7th/8th Band; Brenda Winegarner - 6th reading/English, 6th A.T.; and Jim Jones - Junior High Principal.

# Morse Morsals

by Mildred Lewis

This year is our P.T.A.'s 100th year Birthday. Morse P.T.A. is striving to get 100% of their members to sign up for P.T.A. We need to sign up for our children. So lets be a P.T.A. member. You may contact Janet Wilson, Morse, Texas 79062.

Our 4-H boys and girls went to the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo. Some of them had Pigs, Capons and Steers. Colton King placed seventh place with his steer, Tyrel King took eight place with his, Kirby Johnson took sixth place with his pig, Allan Thomas seventh and eight place with another pig, Robert Gilmore ninth, Amanda Apodoca took second with her Capon, Kile Shields, Melody Shields and Kirby Johnson took fourth place with their Capons. Congratulations to all of these boys and girls. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Morse Baptist Church had their fifth Sunday Celebration this last Sunday. We had a real good lunch and celebrated our birthdays for the month of September. We had our regular services, followed by a dinner.

Vicki Urban is starting her Good News Club this week. It will be held every Wednesday

from 3:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. All children kindergarten through 3rd grade are invited. The children will learn memory versus and hear stories from the bible, and be served refreshments.

Next week Mike Martin, our preacher from the First Baptist Church, will have "His Friends," from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30. This program is open to all fourth grade to eight grade boys and girls. They will learn memory versus, study the bible, play games, enjoy refreshments and have a good time. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Eddie Papay is still doing good after his surgery. He is home now. He takes his treatments in Amarillo.

Shorty McCloy is home after her surgery, she is taking treatments also. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Hud Yerby is also home, He takes his treatments at home. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Carol and David Jeter from LA, California are visiting Loyd and Virginia Pool. David has been in the Air Force for four years. He is a 1st Lt. with Cruz Missiles. They are moving to Barksdale Air Force Base, Bossier City, LA. This is a suburb of Shreveport, LA.

# AHA Advice

About 52 percent of U.S. adults have blood cholesterol levels of 200 milligrams per deciliter and above. At that level, says the American Heart Association, the risk of coronary heart disease begins to rise sharply.

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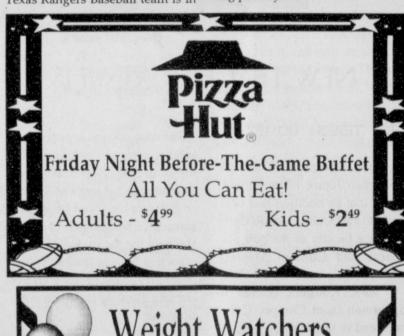
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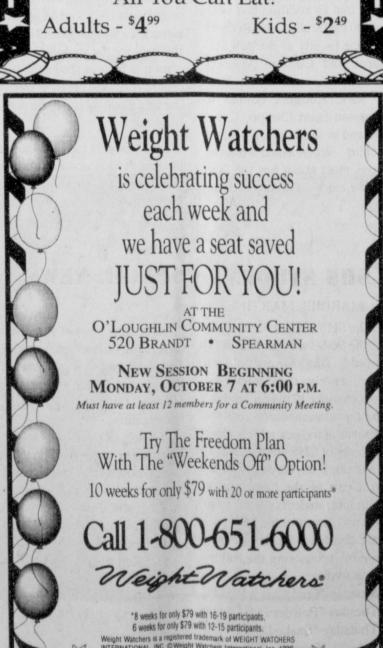
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# Lynx "Krush" Kiowas



Spearman defensive end, Eric Varnon, zeros in on a Booker Kiowa and makes a big Lynx tackle.

The Spearman Lynx pounced on the Booker Kiowas and came home with a 38-0 victory.

The Friday night, September 27 contest, played in Booker brought the Lynx to a 4-0 season and a Harris rating of 20th in the state in Class 2A.

Clint Goodman's early 3 yard touchdown run got the Lynx off to a good start and they never slowed down. At the end of the first quarter, the Lynx were up 16-

Michael Witten led the Lynx in rushing yardage with 16 carries for 152 yards, followed by Michael Lusby with 10 carries for 51 yards. Jake Howard completed three passes out of four for a total of 25 yards and one touchdown. two to Lusby and one to Dillon Miller. Britt Savage kicked for 7 points scoring with a 32 yard field goal and two after touchdown kicks. Half time play

The big story for this game and the season seems to be the awesome Spearman defense. The Lynx defense stood for only 76 total Booker yards and 4 first downs. The defense also recovered four of Booker's five fumbles.

Selected Players of the week were 210 lb, senior, offensive tackle, Tom Kirk, 200 lb senior, end, Eric Varnon and and 165 lb sophomore, linebacker, Michael

Said Coach Ric Smith, concerning the upcoming game against Childress, "The Bobcats are tough, but we are going to give them our best shot. Our kids are healthy, we are excited and I think we are going to give them a good ball game.

The Lynx meet Childress here Friday night for the Spearman Homecoming game.



by Dorothy Hudson

Lake Depth--Sept. 30, 1996--50 feet and 9 inches

The Lake Level has dropped 2 feet from the high of 52 feet and 9 inches on September 20. If the level continued to drop at that rate, and no more water came in, we could see the bridge over the Palo Duro in 40 days. If that did happen, the bridge would have to be examined and declared safe.

The water at the boat ramps is shallow, and Jim says it is doubtful if you could launch a very big boat at either one.

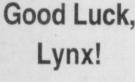
Activity around the Lake and Park is way down with the fall season started. Visitors are coming mainly to see what a bigger lake looks like.

Hudson, now teaches at California State Chico. Two 8,300 years old, and although not summers ago when she was exactly like the American point, visiting, we were checking a close enough to force prairie dog town for new activity. At one mound I had discovered fresh scat, but her sharp eyes took

in a perfect little arrowhead that the rodents had brought to the top of the mound. As it was a first time event for her to find one, she was very pleased.

Today an item from the August 4, 1996, New York Times on Clovis points came from her. Scholars used to be in agreement that hunters followed mammoth and mastodon prey across the Bering land bridge from Siberia into Alaska and then southward some 12,500 years ago. Pieces of their evidence were the fluted stone spear points that were thought to be an American invention.

Now confusion reigns, as American and Russian archeologists reported finding for the first time one of the Clovis-Style spear points near the city of Our oldest daughter, Jackie Magadan in Siberia. For some reason they think this point is reconsideration of where this particular style of chipping began--Asia or America.





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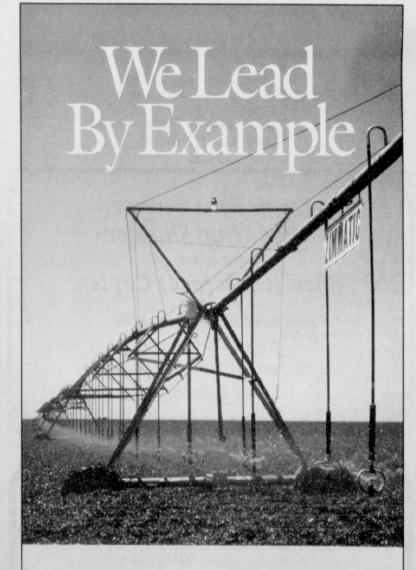
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# Spearman Lynx Lines



# SHS WORKS UP NEW PROGRAM

BY JULIE SCROGGS

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Multiple Occupation Co-op Training, headed by Mrs. Nelson, was added to Spearman High School this year. MOCT works with the students that are currently employed. Seventeen students are enrolled at this time. These students have the privilege of leaving school early, but they must go to their job. The students must also maintain passing grades and their employment. Every week they make out their work hours to go in the file and if they have any problems, they must talk to Mrs. Nelson about it. The MOCT class meets 2nd hour. Some of the students are employed at: Gordons, Palo Duro Cafe, Mur Murs, Ivey's, Lowe's, Rob's Repair Service, J&M Service Center, and First State Bank. Mrs. Nelson said, "Their jobs seem to be going fine. Some students work as many as thirty hours a week." Our first worker profile is Van Baumgardner. Van, the son of Carl and Janeen Baumgardner, is a senior. He has worked at Ivey's for

two and a half years. Not only does he work at Ivey's, but he also checks oil and gas wells for Carl Archer on Saturdays and Sundays. Van gets to leave school at 2:15 on A days, and at 12:10 on B days. When asked how he feels about the program, Van said, "I feel it has helped me out in many ways especially in getting more money." Keep up the good work, Van!



Congratulations to all the students who recently ran for an FHA office. The 1996-97 officers are:

President Mia Burrell

Historian Kelli Cummings

Vice-President of Recreation Rhonda Dunaway

Vice-President of Activities Kacee Smith

Secretary-Treasurer Leann Swan

Freshman Representative
Randi Burch

**Reminder!!!** FHA members are reminded to pay their \$10.00 dues to Mrs. Strawn.

FHA will be having a potato supper before the Sunray game on Friday October 18.

The FFA officers for the 1996-97 year are:

> President Lena Harbour

Vice President

Josh Bynum
Secretary

Andee McGaha
Treasurer

**Kevin Danford** 

Reporter Ryan Hill

Historian Skip Lesly

Chaplin Keith Winegarner

Sentinel
Monty Herrington

The Spearman Lynx Band recently elected officers for the 1996-97 school year. The officers are

President Pete Vera

Secretary-Treasurer
Teresa Gomez

Librarians Amber Morgan Randi Burch

Equipment Manager Joey Salgado

Uniform Manager
David Parker

The choir recently elected a Presidents for the A and B choirs. The presidents are:

President-A day Amanda Lomeli

President-B day Landree Woodward

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Extra Annuals For Sale

By LACEY MIESNER

Help!! We have over 80 annuals left from last year's 1996 sale. They are \$30 each and will be available until they are all sold. The 1997 annuals will be sold for \$27 each on October 7th-November 4th. They will be sold until November 11th at then \$30 each. Next year no extra annuals will be available, so be sure and order them during this school year. If you are interested in reserving a copy of the remaining 1996 annuals, please contact Mrs. Thomas at Spearman High School at 659-2584.



The Spearman Junior High Cheerleaders take a minute to pose for the camera during a recent home game. The cheerleaders are (clockwise) Amber Elliott, Clara Shieldknight, Monica Cantu, Adrienne Simpson, Jennifer Whitefield, and Haley Lombard. These girls and their sponsor, Claudine Hardy, are doing a great job!!



Class dues of \$20 must be paid, or you must see one of the sponsors to make other arrangements. If you do not take responsibility for one of these options you will receive a fine of \$5 making your dues \$25. If you have any questions see one of the following sponsors, Mrs. Mathews, Mr. Ramsey or Mrs. Strawn.

#### EXTRA RULES ARE ADDED

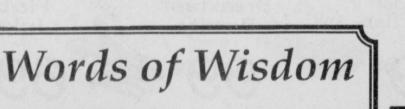
BY LACEY MIESNER

New school home game rules have been added to the high school home game policy. If anyone were to leave, they must have another ticket to return back to the game. Athletes with purple passes will give them to the gate tender, and they will give them to the coaches. If the athletes leave they too will have to buy a ticket. Also, no beverage containers will be allowed by anyone into the stadium. These rules must be followed when attending a home game. If they are not followed, they will be enforced.



⊕ NOTICE ⊕

This year's first report card will go out on October 2nd. Because it is printed on a laser printer, it will look slightly different. It will only be one copy, and it must be signed and returned when due.



Pick up your FREE college planning guide, "College Times" in Mrs. Guthrie's office.

Some excellent college resource material is available in Mrs. Guthrie's office. Stop by her office and check it out.

Sophomores-The PLAN test will be given on Oct. 15. Sign up in Mrs. Guthrie's office as soon as possible.

Juniors and Seniors-The ASVAB test will be given on Oct. 15. This test will help students asses their interests and abilities and might help in determining possible careers.

Mrs. Guthrie is beginning to receive scholarship forms. Listen to the announcements for details.

IMPORTANT DATES

\*PLAN (Sophomores)-Tuesday, Oct. 15

\*ASVAB (Juniors and Se niors)-Tuesday, Oct. 15

\*PSAT (Juniors)-Saturday, Oct. 19

\*TAAS RETEST-Oct. 22, 23, 24

\*ACT-Saturday, Oct. 26

"Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal." Henry Ford



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Spearman's Cross Country Shows Who's Boss





Victorious Once Again - (top picture) The varsity boys celebrate a great meet. (bottom picture) The varsity girls smile with joy.

By JENNIFER LAXSON

Spearman High School has something to smile about due to the accomplishments of this year's cross country team. We are blessed to have some new comers to our team including this year's freshman. Spearman High School's team is, so far, ranked fourth in state. The first meet was held at Borger on September 7. Results of this invitational were fantastic. Jason Banks received second place with a running time of 16:56.9 and Kristin Beedy received sixteenth place with a running time of 13:24.0. Other qualifiers were Jeremy Mackie, eighteenth place, with a time of 18:37.5 and Casey Villines, twenty-second place, with a time of 18:42.7. The varsity boys ran a three mile course while the girls team had a two mile course. September 14 the Wolf Creek Classic in Perryton was held. Jason Banks received sixth place at this meet. September 21 a meet was canceled and Spearman was unable to participate. Only two more meet remain before the district meet; the twenty-fifth Amarillo Invitational (held at Thompson Park) on September 28 and the Lake Meredith Classic on October 12. October 21 will be the district meet held at Canadian. "We are going to try our best to beat Boy's Ranch. If we do our best and stay injury free, I do not see why we can not go to state." stated junior participant Jason Banks.

This year has been exciting to the student this year and everyone is enjoying the experience. "Cross Country keeps me in shape and I think it is a lot of fun." stated freshman participant Casey Villines. Not only has the varsity teams done well, so has

the junior varsity and junior high. The varsity boys team includes Jason Banks, Dwayne Creel, Phillip Creel, Jeremy Mackie, Jaime McDonald, Eugene Ortega, Nathan Pipkin, Mario Puentes, and Casey Villines. The varsity girls team includes Shayla Barber, Halee Beasley, Brittni Beedy, Kristin Beedy, Kasey Dunihoo, Brooke Lesly, Keshia O'Quin, Marissa Rodriquez, Camille Smith, and Lindesy Smith. The junior varsity includes Brea Archer, Samantha Beasley, Tara Butt, Misha Davis, Leslie Holton, Gina Kunsleman, Gale Mayfield, Jennifer Neff, Holly Pipkin, Amber Ramon, Macy Shieldknight, Lisa Swink, Mindy Tigrett, Brooke Trantham, Dynell Vera, and Syd Woodington. The junior high girls "A" team includes Jennifer Browing, Monica Cantu, Katrina Cole, Amber Elliot, Cheryl Gibson, Laura Gillaspe, Misti Hand, Haley Lombard, Nicole Lozano, Chelsea Nollner, Jenn Schell, Tashi Schumann, Clara Shieldknight, Adrienne Simpson, Amanda Thompson, Leslie Wider, and Audrey Winegardner. GOOD LUCK to all participants as they finish a successful and rewarding year!!!

# Homecoming Week at SHS

By: BRANDI WILLIS

Homecoming this year will be on Friday, October 4, and everyone's looking forward to some great events that are taking place.

Daily dress-up events at SHS are planned. Monday is "Scare Em Day, " or come as you are. Tuesday is "Celebrity Day" when students can dress up as their favorite celebrity. "Twin Day" is Wednesday and "Bag the Bobcats" (where you dress up as bag

people) is Thursday. Homecoming spirit is tied into "Purple Pride Day" when students wear purple. Instead of a bonfire this year, nightly activities are planned. On

Monday night, students will be participating in "Find Coach Waldo" at the volleyball courts. Tuesday night, fans can watch "Powder Puff Football," and Thursday night the annual "Snake Dance" will take place. Homecoming week is always a week of fun. This year's events are bound to be the best.

# FROM OLD TO NEW!!!



Keisha O'Quinn, Jennifer Neff, Lindsey Smith, and Misha Davis shine their pearly whites while they work hard at the NEW and improved concession stand!!

By STACY DELACRUZ and BRANDI BURCH

With the new track received last spring, Spearman High School received new reconstruction on the concession stand. The contributions and construction workers consisted of our school janitors. Junior class sponsor, Mrs. Matthews, stated, "It works out really nice, it's also easier on the workers and for the people, overall it's GREAT! " This new magnificent plan, was also established by Mrs. Strawn, Junior. class sponsor. Maribel Martinez, a fellow Junior student quoted, "It's really neat, but besides being neat it brings life to our school and represents us very well!"

The concession stand is not quite yet finished, all we need are our customers! So come on out when Spearman takes on Childress, October 4th for our annual Homecomming game!



# NEW TEACHER AT SJHS

BY TERESA GOMEZ

Upon returning to school, Spearman Junior High students found that an addition had been made to the faculty. Mrs. Rodgers joins the faculty as the new Resource and Content Mastery teacher.

Mrs. Rodgers comes to Spearman from Campo, Colorado and is in her ninth year of teaching. When asked what she enjoys most about her job, she said she enjoys working with the

She was inspired to become a teacher after she began working as an aide. She developed an interest in helping kids learn, so she went back to college and earned her teaching certificate. Her goal for the students in her class this year is for each student to reach his or her goal by learning the most he or she possibly can.

Mrs. Rodgers has shown great interest in kids and their education. She is a great addition to the faculty at SJHS.

# Coming Up Next

3 JH Boys Ranch -H- 5:00 JV Boys Ranch -H- 8:00 4 HOMECOMING

Childress -H- 8:00 8 Library Opened 7-10 pm 10 JH Canadian -TH- 5:00 JV Canadian -TH- 8:00

11 Canadian -H- 7:30\* 12 Cross Country - Lake Meredith Open -Fritch Wheelchair Basketball 7:00

15 PLAN Test -Soph. - \$7.00 ASVAB Test -Jr.&Sr. Library Opened 7-10 pm 17 JH Sunray -TH- 5:00 JV Sunray -TH- 8:00

18 Sunray -TH- 7:30\* 19 Marching Band Contest at Borger PSP Test

21 Cross Country District Meet-Canadian

22 TAAS Retest-Writing Library Open 7-10 pm

23 TAAS Retest-Mathmatics 24 TAAS Retest-Reading 25 West Texas -H- 7:30 26 ACT Test 28 NO SCHOOL

NHS to Amirillo-3:00pm 29 Library Open 7-10pm FFA State Officers Metting-Canadian-6:00

30 Student Council Blood Drive

# 31 Halloween NOVEMBER

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### SHS STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

By MARIBEL MARTINEZ

The SHS student council has hit the 96-97 school year at full throttle. This year not only will they serve as the communication channel between students and the administration, but will sponsor activities which affect the lives of SHS students.

Although the bonfire will not be a part of the homecoming festivities, student council members and sponsor Mrs. Derington have decided to let classes compete by sponsoring the following activities:

Monday-"Find Coach Waldo" Tuesday-"Powder Puff" game Thursday-"Snake Dance"

"Bean the Bobcats" Night-free burritos

The student council will also be handing out the spirit notes. They will be given out during the October 4 (Homecoming), October 11, and October 25 home games.

This school year is far from being over, and the student council hopes to do much more before the 96-97 school year chapter ends. Some of the upcoming events are as follows. October 21-25

Red ribbon week October 30

Blood drive 9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.

WE ASKED: ①

If you could be any animal what would you be and why?

YOU SAID: 
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I would be a dove because doves make people appreciate the beauty of nature.

Maria Holguin - Senior

Lynx - Why Not!! Clint Goodman - Junior

A killer whale. I could be the "big kahoona" of the sea!! Dawn Loomis - Sophomore

I would be a tiger because they are lean and mean!! Casey Villines - Freshman

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Jessica Montgomery, member of the Gruver FFA exhibited the Grand Champion Market Swine at the Panhandle South Plains Fair in Lubbock. Jessica's 258 pound Duroc was chosen for the top spot over 500 other entries by Judge Wayne Huinker of Indiana. The Duroc, by order of placing, was also able to sell in the Terrific 20 Gilt Sale. Jessica's entry was a product of Hansford County and was raised by Rod Karlin of Gruver.

### Collard Appointed Director At Global R&D

In alignment with its new corporate structure, Dow Global Core Technologies Research and Development (R&D) has appointed three new Global R&D Directors. Randy Collard, Jesse Roeck, and Allan Fowler will be responsible for the direction of Dow global research efforts in the core capability areas of Computing and Information Technology, Analytical Science, and Engineering Science, respectively.

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Computing and Information Technologies includes New Product and Math Modeling, R&D Computing, and Commercial and Technical Library Services and has personnel in 10 sites

Collard joined Dow in the Louisiana Analytical Instrumental Laboratory in 1978. He was made supervisor for that area in 1985 and then named

Group Leader for Chromatography & Analyzer Development in 1987. In 1990, Collard was named Research Manager for Louisiana R&D Engineering Sciences. In 1993, Collard accepted a position as Manager for Computing and Simulation in the C&IT laboratory in Midland, Michigan and then Laboratory Director for Michigan site C&IT in 1995.

Collard obtained his B.S. in Chemistry at Trinity University and his Ph. D. in Analytical Chemistry from Louisiana State University in 1978. He is the son of George and Dorcas Collard of Spearman. Collard is married to Vicki (nee Rosenbaum) Collard, daughter of former Spearman residents L.W. and Tot Rosenbaum. They have two children: Megan, eleven, and

# **Gruver Sports Update**

by Harletta Carthel

Gruver teams came away with a win, a loss, and a tie in home action Thursday evening against the Sunray Bobcats.

After a scoreless first half, the Gruver seventh grade battled to a final 8 to 8 tie. Sunray's lone score came on a pass play in the third quarter while Gruver's touchdown came on a 51 yard run by Kade Carthel in the fourth quarter. Quarterback Ryan Abernathy scampered into the end zone to tack on the final two points. Gruver also recovered three fumbles in the game. Oswaldo Santillian pounced on two loose balls while Israel Azarte accounted for the third. The tie brings the Gruver seventh grade season to 1-1-1.

The Gruver eighth grade team suffered their first loss of the season as they fell to Sunray 38-0. Brady Hart recovered a Sunray fumble early in the game, but the Hounds were unable to capitalize and score. Much of the game was played in a cold, light rain. The Hounds will be back with a vengeance next week as they take on the Highland Park Hornets, a team they beat in the first game of the season. The eighth grade has a 2-1 record for the season.

The Hound junior varsity accounted for the lone win of the night with a 20-6 victory over Sunray. The entire game was played in a cold rain which caused numerous fumbles and miscues. In the first half, Jeff McClure blocked a punt and several Gruver players recovered fumbles, but the Hounds were

The Hansford County Library cookbooks have been published. The title is "Library Vittles". The cost is \$10.00, they will be on sale at the Library, the Chamber of Commerce, Five Star Equipment, Sandy's Beauty Salon, and at home football games.

unable to convert their fortune into points.

After a scoreless first half, the Hounds took control of the ball in the third quarter following a high snap to the Sunray punter on the Sunray 31 yard line. Dallas Henson scuttled into the end zone for Gruver's first touchdown, but the PAT attempt failed.

Sunray's score came as a result of a Gruver fumble on the Hound 27 yard line. The Bobcats' two -point try was unsuccessful.

In fourth quarter play, Jared Christian scored on a 3 yard run with Dallas Henson adding the extra two. Christian later chalked up Gruver's final touchdown following a fumble recovery on Sunray's 2 yard line, but the Hounds' two-point attempt fell short.

The Hound's seventh grade, eighth grade, and junior varsity will take on the Highland Park Hornets Thursday at Gruver. This will mark the last separate seventh and eighth grade games of the season. The remaining games will be played with a combined seventh and eighth grade team as Gruver begins play against teams in the 1-1A District October 10th.

Moonlight Madness Sale 25% Off Storewide\* Tuesday, October 8th 6:00-9:00 p.m. Only

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Kenny Red, Gruver ISD Maintenance Supervisor

# **GHS Remodels Varsity Gym**

by Harletta Carthel

Gruver High School held its first pep rally in its newly remodeled varsity gym on Thursday, October 3rd. Remodeling work consisted of a new lowered acoustic ceiling, complete with new lighting and ceiling fans. New bleachers have replaced the old seating area which was original to the gym.

Much of the remodeling was done by Maintenance Supervisor Kenny Red, with the help of a summer crew of students.

Mr. Red reports that several items were found when the old bleachers were removed, including a 1953 perfume sample from Gruver Chevrolet, an old varsity schedule, several silver half dollars, a tardy slip issued by Ray Etter in the sixties, a pair of old-style gym shorts, several homework papers, and numerous coat hangers.

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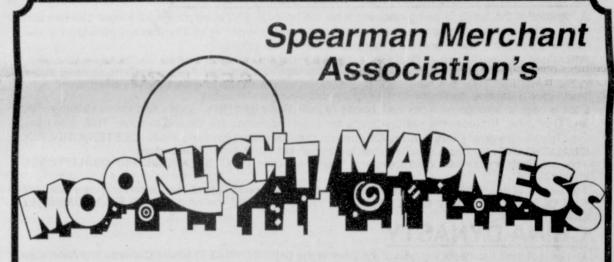
NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTOR TO REPRESENT SUBDIVISION NO. FOUR (4) OF THE HANSFORD SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 148.

To all persons including the designated representatives of family farm corporations who are eligible voters in the above named Conservation District as described under the provisions of V.T.C.A., Agriculture Code, Chapter 201, who have attained the age of 18 years, and reside within a county, all or any part of which is included in the said Soil and Water Conservation District, and who hold title to farm and ranch lands lying within said Conservation District, notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Agriculture Code, Section 201.073, qualified voters of the above named Soil and Water Conservation District will assemble at Hansford SWCD Building at 7:00 p.m. on the 8th day of Otober, `1996, then and there to elect one of the qualified voters owning land within said Subdivision to serve as a member of the Board of District Directors of said Soil and Water Conservation District.

SUBDIVISION NO. 4: Beginning at the intersection of F.M. 2018 and the Hansford-Sherman County line; thence east along F.M. 2018 to its intersection with S.H. 15; thence southeast along S.H. 15 to its intersection with Palo Duro Creek; thence southwest along Palo Duro Creek to its intersection with S.H. 136; thence south along S.H. 136 to its intersection with the Hansford-Hutchinson county line; thence west along the Hansford-Hutchinson county line to the southwest corner of Hansford County; thence north along the Hansford-Sherman county line to its intersection with F.M. 2018 which is the place of beginning.

BY DIRECTION OF THE STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION BOARD

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# Reye's Syndrome Awareness

submitted by Linda Winegarner

Reye's Syndrome is a very serious disease that everyone should know about. Reye's Syndrome usually affects people from infancy through young adulthood; however, no age group is immune.

Although Reye's generally occurs when someone is recovering from a viral illness, such as the flu or chicken pox, it can develop 3 to 5 days after the onset of the illness. Its main targets are the liver and brain. It is noncontagious, and too often is misdiagnosed as encephalitis, meningitis, diabetes, poisoning, drug overdose, or sudden infant death.

Early diagnosis is crucial. An individual should be watched during the next 2 to 3 weeks following a viral illness for these symptoms, usually occurring in this order:

\*Relentless or continuous vomiting

\*Listlessness (loss of pep and

energy with little interest in their environment)

\*Drowsiness (excessive sleepiness)

\*Personality change (such as irritability, slurred speech, sensitivity to touch)

\*Disorientation or confusion (unable to identify whereabouts, family members, or answer questions)

\*Combativeness (striking out at those trying to help them)

\*Delirium, convulsions, or loss of consciousness

Reye's Syndrome should be suspected in anyone who vomits repeatedly. Phone your doctor immediately if these symptoms develop and voice your concern about Reye's Syndrome. If your physician is unavailable, take the person to an Emergency Room promptly. Two liver function tests (SGOT, SGPT) can be done to determine the possibility of Reye's Syndrome. There is a 90% chance of recovery when Reye's

Syndrome is treated in its earliest stages by physicians and nurses experienced in it's treatment.

Studies have shown that using aspirin or aspirin-containing medications to treat the symptoms of viral illnesses increases the chance of developing Reye's Syndrome. If you or a member of your family have a viral illness, do not use aspirin-containing medications. In fact, you should consult your physician before you take any drugs to treat the flu or chicken pox, particularly aspirin or antinausea medicines. Anti-nausea medicines may mask the symptoms of Reye's Syndrome.

The National Reye's Syndrome Foundation (NRSF), the U.S. Surgeon General, the Food and Drug Administration, and the Centers for Disease Control recommend that aspirin and combination products containing aspirin not be taken by anyone under 19 years of age during fever-causing illnesses.

Aspirin is a part of the salicylate family of medicines. Another name for aspirin is acetylsalicylate; some drug labels may use the words acetylsalicylate, acetylsalicylate, acid, salicylate, etc., instead of the word aspirin. Currently, there is no conclusive data as to whether other forms of salicylates are associated with the development of Reye's Syndrome. Until further research

has answered this question, the NRSF recommends that products containing any of these substances not be taken during episodes of viral infections.

The NRSF is a nonprofit, taxexempt organization with affiliates located at 43 states. The NRSF has pioneered the movement to disseminate knowledge about the disease in an effort to aid in early diagnosis and also provides funds for research into the cause, cure, care, treatment, and prevention of Reye's Syndrome.

For additional information, please contact: National Reye's Syndrome Foundation, 426 North Lewis-P.O. Box 829, Bryan, Ohio 43506 or 1-800233-7393 or 419-636-2679 or Fax: 419-636-3366 or e-mail: reyessyn@bright.net http://www.bright.net/~ reyessyn

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Mike Cudd of Hansford Implement recently took a tractor to the Spearman Elementary School to present a farm safety program to the 1st graders. Pictured above are (Back Row, L-R) Mike Cudd, Joe Mayo, Colby Odegaard; (Front Row, L-R) Brittney Bradley, Alicia Frances, Mariela Ortega, Clarabel Hernandez, Austin Benton

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# "The King And I"

The Guymon Community
Theatre will present the musical
"The King and I" on October 3, 4, at 8:00 p.m.; October 6 at 2:00 p.m.;
October 10, 11, 12, at 8:00 p.m. The theatre is located at 413 N. Main
Street in Guymon, Oklahoma.

338-0019. Leave your name, date of performance, number of seats, seating preference and your telephone number. Tickets must be picked up 15 minutes before curtain. The cost is \$5.00 per person.

This musical, written by Richard Rodger and Oscar Hammerstein, is the first production of the 18th Season.

The play opens as Anna Leonowns and her son are traveling to Siam from England. Anna has been commissioned by the King to teach his children English and other subjects of the modern scientific world. The play is about the relationship of the old ways to the new and the collisions that can occur when cultures meet cultures, and in this case when East meets West.

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seating preference and your telephone number. Tickets must be picked up 15 minutes before curtain. The cost is \$5.00 per person.

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#### Although female principals abound in many sections of Texas, Laura Blassingame, as the first woman principal of Gruver, finds herself in an elite few in the Texas Panhandle. In area meetings and committees of Panhandle principals, Blassingame often

by Harletta Carthel

Laura Blassingame

the group, although there are now female superintendents or principals at Morse, Perryton, Stinnett, and Dalhart.

Blassingame cites her female principal at the first school in which she taught in Temple as inspirational in her decision to become an administrator. This was where Blassingame had her first taste of the job when she served in the place of the absentee administrator.

Blassingame's mother also had a significant influence in her career decision as she served as manager of the Temple Country Club in a time when few women held managerial positions. "She never told me there was anything I couldn't do," Blassingame relates.

When asked the best part of her job, Blassingame is quick to reply, Working with the cheerleaders!They are so eager and so willing to do anything to foster school spirit. Their enthusiasm is contagious." She lists patrolling football and basketball games as the least

favorite part of her work. She defines a perfect day on the job as one in which all the paperwork was done, and she could spend time with the students and in the classrooms.

Blassingame has brought many innovative ideas to Gruver Junior High. She has established an open seventh grade cheerleading program which enables every seventh grader who desires to be a part of the cheerleading team. She established the Principal's Honor Roll for students who post a 95 or above average in all classes for the six weeks; Crossing guards, consisting of volunteer junior high students, patrol crosswalks before and after school; an accelerated reading program was started last year to boost reading levels; and academic teacher teams have been established to coordinate

Being a junior high principal is not all paperwork and discipline though, the job also comes with a few surprise aspects. One example not found in the job description might be the case of the snake in the bushes. Blassingame, finding herself without help on the playground, spotted a snake slithering into the bushes near the school. Urging the students to stand back, Blassingame sought to capture the snake and remove it from the premises. In the attempt,

Blassingame began to sense the snake was being attacked by the students rather than vice versa. In the commotion that followed, one student stepped on the snake, and the non-poisonous snake retaliated by biting the student. All seemed well when the snake was killed and deposited in the city dump until School Nurse Kathy Lindsay informed Blassingame that the snake needed to be retrieved to check for disease since a student had been

Pillaging through the city dump, Blassingame and two stalwart teachers were able to find the snake. The three decided to wrap the snake in a supply box and present to a male teacher known for his abhorrence of snakes. The snake did surprise the teacher, but the reptile had one more surprise for Blassingame. The snake was inadvertently left in the school office over the weekend, and greeted the junior high with its fragrance on Monday.

Blassingame began her career in Gruver in 1995, as the school district's special education teacher for grade K-12. She also taught two years in Gruver Junior High while completing her Public and Master's Administration of Education Degree at Sul Ross University in the summers.

Wednesday, October 9

Entree: Sausage Pizza, Hambur-

ger, Basket, Chicken Fajitas,

Tortillas; Side Item; Sauteed Bell

Pepper, Onion, Refried Beans,

Spanish Rice, Shredded Lettuce,

Cracker, Grated Cheese,

Pineapple Tidbits; Milk

Thursday, October 10

Entree: Pepperoni Pizza,

Hamburger Basket, Beef Briskets;

Side Items Pinto Beans, Potato

Salad, Texas Toast, Apricots,

Shredded Lettuce, Crackers,

Grated Cheese; Milk

Friday, October 11

Entree: Sausage Pizza, Hamburger

Basket, Sloppy Joe; Side Items:

Tator Tots, Corn on the Cob,

Cookie, Shredded Lettuce, Grated

Cheese, Cracker; Milk

#### A graduate of Temple High School, Blassingame received an Associate's Degree at Temple Junior College and a Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Mary Hardin-

She is married to Ron Blassingame, a math teacher at Gruver Junior High. When asked if it posed any problems to be her husband's boss, Blassingame smiles, and states, "We leave what's at home at home and what's at school at school." During the day, the two see each other very little as they are each busy with their separate duties. Laura has one daughter, Kelley Oglivie, who is a sophomore at Gruver High.

The Blassingames are Methodists and enjoy traveling, reading, and just being together when their busy schedules

When Ron retires in 1998, the same year Kelley graduates, the

Blassingames have discussed building a home in Salado, Texas. Laura plans to continue in administration.

In the meantime, Blassingame has dreams for the future of Gruver schools. "I want our children to be exposed to the same opportunities for learning as children in larger cities that have more curriculum offerings, especially in the area of technology," stated Blassingame. "I would like to see accessibility to information made readily available to teachers and students without changing the climate and qualities of a small school."

If Blassingame has anything to do with the outcome, that dream may come true. She has already received word that Gruver Junior High has been selected as one of the top 20 rural schools in Texas. The school has also been elevated to the "recognized" status as the result of the most recent TAAS

# Gruver ISD School Menu

Pringle-Morse CISD School Menu

#### Breakfast

finds herself the lone woman of

Monday, October 7 Cereal, Muffin, Juice, Milk Tuesday, October 8 Breakfast Burrito, Juice, Milk Wednesday, October 9 Cowboy Bread, Juice, Milk, Thursday, October 10 Two Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk Friday, October 11 Cinnamon Roll, Juice, Milk

Lunch Monday, October 7 Chicken Fried Steak, Potatoes

Breakfast

Monday, October 7

Banana muffin, Toast, Juice, Milk

Tuesday, October 8

Cheese toast, Toast, Juice, Milk

Wednesday, October 9

Cinnamon Toast, Toast, Juice,

Milk

Thursday, October 10

Pancakes, Sausage, Juice, Milk

Friday, October 11

w/Gravy, Corn, Fruit, Roll, Milk Tuesday, October 8 Frito Pie, Cheese, Salad w/Crackers, Fruit, Milk Cornbread

Wednesday, October 9 Beef Stew, Milk, Cheese Sandwich, Peaches, Carrot Sticks, Salad Bar Thursday, October 10

Two Chalupas, Cheese, Lettuce,

Pineapples, Cornbread, Milk Friday, October 11 Hamburger, Cheese, French Fries, Milk, Lettuce, Pickles, Rice Krispie Treat

Potatoes/gravy, Corn, Salad, Hot

roll, Milk, Fruit

Wednesday, October 9

Sloppy Joe, Tator Tots, Pork n

Beans, Cole Slaw, Milk, Fruit

Thursday, October 10

Lasagna, Broccoli/cheese, Salad,

#### Spearman ISD School Menu **Breakfast** Shredded Lettuce, Grated Cheese, Crackers; Milk

Monday, October 7 Cereal, Toast, Breakfast pizza, Fruit or Fruit Juice, Milk

Tuesday, October 8 Cereal, Toast, French Toast Sticks, Fruit or Fruit Juice, Milk Wednesday, October 9 Cereal, Toast, Scrambled Egg, Sausage Pattie, Toast, Fruit or Fruit Juice, Milk

Thursday, October 10 Cereal, Toast, Cinnamon Roll, Fruit or Fruit Juice, Milk Friday, October 11 Cereal, Toast, Sausage Biscuit,

Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk

Lunch Monday, October 7 Entree: Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Chicken Nuggets; Side Items: Whipped Potatoes, Steamed Carrots & Peas, Biscuits, Jelly, Shredded Lettuce, Grated Cheese, Cracker; Milk

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To her surprise, a family from Plainview - Terry, Brenda, Melissa, and John Carter, saw her admiring the puppies and asked if they could buy one for her.

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The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing date will be returned unopened.

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