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Hansford Happenings

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.

Museum Has Books For Sale

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! We have good news! Dotty Jones found sixty copies of her book *A Search for Opportunity, A History of Hansford County*. It was copyrighted in 1965. It is a very good account of the early settlers of Hansford County. Dotty has graciously agreed to sell them to the Museum for \$15.00. This is great, as several people have wanted one. So if you're one of those people, now is your chance.

Hansford County Library Closed Thursday Afternoon, Nov. 7th
The Hansford County Library will be closed the afternoon of Thursday, November 7, 1996 only. This is due to shortage in staff.

Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast

Alpha Mu Psi Sorority would like to apologize for the error on the Gruver Community Calendar in regards to the Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast. The date is shown to be December 7, 1996 but the correct date is Saturday, December 14, 1996, at the school cafeteria from 5:30 to 7:30 a.m. Shotguns and other raffle prizes will be given away at 7:00 a.m. Hope to see you there!

SHS Band Began Pizza Coupon Sales

The SHS band is selling Pizza Hut coupons. If you would like to purchase a coupon, please contact any SHS band member.

GED Classes

If you are interested in taking a GED class, please contact Cindy Blackman at 659-3233.

"Texas Recycles Day"

November 15, 1996 is "Texas Recycles Day."

Gladioli Flower Club Home Tour

The Gladioli Flower Club will host its annual Home Tour December 8, 1996. More details next week.

5th Quarter

A 5th Quarter party for all Spearman Junior High students will be held on Friday, November 8, 1996 at the First Baptist Church. It will begin after the football game is over, and end at 11:00 p.m.

Food Drive

Our local Food Bank is low on food. There will be a Food Drive on November 20, 1996 at our Post Office. Please help!

A Texas Thanksgiving

Gruver Federated Music Club's annual Stew and Cornbread dinner will be November 26, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Admission will be \$5.00. Pie Kitchen is \$1.00. Several artists will be showing.

Spearman Christmas Show

The O'Loughlin Center will host a Christmas show on November 23rd and 24th. This event will be a Christmas showing for Spearman businesses. There will be special promotions, demonstrations, food concessions, and drawings held every hour for door prizes. Special music will be provided throughout the weekend by the Spearman ISD choirs and other community groups. Santa Claus will also make several appearances. The hours for the show are Saturday, November 23rd from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Sunday, November 24th from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m. A few booth spaces are still available. Anyone wishing to boost their Christmas sales is invited to participate. Call 659-3030 for more information.

Bake Sale

There will be a bake sale at Lowe's Market, November 9, 1996 from 9 a.m. until everything is sold, for cancer medication and medical expenses to benefit Joe Olivarez.

In The Panhandle

American Red Cross CPR Class

The American Red Cross will be conducting a Community First Aid and Safety course November 4-5. The adult CPR and Child CPR portion of the course will be conducted Monday November 4 from 6-10:30 p.m. The Infant CPR and the Standard First Aid will be conducted Tuesday from 6-10:30 p.m. For more information or to sign up call the Red Cross office weekday mornings, 435-8175.

Hooker FHA Arts & Crafts Festival

On Saturday, November 9th, the nineteenth annual FHA Arts and Crafts Festival will be held at Hooker Grade School from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. There is no admission charge and everyone is encouraged to attend. Christmas is just around the corner, so plan to shop at the festival for those special one-of-a-kind gifts. Bierocks, sandwiches, cinnamon rolls, pie, and soft drinks will be served by the Hooker Junior Class. Serving will begin at noon. Every effort is being made to serve all attending the festival.

Wesley UMC Festival Of Arts & Crafts

Wesley United Methodist Church will be hosting its 16th Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts, December 7th, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the Community Center in Hereford, TX. Only a limited number of booths are available, with applications being screened. Booth fee is \$10.00. Applications may be obtained by writing to Ellen Collins 801 Miles St. Hereford, Tx. 79045 or call (806) 364-0774.

Spearman Veterans Day Program
Monday, November 11, 1996
10:00 a.m. - Varsity Gym

Clinton Reelected

On November 5, 1996, William Jefferson Clinton was elected to a second term as President of the United States.

Texas Senator Phil Gramm was also reelected. The United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate remained in the control of the Republicans.

Following are the results for Hansford County are as follows:
President/Vice President: Bob Dole/Jack Kemp-1493, Bill

Clinton/Al Gore-343, Harry Browne/Jo Jorgensen-2, John Hagelin/Mike Tompkins-1, Howard Phillips/Herbert W. Titus-0, Ross Perot/James Campbell-105;

United States Senator: Phil Gramm-1639, Victor M. Morales-288, Michael Bird-5, John Huff-2;

United States Representative, Dist. 19: Larry Combest-1651, John W. Sawyer-242;

Railroad Commissioner: Carole Keeton Rylander-1603, Hector Uribe-216, Rick Draheim-17, Paul Pigue-9;

Chief Justice, Supreme Court: Tom Phillips-1462, Andrew Jackson Kupper-263, David Parker-23;

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1: John Cornyn-1386, Patrice Barron-300, Thomas Stults-19;

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2: James A. Baker-1384, Gene Kelly-302, Eileen Flume-23;

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3: Greg Abbot-1438, John B. Hawley-52;

Judge, Court/Criminal Appeals, Place 1: Sue Hollard-1310, Bob Perkins-371;

Judge, Court/Criminal Appeals, Place 2: Paul Womack-1310, Charles Holcomb-349;

Judge, Court/Criminal Appeals, Place 3: Tom Price-1320, Frank Maloney-335.

All other candidates ran unopposed.

Local SWCD To Initiate A Resource Needs Assessment

"As a result of the 1996 Farm Bill the Hansford Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) with headquarters in Spearman, along with 3,000 other SWCDs in the nation, has been given the charge to lead the way in developing programs and initiatives to improve soil and water resources at the local level," said Willard McCloy, chairman of the SWCD.

"After years of applying top-down program management approaches in federal conservation programs, the new 1996 Farm Bill establishes a

locally driven process, coordinated by conservation districts, to guide the state and nation's agricultural conservation efforts. It provides tremendous opportunities for local people to become involved in assessing local resource needs, setting priorities, developing conservation policy, providing technical support, accepting program applications and approving conservation plans upon which cost-sharing will be based," McCloy added.

According to McCloy, the process deals with developing a

list of priority areas and concerns for the long range Farm Bill program for Fiscal Year 1998 and beyond.

To enact the Farm Bill on the local level, the Hansford SWCD, in partnership with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, will conduct a work group meeting with its conservation partners and interested persons or organizations on Tuesday, November 12th at 1:00 p.m. in the Farm Bureau Office, The Farm Bureau Office is located at 307 West Davis in Spearman.

The purpose of the meeting is to conduct a local conservation needs assessment, establish local priorities and make program

recommendations on what problems the SWCD should address in future years. Local recommendations will then flow to the state level where the district's various technical issues, resource priority areas and program policies will be reviewed and integrated into a state, regional and national program.

"We are really excited about the opportunities the new Farm Bill offers because Congress is seeking our leadership to assist our community in carrying out a cooperative, locally driven, incentive-based conservation program that wisely invests public resources to protect local natural resources," said McCloy.

Lynx Down Elks

The Spearman Lynx brought home a big win from Stratford this past Friday night. The Lynx whipped the Elks 27-13, keeping Spearman in the race for the District 1-2A playoffs.

The Spearman team showed its strength by dominating the field with 372 total yards compared to Stratford's 184, and 20 first downs to the Elks' 9.

Two interceptions by senior, Eric Cudd in the last 6 minutes of play assured the Lynx of a strong finish and a great win.

Michael Witten had another good night with 220 yards on 24 carries. Michael Lusby picked up 82 yards on 17 carries. Britt Savage carried the ball once for 22 yards. Jake Howard had 17

carries for 79 yards. Carlos Hernandez had 2 carries for 13 yards.

Howard hit Clint Goodman with a 3 yard pass and Michael Lusby on a 3 yard pass. Britt Savage put the ball through the uprights on two extra point kicks and a 37 yard field goal. Tony Clement was credited with causing a Stratford safety, putting up 2 more points for the Lynx. Travis Loomis and Tom Kirk also had great nights with Kirk offering outstanding offensive blocking and Loomis with 9 tackles (one unassisted).

The Lynx move to their final game of scheduled district play against Boy's Ranch here Friday night at the Lynx stadium.



Michael Witten makes a block as Michael Lusby picks up yardage during Friday night's game against Stratford.

Spearman Elementary Book Fair

Spearman Elementary School announced today that it will host a Scholastic Book Fair on November 11th through the 15th from 3:15 to 5 p.m. daily. There will be a special Parent Night on Tuesday the 12th from 6 to 8 p.m.

This reading event will offer students, parents and teachers the opportunity to see the latest works by popular authors and illustrators of books for young readers.

Books featured in a Scholastic Book Fair are carefully selected by a committee of reputable editors and educators. Many hours are spent considering hundreds of books from around the world in search of selections that excite and motivate students to become lifelong readers. Special

attention is given to find books that will appeal to the emergent, the experienced and the reluctant reader.

Along with winners of prestigious state and national awards, the Scholastic Book Fair will present hundreds of titles from over 100 publishers. Included will be how-to books, biographies, timeless classics, and a wonderful variety of the newest titles in children's literature.

Proceeds for the fair will help Spearman Elementary generate important funds for school projects.

For more information, please contact Martha Jones, the Elementary School librarian, and 659-2565.

Texas Recycles Day

by Lora Hoffman

Friday, November 15th, is Texas Recycles Day. All across the state, schools, businesses, organizations, and individuals, will be taking a pledge to recycle (and also getting a chance to win some great prizes).

In the cities of Spearman and Gruver, the City Halls and Schools will be making the effort to participate and join in the Texas Recycles Day event by have a program on recycling and also by handing out material on

how to recycle.

The Elementary Schools and Gruver Jr. High will be having a contest in each grade to see who can bring the most milk jugs, (which will need to be rinsed and smashed).

There will also be a poster contest in each Elementary grade for the chance of winning a T-shirt given by City Hall.

The topic of the posters will be recycling and they will be on display at City Hall for all to view.

Laugh and Live

gcs@arn.net



Recently, I received this letter and do not know what to make of it or what to do with it. Would you please take a moment to read it and then give me your ideas and opinions.

Thank you very much,
GCS

Dear Editor:

I must point out a glaring error made in last Thursday's obituary page. I am not, in fact, dead, as you reported. Nor is my name even Clarence Fenbrook, as you stated, it is Roger Wembly, and I am a sprightly 52 years of age rather than the figure of 74 you printed. I am also neither a Shriner nor an enthusiast of Naval History as your piece reported. In fact, absolutely nothing at all in your article was correct! I believe you have a responsibility to the community to get your facts straight, and I hope you will do so in the future.

Undeceivingly yours,
Roger Wembly
Until Next Time,
May God Bless!
GCS

Spearman ISD School Menu

Breakfast	
Monday, November 11 Cereal- Toast or 2 Cinnamon Toast; Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk	Basket, Soft Burrito; <i>Side Items:</i> Pinto beans, Spanish Rice, Spinach, Pineapple Tidbits, Shredded Lettuce, Crackers, Grated cheese; Milk
Tuesday, November 12 Cereal - Toast or Waffle Sticks; Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk	Wednesday, November 13 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Chopped Beef w/ Mushroom Gravy; <i>Side Items:</i> Baked Potato, Corn & Green Bean Casserole, Bread Slice, Apple Cobbler, Shredded Lettuce, Crackers; Milk
Wednesday, November 13 Cereal - Toast or 1-Breakfast Taco; Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk	Thursday, November 14 Cereal - Toast or Sausage Patti; Biscuit; Milk
Thursday, November 14 Cereal - Toast or Scramble Egg-Sausage, Patti - Toast; Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk	Friday, November 15 Cereal - Toast or Scramble Egg-Sausage, Patti - Toast; Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk
Lunch	
Monday, November 11 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Chicken Nuggets; <i>Side Items:</i> Whipped Potatoes, Cream Gravy, Sweet Peas, Biscuits, Jelly Butt, Shredded Lettuce, Grated Cheese; Milk	Friday, November 15 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Breaded Beef Steak, one Bun; <i>Side Items:</i> Tator Tots, Whole Kernel Corn, Chocoleana Cake, Shredded Lettuce, Cracker, Grated Cheese; Milk
Tuesday, November 12 Pepperoni Pizza, Hamburger	

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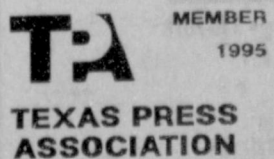
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Archie Nelson, Mayor of Gruver, signs a proclamation designating November as National Home Care Month. Observing the signature is Kim Blevins, Director of Nursing at North Plains Home Health Care of Gruver.

Proclamation

National Home Care Month 1996

To the citizens of Gruver, Texas:

Whereas, home care is the oldest and most humane tradition of health service delivery in the United States, enabling the ill and disabled to receive high quality medical assistance and retain a sense of dignity and independence in the comfort and security of their own homes; and

Whereas, home care in the United States is a growing alternative to hospitalization for acute and chronic illnesses, with an estimated expenditure of \$30 billion for services to more than 7 million Americans; and

Whereas, thousands of hardworking men and women, in association with more than 18,850 home care agencies, unite caring and modern technology by providing cost-effective home health care services that stimulate quicker and fuller recoveries and improvements than institutional care; and

Whereas, these dedicated home care professionals and volunteers form a network of caring support in our nation's vast health care system and are deserving of special honor and appreciation for their many contributions; and

Whereas, the National Association for Home Care and more than 18,850 home care agencies have declared the month of November 1996 as National Home Care Month and are calling upon all Americans to observe this occasion with appropriate ceremonies and activities;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that I Archie Nelson, do hereby proclaim November 1, 1996, through November 30, 1996, as

National Home Care Month

In the City of Gruver and urge all of our citizens to support the home care profession in its efforts to provide safe, affordable and comfortable health care in the homes of our elderly, disabled and infirm.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed

Mayor Archie Nelson



Jeff and Dacia Lust are proud to announce the birth of their son, **Braden Earl Lust**. Braden was born at 9:37 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5th in Amarillo, Texas. He weighed 8 pounds, 6.5 ounces, and was 21 inches long.

Braden is welcomed home by four-year-old sister, Bethany. Proud grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Earl Ball of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lust of Littlefield. Great-grandmothers are Dorothea Ball of Tulsa, OK, and Lucy Herrin of Irving.

You are invited to attend a Wedding Shower

to honor

Michelle Burroughs

bride-elect of Kory Brown

on Saturday, November 9

from 2:00-3:30 p.m.

at the home of Beckee Baker, 1102 Linn Dr.

Given by hostesses

Selections at Gordon's Drug and Celebrate

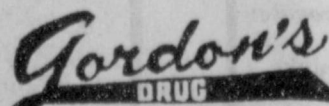


Come by and let us help you set up your special gift table

Couples Currently Registered

Kory Brown & Michelle Burroughs - November 9th
Jennifer Covington & Alan White - November 9th
Amy Mounts & Mack Russell - January 25th

*Date of Bridal Shower
**Date of Wedding



314 Main Spearman, Texas
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Post Office To Hold Food Drive

by George Finley

We at the Post Office are going to have a food drive on November 20th. This is a food drive for our local food pantry. We have contacted the courthouse and they have told us that the food bank is very low.

With Thanksgiving and Christmas around the corner we need to replenish the stock. Again this is for our local food bank.

We ask if you can please bring the food to the Post office by the 20th. If you can bring it early, that's fine. We will be glad to take it. If you can't come to the Post Office, our carriers will pick it up, but we will need your help.

Our routes have around 800 stops. If you get your mail delivered at the curb, or in your box, please put the food under your box at the curb. Imagine, if we deliver to the curb, then stop

and go to your porch, and back to the vehicle with the food, and do this 800 times....Well I think you get the idea. We will never get in. If you live in the country, please do the same and put the food under or in your mail box to be picked up.

What we have been told is the food bank needs canned goods. Preferably canned meat, but any type canned food would be great.

Nothing perishable. It will be stored for a period of time and will spoil. The only thing they have at this time is corn and peas and not much of that. We want to make this a success for our community. They will be needing more than there is now, just for Thanksgiving.

Again if you wish to bring it in early that's fine. Come in by the 20th and see how much food there is in our lobby.

You are invited to attend a Wedding Shower

to honor

Jennifer Covington

bride-elect of Allan White

on Saturday, November 9

from 10:30-12:00 noon

at the home of Francis Biles, 104 Wanda Dr.

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Selections at Gordon's Drug and Celebrate

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Hansford County Community Calendar

November 7-16

Thursday, November 7

8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. - Gruver Health Fair, Gruver Medical Clinic
12:00 p.m. - Hansford County Library closed for the afternoon
5:00 p.m. - Spearman JH vs. Boys Ranch - There
5:00 p.m. - Gruver JH vs. Claude - There
6:00 p.m. - Gruver JV vs. Canadian - There
8:00 p.m. - Spearman JV vs. Boys Ranch - There

Friday, November 8

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. - FNB Hosts Fall Celebration Luncheon
7:30 p.m. - Spearman vs. Boys Ranch - Here
7:30 p.m. - Gruver vs. Claude - Here

Saturday, November 9

10:30 a.m. - Women's Division Style Show, O'Loughlin Center

Sunday, November 10

2:00 p.m. - Kristi Holt's Music Students' Recital, Gruver Methodist Church
3:30 p.m. - Kristi Holt's Music Students' Recital, Gruver Methodist Church

Monday, November 11-Friday, November 15

Spearman Elementary Book Fair

Monday, November 11

Gruver 4-H Food & Nutrition Project - UMC Fellowship Hall
10:00 a.m. - Spearman Veteran's Day Program - Varsity Gym
10:00 a.m. - Commissioners Court
2:00 p.m. - Museum Board Meets, Ft. Zulu Museum
7:00 p.m. - SISD Board Meets

Tuesday, November 12

Spearman 4-H Food & Nutrition Project - Church of Christ Fell. Hall
12:00-1:15 p.m. - Parent's Day at Spearman Jr. High
2:00 p.m. - Palo Duro River Authority Board Meets
6:00-8:00 p.m. - Parent's Night at Spearman Elementary
8:00 p.m. - Pringle-Morse CISD Board Meets

Wednesday, November 13

12:00 p.m. - Women's Division Executive Board Meets
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, November 14

7:00 p.m. - Hansford County Hospital Board Meeting
Perryton JV Tournament

Friday, November 15

Texas Recycles Day
Perryton JV Tournament

Saturday, November 16

Perryton JV Tournament

Happy Birthday!

November 7 Birthdays - Dr. Earl Novak, Gerald McBride, Gary McCalman, Cleo Cotter, Kurt Bynum, Megan Woolley, Lee Roy Mitchell, Jerry Tope, Haley Lombard, Pam Largent Ortega, Matthew Jarvis

Anniversaries - Victor & Debbie Schuman, Ruben & Veronica Gomez, Mr. & Mrs. Lyle Coons

November 8 Birthdays - Donnie Davis, Polly Jones, Tara Shapley, Manda Winger, Sharon Reed, Santiago DeLaCruz, Kaylee Wheeler, Nathan Hanson, Linda Burke, Megan Stejda, Kristi Medford, Manda Simmons, D.A. Cator, Corey Fletcher

Anniversaries - Danny & DeLinda McLoughlin

November 9 Birthdays - Mark Deakin, Tracey Smith, Gloria Alicia Alvarez, Charolette Ford, Winnie Carol Allen, Jasmine Bravo, Samuel Hanson, Shanna Dillard, Jessica Nicole Vela, Eloise Renner, Joe Mayo, Alfredo Mendoza, Forrest Acker

Anniversaries - Dennis & Marilyn Cline

November 10 Birthdays - Alfred Bayless, Jess Rudolph, Rick Yanke, Buddy Hopper, Bernard Dosssett, Caraly Garza, Cynthia Arnold, Marilyn Wilson, Candace Sharpe, Guadalupe Trejo, Cathy Smith, Galin Guthrie, Sam Gruver, Galin Guthrie

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Gary Papay

November 11 Birthdays - Luke Miller, Pat Overbey, Andres Rodriguez, Nichole Shearer, Matthew Stork, Tye Womble, Charles Ross III, Lois Gibner, Harriet Hutchison, Kyril Hergert, Goldie Tucker, Heath Hergert, Callie Barkley, Samantha Cazarez, Bill Watts, Liz Hickerson, Matthew Brown, Andres Rodriguez

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Billy Snider, Mr. & Mrs. Monty Black

November 12 Birthdays - Jennie Blankenship, Monty Cassidy, Benjamin Karlin, Ina Soapes, Bob Zimmer, Jo Nell Comegys, Cindy Avila, Sophia DeLuna, John Jackson, Helen Ory, Angie Thompson, Marolyn Scroggs, Brent Sanders, Dennis Crawford, Erica Alvarez, Buffy Adkins, Rose Iserhower, Tommy Pepper

Anniversaries - Slim & Mary Cates

November 13 Birthdays - Lucy Alvarez, Angela Grotegut, Paulette Watkins, Rhonda Williams, Michelle Garnett, Jay Bird, Rhonda Matthews, Carly Shieldknight, Andra Camille Brown, Kent Hargis, Amy Reed, Joseph Burch, Richard Nicholas, Cally Riethmayew, Hector DeSantiago

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Juan Avila, Mr. & Mrs. Preston Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Don Morley

November 14 Birthdays - Lilly Fletcher, Lisa Melyn Johnson, Luke Johnson, Missy Johnson, Ray Martin, Ricky Sharp, Carl Kunselman, Rhonda Tope, Norma Payne, Dolly McWhirter, Sandy Morris, Roy Pipkin, Connie Freiks, Mark Love, Jessica Crossland, Bill Jessup, Cora Knutson, Adela White, John Patterson, Judy Yarbrough

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Benny Bradvick, Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Hanson, Mr. & Mrs. Dave Barkley, Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Thompson

November 15 Birthdays - Pam Shearer, R.D. (Doc) Tomlison, Debbie Clawson, J.T. Pond, Virginio Ortega, Rudy Zamora, Kiki Kelp, Carolyn Sadler, Jeremy Hunter, Rue Sanders, Brenda Vassar, Francis Balderama

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Richard Pipkin, Mr. & Mrs. Irene Avld

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Doris Bechthold Born

Doris Bechthold Born, 57, died Wednesday, October 30, 1996. Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday, November 1, 1996 in Full Gospel Church with the Reverend Harrol Waterbury, pastor, the Reverend Tim Buschman, assistant pastor, and the Reverend Bill Sparks officiating. Burial was in Heart Cemetery at Booker. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Born was born in Beaver, Oklahoma, and had been a lifetime resident of the Perryton area. She married Arthur L. Born in 1956 at Booker. She and her husband operated Garton and Born Ready-Mix from 1968 to 1973 and Born's Furniture and Draper from 1973 to 1978. In 1978, they purchased Spearman and Perryton Ready-Mix and were currently operating it. She was the bookkeeper for the business.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Cynthia Howell. Survivors include her husband; two sons, Lyndon Born and Leslie Born, both of Perryton; three brothers, Ernest Bechthold, Paul Bechthold, and Elmer Bechthold, all of Booker; a sister, Louise Brown of Boise City, Oklahoma; nine grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be to the Cynthia Jean Born Howell Memorial Fund c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box 337, Spearman, Texas 79081.

Luther Charles "Chuck" Smith

Luther Charles "Chuck" Smith, 20, died Monday, November 4, 1996 at Spearman.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday, November 8, 1996 in the First Christian Church of Spearman with arrangements by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home with Elmer Clark Delozier officiating.

Chuck was born November 30, 1975 in Spearman. Family includes two sons of Lubbock, his mother, Janice Mach of Spearman, a brother Jeff Smith of Lubbock, a sister Tina Smith and his grandmother, Alice Goodman both of Spearman, three nieces and numerous uncles, aunts and cousins.

The family requests your prayers.

Thank You

We would like to thank B&B Sales for the use of the portable cattle panel for the jail house at the fall carnival. All the proceeds went to the Girl Scouts for the support of the Little House.

We would also like to thank Wayne McCubbin and Glen Powers for their help.

Thanks to all who came out and supported us in the name of fun.

Lisa, Ashley, and Amy Powers, and Debbie L. Hornsby

D.L. Atchison

D.L. Atchison, 68, died Saturday, November 2, 1996. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, November 5, 1996, in Odessa, Texas with the Reverend Rex Clayton officiating. Burial was in Sunset Memorial Gardens by Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home Chapel.

Mr. Atchison was born in his parents home near Hollis, Oklahoma on February 27, 1928.

Mr. Atchison owned and operated Property Damage Appraisers. He was an avid bass fisherman who liked meeting and visiting with other people.

He married Laura Frances Taylor in 1948 in Perryton, Texas at her parents home.

Survivors include his wife; a son Danny Atchison of Odessa, Texas, one daughter, Diana Atchison Rhinehart of Carrollton, Texas, his mother, Ann Atchison of Spearman, Texas, 2 grandchildren, Dawn Atchison and Ryan Atchison both of Odessa, Texas.

Thank You

I want to thank Dr. Tamayo and the wonderful nurses, Respiratory Therapists, Physical Therapists, and the rest of the hospital staff for their excellent care while I was in the the Hansford Hospital. I want to thank my family for staying by my side through the ordeal. I also want to express my sincere appreciation to everyone for their prayers, cards, and visits all of which have aided my recovery.

God Bless You,
Dorothy Lusby

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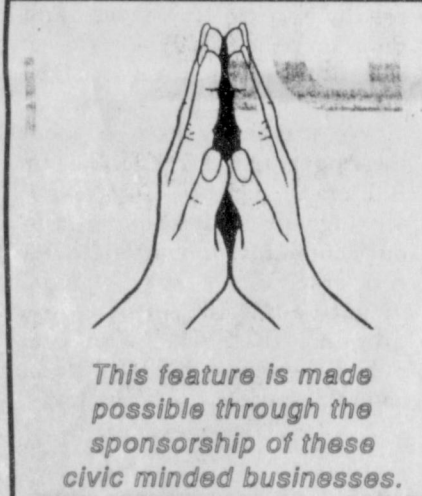
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Focus On The Family

QUESTION: What causes sibling rivalry?

DR. DOBSON: Sibling rivalry is not new, of course. The underlying source of this conflict is old-fashioned jealousy and competition between children.

Marguerite and Willard Beecher, writing in their book *Parents on the Run*, expressed the inevitability of this struggle as follows:

"It was once believed that if parents would explain to a child that he was having a little brother or sister, he would not resent it. He was told that his parents enjoyed him so much that they wanted to increase their happiness. This was supposed to avoid jealous competition and rivalry.

"It did not work. Why should it? Needles to say, if a man tells his wife he has loved her so much that he now plans to bring another wife into the home 'to increase his happiness,' she would not be immune to jealousy. On the contrary, the fight would just begin--in exactly the same fashion it does with children."

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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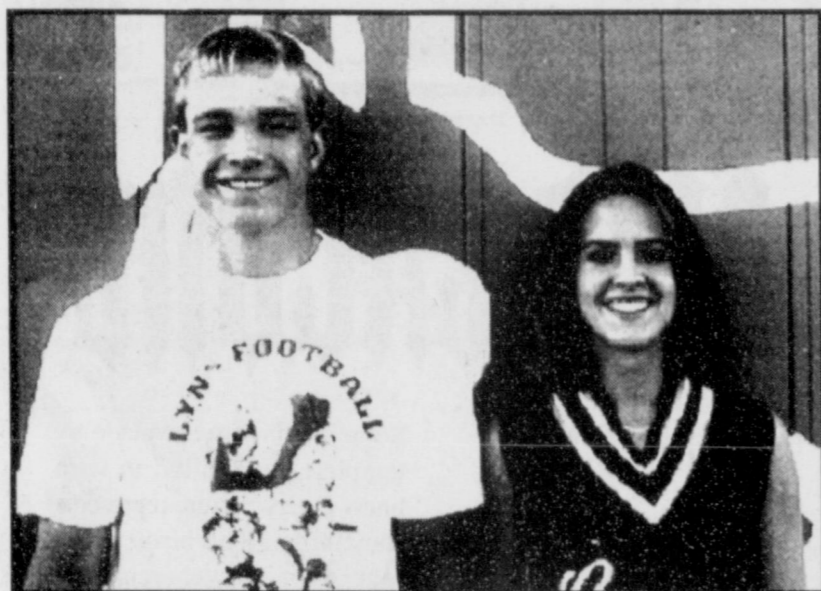


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OCTOBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH ANNOUNCED



By STACY DELACRUZ

For the month of October, Spearman High School would like to congratulate Samantha Beasley and Blake Beedy for their hard work and excellence.

Samantha Beasley, a senior, is the daughter of Ed and Jan Williamson and Jim Beasley. Samantha has received numerous awards since she has attended Spearman High School. She has received the English I Honors award, English II Honors award, World History award, Advanced Food Science award, English III Honors award, Biology II award, and the Algebra II Honors award.

Not only does Samantha excel in school, but is also very athletic. Samantha has played varsity basketball since her freshman year, and has run Cross Country for three years. She also has been a cheerleader for four years, and has been head cheerleader for two years.

Samantha is a member of NHS where she serves as treasurer, and is also a member of FCA and Spanish Club.

Blake Beedy, a senior, is the son of Jeff and Shelly Beedy. Blake has also received a multitude of awards such as the Xerox Scholarship award, and the Outstanding Tennis award.

Not only is he very academic, but he has also played varsity football for two years, and has played varsity tennis for four years.

Blake says the biggest honor which he has received was being chosen to attend the World Affairs Seminar in Whitewater, Wisconsin this past summer.

After high school he plans to attend Texas A&M or Texas Tech University and major in Business Management.

Samantha and Blake will be rewarded also with a lunch provided by the Rotary Club.

SHS is very proud of Samantha and Blake's personal achievements and would like to acknowledge a job well done!

SJHS Band Brings Home a II

By BRANDI WILLIS

On Saturday, October 20, the Spearman High School Band came home toting a well deserved division II after a U.I.L. competition in Borger.

Practice for band members began in August before school started. On Monday nights practice was held for 1 to 2 hours, and Friday night half-times proved good run-throughs for the show.

This year's show included the themes from Andrew Lloyd Webber's Broadway hit "The Phantom of the Opera." The first song, the main title, was "The Phantom of the Opera," followed by the percussion break "Think of Me." The third piece played was the romantic "The Music of the Night," and the conclusion of the show was "Finale."

Marching in the contest was longer and more complex due to the length of the show. For U.I.L. competition, no show can be over 10 minutes long, or else the band will be dis-

qualified. The marching consisted of geometric figures

marched in time to the music.

1996 is the first year Spearman has had the opportunity to compete in the annual marching contest at Borger and marks the first year of great ratings. Three judges rate band on a basis of I to V, I being superior. Spearman's marks this year were II-II-I, giving Spearman a division II, which is excellent. "The ratings are terrific," said band director Randy Willis, "especially since this is our first year to compete. I am very pleased." Sophomore Jennifer Laxson stated, "For all the work we've put into this, I believe that this band will be even better next year."

All in all, the SHS band did a great job at the U.I.L. competition in Borger. Through motivation and hard work, a great rating was earned and awarded.



THERE IS NO "I" IN TEAM: Spearman's JV football team makes the TEAM effort in tackling a Wildcat.

SJHS Introduces New Accelerated Reader Program

By TERESA GOMEZ

Reading is not what most students picture themselves doing in their free time, and often teachers have a difficult time getting students to do their reading assignments, but at Spearman Junior High, students in Mrs. Baker's reading classes have shown great interest in reading and are very excited about the new Accelerated Reading Program.

The Accelerated Reading Program (A.R.) is a program in which students read books designated as A.R. books. After reading a book, a student must take a computer test over the book he or she has read.

Each book is weighted and assigned a level. According to the level of the book, a point value is given and the number of test questions answered correctly determines the points a student will receive. At the end of a six weeks, the student's points are added up, and an equivalent grade is averaged in with the student's other grades in Reading class. For the second six weeks, the A.R. grade is one-third of a student's total average in Reading. The scale used to determine a grade according to the number of points earned will increase each six weeks.

The Accelerated Reading Program is designed to: improve TAAS scores, build

higher order thinking skills, motivate students to read more, foster a life-long love of reading, and increase the enjoyment of reading.

At the end of this six weeks, the students will be having a sundae party. The points earned will determine what part(s) of the sundae each student will get. For 5-9 points, a student will get a bowl. For 10-14 points, a student will get a bowl and spoon. For 15-19 points, a student will get a bowl, spoon, and a scoop of ice cream, and the list goes on.

As an extra incentive, the ten seventh graders and ten eighth graders with the most points earned by December 10th will be able to go to Amarillo on December 12th to see the Lone Star Ballet's production of *The Nutcracker*.

When asked how she feels about the A.R. Program and its success at SJHS, Mrs. Baker said, "The Accelerated Reading Program seems too good to be true. The students are enjoying reading, plus all the students can be successful with this. I'm thrilled that is going over so well!"

The Accelerated Reading Program has so far proved to be very successful. It will continue through the end of the school year. Congratulations are extended to SJHS. Keep up the good work!



Visitors to SHS are greeted in the main hall by this beautiful spirit tree made by the cheerleaders.

SHS HAS NEW PROGRAM

By MARIBEL MARTINEZ

Students in our generation can join a variety of organizations. SHS has added one more to the long list. The Community Resource Service Program is a program that will let students have a say in what goes on in school and in the community.

Last February 29, 1996, nine Spearman citizens met to discuss some areas of concern. As a result of this meeting and with an approval of a grant from the Criminal Justice Division, a community planning group and a community resource coordinator was formed.

Cindy Blackman has been chosen to be the full-time Community Resource Coordinator. She will be in charge of the Community Resource Service Program. Her job will be to work with the school district, city, county, local businesses, churches, and private individuals.

"I will coordinate programs within the community that will address certain problem areas and involve activities that will

bring both the youth and community together," Mrs. Blackman said.

The Community Resource Service Program will create a Student Youth for Community Change board of directors. Two representatives from each class will be chosen to work with Mrs. Blackman, Gary Ellsworth, and the community. They will perform activities during the Christmas break, plan weekend activities and assemblies at school, and address some areas of concern.

The program will open the door to other areas as well. It will offer GED classes, plan summer programs and activities, address Alcohol Abuse, and present a variety of programs. Students will also be able to do volunteer work through the program.

"We'll start as soon as we have some volunteers and officers are elected. That should be before the Thanksgiving holidays," she said. "If anyone wants to volunteer or has any ideas, they can come by and see me at my office here at SHS."

Coming Up Next

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| NOVEMBER | 18 7th, 8th, 9th girls-TH-7th, 8th, 9th boys-H-Canadian 5:00 |
| 8 End of 2nd six weeks Boys Ranch-H- 7:30* | 19 JV Varsity boys 5:00 8:00 JV Varsity girls 5:00 8:00 Wheeler |
| *DENOTES DISTRICT GAME | 21-23 Varsity boys-TH-Perryton tour. TBA |
| 11 White Deer 5:00 -TH-7th, 8th, 9th girls Beginning of 3rd six weeks Veteran's Day Program 10:00 | 22 9th girls & boys 5:00 JV boys 6:30 JV Varsity girls 6:30 8:00 Gruver-TH- |
| 12 JV Varsity boys 5:00 8:00 JV Varsity girls 5:00 8:00 Booker-H- | 25 7th, 8th, 9th girls-H-7th, 8th, 9th boys-TH-Sunray 5:00 |
| 12-16 FFA National Convention | 26 JV Varsity boys-H-5:00 8:00 JV Varsity girls 5:00 6:30 |
| 14-16 7th, 8th, 9th girls & boys Perryton tour. -TH-TBA | Guymon Basketball and Club Pictures |
| 15 Last day of yearbook sales Varsity boys-H- 7:30 Varsity Girls-TH-6:00 Borger | 27-29 NO SCHOOL THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY |

You Said It!

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HONEY, I SHRUNK THE KIDS. I have seen it four times.
ANNA VILLAREAL - JUNIOR

THE CROW: CITY OF ANGELS. I liked the music.
MICHELLE OCHOA - SOPHOMORE

JURASSIC PARK. It rules!!
JASON GILLEY - FRESHMAN

Out At The Lake



by Dorothy Hudson

Lake Depth--November 4, 1996--46 feet and 7 inches

This is a drop of 8 inches for the second week in a row, and a drop of slightly more than 6 feet since September 20.

Jim took the picture of the blue or scaled quail near the shop building. There are coveys at the shop and the office both. These little cotton topped quail are about 10 inches high with both sexes looking alike. Whereas the bob white quail make a very distinctive "bob white" call, the blues make a sound more like "back-off" with the accent on the second syllable.

Quail usually have an excellent sentry system on the alert while the rest of the covey is feeding. The sentinel may try to lead an enemy away with a broken wing act. The convey will roost in a tightly packed group with their heads pointed outward. This conserves body warmth as well as

being an all night sentry system. Ken Seffert, a birder from Amarillo, wrote that he had seen a Canada goose, a snow goose, and an immature bald eagle on a recent rip to Lake Palo Duro. Jim reported seeing 2 bald eagles on Friday.

Some of us have been discussing whether Lucerne, located on Hannas Draw some 8 miles southwest of Gruver, would count as a third ghost town in Hansford County, along with Farwell and Old Hansford. Both Dotty Jones' *A Search for Opportunity* and *first Hansford County History* have a paragraph on Lucerne on page 17. The post office was opened in 1909 and closed in 1914. There was a two story hotel, later moved to Gruver, a general store, livery stable, and a school house.

Bob Cluck, T.J. Bergin, and C.A. Davis all say that soldiers were stationed at Lucerne for some reason. C.A. adds that his paternal grandfather was one of the soldiers, and that is why his father Charley and Charley's mother came here to join him. Don Hudson has suggested that perhaps there was a remount station at Lucerne with the army buying and breaking horses. Can anyone clear up this part of the puzzle?



Dawn Loomis receives her Girl Scout Silver Award, which is being pinned on by Charles McIver.

Dawn Loomis, a member of Girl Scout Cadette/Senior Troop 127, recently earned the Silver Award.

The silver award is the second highest award a cadette/senior can earn. In addition to earning several badges, a girl must do numerous service projects, earn the "From Dreams to Reality", "Cadette Girl Scout Leadership Award", the "Cadette Girl Scout Challenge", and do the silver award project. For the "Dreams to Reality", the scouter works in the

area of careers and future plans. The "Cadette Girl Scout Challenge" deals with 5 different sections - knowing myself better, relating to others better, developing values for living, knowing scouting and contributing to my community. Each section has specific requirements and hours of service. The "Cadette Girl Scout Leadership Award" reviews leadership qualities and roles.

Dawn had to complete a minimum of 25 hours of

Loomis Earns Silver Award

leadership in 2 or more different areas. After all of these requirements were complete the silver award project was chosen to fit Dawn's interests. Dawn chose to assist in the Hansford County Library with her art talent. Under the guidance of Hansford County Librarian, Sheri Benton, Dawn designed and implemented the construction of several reusable bulletin boards. After these were completed, the Girl Scout Silver Award report form was filled out by Dawn, with assistance from her troop leader, Carolyn Cummings. It was then submitted to council.

Many hours were logged on the badges, special requirements and the project. Dawn has been a scout for 9 years. She has attended the Atomic Energy Badge and Trek, several Girl Scout camps, various

council overnights and was a delegate to the district meeting. She also won the council art contest that resulted in her paintings being displayed in the Rotunda of the Oklahoma State Capital building. (Hansford County is a member of the Yucca Girl Scout Council in Guymon, Oklahoma. Therefore, the winning entry was displayed in Oklahoma.)

Dawn is the daughter of Charles and Annette McIver of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Loomis of Moreland, Oklahoma.

Dawn joins other Spearman silver award winners including Regina Biggers, Vanessa Biggs, Mandy Hetzler, Tracy Powers and Kelli Cummings. All of us extend congratulations to Dawn Loomis on a job well done!

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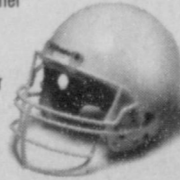
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Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Glory Hallelujah!!!!
Now this country will "Build a Bridge to the 21st Century" as a result of the election.

Er - would any one of the 343 in this county who voted for this miracle be kind enough to explain to those who didn't vote for it-what does it mean?

Margaret and Cecil Ralston are back from a recent 14 day cross-country trip. They first drove to Stillwater, Oklahoma where their granddaughter, Tisha, daughter of the Dan Ralstons, is in the university.

They have good friends in several states and visited them, first in Illinois then in Dayton, Ohio. Later they were guests of other friends in Harrisburg and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

In Baltimore, Maryland they met Arnold and Sherry Beck, of Goodwill, who flew in as did their son, Mike Ralston, of Dallas. They enjoyed much sight seeing which included Hershey, Pennsylvania which is the headquarters of the Hershey candy.

After they returned to Baltimore, the Becks flew home and Mike and his parents drove back to Tulsa. They stopped en route to St. Louis for more tours and were impressed by the noted Gateway Arch there.

Mike flew from Tulsa back to Dallas where he is employed with the Texas Agricultural Department.

They were fortunate that the weather was ideal and in some places the fall foliage was in full color.

Kelly and Khristi Jones of Amarillo spent the past week-end with her parents, Ray and Carolyn Gressett.

During the week-end they spoke by phone to their son, Jeffrey Gressett, in Jedda, Sauda Arabia. He teaches in a near-by town of Rabhah for Armc Co Oil Company. All is well with him which is always a relief to his parents, with the uneasy situation that exists now in that country.

It was Halloween eve and all the ghosts and goblins were out, and the Agco feed mill was locked and dark as was the truck inside. Some was seen coming from the building by Rejino Vasquez who lives on the premises just east of Spearman on highway 15. He had been to the football game to watch his son who is on the team.

After locating the source of the smoke-the cab of the truck, he notified the local fire department. Although the truck was destroyed, the prompt firemen were able to extinguish the blaze so that the mill was not destroyed, according to Jimmy Shieldknight.

So modern technology was blamed; the Halloween spooks are in the clear.

Marva and Bob Hohertz were relieved to learn that their daughter, Lynn, had a good report from her recent orthoscopic surgery. She was hospitalized in Houston for only three days about two weeks ago.

Lynn expects to return to her duties at Baylor School of Medicine by November 18.

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Jancie Banister, Joan and Ashley Brown, Dorothy Lusby, Donita and Mandi Lusby attended a bridal shower in Canadian on Saturday. It was in honor of Donna Nash and James Edward Lusby and was held in the Emerald House. The wedding will be in December.

DeLinda and Danny McLaughlin; Sharon and A.D. Reed; Charlotte and Dan Pearson attended a wedding on Sunday in Dimmitt. It was in the Baptist Church and united Darlene Wooten and Bob Walters.

Mr. Walters has been a farrier in this county for more than 30 years and is well known to all horse owners in the area.

During the week-end guests of Kim and Joe Vanderburg were her parents, Herman and Beverly Boone of Miami. They came to help celebrate Kim's birthday.

The Boones, former residents of Spearman are both retired. He as County Agent of Roberts County and she as a teacher.

Gregg Odegaard and five year old son, Caleb, are marveling that they were not injured when the pick-up they were in overturned 1 1/2 times. On Friday they were east of FM 760 at an intersection of a caliche and paved road, when he slammed on his brakes to avoid a collision with another pick-up. The sudden braking caused his vehicle to swing sideways and over turn. The other pick-up was not involved and continued.

Other than some minor abrasions and stiffness, neither

were injured though their pick-up was heavily damaged. Caleb was quite clam, but when they were rolling, he did ask "Daddy, what are you doing?"

Guests of Belinda and Bob McGaha this week are her parents Gene and Jenean Ward of Gustline, Texas. They came to share in an important occasion in the life of their ten year old grandson, Kylie McGaha. He was baptized into the First Baptist Church of Spearman on Sunday.

The Spearman 8th grade went on a field trip on Monday to tour the Asarco Copper Refinery in Amarillo. Two buses took about 60 students and sponsors, Principal Jim Jones, and teachers Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Swink.

It was a pleasant outing with fine weather and lunch in Thompson park. The students took much interest in the refinery tour recognizing the aspect of a livelihood much different from agricultural occupations in the area.

One student, Kyle McLaughlin, when questioned, thought the most lasting impression he had was the tremendous heat, 1700 degrees Fahrenheit, required in the smelting process, and the most unpleasant was the foul odor.

Most of the students were not favorably impressed with it for a career.

With reference to the first paragraph in this column--there has been an answer. If the candidate who is going to build a bridge to the 21st century had not been elected--the U.S. would NOT ever reach the 21st century.

Stedje To Attend FFA Convention

Scott Stedje of the Gruver FFA Chapter has been selected to represent the Texas FFA Association as an official voting delegate at the 69th National FFA Convention. Stedje is one of fifty delegates from Texas who will conduct the business of the national association at the annual convention November 14-16, in Kansas City, Missouri.



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Veteran's Day Program

The Family and Community Education Council of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will host a Veteran's Day Program on Monday, November 11, 1996 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. in the Varsity Gym.

The program will begin with a flag ceremony by the National Guard Co., 2nd Infantry, of Pampa.

Mr. James Cunningham will welcome all guests and veterans.

The Spearman High School Choirs will perform "Let Freedom Ring" and "I Am America," under the direction of Mrs. Becky Byers. The 7th grade band, under the direction of Mr. Randy Willis, will play "American Fantasy."

Mr. Danny Ellis will lead the Spearman Elementary choirs in "My Country 'Tis of Thee," "America the Beautiful," "Election Day," and "Texas Our Texas." The 8th grade band will perform "Spirit of America."

Bob Izzard, area radio and television personality, will speak at the event. His late father, Wesley Izzard, was the former editor-in-chief of the Amarillo Globe-News. The elder Izzard delivered his first radio newscast in Amarillo in the 1900's. The younger Izzard gave his first Amarillo television newscast in 1953.

Izzard is a member of the Amarillo World War II Commemorative Committee, which operates under the authority of the U.S. Department of Defense and the office of the mayor of Amarillo.

The committee objective is to reeducate our area on World War II events.

Izzard was a fighter pilot in the Army Air corps serving in the European Theater of Operations during six campaigns. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Purple Heart, the Air Medal with 14 Oak Clusters and the Presidential Unit Citation. He also is a member of the U.S. Air Force Escape and Evasion Society.

Izzard also has written several books including: "Texas Trails of the Red River War"; "McClellan: Baldwin's Battle"; and "Adobe Walls Battle".

The program will conclude with "Salute to Freedom", and "God

Bless America", performed by the Spearman High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Willis. Pastor Jeff Lust will close with the benediction, followed by "TAPS," performed by the High School Band.

Gruver Faces Mustangs

The Gruver Greyhounds faced a difficult and undefeated Wheeler Mustang team in Wheeler this past Friday night.

The Greyhounds were able to post points on the board, gaining a total of 12 against the Mustangs. The Gruver team picked up 12 first downs and 202 total yards with 128 yards rushing and 74 yards passing.

Jim Potts put Gruver on the scoreboard in the second quarter

on a 4 yard run.

Brant Armes continued his very good season by scoring a touchdown in the third quarter on a 4 yard run.

This game brings the Greyhounds to a 2-2 district season.

The final score was 35-12. The Greyhounds meet Claude Friday night at the Greyhound Stadium at 7:30.

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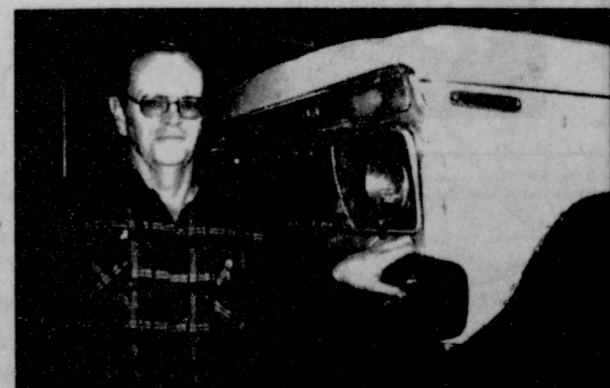
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Spearman Elementary APT Visits High School Library

By LACEY MIESNER

On October 11 the Spearman Elementary APT class visited the high school library. The class consisted of 23 students from grades 2-5. Mrs. Rowland, their teacher, assigned the students an independent study report. They had come to the library to gather information for these reports. The reports were over topics that the students were interested in. Their reports must be presented in some other form than a written report such as a handmade filmstrip or

puppet show. The students arrived at 1:10 p.m. and left about 2:30 p.m. They were using the ProQuest/Magazine Express computer to find more information about their topics. They were all very enthusiastic, and got very excited when they found current information in a magazine about their topic. "The high school library here was much more helpful, and the computer systems are neat. Also, the bells are very different," commented Ashlee Flowers and Jentry Edwards. The students enjoyed visiting the neat library.



Junior Jaime Townsend is seen here giving blood during the SHS Student Council Blood Drive on October 30. A total of 62 pints of blood was collected.

NEW FACES APPEAR AT SPEARMAN ELEMENTARY

BY JULIE SCROGGS

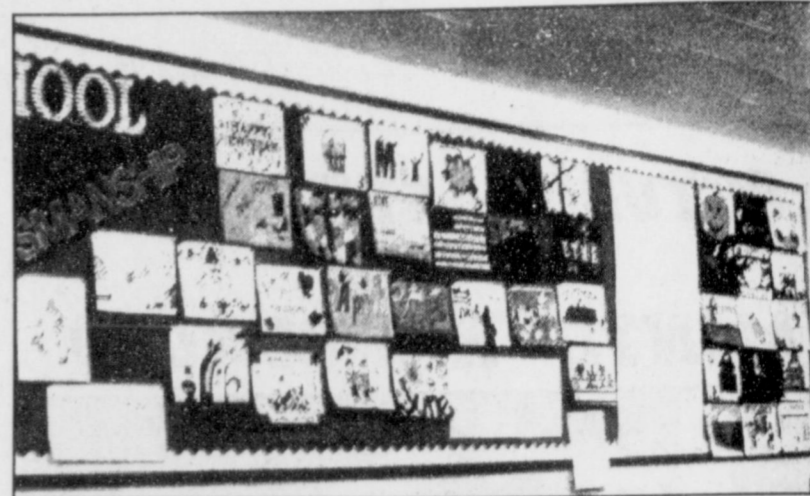
Amy Largent and Cindy Henderson are two new additions to Spearman Elementary this year.

Amy Largent coaches elementary P.E., seventh, eighth, and JV basketball, and JV cross country. Her parents are Dale and Donna Largent who live in DeBeque, Colorado, and she also has a twin brother, Aaron. Her family remains close although distance separates them. Because she comes from a strong Christian background, she was a youth leader last year at Grand Junction High School. She said she enjoys looking forward to help-

ing the youth programs here. Her hobbies include: basketball, volleyball, tennis, softball, mountain bike riding, water skiing, camping, reading, and working with kids.

Cindy Henderson is a fourth grade math teacher and a fifth grade reading teacher. Ms. Henderson likes teaching because she believes it makes a difference in the world. She also feels that the children we teach today are our future for tomorrow. Her advice to children is to have a good education and to love learning and reading.

Ms. Largent and Ms. Henderson are excellent educators. Keep up the good work!



ART GALORE

By BECKY PORTER

On December 1, some art students of Spearman High School will see if they are chosen to be \$50.00 richer. Some of Mrs. Henton's art students chose to enter their artwork in the Don Harrington Circle of Friends art contest. To enter, each participant had to choose a month of the year and draw something that represents that month. The student body was able to view the art work for a few days. Not only was there contest material to view, but other drawing as well. The drawings were made by Art I and II students.

Some pictures were made by templates and filled in with lines. Every picture represents something. The birds represent nature, flowers represent values of objects, and tennis shoes represent the person who drew them. Other drawings included people holding objects, half of peoples faces from magazines and the other half drawn by the students and some self-portraits. We would like

to offer good luck and good job to the students and Mrs. Henton. Students and faculty, next time you're out "ROMING THE HALLS," stop by and see all the artwork.



SHS Choir Members Participate in Competition

By BRANDI BURCH

After many hours of preparation, eight Spearman High School Choir members traveled to Borger High on September 21 to participate in the District level of competition of the Texas All-State Choir process. Cary Alvarado was chosen among twenty Alto's I's and Landree Woodward was chosen among twenty Soprano I's to go to the All-Region auditions.

Cary and Landree prepared for the All-Region Choir Audition held in Amarillo on October 26.

Landree Woodward made the All-Region Choir, and she will participate in the Pre-Area Competition in December.

Mrs. Lusby-Byers was quoted as saying, "Congratulations to Landree and Cary! As the director of this group, I must also say that I was impressed with the six who were not selected in the District audition. Though they had not made the cut, they cheered for and hugged Landree and Cary congratulating them. This was a proud show of good sportsman and team support. I look forward to working with all these students in the months to come."



Cheryl Gibson is seen here sporting her bright orange bell bottoms for Blast'Em Back to the Past Day at SJHS.

Club News

T.A.F.E. recently elected officers. The 1996-97 officers are:

PRESIDENT
Mindy Tigrett

VICE-PRESIDENT
Brea Archer

SECRETARY
Stacy DeLaCruz

TREASURER
Jennifer Laxson

The National Honor Society members took their annual fall trip on October 28. They went to Amarillo, had supper at the OUTBACK, and went to a movie.

The FHA members and sponsor would like to thank all the people who supported them at the potato supper on October 25. More than three hundred people were served. Thanks!

MOCI PROFILES

BY JULIE SCROGGS

Name: Shari Smith
Grade: 12
Parent's Name: Rickey and Sandee Smith
Where do you work? Kid's Stuff
What do you do there? Help customers, put clothes out, and other odds and ends
How long have you worked at Kid's Stuff? 3 years
On the average, how many hours do you work a week? 15 hours
What are the advantages and disadvantages of having an after school job? All of my friends are out, and I am still working, but I am making my own money.
What are your plans for the future? I am going to the Arts Institution and majoring in Fashion Marketing.
Do you have a personal motto? If so, what is it and why? Live life to the fullest, there might not be a tomorrow.

Name: D.J. Pollard
Grade: 12
Parent's Name: Jerry and Wanda Pollard
Where do you work? B&B Sales Co.
What do you do there? Cashier, customer service
How long have you worked at B&B? 4 months
On the average, how many hours do you work a week? 25 hours
What are the advantages and disadvantages of having an after school job? Advantages are extra money, and it keeps me out of trouble. The disadvantages are I don't have as much spare time.
What are your plans for the future? I plan on going to Central Bible College or Valley Forge Christian University and to work with children.
Do you have a personal motto? If so, what is it and why? Never compromise. People who compromise only take half a step forward instead of a full step.

Name: Brandon Morgan
Grade: 11
Parent's Name: Delbert and Dianna Flanders
Where do you work? Lowe's Marketplace
What do you do there? Sack groceries and stock shelves
How long have you worked there? A year November 11th
On the average, how many hours do you work a week? 33
What are the advantages and disadvantages of having an after school job? The advantages are the money, learning responsibility, and getting ready for the real world.
What are your plans for the future? I plan to go to the military for a couple of years and then go to college.



Thanks!!

The Spearman High School Student Council would like to thank the people who donated prizes for our Halloween Dance on November 2nd. The costume contest was much more fun due to the fun prizes that were awarded. Special thanks goes to The Video Hut, MurMur's, The Dairy Queen, Gordon's Drug, and The Pizza Hut. We all enjoyed winning our prizes, and we will enjoy cashing in on them even more!!

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The Gruver Grapevine

by Harletta Carthel

Travis Bayless underwent surgery on Monday to repair his shoulder that was injured in a football game earlier this year. Travis, who was having a good year with the Hounds prior to his injury, is a junior. Fans can look forward to his return to football next season.

Tara Shapley, 1996 Gruver graduate, was presented as a pledge of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority of Texas Tech this past weekend.

Marian, David, and Roma Tomlinson were in attendance at the ceremony held at Godbold Cultural Center. Tara's older sister, Dala, was also a member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Several Gruver graduates were on hand Friday night to cheer for their younger brothers in the Hounds game with Wheeler. Making the trip were Angela Overbey of Canyon and Anne and Jeanne Potts of Amarillo. As a note of interest, Anne is an attorney working in the court of appeals in Amarillo for Judge John Boyd, and Jeanne is an English teacher at Amarillo Area Center for Advanced Learning.

KiKi Carthel, McMurry University freshman, placed 10th in the American Southwest Conference Cross Country meet. The McMurry team, which placed third in the meet, was the first cross country team fielded by the university.

Gruverites enjoyed seeing Ross Renner on the evening news last week. Ross was interviewed as he trained in marksmanship for the

Amarillo Police Department. He was recently chosen as one of 25 applicants from a field of 647 to enter the police-training academy.

Renner is a graduate of Abilene Christian University and has also served as special guard to the White House during his tour of with the Marines. He is the son of B.J. and Glenda Renner and the grandson of Vivian Green of Gruver.

Tasha Haight Hiles has recently published her second book of poetry. The Sticker Patch is available at Little Tiffanie's. Much of Tasha's inspiration for her books has come from her life, family, and friends in Gruver. Tasha's parents are Charles and Linda Haight.

A banquet honoring GHS seniors will be given by the Church of Christ Monday, November 11, at 7:00 in the church's fellowship hall.

Gruver schools currently have four student teachers. Melissa Sutterfield and Debbie George, both of Spearman, are currently working with kindergarten and first grade classes. Belinda McGaha, also of Spearman, is working with second grade. Amy Prose, of Liberal, is assisting in elementary music classes and high school band.

A recycling program was presented to the Gruver elementary students on Tuesday by Laura Hoffman of the Recycling Company of the Panhandle. Mrs. Hoffman instructed the students on the items and methods of recycling. Also in conjunction with Recycling Week November 11-15,

Gruver Junior high students will be having a contest to see which grade can recycle the most plastic milk containers.

Ray and Louise Etter hosted an appreciation dinner in their home on Tuesday to honor the volunteer firemen of Gruver.

Bob Bort and all four of his children spent Sunday afternoon in the home of his mother, Jeanette. Akiko, Daniel, and Yuki are students at West Texas A&M University, and Lee and Bob are now Amarillo residents.

True Leatherman is doing well with his rehabilitation in Amarillo and is expected home this week.

A cushion and a blanket have been found at recent Gruver football games and may be claimed at the high school office.

**Good Luck
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Good Luck
Hounds**

Special tours to the Stationmasters House Museum can be arranged by calling Rubyjo or J.D. Wilbanks at 659-3084, Clementine Renner at 659-2335, or Helen Boyd at 733-2777.

Museum hours are Tuesday - Saturday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Morse Morsels

by Mildred Lewis

Pringle-Morse CISD held their 1996-97 Fall Festival on Tuesday, October 29, 1996. It began with a PTA supper at 5:30, followed by the carnival at 6:30 p.m.

Listed below are the booths and their sponsors: 8th grade - basketball toss; 7th grade - cake walk; 6th grade - pumpkin toss; 5th grade - halloween haystack and balloon dart board; 3rd and 4th grade - toy walk; 1st and 2nd grade - tombstone alley and a colorwheel; Kindergarten - duck pond; Pre-K - fish pond; P.T.A. - bingo (the booth was manned by the Morse Lion's Club). Everyone had a great time!

Congratulations goes out to Jarad Johnson who attends Gruver High School. He was chosen as Hansford County 4-H Gold Star Award winner at the Hansford County 4-H banquet. His dad, Kinton Johnson, is coach at Morse, and his mother, Janice, works at Morse Equity. He has one brother, Kirby, who also attends school in Gruver.

Congratulations to our Rosemary Parks who teaches school at West Texas High. She was chosen Who's Who Among American Teachers. Rosemary's husband, Wade Parks, is one of our leading farmers in the Morse Community. They have three sons, Dustin, who is a senior at West Texas High, Cris, who also attends school in Stinnett, and Chase, who is in the second grade at Pringle-Morse.

Monica and Emit Schmidt and children Evan and Jessica went to Denver, Colorado to take Jessica back for her check up. She is doing well. They also attended a cousin's wedding while there.

Although they missed the Denber Bronco football game, the Bronco's managed to win without them.

Joe and Maxine Reiswig celebrated their 49th anniversary on October 19th with a dinner party at the home of Judy and Ted Bouldin of Stratford. They also celebrated the birthdays of Judy and Maxine, who share the

birthday of October 21st. Granddaughters in attendance were Kimberly Bouldin of Lubbock and Kaylee Crawford of Gruver. Joe's sisters, Carolina Schick of Spearman and Miriam Gwalkney of Dallas, also attended.

Some of our people voted our Morsel Cafe a four star rating. The cafe has two great cooks; one of them cooks good pies, and the other cooks good cakes. They have a special every day and it's delicious. Come on out and eat with them in our Morse Town.



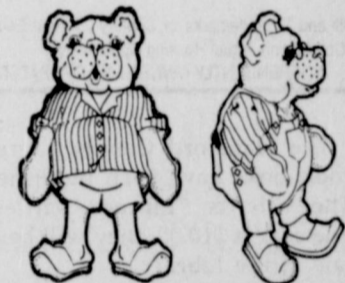
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Ochiltree County Christmas In November

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Salad Lunch ticket may be purchased at the door for \$4.00. Following the lunch, Jan Stevens, SPS Home Economist will present her Festive Foods demonstration with samples and a recipe book. During the day tables will be set up with other ideas for making from the clubs. For more information, contact the County Extension Office at 435-3831.



The official ribbon-cutting ceremony for C.J.'s Pizza of Gruver was held on Tuesday, October 29, 1996. Participating in the ceremony were: (Front) John Bennett; (Middle Row, L-R) Brandon Jones, co-owner Carla Jones, Gruver Chamber of Commerce President Al McNeely, and Paula Kelly; (Back Row, L-R) A.J. Ratliff, Nick Jordan, Tomara Moore, Paula Kizziar, co-owner Alan Jones, Trisha Fitzgerald, Mike Floyd, and Bill Hadley. C.J.'s Pizza is open for breakfast, Monday through Friday, 5:30 -10 a.m., and 6-10 a.m. on Saturday. Pizza hours are Tuesday through Thursday, 4-9 p.m., and 4-10 p.m., Friday and Saturday. The business is closed all day Sunday and Monday night.

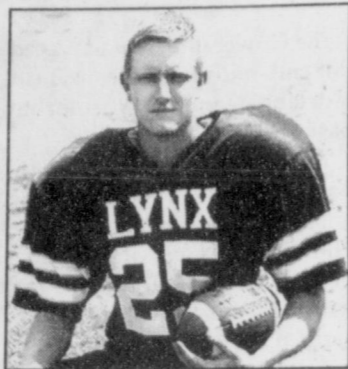
Pringle-Morse CISD School Menu

Breakfast
Monday, November 11
 Banana Muffin, Toast, Juice; Milk
Tuesday, November 12
 Cereal, Toast, Juice; Milk
Wednesday, November 13
 Cinnamon Rolls, Toast, Juice; Milk
Thursday, November 14
 Pancakes, Sausage, Juice; Milk
Friday, November 15
 Scrambled Eggs, Toast, Juice; Milk
Lunch
Monday, November 11
 Taco, Rice, Beans, Salad,
 Combread, Fruit; Milk
Tuesday, November 12
 Steak Finger, Potatoes w/Gravy,
 Green Peas, Salad, Hot Roll,
 Fruit; Milk
Wednesday, November 13
 Hamburger, French Fries, Baked
 Beans, Lettuce/Tomato, Fruit;
 Milk
Thursday, November 14
 Lasagna, Broccoli w/cheese,
 Salad, Bread, Fruit; Milk
Friday, November 15
 Grilled Cheese, Stew, Salad,
 Dessert; Milk

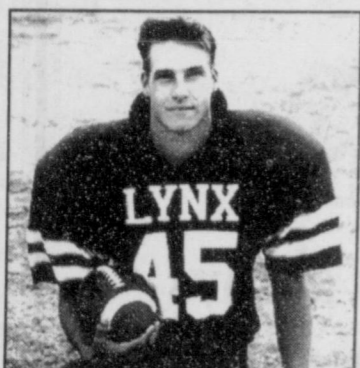
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Michael Lusby
Def. Player of the Week



Travis Loomis
Def. Player of the Week

Gruver ISD School Menu

Breakfast
Monday, November 11
 Breakfast Pizza, Juice; Milk
Tuesday, November 12
 Two Pancakes, Syrup, Juice; Milk
Wednesday, November 13
 Cereal, Muffin, Juice; Milk
Thursday, November 14
 Two Slices Toast, Jelly, Juice;
 Milk
Friday, November 15
 Cinnamon Roll, Juice; Milk
Lunch
Monday, November 11
 Fish w/Tarter Sauce, Macaroni &
 Cheese, Green Beans, Peaches,

Hot Roll; Milk
Tuesday, November 12
 Nachos, Pinto Beans, Steamed
 Broccoli, Fruit, Carrot Sticks,
 Cornbread; Milk
Wednesday, November 13
 Oven Baked Chicken, Mashed
 Potatoes w/Gravy, Corn, Jell-O,
 Biscuit; Milk
Thursday, November 14
 Pig-in-Blanket, Port-n-Beans,
 Fruit, Salad; Milk-Salad Bar
Friday, November 15
 Sloppy Joe, Fries, Fruit,
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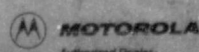
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