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Hereford chips in to help storm victims



Lake warning

People driving through the San Jose Community south of Hereford are warned not to try and pass through Dayton Street that runs along the playa lake there. The street was covered with water during heavy rains Friday night that overflowed the lake. County Commissioner Lupe Chavez set up a floating pump Saturday,

which has been removing water from the swollen lake. Chavez said no houses in the community were flooded this year. At upper left, a pickup truck can be seen where Dayton Street comes out of the lake. The pump can be seen at the far right of the picture.

Panel discusses emergency plans, gets first-hand views from officials

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

When the Hereford City Commission set a work session on the emergency management plan for Hereford and Deaf Smith County, there was no way to know that some first-hand information would make the session timely.

Several city employees as well as volunteers became closely involved with the aftermath of the tornado that struck Friona Friday evening.

When the commission convened the work session Monday afternoon, Police Chief David Wagner and Fire Marshal Jay Spain offered their observations of situations that

developed as a result of the Friona storm.

Spain, who also serves as Hereford and Deaf Smith County emergency management coordinator, reported that the heavy traffic caused by spectators and curiosity-seekers in Friona became a problem.

In the event of a disaster in Hereford, Spain continued, the chief of police has authority to "shut down traffic" into the city or any area of the city.

Wagner pointed out that the police department functions as a communications center in an emergency.

"We had calls wanting information about the storm and when we

activated the warning sirens, we had people calling in to ask 'is it for real?' and asking about shelters," Wagner said.

Department heads in city government as well as the City Commission attended the meeting. Spain reviewed the emergency plan as it was prepared several years ago.

City Manager Chester Nolen reminded that city employees should report to the emergency operations center if a disaster occurs.

"Employees first are to check on the security of their own families, then report to the EOC," Nolen said. Among questions field by the police department Friday night related to the siren warning system.

"The continuous siren is a warning signal," Spain reminded. "The high-low siren is sounded to tell people to take cover."

Spain also pointed out that there is no "all clear" siren signal.

One of the problems that arose in Friona was the interruption of electric power for several hours, Spain said. The water supply is in jeopardy

without power, he added.

In Hereford, there are emergency generators at two water stations, Nolen said.

"But, we learned two things from the Friona storm," Nolen continued. "First, we need to put an emergency generator at the C Street water station and we need to have a diesel fuel supply at the City Hall."

Spain said questions from citizens about emergency shelters come up regularly when warning sirens are sounded.

"We don't have any shelters," he reminded. "People need to find a basement or stay in an interior room of their home, with a mattress pulled over them."

Wagner said a number of the calls fielded by the police department Friday night were about shelters.

"Some of the people got pretty upset when we told them there are none here," he said.

Nolen suggested that the city employees study the emergency plan, especially as it relates to individual responsibilities.

Ag producers see storms from two varying viewpoints

By SHELLY SCHILLING
Staff Writer

The battery of storms that covered the area over this past week-end have left agricultural producers in different stages of emotion.

On the one hand, the rain has certainly helped the drought-like conditions that plagued the county recently, and made most corn producers very happy.

On the other hand, some farmers received hail with the very needed rain, said Dennis Newton, Deaf Smith County Extension Agent.

"In this area we have to take what moisture we can get, when we can get it," he said.

"A strip two miles west of Milo center going south, received considerable hail damage on Friday night," he said. "One farmer in that area lost about 350 acres of corn. It was very big hail."

In this stage of the game it is possible to replant corn, if the crop is completely devastated.

"The producer who lost all of his corn, can replant to a short season corn; of course the yield will be down," Newton said. "You can expect around 8,000 to 8,500 pounds per acre with the short-season varieties."

There was also some damage due to hail to some area wheat.

"In the eastern edge of the county, at Farmers elevator, there

was a complete loss of wheat by hail," Newton said. "The wheat is completely flat on the ground there, and the closer to Randall county the worse it is. Wheat in that county is really in bad shape."

The cotton crop still has the possibility of making it. Although the rain may have damaged the cotton that was in the early stages, the producer still has time to do something about it.

"We have estimated that the county has lost about 1,000 acres of cotton, so far. In this area the producer has about a week to replant. Usually, the cut-off date to replant is June 10th, but I've seen cotton planted up to around the 15th of June," he said.

The continued rain and cool temperatures have contributed to the loss of cotton acres.

If cotton farmers don't replant back to cotton, they may consider planting other crops.

Milo is usually the crop planted after cotton is devastated.

"I've heard some farmers say they may go to soybeans, sunflowers and crops such as that because of the herbicide they have used," he said. "The herbicide some producers use for cotton can't be used for milo."

Some of the sugarbeets in the county have been damaged by hail, but the likelihood of the sugarbeets coming out of the damaged stage is good.



Fishin' for water dogs

A drainage pipe that feeds the playa lake in the San Jose Community on Monday became a fishin' hole for these youngsters as they tried to catch water dogs in the runoff of last weekend's storms. A county pump has been removing water from the lake since Saturday morning after it overflowed in heavy rains Friday night. The young anglers are, from left, Kristi Garza, 11; Adam Morales, 10; and Cassandra Delgado, 10.

By GARRY WESNER
Managing Editor

The city of Hereford was spared much of the brunt of weekend storms that devastated Friona and swamped Dimmitt with heavy rains.

Hereford escaped from the weekend with 1.72 inches of rain and no reports of residential flooding or rain damage.

Still, the city has been impacted by the storms, as local agencies began reaching out to neighboring towns even as the rains fell Friday night.

Most active in the efforts is the Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

However, the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department, Hereford Police Department, Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department, Hereford Regional Medical Center and Hereford Home Health Care all chipped in to help as well.

The fire department responded to Friona's needs Friday night with nine volunteers and two generators and emergency lights.

In addition, Drs. Perales and Mani voluntarily led a contingent of medical personnel to Friona that night, including a registered nurse, two paramedics and a cache of supplies, said HRMC CEO Jim Robinson.

Police Capt. Pat Michael spent Friday night in Friona helping out, Police Chief David Wagner said. Michael also led a contingent of three officers to Dimmitt on Saturday to assist with security around a neighborhood hit by a tornado there. Providing security and keeping sightseers away from the affected areas were Michael, Sgt. Brent Harrison and Officer Randy Agan.

Sheriff Joe Brown said he visited Friona and met with their police chief, but noted that no request for assistance was made and it appeared the situation was under control during the weekend.

Hereford Home Health Care sent two staffers to Friona to lend a hand as well.

Robinson said the hospital was

ready for disaster assistance in several ways.

He said paramedics Sharon Pennington and Ed McGinley went to Friona with the medical team.

McGinley was riding in the Friona ambulance that transported the only seriously injured person to Amarillo for medical care.

Robinson said the ambulance was following the storm near Dawn when the man's condition began deteriorating.

The ambulance turned back as McGinley gave emergency assistance.

Dr. Robert Clark and a hospital team stabilized the man's condition, then sent him on to Amarillo.

In addition, Robinson said, "We were expecting and were prepared to handle an influx of people from Friona."

Robinson praised the work of Parmer County Community Hospital, which was able to treat the rash of minor injuries from the tornado there.

In fact, Robinson said, the local doctors were there just a few hours and brought back all the medical supplies with them.

Robinson stressed that sending two doctors to Friona did not jeopardize the medical care available here, noting that six doctors were available in the community Friday night. In addition, all Hereford EMS ambulances stayed in town.

For victims of the disasters in both towns, Betty Henson and her staff of volunteers are the only Red Cross personnel in the area, so she has been busy this week dealing with people who have lost homes and property to the storms.

The Red Cross is working in Friona and Dimmitt, Mrs. Henson said, as volunteers work to determine the amount of damage to homes in those communities and to meet the needs of those storm victims.

She said Monday that preliminary estimates show 29 houses in Friona were hit -- 17 were destroyed, one sustained severe damage and 11 had

(See STORMS, Page 2)

Commission OKs plat for new motel

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

Approval by the City Commission of a plat at the northern edge of Hereford has cleared the way for construction of a new motel here.

The commission adopted the plat for slightly more than six acres adjacent to the Hereford Independent School District central office property.

In other business, the commission turned down a request for water service outside the city, re-appointed a member of the Building Code Board of Adjustments and Appeals, heard a report on a survey taken of Main Street businesses by the Hereford Beautification Alliance and received information on water development activity.

Opening the business meeting, Mayor Bob Josseland presented a plaque to Dennis Hicks, acknowledging his service on the City Commission.

Explaining the plat for the acreage on the west side of U.S. 385, City Manager Chester Nolen said there had never been a plat. Apparently, there was no plat when the building now housing HISD office was constructed.

Platting the property clears the way for a South Dakota company to begin construction of a motel.

Americal Corporation is the developer, Nolen told the commission. The company is planning to construct a 49-unit Super 8 Motel.

He said no building permit has been issued but with the plat approved, he expects the company to follow through on plans in the very near future.

"They've just been waiting on the plat," he advised the commission.

A request from Karen and Donnie Fangman for a water connection from a South Campbell Street line was turned down by the commission. (See COMMISSION, Page 2)

Hospital board considers building lease/purchase

By SPEEDY NIEMAN
Editor-Publisher

The approaching termination of a 27-month lease/purchase agreement on a physician's clinic at 801 E. 4th St. was discussed when directors of Deaf Smith County Hospital District held a special meeting at 5:30 p.m. Monday.

No action was taken at the meeting, but directors directed Jim Robinson, chief executive officer of Hereford Regional Medical Center, to research the agreements between the district and Dr. Tim and Cathy Revell.

Robinson, who was unaware of the agreements made in 1993, reported that Dr. Revell had informed him that the hospital district had an option to purchase the building on or before Nov. 30, 1995. A check of the minutes revealed the board approved the 27-month-lease/purchase

agreements on July 20, 1993, following a motion by Boyd Foster and a second by Paul Abalos.

The district has been paying rent at the rate of \$2,050 a month. The separate purchase contract listed the sales contract price of the building at \$90,000. No earnest money is involved in the contract. The issue is expected to be on the next board meeting agenda.

Dr. Howard Haysom currently occupies the professional building, but he has announced plans to move from Hereford after June 23. Robinson said directors had tentatively approved the use of the building for two new physicians who will be opening practices--Dr. Bruce Clark and Dr. Stephen Lawliss.

Dr. Lawliss, an internist with a specialty in geriatrics, is scheduled to start here July 1. Dr. Clark is scheduled to start the first week of August.

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Local Roundup

Rain creeps into forecast

Hereford recorded no rainfall on Monday after a weekend in which more than 1-1/2 inches fell on the city. KPAN Radio reported the high temperature here Monday was 83 degrees with an overnight low Tuesday of 57 degrees. Rainfall for the period of 7 a.m. Saturday to 7 a.m. Monday was 0.09 of an inch after 1.63 inches was recorded in the 24-hour period ending 7 a.m. Saturday. For tonight, look for mostly clear skies with a low in the upper 50s and southwest winds at 10-20 mph. Wednesday, forecasters are calling for partly cloudy skies with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High will be in the mid-80s with south to southwest winds at 10-20 mph.

Police, Emergency Reports

Weekend emergency services reports contained the following information:

HEREFORD POLICE

Tuesday

A 19-year-old was arrested for public affray.
 Disorderly conduct was reported in the 200 block of Aspen and in the 300 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.
 Injury to a child was reported in the 200 block of Avenue F.
 Assault was reported in the 400 block of Avenue I.
 Domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of Avenue F.
 Criminal trespass was reported in the 400 block of Avenue D.
 Criminal attempt was reported in the 500 block Myrtle.
 Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue, where a business window was broken; and in the 400 block of Long, where a vehicle windshield was damaged by a pellet or BB gun.
 A gas meter was reported hit in the alley behind the 100 block of Avenue H.
 Domestic problem was reported in the 200 block of Jackson.
 Theft of an electrical meter valued at \$35 was reported in the 900 block of Avenue K.
 Minor in possession of alcohol charges were filed on a 19-year-old subject in the 500 block of Avenue H.
 A report was filed of a lead bullet found imbedded in the roof in the 300 block of Sunset.
 Jewelry missing was reported in the 300 block of Union.
 A report was filed of the complainant's son taking a vehicle without permission in the 500 block of East Fifth.
 Officers issued 29 citations.
 There was one minor accident reported.

Monday

A 31-year-old male was arrested in the 200 block of Avenue B for disorderly conduct.
 Domestic disturbances were reported at South Main and Austin Road; and in the 500 block of Westhaven.
 Criminal trespass was reported in the 500 block of North Miles and in the 200 block of Avenue F.
 Theft was reported in the 200 block of Greenwood.
 Class C assault was reported on South Main.
 A dog bite was reported in the 200 block of Avenue H.
 Officers issued six citations.

Sunday

A 37-year-old male was arrested at Bradley and U.S. 385 for DWI.
 A 19-year-old male was arrested at Second and Main for false ID to a peace officer.
 A 38-year-old female was arrested in the 400 block of Avenue D for public intoxication.
 An 18-year-old male was arrested in the 200 block of Main for escape, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and making a false alarm (bomb threat).
 A civil matter was reported in the 600 block of Avenue J.
 A family problem was reported in the 1000 block of 13th Street.
 Criminal trespass was reported in the 800 block of East Third.
 Found property was turned over to police in the 500 block of Avenue J.
 A dog bite was reported in the 800 block of Knight.
 Harassment by phone was reported in the 300 block of Bradley.
 Disorderly conduct by using profanity was reported at U.S. 385 and 15th Street; by making an obscene gesture in the 600 block of Knight Street; and in the 500 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.
 Theft was reported in the 100 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.
 Class C assault was reported in the 300 block of Miller.
 A domestic disturbance was reported in the 400 block of West Fourth.
 Officers issued 16 traffic citations.
 There was one curfew violation citation issued.

There was one accident reported with no injuries.

DEAF SMITH SHERIFF

A 28-year-old female was arrested for violation of probation (tampering with government records).
 A 38-year-old female was arrested for violation of probation (tampering with government records).
 A 37-year-old female was arrested on DPS warrants.
 A 21-year-old male was arrested for violation of probation.
 An 18-year-old male was arrested for domestic violence.
 A 33-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
 A 19-year-old male was arrested on a commitment.
 Burglary of a habitation was reported.
 Welfare concern was reported.
 Domestic violence was reported.
 Burglary of a building was reported.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Sunday

Volunteer firefighters were called out at 3 p.m. for weather watch.

Saturday

Firefighters were called out at 2:37 p.m. to a pickup fire in the 400 block of North Main.

Friday

Firefighters were called out at 7:34 p.m. to a smoke scare in the 500 block of Avenue G.

Firefighters were called out at 6:40 p.m. for weather watch.

EMS

Weekend

Ambulances ran on four transfers to Amarillo, one no-transport, three trauma runs, eight medical runs, one dead on scene and one weather standby.

STORMS

minor damage.
 She said immediate needs for the victims were for a place to stay, food for Monday and clothing for that day.
 On Tuesday, she said, work would begin to locate permanent housing for storm victims.
 The Dimmitt tornado affected a smaller number of houses in the eastern part of that town, but Mrs. Henson said emergency assistance was being offered as needed there.
 Mrs. Henson said the Red Cross has numerous needs right now in helping the storm victims.
 She said there is no need for clothing for the Friona victims, because there are agencies there with clothing to offer and the Red Cross has clothing.
 "We're always accepting financial



Thanks for your service

A plaque in recognition of service to the City of Hereford was presented to Dennis Hicks, right, Monday night by Mayor Bob Josserand. Hick served slightly less than two years as a city commissioner, before resigning several months ago.

COMMISSION

Karen Fangman said immediate plans for the property do not include residential water needs.
 "My husband wants to build a shop and do some landscaping," she said. The tract of 2.13 acres stretches between S. Campbell and S. Kingwood.
 Mayor Josserand told Mrs. Fangman that the commission has permitted water line extension for residential and business purposes. "But, we haven't allowed extension for landscaping, livestock or other purposes," he said.
 After commissioners voted unanimously to deny the request, Josserand told Mrs. Fangman, "I don't like to turn down requests but our water will stretch only so far."
 On the subject of water, Nolen reported that the new well in Veterans Park has been tied into the city system. The well is producing from the Ogallala formation.
 He said a drilling of a new Santa Rosa well in the same area has started.
 Wade Easley, president of the Hereford Beautification Alliance, delivered results of a survey conducted by his organization.
 Questions on the survey were related to planters, benches and umbrella-type shelters along Main Street.
 Easley said business operators were "almost unanimous" in their

response to removing the shelters on corners.
 "They really don't like planter boxes but they think there should be something to replace the corner bench and umbrellas," Easley reported.
 He suggested that the commission call a meeting of business operators to discuss proposals for improving the appearance of the business district.
 Re-appointment of Fred Ruland to the Building Code Board of Adjustments and Appeals was made by unanimous vote of the commission.

'Double jeopardy' could be claimed

LOS ANGELES (AP) - With the alternate juror ranks dwindling fast and a gruesome phase of testimony about to begin, the O.J. Simpson defense says it laid the foundation for a "double jeopardy" argument against a second trial by opposing the dismissal of a black juror.
 "Double jeopardy protects us against the prosecution getting two shots at this," defense attorney Alan Dershowitz said today on the NBC "Today" show.
 "If this pattern continues and it ends up in a mistrial it will be jeopardy. We're not hiding that from anybody. ... We are putting the prosecution on notice."

Remains unearthed in Vietnam delivered to U.S. authorities

By KATHY WILHELM
 Associated Press Writer

HANOI, Vietnam (AP) - Six coffins holding what are believed to be the remains of American servicemen were carried onto a plane today by an American honor guard and flown to Hawaii for identification.
 The remains are due to arrive at Hickam Air Force Base in Honolulu on Wednesday, and will be taken to an Army lab where scientists will try to make individual identifications.

Across the city, meanwhile, an American POW activist chained himself to the gate of the compound where U.S. MIA investigators live and work, accusing them of failing to fully check out reports that American servicemen are still held prisoner in Vietnam.

The contrasting scenes dramatized two very different American views of their wartime enemy and how the U.S. government should deal now with Vietnam.

The U.S. MIA investigators at the airport ceremony say the Vietnamese are cooperating in trying to clarify the fate of America's 2,204 war missing, a U.S. condition for establishing diplomatic relations. They have conducted regular field excavations with the Vietnamese since 1992 and sent back 201 remains of possible war dead, including those today.

The protester, former U.S. Rep. Billy Hendon of North Carolina, believes the Vietnamese have kept American POWs for two decades and

are only interested in helping to locate bones.

"What's missing here in my judgment is an emphasis on living prisoners," Hendon said after arriving in Hanoi on Saturday. He chained himself twice to the MIA compound gate Saturday evening but the U.S. officers cut the chains.

Hendon was demanding that the MIA investigators drive with him to a prison 50 miles northwest of Hanoi, where he says live POWs were seen as recently as February. He told reporters his information came from a contact in Thailand quoting an intelligence source.

Army Lt. Col. Melvin Richmond, commander of the MIA office, said he brought a Defense Department investigator in from Bangkok to assess Hendon's information and possibly try to visit the site. But Hendon said he would only hand over the information in the presence of reporters.

Richmond refused, saying U.S. investigators never publicize the location of a POW sighting before going there.

Vietnamese officials said they would try to accommodate any request from Hendon to visit the prison. Hendon has not applied to the Vietnamese to go to the site on his own, although he did last year and was refused.

The U.S. Defense Department has investigated more than 90 accounts of POW sightings in Vietnam since January 1992 but never found any.

Obituaries



M.W. "Webb" BLANKENSHIP
 June 4, 1995

M.W. "Webb" Blankenship, 83, longtime Deaf Smith County resident, died Sunday at his home in the Sims Community.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon in the Central Church of Christ of Hereford with Curtis Camp of North Ridge Church of Christ in Amarillo officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery, by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Blankenship was born in Hill County and came to Deaf Smith County in 1938. He married Jewel Brooks in Denton in 1938. He was a farmer/rancher, in the Sims community. He belonged to the Church of Christ in Adrian.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Morris Blankenship and Sidney Blankenship, both of the Sims Community; two brothers, Alton Blankenship of Denton and Victor Blankenship of Dallas; two sisters, Brittie Bledsoe of Amarillo and Bobbie Ruth Long of Dallas, and four grandchildren.

The family has requested that memorials be directed to Camp Bluehaven, Box 1300, Canyon 79015.

DANIEL DELTORO
 June 2, 1995

Daniel DelToro, infant son of Danny and Martha DelToro of

Hereford, died Friday in an Amarillo hospital.

Graveside services were held Saturday in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery with Msgr. Orville R. Blum officiating. Arrangements were by Rix Funeral Directors.

Survivors are his parents; two sisters, Victoria DelToro and Alexis DelToro, both of Hereford; and grandmothers, Lupe and Elisa Ramirez of Hereford and Andres and Enriqueita DelToro of Hereford.

MARIE ENRIQUITA ALVARADO
 June 4, 1995

Maria Enriquita Alvarado, 87, of Del Rio, mother of Lesvia Aguirre of Hereford, died Sunday in Del Rio.

Services were held Tuesday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Menard with burial in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

A native of Millersview, she lived in Menard before moving to Del Rio. She married Domingo S. Alvarado in 1933. He died in 1989. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Del Rio.

Survivors include three sons, Leonardo Alvarado and Domingo Alvarado Jr., both of Friona, and Richard Alvarado of Menard; three other daughters, Irene Bermea of Del Rio, Hortencia Salas of Amarillo and Romelia Hernandez of Caracas, Venezuela, three sisters, a brother, 24 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Lottery

AUSTIN (AP) - One ticket purchased in the Houston area correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game worth an estimated \$4 million, state lottery officials said.

The numbers drawn from a field of 50 were: 5, 14, 32, 36, 39 and 46.

Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be \$4 million.

AUSTIN (AP) - The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

6-8-2 (six, eight, two)

AUSTIN (AP) - The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

1-4-8 (one, four, eight)

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Crime Stoppers

The Hereford Police Department is investigating the report of a bullet striking a residence in the 700 block of Plains Avenue.

The incident occurred on March 13 at about 3:30 p.m. Nobody was injured and no suspects have been located.

Also believed to be related to this offense was an instance where two rocks were thrown through windows at the same residence at about 1:30 a.m. on May 14.

Anyone having information which leads to an arrest and indictment in the Crime of the Week can receive a reward of up to \$500.

Anyone having any information about the Crime of the Week or any other criminal activity is urged to call the Clue Line at 364-CLUE.

All callers may remain anonymous by using a code name or number.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL
 Raymon Chavez, Infant girl Contreras, San Juanita Contreras, Gladys C. Demison, Infant girl Garza, Vicky Garza, Shannon Jenkins, Richard Pittman, Rosa Maria Robles, April Roby, Ewing C. Thaxton, Gracie Uvalle and Ethel R. Vititow.

NEWBORNS
 Mr. and Mrs. Juan Santiago are parents of a baby boy, Sebastian Lou Santiago, 8 lbs. 12 1/2 oz., born June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Luis Aguilar are parents of a twin girls, Desiray Aguilar, 5 lbs. 11 oz., and Valerie Aguilar, 6 lbs. 9 3/4 oz., born June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. David Losolla are parents of a baby boy, David Ezra Losolla, 8 lbs., born June 2.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Garza are parents of a baby girl, Clarissa Trinidad Garza, 6 lbs. 13 oz., born June 3.



Miss Texas candidate

A guest of the Hereford Rotary Club Monday was Mandy Smith of Booker, who won the title of Miss Top of Texas at a pageant earlier this year in Hereford. The University of North Texas student will complete for the Miss Texas Crown next month.

Lifestyles

Ann Landers

Reader wants convicts to donate

DEAR ANN LANDERS: You recently printed a letter urging readers to become organ donors. I'm certain many convicts on death row have eyes, kidneys, lungs and a heart that could help alleviate the critical shortage. These convicts have taken from society, and it should be mandatory that they give something back.

When transplantable organs are healthy at the time of death, there should be no charge for the organs. Prisoners or their families should not reap any financial benefits from this procedure.

Do you agree that this is a good idea, Ann? -- Venice, Fla.

DEAR VENICE: About 40 states now have the death penalty. There are four methods of execution -- lethal injection, electrocution, firing squad and hanging. Organs are not suitable for transplantation after electrocution because they are literally cooked. They cannot be used after lethal injection because they are permeated with chemicals. Nor are they usable after a firing squad because there may be holes in vital areas. Also, in the case of both a firing squad and hanging, the organs could not be harvested in time to be usable.

The alternative would be to harvest the organs immediately BEFORE the inmate is scheduled to die -- thereby killing the inmate by removing the organs, which is against the law. Even if the laws were changed to permit this procedure, the process of harvesting the organs would force the doctor to become the executioner. For most doctors, this would not be an ethically acceptable alternative.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am getting a divorce after 20 years of marriage. Our daughter, "Kelly," has

just informed us that she is pregnant and wants to get married rather than go to college.

I have moved to another city and have not been involved in the wedding plans. My wife told me the wedding will take place after the baby is born and Kelly gets her figure back. I have also been informed that this wedding won't be a small, intimate affair and that they are having trouble finding a place large enough to accommodate their guest list.

This circus now requires two guest lists -- one for those who can fit into the church (about 350 people) and another for those who will be invited to the reception (almost 500 people). The message I get from my daughter is that guests equal gifts.

Kelly is angry with me for leaving her mother. The only time we talk is when I call her. Frankly, I resent being asked to finance these mob scenes. I have many outstanding debts and very little savings.

My wife wants Kelly to have a beautiful wedding. I say she should get married before the baby is born or have a small wedding after the

birth. I am embarrassed by this lack of consideration for the sacredness of the wedding tradition. I say Kelly lost the privilege of a formal wedding when she got pregnant out of wedlock.

I love my daughter, and I'm not sure if I've become unreasonable about this. I need an unbiased opinion. -- Confused in Cleveland

DEAR CLEVELAND: Maybe I'm square, but it seems odd to me that a pregnant bride-to-be would want to postpone her wedding until she has the baby and gets her figure back.

The central issue here, however, seems not to be tastelessness, but money. Simply tell Kelly that you will give her a set amount and she can plan the festivities around that figure.

Forget to save some of your favorite Ann Landers columns? "Nuggets and Doozies" is the answer. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$5.25 (this includes postage and handling) to: Nuggets, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562.



Outstanding rating

These students from Susan Shaw's studio made an outstanding rating on their vocal solo in the recent Greater Southwest Music Festival. They are (front row, from left) Abigail Wilks, Jodi Wilburn, Emily Fry; (back row, from left) Karon Harder, Scott Shaw, Diana Detten. Scott also made a one rating on his violin solo.

Center sponsors support group

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will begin a four-part "Living With Cancer" support group series tonight from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center.

The series is entitled "A Series for People Whose Lives Have Been Touched by Cancer". The remaining sessions will take place June 13, 20 and 27 from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

The topics to be addressed will include living with treatment (and beyond), living without pain, living a healthy lifestyle, and living up to your potential. The programs will be presented by physicians and staff members of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center.

The Living with Cancer support group is sponsored by The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, Hereford Regional Medical Center, First National Bank of Hereford and the Hereford Chapter of the Circle of Friends. Anyone interested in further information can contact Gerry Kelly at 1-800-274-4673 or 806-359-4673.

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Vocal ensemble

This junior high vocal ensemble from Susan Shaw's studio made a one rating in the recent Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo. They are (front row, from left) Kerris Montgomery, Erika DeLaCerde, Diana Detten, Emily Fry, Lisa Huckert; (back row, from left) Janae Schlabs, Tori Walker, Michelle Bixler, Emilee Hafliker. Not pictured is Cathy Higgins. Janae, Tori, Michelle, Erika, Emilee and Lisa also made a one rating on their vocal solo.

Auxiliary holds regular meeting

The noon monthly meeting of the Hereford Regional Medical Center Auxiliary was held Monday.

The prayer was read by president Margaret Daniels. Roll call included two new members, Anna Robinson and Billie Kelly.

It was reported that the Auxiliary logged 214 1/2 volunteer hours for the month of May and 4,366 hours for the fiscal year ending May 31. There were 29 babies born at HRMC during May and 295 for the fiscal year.

The Auxiliary is planning a merchandise sale at the gazebo during August. The specific date will be set later.

Theda Seiver was appointed chairman of a committee to update the Auxiliary by-laws.

Jim Robinson, hospital administrator, asked the Auxiliary to become active participants in the employee picnic on June 17. He also gave a status report on pending matters that relate to the Auxiliary's volunteer work at HRMC.



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Sports

3 Hereford girls earn trip to national AAU tourney

Three Hereford girls helped their basketball team to a second-place finish in the West Texas AAU Girls Championship Tournament Sunday in Amarillo, earning them a trip to the national tournament. Julie Rampley, Kendra Wright and Makesha Rives are part of the West Texas Heat, which lost 81-51 to the Amarillo Lady Texans in the finals of the girls' 14-under bracket. Rampley had 10 points in that game. There were 18 teams in the 14-under bracket, allowing two teams to advance to the national tournament, which starts July 21 in Indianapolis.

Tennessee Vols will try to cool off Carver's bat

By TOM VINT
AP Sports Writer
OMAHA, Neb. (AP) - Tennessee already has been beaten by the smoking bat of Mark Kotsay. Now, the Volunteers try not to have Steve Carver do the same thing to them. Stanford's Carver has a pair of homers, five hits and three RBIs in his two tournament appearances after helping hometown hero Kyle Peterson eliminate Clemson on Monday night. Carver homered and singled in another run in that 8-3 win, while Peterson won his 14th game against one loss in an eight-hit complete game.

Kotsay was 4-for-4 with a grand slam as the top-seeded Titans ripped No. 5 Tennessee 11-1 earlier Monday. He is hitting .750 at the tournament. Carver is hitting .625. Tennessee (53-15) tries to rebound against Stanford (40-24) at 6:36 tonight in Bracket Two after a Bracket One elimination game matches No. 2 Florida State (53-15) and No. 6 Southern Cal (46-20). Fullerton had 16 hits against three Tennessee pitchers Monday, including 15 off All-American starter R.A. Dickey (14-4). Kotsay's grand slam came in a six-run second inning that all but decided the game for Titans starter Jon Ward (10-3). Ward scattered four hits in seven innings, but it was the CSF bats that caught the eye of Tennessee coach Rod Delmonico.

"I was impressed with their hitters," he said. "They did a good job of fighting off pitches, and the grand slam was the key that gave them the momentum. That was the difference in the game."

The win gave Fullerton (55-9) two days off. The Titans will await tonight's survivor for a Thursday afternoon game that would decide one of the championship spots for Saturday if Fullerton wins.

In Monday's nightcap, Stanford stayed alive again. The Cardinal has won at least one game in nine trips to Omaha. Twice Stanford has won titles.

Peterson, who pitched for Omaha Creighton Prep High a year ago, was hard to hit on the mound where he lost in last year's Nebraska state high school tournament.

"I don't know about erasing it," Peterson said of the bad memories of the 1994 loss. "It clouded it a little. This was something I had to do to prove to myself I could come out and do the job. I'm really happy with the results."

Peterson allowed eight hits, struck out seven and yielded no walks as he kept Clemson off-balance in his 10th complete game of the season. His 14th win against one loss tied a school record for most wins in a season, shared by four others.

"Kyle doesn't shake," Stanford coach Mark Marquess said. "It was a well-pitched game. As usual, Kyle has come up big for us all season."

Royals' Lind could retire

By LISA M. HAMM
Associated Press Writer
SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (AP) - Chico Lind, who left the Kansas City Royals last week, has returned to Puerto Rico to be with his family and deal with personal problems, his local agent said Monday.

Eliseo Rodriguez, who represents Lind in Puerto Rico, said the Gold Glove second baseman went to Connecticut before coming to the northcoast town of Dorado. Rodriguez did not say why Lind was in Connecticut or comment on the nature of his problems.

The Royals placed Lind on the disqualified list, which relieves them of paying his \$2.6 million salary. Each game he misses costs Lind \$18,056.

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Olajuwon to clash with O'Neal

By WENDY E. LANE
AP Basketball Writer
ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) - When Hakeem Olajuwon meets Shaquille O'Neal, a player with the serenity a championships brings will meet a player with all the promise of championships to come. Pure agility will meet pure power.

Stopping the best player in this postseason is the prize the Orlando Magic's center wins for leading his team to the NBA Finals. The matchup between Olajuwon and O'Neal will be the centerpiece of the series between the defending champions and the Magic, which starts Wednesday.

Simply put, O'Neal is in awe of Olajuwon. "He can do it all - left side, right side. He can dribble. He has a complete game," O'Neal said.

In their two meetings this season, both players had 49 points apiece, with O'Neal holding the edge in rebounds, 27-19. But the regular season has little to do with the playoffs, where Olajuwon has been all but unstoppable, O'Neal said.

Muster gets by quarter challenge by Spaniard

By DAVID CRARY
Associated Press Writer
PARIS (AP) - Thomas Muster was tested to the limit today by 19-year-old Spaniard Alberto Costa before surviving a five-set quarterfinal at the French Open and extending his clay-court winning streak to 33.

The fifth-seeded Austrian, one of the favorites to win the title, nearly didn't reach the semifinals as Costa, ranked 36th in the world, displayed stretches of brilliant tennis.

Muster never wavered despite trailing after three sets, and battled to a 6-2, 3-6, 6-7 (8-6), 7-5, 6-2 victory. In the semifinals he will play either Andre Agassi or Yevgeny Kafelnikov.

In women's quarterfinals, top-seeded Arantxa Sanchez Vicario beat Chanda Rubin; Steffi Graf overwhelmed Gabriela Sabatini; and Kimiko Date rallied against Iva Majoli to become the first Japanese semifinalist in tournament history. All three victors have gone through

"He's on a roll," O'Neal said. "He's been making moves I've never seen before. Hakeem is a great player, the best. In my eyes, he's the most valuable player this year."

In the Western Conference finals against San Antonio, Olajuwon averaged 35.3 points in six games against David Robinson, an excellent defensive player and the league's MVP as determined by a vote of sportswriters and broadcasters.

Except for the two games when foul trouble drastically limited his minutes, O'Neal dominated Pacers center Rik Smits, but Smits is a jump shooter without Olajuwon's seemingly unlimited repertoire of low-post moves.

Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich likes Olajuwon against pretty much anybody, but points out that Dream vs. Shaq isn't the only story line in the series.

"There are going to be a lot of interesting subplots," he said.

One of the most interesting - and potentially troubling for the Rockets - is the matchup at point guard, where

6-foot-3 Kenny Smith will try to guard 6-7 Anfernee Hardaway. Hardaway has raised his scoring average and shooting percentage in each round of the playoffs, averaging 19.6 points and shooting 53 percent against Indiana.

Tomjanovich said he has no choice but to put Smith on the Magic's playmaker.

"I don't see our point guard playing (Nick) Anderson or (Dennis) Scott," he said. "We're going to try some different things."

During the playoffs, Anderson has drawn defensive assignments that would keep most players up nights. So after guarding Michael Jordan in the conference semifinals and Reggie Miller in the conference finals, Anderson feels fully prepared to face the rejuvenated Clyde Drexler, averaging more than 20 points during the playoffs.

"This is just another step," Anderson said. "I'm here at the big dance and I want to dance. A lot of guys wouldn't accept the challenge."

There's also the matter of home-court advantage. Orlando has it, but Houston has gotten this far by rendering it all but meaningless.

The Rockets have won seven of their 10 road games on the way to the

finals, and the Magic have only two postseason losses at the Orlando Arena, where they have claimed the last five games.

"We're just going to come in and try to win all our games at home and try to steal some wins on the road," O'Neal said. "We're going to play hard, play aggressive and we should be OK."

The Rockets are likely to go with the same small lineup they used with such effectiveness against San Antonio. Robert Horry will move from small forward to power forward opposite Horace Grant, and Mario Elie will switch from a reserve role to the starting small forward spot against Dennis Scott, like Elie a swingman who's a perimeter threat.

Whoever Houston puts on the floor, the Magic realize they will need all the seasoning they've gained in their 20 previous postseason games - three last year and 17 this year - in order to beat the Rockets, who played 23 games a year ago to win the title.

"I'm sure they're going to be the favorites," Hardaway said, "because they know how to win in situations like they did last year. We're really facing another challenge. The thing is, we just have to go out and play our game and not really worry about it."

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Hershiser, Johnson, Appier add to win totals

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

Randy Johnson and Orel Hershiser were in great form from the start. It took Kevin Appier an inning to figure out what would work.

"He knows how to pitch," Kansas City manager Bob Boone said of Appier. "He just needs to be reminded of how good he is. He can't see how good his fastball is."

After struggling through a 33-pitch first inning, walking three batters and falling behind 1-0, Appier (7-2) went to his fastball and led the streaking Royals to their 10th victory in the last 11 games, 4-1 over the Texas Rangers on Monday night.

Johnson (6-0) has been unbeatable since last July. He struck out 12, including the side in the ninth, and gave up just three hits in Seattle's 2-0 victory over the Baltimore Orioles.

"I don't know if I'd compare him to Sandy Koufax yet, but he's outstanding," Baltimore manager

Phil Regan said of Johnson. "He was as strong in the ninth inning as he was in the first."

Hershiser (5-1), looking as sharp as when he won the Cy Young Award for Los Angeles in 1988, fanned 10 as the Cleveland Indians blanked the Detroit Tigers 8-0.

"I have no idea what kind of stuff he had," Detroit manager Sparky Anderson said. "I wasn't up there facing him, and I'm glad I wasn't."

In other AL games, Boston edged California 3-2, Oakland blasted New York 11-5 and Chicago nipped Toronto 3-2.

Johnson retired the last 17 batters to win his eighth straight decision, matching his career high. He hasn't lost since Detroit beat him 3-1 last July 27.

Monday's 140-pitch masterpiece enabled the 6-foot-10 left-hander to tie Rick Honeycutt's club record for most consecutive wins at the start of a season.

"He was locked in. He was in a zone, and we all knew it," said Jay Buhner, who homered to help Seattle snap a three-game losing streak.

Johnson walked one and allowed only one runner past first base in his posting his 13th career shutout. He lowered his ERA to 1.83 with his first complete game of the season.

"I got the rhythm and went with it," Johnson said. "I knew I was going to need to throw strikes with an aggressive team like this, because they've given me trouble in the past."

Buhner's eighth homer of the season followed a two-out single by Edgar Martinez and saddled Ben McDonald (1-3) with the loss.

Indians 8, Tigers 0

Hershiser's first shutout in two years boosted Cleveland's record to 25-10, the best in the majors and matching the 1966 Indians for the best start in team history.

He gave up six hits, walked none and didn't allow more than one hit in an inning until the seventh. He set the tone by striking out the first three batters he faced.

Hershiser was backed by Kenny Lofton, who led off both the third and fourth innings with homers, and Eddie Murray, whose eighth home run left him 23 hits away from 3,000 in his career.

Sean Bergman (1-4) gave up five runs and six hits in four innings to take the loss.

Royals 4, Rangers 1

At Arlington, Texas, Appier, tied with Montreal's Jeff Fassero for the major league lead in victories, made his 10th start, tops in the majors. It was a struggle at first.

Appier settled down and allowed just four hits in 7 1/3 innings, striking out four and walking four.

Tom Goodwin sparked the Kansas City offense, going 3-for-4 with an RBI and a run scored.

Red Sox 3, Angels 2

At Fenway Park, Mo Vaughn's 13th home run snapped a tie and lifted Boston to its seventh consecutive victory. Erik Hanson (6-0) allowed seven hits in seven innings, striking out three and walking two. Ken Ryan pitched the ninth for his

seventh save, while Mike Bielecki (2-2) took the loss.

The teams traded two-run homers in the first: Tim Salmon hit his ninth of the year for California and Reggie Jefferson replied with his third. Vaughn then led off the fourth with a 413-foot shot to center to decide the game.

Athletics 11, Yankees 5

Mike Bordick's two-run double and Geronimo Berroa's two-run triple started visiting Oakland on the way to victory. All four second-inning runs came off Yankees starter Sterling Hitchcock (2-4).

Ron Darling (2-2) allowed three runs on eight hits in six innings, walking one and striking out two.

Mark McGwire hit a solo homer in the seventh, his 12th of the season

and 250th of his career. He added a two-run double in the Athletics' three-run eighth.

Luis Polonia and Paul O'Neill hit seventh-inning homers for the Yankees.

White Sox 3, Blue Jays 2

Lance Johnson had three hits, including a two-run triple, to lead Chicago over visiting Toronto.

Jim Abbot (3-2) hurled 7 2/3 innings while scattering five hits to get the win. Roberto Hernandez pitched the ninth for his ninth save.

Juan Guzman (0-2), who came off the 15-day disabled list Sunday, took the loss.

Joe Carter led off the Toronto seventh with his sixth homer. In the seventh inning, Tim Lincecum stole second base to set an American League record with 33 consecutive steals.

Hollins' mental mistake leads to Phillies' fourth straight loss

By The Associated Press

After setting a National League record by not losing two straight until their 34th and 35th games, the Philadelphia Phillies are now making the plays that bring four-game losing streaks.

While Phillies first baseman Dave Hollins was arguing with San Diego's Melvin Nieves on Monday night, pinch-runner Ray Holbert sneaked over to third base, setting up the winning run in the 10th inning of the Padres' 5-4 victory.

"I caught the altercation between Melvin and Dave Hollins and I started creeping off, and no one noticed me, so ...," Holbert said. "Everyone's focus was on what was going on over there. When I took off, I was pretty much halfway before anyone realized I was going."

With the score 4-4, Holbert was the pinch-runner after Eddie Williams led off the 10th with a single off Norm Charlton (2-3). After Holbert reached third on Nieves' sacrifice bunt, Charlton had to load the bases with two intentional walks, and pinch-hitter Phil Clark singled off the glove of third baseman Charlie Hayes to score Holbert.

Clark said Holbert's quick wits "set the table for everything. If he's not on third, they're not walking those two guys and the bases aren't loaded."

Hollins fielded Nieves' bunt about halfway down the line and tagged him on the shoulder. With Hollins' back to the field, the two started jawing.

"He probably didn't realize that the ball was still alive," Nieves said. "It was nothing like we were going to fight or anything like that. It was just hard ball. The way I look at it, it was just a great bunt, moved him all the way to third."

Hollins stood motionless for several minutes after the game, just staring into his locker.

Recounting the play, he said: "He yelled at me and I said something to him. I don't know what I did. It was just stupid. It gave the game away."

Manager Jim Fregosi was critical of Hollins.

"I don't know what he was going to do, to be honest with you," Fregosi said. "It looked like he wanted to get in a fight with Nieves. If he wants to do that, he should call timeout first."

The winner for San Diego was Trevor Hoffman (4-1), who pitched a perfect 10th inning.

Padres starter Andy Benes, who hasn't won in 11 months covering 16 starts, pitched the first nine innings, allowing four runs, two of them earned. Benes has pitched well his last five starts, but has three no-decisions and two losses in that span. He allowed seven hits, struck out a season-high 11 and walked none.

Astros 6, Marlins 5

Craig Biggio's three-run homer in the bottom of the ninth lifted Houston over Florida, extending the Astros' winning streak to five games.

Robb Nen (0-3) retired Houston's first two batters in the ninth before throwing nine pitches in walks to Dave Magadan and John Cangelosi. Biggio then hit a 2-1 pitch over the left-field scoreboard for his fifth homer of the season.

Biggio's blast made a winner of Dave Veres (2-1), who allowed two hits in the final three innings.

Dodgers 3, Expos 1

Billy Ashley had a two-run single, just his fifth hit in 36 at-bats, and Delino DeShields also singled home a run as Los Angeles beat visiting Montreal.

The Dodgers scored all three of their runs in the second off Gil Heredia (3-4). Ashley delivered the first two with an opposite-field single, and DeShields followed a sacrifice by Ramon Martinez with his RBI single.

Todd Worrell, who hasn't allowed an earned run in 19 innings this season, pitched the ninth for his seventh save in seven opportunities.

Martinez (6-3) gave up one run in seven innings for the victory.

Cardinals 9, Rockies 5

Todd Zeile went 3-for-3 with two RBIs and Mark Petkovsek earned his first victory since 1993 as St. Louis won at Colorado and ended the Rockies'

four-game winning streak.

Petkovsek (1-1), who also got his first major league hit and RBI, pitched into the seventh, giving up four runs on eight hits with no walks. His last victory came while pitching for Pittsburgh against San Diego in August 1993.

Reds 3, Pirates 2

Cincinnati handed visiting Pittsburgh its season-high fourth straight loss as Mark Lewis, 0-for-11 going into the game, had three hits, including a misplayed pop-up that produced the go-ahead run in the sixth inning.

With the score tied 2-2, Brian Hunter on first base and two outs, Lewis hit a pop just behind first base. Rookie first baseman Rich Aude and second baseman Carlos Garcia converged, but Garcia backed off and Aude let it drop for a double.

Garcia retrieved the ball and threw wildly toward home for an error as Hunter scored.

Braves 7, Cubs 5

Mark Lemke, batting under .200, delivered a two-run triple in the seventh inning as Atlanta snapped a five-game losing streak with a victory over visiting Chicago.

Lemke was 13-for-80 (.163) in his last 24 games before driving a pitch from Mike Walker off the right-field wall.

Mets 7, Giants 2

Ryan Thompson led off the game with his first homer of the season and Bobby Jones scattered 11 hits in his second career complete game as New York won at San Francisco.

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Kings Manor receives state awards



Award winners

Marie Carroll, left, and Estella Ruiz were both winners in statewide competition at the 36th annual Texas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging conference in Austin. Mrs. Carroll was a finalist in the art exhibit and Mrs. Ruiz took first place in environmental services.

Kings Manor Methodist Home garnered two awards in a statewide competition recently at the 36th annual Texas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging (TAHSA) conference in Austin.

Resident, Marie Carroll, was a finalist in the art exhibit, and employee, Estella Ruiz, took the first place environmental services award.

Marie Carroll's entry of a hand-crocheted "Navajo" afghan in the soft crafts category is on display at the state capitol. Mrs. Carroll was one of 300 retirees, ranging in age between 65 and 104, who competed. She was honored at a special reception and awards ceremony at the capitol.

Estella Ruiz has performed as a devoted housekeeper of Kings Manor for the past 17 years. Her personal Christian beliefs are noticeable in her dealings with the residents and employees at the facility. When she is not at work, she enjoys spending time with her two children and two grandchildren.

Other Kings Manor employees who were nominated for categories of the contest were: volunteer achievement of the year, Nancy Hill; program of the year-child care services provided by the staff including Marilyn Bell, Jo Ann Barnes, Darla Clark, Brenda Martinez, Mary Rocha, Ofilia Salazar, Cynthia Sapp, and Marcie White; nursing assistant of the year, Allen Shields; nurse of the year, Dorothy Schumaker; dietary services award, Rosie Tijerina.

These individuals have an average of 13 years of service to the residents of Kings Manor.

All of the TAHSA nominees from Kings Manor will be honored at a reception in the Lamar Room of Kings Manor from 2 p.m.-3:30 p.m. on Wednesday.

TAHSA is a state association representing about 170 non-profit retirement communities and nursing homes in Texas. The organization is committed to promoting quality in long-term care and preserving dignity of today's senior citizens.



Xi Epsilon Alpha donations

Susan Shaw, second from right, service chairman of Xi Epsilon Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, is presenting donations to (from left) Rebecca Walls, representing the Deaf Smith County Library, for help in purchasing a popcorn machine; Peggy Hyer, treasurer of the Deaf Smith County Historical Society; and Betty Henson, Red Cross, to help buy a new mannequin for CPR classes.

Bicycle safety topic of course

The Hereford Pilot Club will conduct a bicycle safety course Saturday at Sugarland Mall from 9:30 a.m.-12 noon.

Boy Scouts of America Troop 50 will assist Pilot Club members.

All children of Hereford and Deaf Smith County are invited to participate in this educational and safety program.

Forgetfulness is a form of freedom.

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Rocket scientists?

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NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) - Dan Lauria knows when he sees a wondrous thing.

Lauria, who played Jack Arnold in the television series "The Wonder Years," was directing a play at Southern Connecticut State University recently when a theater student named Joe Tantalo caught his attention.

Tantalo and his friends showed such unbridled enthusiasm for making a movie about the absurdity of racism, that Lauria reached into his pocket and donated \$1,000 to the cause. He told Tantalo to "go for it."

"They were very interested and thought it would ease racial tensions," Lauria said.

Tantalo, 19, said he would use the money to make a trailer - the industry's word for a snippet of film intended to spark a producer's interest in making a full-length film.

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