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McLean Beauty Pageant Cont stants - Back row: Allison Hill, LaShonda Parks, Leann Rogers, Lacee Wallis, Jessie Cox, Stephanie Hensor, and Amanda Fricks Middle row: Tamara Loya, Lindsey Ruiz, and Brooke Seymour Front row: Erin Bailey, Markeisha Menefield and Ashley McClendon.
Miss McLean To Be Crowned In Ceremony

The McLean Beauty Pageant is an annual even at Mclean High School. This year the pageant will be held on February 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The contestants will be
juk ged on several things including interviev/s with the judges, poise, beauty anl grace. Miss McLean 2004, Miss Irish Rose Pageant in
Carrie Thompson will hand Shamrock during their
off her reign to the winner of the event.
The new Miss McLean will then represent her town and her school in the
annual St. Patrick's Day Celebration.

This year there are 13 contestant competing for the crown.


Jr High Cagers Compete In Hedley Tournament, Bring Home $2^{\text {nd }}$ Place Trophies
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Ga ne $2-$ Claude
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Ch se Bohlar -13 points
Trunt Darsey -8 points
Cliy Crockett -2 points
Ga ne $3-$ Hedley
$58-55$
Ta iner Cadra -15 points
Ch ise Bohlar -14 points
Trent Darsey -14 points
Cliy Crockett -6 points Cal cb Crawford - 5 points

Corey Graham - 4 points
Corey Graham - 4 points The Cubs finished with a season record of 6-10. Total Scoring for the year was:
Chase Bohlar - 169 points Trent Darsey - 75 points Tanner Cadra - 52 points Clay Crockett - 24 points Corey Graham - 22 points Caleb Crawford - 19 points Robert Morrow - 14 points Zach Seymour - 10 points Hogan Ketcherside - 4 points

Tyler Lamb - points
The Lady Cubs also played three great games in this tournament.
$\frac{\text { Game } 1 \text {-Claude }}{41-30}$
41-30 DaShae pri
Lexi Menefield - 10 points ( $100 \%$ Free Throws) Sheri Haynes - 6 points Nancy Castillo - 4 points Ashley Byron - 4 points Lyndsey Ellis - 2 points Game 2 - Samnorwood 40-29
Sheri Hanes- 11 poins Ashle \& İvtie -8 points Nancy Ca Nancy Castillo - 5 points Lexi Menefield - 5 points DaShae Tolleson - 4 points Summer Morris - 4 points Nikki Hutchison - 3 points

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## Sign Up Now To Serve On City Council or School Board

The City of McLean and McLean I.S.D. are looking for a few good men and women to fill positions that will soon come open on the City Council and School Board.
If you are civic minded and want what is best for the City of McLean and

McLean I.S.D. then this might be the perfect opportunity for you.
The City of McLean will have two, two year alderman positions up for election. Jacque Riley and Gcorge Shaw currentis serve in these seats. Ihe Mayor position is also up for election. This position is currently being held by Frank Warner. This will also be a two year term position.

The McLean IS.D Board of Education wil also have two positions up for election. These positions will be for three year terms. Bobby Richardson and Ronnie Ferguson currently serve in these seats.
If you would like to file for candidacy, you may file from February 7 to March 7.

School Board candidates must file at the McLean I.S.D. Business office Candidates for the City of McLean must filc at City

Early voting in these elections will run from April 20 to May 3. Voting Day will be on May 7 at Lovett Memorial Library

## REMINDERS

FEBRUARY 12 is Abe Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 22 is Washington's birthday B anks and birthay. government offices will be closed on Monday, Feb 21 for President's Day.

A BLOOD DRIVE will be held in the school cafeteria on February 7 , 3:00-6:30 p.m

THE ALANREED Community Association will meet on Saturday, February 5 at 6:30 p.m. in the Alanreed Community Center for a Regular Monthly Meeting.

THE LITTLE Dribblers will begin their basketball season tonight in Lefors at the tournament. Times vary

THE TIGERS \& Lady Tigers will travel to Hedley on Feb. 4. Games begin at 5:00 p.m.

DON'T FORGET that Valentine's Day is Monday, Feb. 14 . Remember those in your life who are important to you.

THE MCLEAN Beauty Pageant is Saturday, February 5 at 7:00 p.m.

THE RED HAT CLUB will meet on February 7 @ 11:30 a.m. at the Red River Steakhouse.

## BREAST CANCER

 Screening at the Lovett Memorial Library, Feb. 17. Must have an appointment.THE FIRE Department is looking for volunteers, if you are interested you may talk to any fireman for more details.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE to e-mail your news, you may do so to itts@centramedia,net

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Seniors Nick Jones and Antonio Castillo order caps and gowns in prepara ion for Graduation Exercises.

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## Donors Needed For Blood Drive At School Cafeteria

On Monday, February 7 McLean I.S.D. will host a blood drive for Coffee Memorial Blood Cenier. The blood drive will be held in the school cafeteria from 3:00-6:30 p.m. All
donors will receive a Tshirt. Please call $1-800$ -$658-6178$ to schedule an appointment.

Anyone that is 17 years of age or older, weighs a minimum of 115 pouds and is in general good health may donate blood.
All blood types are needed, but especially type "O". To have any questions answered about blood donation, please contact the Center at 1 -800-658-6178

## 䄧íthoays \& Annibersaries

February 3 -Vance February 7 - Vesta Coleman and Jeff Bailey, Maybelle Nash, Kingston

February 4 -Teresa Eubank., Jenny Collom. February 5 - Monty Joiner, Lester Lee, Bill Fuller.
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## McClellan

## McLean Lunch Menu

## for the week of Feb. 7-11 Lunch:

## Breakfast:

Monday: French Toast,
Sausage, Toast \& Jelly, Fruit or Trail Mix, Juice, Milk
Tuesday: Yogurt, Teddy Grahams, Toast \& Jelly, Fruit or Trail Mix, Juice, Milk
Wednesday: Scrambled Eggs, Ham, Toast \& Jelly, Fruit or Trail Mix, Juice, Milk
Thursday: Pop Tarts or Nutri Grain Bars, Toast \& Jelly, Fruit or Trail Mix, Juice, Milk
Friday: Cinnamon Rolls, Toast \& Jelly, Fruit or Trail Mix, Juice, Milk

Monday: Grilled Ham \& Cheese Sandwich, Veggie Sticks, Pickle Spears, Fritos, Fruit, Milk
Tuesday: Stew, Cornbread or Crackers, Peanut Butter \& Jelly Sandwich, Fruit and Milk
Wednesday: Hot Ruast Beef Sandwich with Brown Gravy, mashed Potatoes, Corn, Fruit Cup, Milk Thursday: Sausage Wraps, Scallop Potatoes, Sauerkraut, Fruit, Milk Friday: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onions, Potato Wedges, Fruited Jello, Milk

## Troopers Met Half Pound Of Meth \& 500 Grams Of Ecstacy

Two Texas Depart nent of Public Safety troosers, from Mclean and Pimpa arrested four people slong I-40 East bound near

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The troopers search of the automobile resulted in finding drugs hidden in the right door panel of the vehicle. The hidden

McLean Monday morning The troopers received consent to search the 1998 Chevy Lumina the four people were driving.
drugs worth more than $\$ 39,500$ consisted of a halfp o u n d o f methamphetamine and 500 grams of ecstasy.

## MCLEAN CHURCH DIRECTORY

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## 4n \& Clarendon

Sunday Bible School 10:00 a.m Worship $10: 40$ a.m. $\& 6$ p.m., Wed. Bible Class $7: 30$

First Assembly of God 4 \& 8 Main Morning Worship 10:45 Childen's Church 7:00 p.m. Wednesday- 5 mily Night $7.00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Chilcren, Youth © 6:00 \& Adult Bble Study © 7:00 Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Pastor Kelly Raymond 779-2175 Sundar School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:50 \& 6:00 p.m. Weche cday Bble Study \& Prayer Meeting $6: 00$ p.m.

United Methodist Church
Pastor Thacker Haynes 779-2049 a 779-2337
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:50 a.m. \& 6:00 p.m Sunday Sr. High Youth Alpha Chi 5:00 p.m. Wechesday Choir 7:00 p.m.

Heald United Methodist Church
Kellerville Road
Sunday 9:15 a.m.

Trinity Church

## 603 Commerce

Pastor Lary Perkins 779-3207
Sunday worship 10:45 a.m.
Life Groups-Sunday-5:00 p.m.
Solid Rock Youth \& Sonshine Childen's Ministy
Wechesday 6:00
Adult Bible Study-Wednesdey-7:00 p.m.

All of the occupants of Arkansas and one was the car were taken to the from California. Gray County Jail in Pampa on drug charges. Three of on drug charges. Three of the occupants were from

Troopers believe that the drugs came from California and were on their way to Arkansas.


FFA Students that participated in Stock Shows - Back: Anthony Ruiz, Kevin Smith, Logan Sparling, Kutter Anderson, Jesse Parks, Daniel Lee Front Row: Mr. Layman, Tanner Cadra, Mark Smidh Suzanne Howard, Jamie Sanderson, Amanda Loya, Ethan Smith

## Hefley Named To

 Presidents ListNikki Jo Hefley a 2002 graduate of MHS and a junior at WTAMU was recently named to the President's Honor List with a 4.0 GPA for the Fall ' 04 semester.
Nikki is actively involved in the Ag Business Club of WT and will represent them in the Quiz Bowl competition at Little Rock, Arkansas, February 6 and 7, 2005. She is also enrolled in the Ag Commodity Trading class that will take an 11 day trip and tour of Scotland and Ireland in March 2005.
Nikki is majoring in Ag Business and plans to graduate in Spring '06



Tigers Bring Home Pair of Victories

The J.V. and Varsity Tigers tipped off against the Samnorwood Eagles last Friday night to bring home two victories

The Junior Varsity cane out strong and staved in the lead all night long. They finished their game with a

John Haynes led in the scoring with 11 points and shat $80 \%$ of his free throws
Seth Childers followed with 7 points Anthony Ruiz and Steven Vasser both added 6 points assel board for the Tigers. ogan

Lee both added 4 points
Trey Skipper and Cole Dampier each had points. Kevin Smith added one point.
The Varsity Tigers came out looking to follow in the IV's footsteps and did just that with a win of 77 .

Ladies Battle Samnorwood As Season Winds Down

## The Lady Tigerstrateled

 to Samnoniood last Friday might to face off against the Lady EaglesIn the first quarter of the game, the McLean tcam stayed withon close range of the Eagles At one point. the Ladies were withun two points of twing up the score
Howeter, an injury in the third quarer and missed shots lead to a lose of 51-33
Scoring for the ladies were Keisha Menefield Wiventan James Alexander led the pack with 18 points. Jacob Tolleson followed by adding 14 points to the board. Zane Richardson earned 12 points. Tyler Hanes and Manden Conklin both scored 10 points cach.
Lucas Seymour scored points for the Tigers Kutter Anderson and Zach Richardson both earned points each for the team.

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 basketball skills at the same time. Good job!
## CAGER

Game 3-Heciler
Shen Haynes - 12 points Ashley Byron - 9 points Lew Menefield - 6 points DaShac Tolleson - 4 points Summer Morris - 3 points Summer Morrls - 3 point
Nancy Castillo - 1 point

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We are extremely roud of our students in elementary and jr. high. During the month of December, our school collected canned goorls for Loaves and Fishes. The total amount was 1,060 cans. The sixth and seventh graders sand Christmas carols at the nursing home after giving gifts to each res dent These two classes have chosen to do this rather than exchange gifts for themselves at school. The seventh graders rake weekly visits to the nu rsing home to visit the residents. The sixth and seventh graders also gave more than $\$ 200$ to Srecia'

Olympics by turning their A.R. points into money instead of gifts for themselves. The elementary and jr. high students have read over 6,000 books so far this year.
Currently the students are bringing money for the victims of the tsunami. We have already collected $\$ 300$ and have another jar in place.
TAKS tests are coming up and we feel very confident that our scores will remain high. We have some of the top scores in the state every year

The students' work, progress and generosity reflect very supportive


Mrs. Long and her kindergarten class celebrated 100 days of school by making special glasses.
parents as well as a giving So keep up the good work. community. Together we Elementary/Jr.High really do make a Staf difference.

The students have all been busy saving Box Top and Campbell soup labels.

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## Barbara Cosper, Carson County Tax Assessor-Collector Resigns

Barbara Cosper , Carson County Tax Assessor Collector tendered her resignation in writing to the Carson County Commissioners in their meeting Monday. Reasons for her resignation, according the Judge Lewis Powers, related to some health issues that she had been having of late.
Cosper was appointed to the office in 1998, with the resignation of Roslyn Watson. Cosper was then elected to the position in


Bcrbara Cosper

2000 and 2004.
Judge Powers stated that the Commissioners will ask for applications in an effort to fill the position. The next general election will take place in 2007 Candidates will have to file in January 2006 to run for the position which will then consist of 1 year of an unexpired term.
The job description of the County Tax-Assessor Collector will be included in future issues.

## Time is Now To Sign Up To Run For Groom City Council Or School Board

The democratic process has been in the news aclot lately, proving that running for office and getting the chance to decide the future direction that your part of the world will take is an amazing process and an awesome responsibility.
A chance to express pride in our community is about to present itself. It is about to present itself. It is
time to consider running time to consider running Board. Applications for a place on the bailot will be available beginning February 7 and continue through March 7. Residential and citizenship requirements can be requested through the

Sche ol Business Office and the City Office. App ications for a place on the ballot will be taken during regular busines: hours at each office. The City of Groom Business Office is open MondayFrid y 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. The Groom ISD Business Office is open 8:00amOffice is open 8:00am-
$3: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ everyday that $3: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ everyday
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The last day to apply for Manh 7. The election is to be held on May 7. Early votirg by mail requests will se accepted beginning on 1 larch 8 and continue on 1 larch 8 and continue
throu gh April 29. Early votir $g$ in person will begin Apri 20-Mary 3

Those who terms will be expiring on the School Board are Tim Case and Seth Ritter. On the City Council it will be Mayor Joe Homer and Aldermen Chris Welch and Kenneth Weller.

Good candidates for these positions should be interested in the betterment of Groom and/or it's education system, be able to attend monthly and special meetings, and make themselves available to the public for input on issues public for input on issues important to the community.
Take a chance on the future of our beloved See CANDIDATES. pg 5

## Ledbetter Joins The Team At The Extention Service

AMARILLO - A veteran agricultural writer and business editor has joined the research and Extension staff at the Texas A\&M Uaiversity System's Agricultural Research and Extension Center here.

Kay Ledbetter began work as the center's communications specialist on Jan. 24. The Amarillo center is a satellite of the
syste n's Agriculture Program. With substations at Busl land and Etter, it serv $s$ as headquarters for Texas Agricultural Experiment Station sciar istsand Teas Cooperative Ext:nsion specialists working in the Panhandle. "I m looking forward to worling with all the rescarchers and speci alists," Ledbetter said.

They have been my sources of information for many years now, and I look forward to the opportunity to spread their story toaneven greater audience"
"We are excited that a person of Kay's ability and experience has chosen to join our scientific and educational team," said John Sweeten, resident

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 job as a nurse. She read a book to all of the children and let them listen to their heartbeat using a stethoscope.


The kids from the FBC Mom's Day out program were on the road again. This time they traveled to Claude where they visited the Nursing Home. They met lots of interesting residents and staff that were eager to visit with the children. The children also entertained everyone with a few songs.

## GROOM COMMUNITY CALENDAR

GROOMISD ALUMNI will hold an important meeting on Monday, Feb,. 7 at 6:00 in the Lion's Club Room..


GROOM HIGH School will hoat a blood drive on February 21, 2005. From 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Every Donor will receive a TShirt!

THE RT. 66 Arena Assuciation will meet on Tuesday, February 8 at 7:30 p.m in the Community Center.
GROOM SENIORS will be honored at the last home game on Friday night. Be sure to attend to show your appreciation for the thrills and chills during their careers

MARDI GRAS ends Tuesday and Ash Wednesday is February 9 denoting the beginning of the Lenten Season. Easter will be celebrated on March 27.


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Happy ! 0 0th Birthday!

## Yocal 稙appenings

ILL OR RECOVERING
The following are loca residents who are ill or recovering from health concerns: Zander Mays and Kye Mays.


ITS A GIRL!
Zadyn Lane Johnson was born Friday, November, 5 , 2004 in Amarillo at 8:25 am. She weighed 7 lbs $63 / 4 \mathrm{oz}$ and was 193/4 inches long.
Zadyn's proud parents are Randy and Krista Johnson of Dalhart, Texas. She was also welcomed home by her 2 year old brother Braxton.
Grandparents are Jimmy and Susan Burgin of Groom, Texas and Steve and Sharon Johnson of Hereford, Texas. Margurite Burgin of Groom, Texas is one of many proud greatgrandparents.

## COW FOKES

By Ace Reid

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Card of Thanks
I want to thank everyone for your prayers for my health. My tests have come back clear and I am most grateful to all for the calls, cards, visits, and genuine concern I have seen shown What
blessing to live in such a caring community!

May God Bless
each of you,
Alice Kuehler

GRANDDAUCITER
GRADUATES
Amy Michelle Simon, granddaughter of Jean Morrow of Groom, graduated with her Master's degree in Business Administration from Emporia State University on December 18, 2004. She is the daughter of John and Marva Simon and a 1999 graduate of Syracuse High School. While completing her master's degree she earned a 3.95 GPA and was the Vice President for the MBA Association. Amy has been employed with the Imporia State University's Office of Lifelong Learning for the past year as the Marketing Coordinator. She will continue her employment at her current position for
is currently living in Wichita, Kansas

FLAG DAY is February 24.

## College Students Honored For Achievement

West Texas A\&M University has named more than 1,300 students to honor lists for the fall 2004 semester. Of that total, 319 were namod to the President's List and 1,069 students were named to the Dean's List.
Students named to the President's List must have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.85 or better on a 4.0 scale and carry a minimum class luad of 12 undergraduate hours.
Those named to the Dean's List must have a GPA between 3.25 and 3.85 and carry a minimum of 12 undergraduate hours.
Area students on the President's List include: Karrie E Britten sophomore EC-4, Education major.
Area students on the Dean's List include: Sabrina M. Leven, Senior, Environmental Science major and Julie D. Richardson, Senior, EC-4 Education major

## ZBíttjoays \& Annibersaries

February 3 - Amy Adam Stephens.
Brown Williams, Mrs. February 7 - Rick Kenneth Payton, Leon J. Prather, Mitzi Moraniec, Bohr, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jones C. Sustaire (A) (A), February 4 - Mr. and (A)
Febryary 8 - Bill \& 10 Mrs. Leon Schaffer (A). Mrs. Ann Musser (A)

February 5 - Mrs. Ann Musser (A). Robert West, Georgann February 9 - Jolee Hinson, Mike Friemel, Burger Moore, Connie Louis Leven. McMahan.
February 6 - John

## Bertha Knight Celebrates $96^{\text {th }}$ Birthday With Friends

Bertha Knight celebrated her $96^{\text {h }}$ birthday last week A community wide party was planned but the weather did not cocoperated so a smalle verson of the party was brought to Berthal
The First Baptist Church called her on the phone and sang "Happy Birthday". Bertha's good fiends Nancy Patterson and Ray and Gaynell Poll came to her home in the flernoon bringing and a brigif lunch and a beautiful birthday ake. A lovely flower atrangement arrived from the Kendrick kids, Ann Delouch, Bill and Bob Kendrick. Lovely gitts from The Brother Kelly amily Lacille Bitten, Jim Sue Norton: Toum Sue Norton, Tommy, Sue and Don Gleaton, and Isabel Williams.

Phone calls come in from all over the country. Amarillo, Bay Town, Knox City, Ft. Worth, Wichita Falls and many other cities in Texas plus California, Pennsylvania, Michigan and Georgia. were just a few.
Many, many beautiful card were also received. Return addresses from all over Texas, Oklahoms, Tennessec, Florids, Nevada, New Mexico and Wisconsin .
Also visiting in the afternoon were Betty Hiltbruner, Ed and Pat Musser, Robert and Alice Kuchler.

Berha is looking forward to next year and hoping the weather will cooperate!


Groom School Breakfast and Lunch Menu

Week of Februa
through February 11
Breakfast？
Monday ：Cold cereal， meffins，juice，\＆milk．
Tuesday：Pancakes， peanct butter，sausage， juice at milk．

Wednesday：Breakfast
burritos，hash brown Lunch：
Thursday：
Thursday：Biscuits，
，bacon，juice \＆milk．
Friday：Donuts， cinn mon rolls，juice \＆ milk

Monday：Mexican pile on，corn，lettuce，tomatoes pears，graham crackers \＆ milk．
Tuesday：Corn dogs， macaroni and cheese，tator tots，pickle spears，peaches

## 解会学 The Gem Theatre of Claude，Texas 3 <br> Proudly presents A Valen ine＇s Day Treat－A Romantic Dinner at 6：00 p．m．followed by Neil Simon＇s Hilarious Comedy Barefoot lli＇The Park <br> five on Stage at 7：30 p．m． Bring your sureetheart <br> Friday and Saturday Pebruary 11 \＆ 12 Call 944－5462 for Tickets <br> Produced by Special Ifrangement with Samuel French，Inc Dinner and Play $\$ 18$

8 milk．
Wednesday：Fish or steak，green beans，mashed potatoes，hot rolls，rice krispie treats \＆milk
Thursday：Chicken fajitas，lettuce，tomatoes， fajitas，lettuce，tomatoes，
pincapple，sauteed onion and green pepper \＆milk． Friday：Pizza，salad， applesauce，crackers \＆ milk

## LEDBETTER

director of research at the critar．＂She has a good working knowledge of our cooperative research， education and extension team－which includes West Texas A\＆M University＇s Agriculture Division，the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory and USDA＇s Agricultural Research Service at Bushland．＂
＂Her knowledge of clientele，issues and opportunities in the Panhandle and her track record of getting things

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## done will be tremendous

 assets．＂Ledbetter graduated from Groom High School in 1979，and earned a bachelor＇s in journalism from West Texas State University in 1982.
She began her career as a general assignments reporter with the Amarillo Globe－News newspaper in 1982．She was the Globe－ News farm and ranch writer for two years，and served as farm and ranch editor since
1986．She also worked as an assistant regional editor
Neil and Mary Fulton
and senior business writer during her last four years at the newspaper．

Ledbetter has earned several journalism and communications awards． She is also a photographer and freelance contributor to several magazines Ledbetter and husband， Randy，reside in Amarillo with their children，Joshua and Kaycee．

She can be reached a （806）677－5600．Her email address is skledbetter＠ag．tanu．edu．



## Tigerettes V /ind Down Season

The Groom Tijerettes lost their January $21^{\text {² }}$ game to McLean 67 to 36.
High point wa: Kyra Stevens with 17 points. Michaela Roskens scored 10. Sharri Britten a dded 7. Katie Thompson contributed 2.
The Ettes lost their January $25^{\text {th }}$ ga ne to $\begin{array}{ll}\text { January } & 25^{\text {ma }} \\ \text { Silverton } \\ 77 & \text { to } 34 \text {. }\end{array}$
Kacie Galyean wis high point scoring 18 points. Sharri Britten ad led 9. Kyra Stevens contrit uted 5 . Michaela Roskens scored 2.

The Groom Tigers lost to Silverton 53 to 43 .
Thane Barkley was high point scoring 19. Chance Barkley contribute 114. Blaine Britten adked 4. Adam Britten and T.J. Moraniec each score 13.
The Tigerettes played Hedley January $28^{\text {th }}$. Sharri Britten was high point with 4 points. Kacie Galyean and Kyra Stevens each added 3. Jan Rattarree scored 1. The
final score was Hedley 86 Groom 11.

The Tigers lost their game against Hedley last Friday evening 59 to 38 .

High point was Chance Barkley with 9 points. T.J. Moraniec and Thane Barkley each added 8 Chad Barkley and Javier Caro each scored 4. Blaine Britten contributed 3. Adam Britten added 2.

## J.H. BASKETBALL

Groom Jr. High played Valley on Monday
The Ettes blasted them 31 to 19. Ashley Murray was high point with 12. Rachel Hopkins scored 8 points, Maddie Wieberg 5 and Korri Britten 3
In the boys match Groom lost in a very close match lost in a very close match
33 to 40 . Eric Torres was high point with 11, Blake Galyean scored 10. Tyler Babcock, Brett Britten and Josh Kelly each scored 4 points.

## More Carson County Stock Show Winners And Honorees

The following information was unavailable for fast weeks newspaper

The judges for the county livestock show were Brandon Anderson from Haskell-Swine Judge and Todd Vineyard from Anson-Sheep, Heifers, and Steer Judge.
The Pick-Up Winners were Jo Bonnye LeCompte and John Homen.

The Buckles and Showmanship Awards were as follows: Rookie of the Year-Riley Mitchell, WD FFA; Grand Champion Pig-Brittany Davis, WD FFA; Reserve

Top Buyers were R\&B Ag Services, Robinson Grain and Happy State Bank.

## Jr High Compete In Miami

Groom Junior High another 4 and Korri Britten teams competed in the and Maddie Wieberg each Miami Tournament last week.
Groom Junior High Girls lost a white knuckle match with Miami 30-27. Ashley Murray was high point with 11. Korn Britten added another 5. Rachael Hopkins contributed 4, Maddie Wieberg 3, Stacy Schick 2 and Alannah King 2.
The Ettes came back for the $2^{\text {nd }}$ match-up and beat Kelton 44 to 8.
Ashley Murray and Maddie Wieberg each cored 11 points to lead the scored in points to pad Ettes to victory. Rachael Hopkins contributed 10 points. Alannah King and Korri Britten added another 6 .
The girls then played Pringle Morris in their last game of the tournament. Ashley Murray was again Ashicy Murray was again Rachael Hopkis sconed 10 Rachael Hopkins scored 10 points to assist the win. Alannah King added
scored 2.

The Groom Cubs lost to Miami in their opening match in the Miami Tournament. The boys scored 18 to Miami's 24. Blake Galyean scored 10 points for the Cubs and Eric Torres added another 8. The Cubs blasted past Kelton in the second match

48-10. Brett Frieme scored 12 points to lead the team to victory. Blake Galyean scored 9. Josh Kelly added another 4. Eric Torres, Trevor Friemel, Shane Kine, and Tyler Babcock each scored 4. Ben Thompson added another 3 .

Pringle Morris beat Groom 41 to 17 in the fina game of the tournament. Eric Torres was high point with 8. Josh Kelly scored 4 and Blake Galyean added 2.


## Grand Jury Indicts Fourteen

Carson County Grand Jury met on January 27 2005 and retumed 14 indictments for charges ranging from Credit Card Abuse to Possession of Cocaine.
Christopher Lanier Bednorz was indicted on a State Jail Felony of Burglary of a Building belonging to Kim Fuller on Aug. 24, 2004.
Justin Ray Reynolds was indicted on Charges of indicted on Charges of belonging to Kim Fuller with a State Jail Felony. The offense was committed on Aug. 24, 2004.

James E. Butler was indicted on a State Jail Felony for Burglary of a Building belonging to Greg Slover which occurred on August 16.

Also indicted for burglary of a building belonging to Greg Slover, under the SJF felony was Chad Michael Young . Chad Michael Young.
Raul Corona, Jr. wa Raul Corona, Jr. was
indicted on a $2^{\text {ni }}$ degree indicted on a $2^{\text {mid }}$ degree
felony possession of marijuana, 2,000 pounds or less but more than 50 pounds on October 21, 2004.

Roland David Carrera, Jr. Wis also indicted on a $2^{\text {nd }}$ degree felony possersion of marijuana, more 50 pounds but less than 2000 on October 21, 2004.

Gus tavo Cota Lerma was indict $x$ on a $1^{\text {ti }}$ degree felony ( $10-99$ / life) for posser sion of 400 grams or more of Cocaine
Jay ne Denise Davis was indictod on a State Jail Felony for Credit Card Abuse after presenting a Master Card not belonging Maste: Card not belonging
to har for payment at to har for payment at Allsuys Store in White Deer. This occurred on Septe nber 14, 2003.
Inc icted for a $1^{3}$ Degree Feloly (10-99/life) Fiony (10-99/1ife), tried Poritio Avila will be Humberto Salazar is found cause Grand Jury

accused of possession 400 grams of cocaine or mere on Nov. 5, 2004

Galindo Ponce De Leon was indicted on a $1^{x}$ Degree Felony, ( $10-99 /$ life) for the possession of more than 400 grams of Cocaine on November 5, 2004.
Jose Lemus Lopez was indicted on a $1^{13}$ degree indicted on a degree
felony charge ( $10-99 / \mathrm{life}$ ) felony charge (10-99/life)
of Possession of a of Possession of a
controlled substance,
namely methamphetamine, 400 grams or more on October 18, 2004.
Also indicted for the same offense that occurred on the same day was Marco Antonio Pantoja.
Porfirio Avila will be

Ralph Depee, D.D.S.

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charged with a $3^{\text {re }}$ degree felony for possession of less than 50 pounds but more than 5 pounds of marijuana on October 7, 2004.
Heidi Jean Hamlin was charged with possession less than 50 but more than 5 pounds of marijuana on October 7, 2004.

## Farmer's <br> Equipment <br> Mowers 4'-20' Grain Carts.

## CANDIDATES

community and seek office! Contact the appropriate business office for more information!

## GEM THEATRE <br> OFFERS SPECLAL ROMANTIC <br> ALEENTINE EVENING

Rehearsals are now underway for "Barefoot in the Park" This hilarious comedy will be performed lie on stage at the Gem Theatre in Claude, Texas, Theatre in Claude, Texas Friday and Saturday, February 11 and 12 . Prior to each performance, a dinner will be served in the former Museum Gift shop. Make plans now to enjoy this "Special Valentine Treat."
"Barefoot In The Park" will be directed by Teresa Collins, This well-known comedy in three acts was written by Neil Simon. The all-local cast joining The all-local cast joining
Collins for this production Collins for this production
includes Sarah Whitney includes Sarah Whitney
and Dustin Sanders, as and Dustin Sanders, as newlyweds Corrie and members are Sara Messer as Corrie's mother (Mrs. Banks), Carl Lansbury as Banks), Carl Lansbury as neighbor Victor Valasco, Wayne Blodgett as the
telephone repairman and telephone repairman and
Bill Burcham as the delivery man.
The romantic dinner will begin at $6: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in the former Museum Gift Shop across the street from the Armstrong County Museum and Gem Theatre. The dinner prepared by Brenda Whitney and Connie Spiller, will include Beef Lombardi, salad, homemade bread, tea and coffee and will be topped off with delicious red velvet cake.
As usual, the curtains at the Gem Theatre will open at 7:30 pm. Don't miss our on this special valentine's evening. Make you reservations now by calling 944-5462. The cost of the dinner and play is $\$ 18.00$, while ticket for the play only are $\$ 10$. You don't want to miss this special evening.

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## March 18 Deadline For EQIP

The USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Te as announced that farmass and ranchers wishing to be considered for 2005 funding in the Environmental Quality Inscentives Program (EQIP) should make s are they sign up by the clos: of business Friday, March 18, 2005. If you were an unsuccessful applicant in 2004 and wish to apply for the 2005 program, he sure to contact the NRCS of ice and make an appointrient to re-apply.

EQIP was reauthorized in the 2002 Farm Bill to provide a voluntary conservation program fro farmers and raichers that promotes agriculteral production and environmental quality as compatible national goals. Equip offers financial and technical help to assist eligible participants install or implement structural and or management practices on eligible agricultural land

In 2005, Texas will offers cost sharing and receive approximately $\$ 64$ incentive payments to million in EQIP financial assistance funds and approximately $\$ 5.5$ million in Ground and Surface Water EOIP funds.
The funds will help farmers and ranchrs improve the natural resources on private working lands in Texas," said Dr. Larry butler, Texas NRCS State Conservationist.
"The funds will help farmers and ranchers improve the natural resources on private working lands in Texas," said Dr. Larry Butler, Texas NRCS State Conservationist. "They will be used to solve locally identified resource problems in each county and will also fund special statewide concerns recommended by the Texas State Technical Committee such as water quantity, water and air quality, wildlife habitat and treatment of Beginning immediately ireatment of invasive after March 18, 2005 all species. This program applications will be ranked
and those selected for funding will be approved A conservation planner will develop a contract and conservation plan for each contract that is approved. Additional information and access to ranking criteria, practices and cost share rates for EQIP can be foun d a t www.tx.nics.usiangov/prog rams/

Sheriff's Report
01/31/05
As of Monday morning there were 21 persons in the County Jail. The charges break down as follows: Possession of a Controlled Substance - 13, Criminal Non Support - 1, Parole Revocations - 2 , DWI - 1. Possession of Marijuana - 3, Other


Featuring Palo Duro Metro Chorus of the SWEET ADELINES Inc. of Amarillo. with Julie Bender, Director also appearing is JOPLIN \& CO. with Kent Watson
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GROOM INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2004

| Dan |  | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ \text { Ceneral } \end{gathered}$ | Major Special | Other | Towl Covernmental |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cades |  | Fund | Revenue Fund | Funst | Funds |
|  | REVENUES: |  |  |  |  |
| 5700 | Tot I Local and Intermediate Sources | 899,334 | 5 - | 62,866 \$ | 962,200 |
| 5800 | Stat: Program Revenues | 194,833 | 93,000 | 19,213 | 307,046 |
| 5900 | Fed ral Program Revenues | 725 | - | 124,722 | 125,447 |
| 5020 | Total Revenues | 1,094,892 | 93,000 | 206,801 | 1,394,693 |
| EXIENDITURES: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Carreat: |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0011 | Insi ruction | 623,818 | 89,571 | 74,499 | 787,888 |
| 0012 | Inss ructional Resources \& Media Services | 12,577 | - | 167 | 12,744 |
| 0013 | Cur riculum \& Instructional Staff Development | 1,143 |  | 5.994 | 7,137 |
| 0021 | Ins ructional Leadership | 2,120 | - | 3,975 | 6,095 |
| 0023 | Sct ool Leadership | 62,618 | 1,429 | 6,389 | 70,436 |
| 0031 | Gu dance, Counseling \& Evaluation Services | 901 | - | 16,828 | 17,729 |
| 0033 | He lth Services | 3,312 |  | 1,000 | 4,312 |
| 0034 | Sto dent (Pupil) Transportation | 35,401 |  | 642 | 36,043 |
| 0035 | Food Services |  |  | 60,467 | 60,467 |
| 0036 | Coxurricular/Extracurricular Activities | 38,157 |  | ${ }^{241}$ | 38,398 |
| 0041 | Ge neral Administration | 112,255 | 2,00 | 505 | 112,760 |
| 0051 | Pla nt Maintenance and Operations | 157,288 | 2,000 | 988 | 160,276 |
| 0053 | Da a Processing Services | 9,928 | . | - | 9,928 |
| 0061 | Co nmunity Services | 59 | - | - | 59 |
| Debt Service: |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0071 | Dext Service - Principal on loag-terne debt | 22,682 |  | 25,000 | 47,682 34,541 |
| 0072 | De x Service - Interest on lonk-term debt | 3,821 | - | 30,720 | 34,541 |
| 0073 | Dext Service - Boad lssannce Cost and Fees |  | - | 545 | 545 |
| Intery overnmental: |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6030 | Total Expenditures | 1,100,693 | 93,000 | 228,069 | 1,421,762 |
| 1100 | Er xess (Deficiencr) of Revenves Over (Under) Expenditures <br> O HER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): | (5,801) | - | $(21,268)$ | (27,069) |
| 7912 | Sile of Real and Personal Property | 34,902 | - | ${ }^{-}$ | 34,902 |
| 7915 | Transfers In |  |  | 11,663 | 11,663 |
| 8911 | Transfers Out (Use) | (11,663) | - | . | $(11,663)$ |
| 7080 | Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | 23,239 | - | 11,663 | 34,902 |
| 1200 | Net Change in Fund Balances | 17,438 | - - | $(9,605)$ | 7,833 |
| 0100 | Pind Balance - September 1 (Beginning) | 539,507 | - | 9,463 | 548,970 |
| 3000 | Pind Balance - August 31 (Ending) | S 556,945 | \$ - | (142) S | 556,803 |

Felony - 1
On Monday 01/10 Deputy Rick Armstrong did a civil standby while a pickup was repossessed in White Deer.

On Tuesday 01/11 Sgt. Heath Cates took a report of multiple counts of Credit Card Abuse. Sgt. Cates investigated the case and has presented it to the Grand Jury. The Grand Jury returned an indictment in the case.

On Thursday $01 ; 13$ took a report of Criminal Mischief at the Antler Gym in White Deer. An unknown person busted the window out of a parked car during a basketball game.

On Friday 01/18, Chief Deputy Sutton took a repor of Cruelty to Animals that occurred north west of Panhandle. Someone shor two dogs with a BB gun. One of the dogs died due to the incident. The case remains under investigation. Apparently the dogs were on the owner's property and there was no reason for the incident. It wasn't long ago that we sent a person to State Jail for a year for shooting a dog under the same circumstances.

On Thursday 01/20, Sgt Cates took a report of an oilfield theft that occurred between Skellytown and Borger. A compressor valued at over $\$ 20,000$ was stolen. Texas Ranger Alvin Schmidt is assisting Sgt. Cates in the investigation.

On Friday 01/21, Deputy Drew Brassfield stopped to check on 2 vehicle that was parked near a barn south of White Deer. Deputy Brassfield found several juveniles and one adult in the velicice along with some beer. Afier determining that the juveniles had beea drinking they were issued ciextions. The 21-year-old adelt was jailed for Making Alochol Availsble to a Miaor.

On Tuesday 0125, Deputy Rick Armstrons stopped a velicle County Rood M. The diviver appeared to be intoricatod and was arrested for thar and a probation violation warrant out of Pother County for DWL.

We are paying special attention to the county roads late at night and eanit into the morning. If you tre driving around out in the county at odd hours, don't be surprised if you have the opportunity to visit wifi a deputy. I hope that those of you that have legitimete business will uadentand the inconvenience.
Tam Terry

