# The Groom Rews

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# **Groom Track Enthusiasts Endure Meet At Miami**



Justin Ritter and Mary Hutsell both prove to be valuable members of the track team



Groom High School and Jr. High Track-sters braved the elements last weekend to attend a track meet at Miami. With an entire spectrum of weather conditions, from hot and dusty to cold and rainy the meet was truly an endurance test for all concerned.

Some of the schools participating were Groom Miami, Wheeler, Shamrock, White Deer, Highland Park, Memphis, Claude, Valley, Ft. Elliott, Higgins, Lefors, Channing, Follett, McLean, Hartley, Silverton, Adrian, and Hedley.

The Groom boys placed fifth in the two day meet scoring a total of 71 points.

Nick Ashford tied with Gaddis of Valley for third place in the High Jump.

Seth Ritter placed third

in the pole vault. Justin Ritter placed first in the 800 meter run.

Bart Britten placed third in the 400 meter dash. Bo Burgin placed third in

the 300 meter hurdles. The Junior High Boys

placed sixth with 421/2 points.

The 1600 meter relay team place fourth. Members are Daniel Treadwell, Josh Evenson, Alberto Vega, and Marcus Miller.

Daniel Treadwell also placed second in the 100 meter hurdles, second in the shot and third in the high

Alberto Vega placed first in the 800 meter run and second in the 2400 meter. Evan Crowell placed sixth

Groom School Board has

a full slate of candidates for

the May election as of

Current Board President,

Dennis Babcock and current

secretary, Adela Kotara filed

just before the deadline

time. Ken Burger will not

seek re-election to the

Board of Trustees. These candidates,

Wednesday afternoon.

**Last Minute Filers** 

Fill City, School

**Board Ballot Slots** 



# Kade Brown Has "Dream Come True" Experience

fulfilled every child's fantasy recently at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo: He rode in a red fire truck in the Grand Entry at the Houston Rodeo while dressed as a rocleo clown and was then interviewed by cable television for nationwide broadcast via satellite. Born on Halloween day in 1988, Kade was nicknamed 'Spook" and every Halloween since then he has dressed as a rodeo clown because that is what he dreams of becoming. Kade is the son of Lonny and Susan Brown of Groom.

The Brown family was in Houston for the world's largest rodeo, and daughter Kori Brown was showing cattle at the Stock show when the opportunity, (thanks to a friend of the family, Paul Sterling) arose for Kade to accompany the See Miami, pg. 6 rodeo clowns in his first-

addition to Curtis Downs

who filed earlier, will run

unopposed unless a write in

Business Manager Joyce

Hutsell stated that one

person had picked up the

necessary forms to declare

themselves a "write-in candidate" but had not

returned them at presstime.

See Election, pg. 6

candidate declares

"Spook" had his clown costume with him in Houston, complete with baggy pants and suspenders, and the real rodeo clowns made up his face in clown make-up. Over the years of attending the rodeos and entering clown contests Kade has become friends with several of the clowns who are on the Professional rodeo circuit, including the renowned Quail Dobbs, Leon Coffee and Rick Because of Chapman. Kade's sprightly and impish nature, these clowns embellished his nickname refer to him as

"Smokin' Spook" Brown.

entry, Kade's interview for cable television was conducted behind the bull riding chutes by Sharon Camarillo. When asked what he might be when he grows up, Kade replied that he wanted to be "Just like my Daddy" - a high compliment for the elder Brown who, incidentally does not engage in rodeo Whether he clowning. ranches or clowns (or maybe does both!), Kade is obviously enthusiastic and courageous. Little "Smokin'

See Clown, pg. 6

# **Community Calendar**

BASEBALL SEASON is set to begin May 1. Several teams are still in need of coaches; T-Ball, Minor League, Little League and Senior League. This year the teams will be playing Panhandle, Claude, Skellytown, White Deer, Hedley, McLean and Clarendon.

"TIME CHANGE" Saturday night, April 1st. "Spring Forward".

AFTER GRADUATION Party Committee Meeting! All Jr. & Senior parents urged to attend. parents welcome. Thursday, March 30, 5:30 pm at the Dairy Queen. Plans will be made to finalize fundraising activities and after graduation party.

CLARENDON College Ex-Students Association Reunion will be Saturday, April 8. Barbecue begins at 12:00 noon at the rodeo grounds.

Children's Story Hour Beginning April 5 at 2 pm and continuing each Tuesday through April will be a story hour for youngsters aged three to five.

The story hour will be hosted by Mrs. Christie Weller who will feature stories from the new Libri Foundation books.

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# The Groom News Local Happenings

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Groom Birthdays

March 30 - Kenneth Jackson, David Fields, Jennifer Lewis.

March 31 - Melissa Anthony, Joe Davis, Ed England, Angela Reed.

April 1 - Linda Fields, Mrs. E.C. Goodlett, Allie Hoyt, Charles Bowers, Sarah Hutsell, Cody Babcock, Ronald Gray. April 2 - Mrs. T.G.

April 2 - Mrs. T.G. Fields, Mrs. Albert Britten, Dustin Babcock.

April 3 - Troy Treadwell, Mrs. H.L. Mansel, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burgin (A).

April 4 · C.J. Whatley,
April 5 · Mr. and Mrs.
Johnny Leathers (A).

Nora Painter's current address is: %Medical Center Nursing Home Box 1007 - Room 116B Clarendon, Texas 79226 806-874-5311 (Own phone)

Rip and Joy Snyder and Gloria Ledwig, Ray and Gaynell Pool, Glynn D and Sybil Harrell attended the grand breaking for Thunder Junction at Clarendon on Friday.

#### More Community Calendars

THE CARSON UNIT of the American Cancer Society with the generous association from Groom's 4-H Club will hold a door-to-door community crusade drive on the afternoon of Sunday, April 2nd in Groom.

THE TENNIS TEAM will have a meet at Memphis on Saturday, April 1. April 3 and 4 will be the District Tennis meet at Borger.

TRACK MEET for Jr. High and High school at Wheeler Friday, March 30.

Rip and Joy Snyder visited Les and Ora Neal in Clarendon and Nita McKee in Alanreed on Friday.

#### Groom Library Has New Books

By Evelyn Hubbart

Groom Library now has all the Libri Foundation books on its shelves. Junior books include "Skylark", P. MacLachlan; "Strider", Beverly Cleary; "Timothy of the Cay", T. Taylor; and "Nothing But The Truth", a documentary by Avi, to name a few.

Easter is approaching and the Library has set out a number of children's books about Easter. Also for children (of all ages) are two "Waldo" books.

New adult books include "Crossing The Threshold of Hope", Pope John Paul II; "The Chamber", John Grisham; "Border Music", Robert James Weller; "Heaven's Pride", Sandra Brown; "The Gift", D. Steel, "Home Song", LaVyrle Spencer; and "True Colors", Doris Mortman.

C & H SUP

Karen Babcock
participated in induction
ceremonies March 26 to
become a member of Texas
Zeta Chapter of Alpha Chi,
the National Honor Society.

Alpha Chi recognizes outstanding scholastic achievement and is limited to Junior and Senior students with a GPA of at least 3.50 who rank in the top ten percent of their class.

Karen is a Junior Business Management major at WTAMU.

Kenny and Linda Babcock, Susan and Clint attended the ceremony and reception Sunday in Canyon.

#### College To Hold Reunion

The Clarendon College Ex-Students Association will hold its annual reunion Saturday, April 8. A barbecue will be held Saturday at 12:00 noon at the rodeo grounds.

Saturday evening at 6:15 pm the ex-students association will hold its annual meeting.

The ex-students banquet will follow at 7:00 pm. The classes of '45, '70 and '85 will be honored. The exstudents will also honor retiring President Dr. Jerry Stockton. For more information concerning the event contact, Bud Schaffer (806)669-2975 or Lessa Sharp (806)874-3571.

#### Sr. Party To Be Held

High school senior girls wanting information on rush procedures for college sororities are invited to attend a Panhellenic Coke Party on Sunday, April 2 at 2:00 pm in the horne of Carol Fields, 1131 Mary Ellen in Pampa. The senior girls are encouraged to bring their mothers to the where sorority party alumnae will be available to answer questions about rush, recommendations, parties and wardrobe.

The Panhellenic organization provides rush forms for about 14 different sororities that the seniors will fill out to be kept on file locally. Even if the ded not to go through rush her freshman year at college, she is encouraged to fill out the forms. Many girls change their minds during the summer or decide to go through rush week the following year. When their forms are in the files, the girls can call and have their information activated.

Seniors who cannot attend the party may contact Kimberly Kennedy, Rt. 1, Box 11C, Pampa, Texas 79065 (telephone - 665-4088) to obtain the rush information forms.

The president of Pampa City Panhellenic is Janyth Bowers. C & H SUPPLY

Rip and Joy Snyder, Billie Bivens and Wayne Shaw attended funeral services for Mrs. Walter Davis (Marie) at Clinton, Oklahoma on Tuesday at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Walter Davis was pastor at the Baptist Church in Groom at one time.

#### **IRS Forms**

The Groom Library has received the following I.R.S. forms: "Schedule SE; Schedule R, Schedule E, Schedule F, Schedule C, Schedule A & B, Schedule EIC" as well as "Schedule 1 and Schedule 2".

The I.R.S. sent forms 1040, 1040A and 1040EZ with accompanying instruction booklets. The Library can also reproduce any I.R.S. Form needed.

#### Look Who's New

Nick and Renee'
Weinheimer are proud to
announce the birth of their
daughter Amy Nicole. She
was born March 12th. She
weighted 7 lbs 11½ ounces.

The proud grandparents are James and Janice Weinheimer of Groom and Ed and Leola Ramaekers of Nazareth.

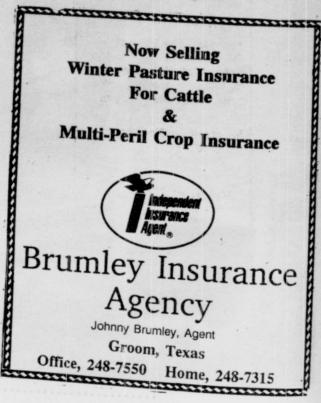
Bill, Norma Jean Homer,
Joannie and Tiffani of
Amarillo and Travis of
Dumas were in Lazbuddie
this past weekend visiting
with Mary Jo and Daniel
Schacher, Brittney, Jacob,
Kinzi and Justin. Mary Jo
had a birthday party
Saturday evening for Kinzi's
3rd birthday. Tiffani stayed
and will spend the week.

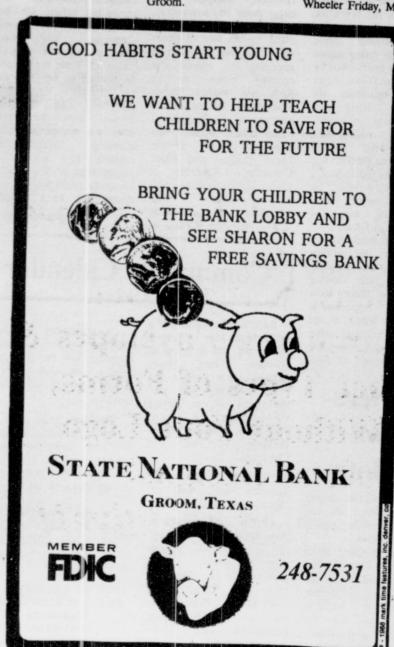
#### Painters Attend Annual Reunion

On Tuesday evening Burl, Nellie Painter and Ray Morris attended the annual meeting of Peoples Federal Credit Union at the Sunset Convention Center. The theme was "Play Ball". Entertainment by the Tally family was first on the agenda then the colors were presented by Girl Scout Troop #138 of Panhandle. Jenifer Tally sang "The Star Spangled Banner" followed by a prayer. Drawing for door prizes was held where Ray Morris was one of the lucky ones for a cash prize. Hot dogs and all the trimmings were served. A good time was had by all who attended.









#### Groom Ambulance Memorial Donations

Groom Elementary Students Miss Towe's 6th Grade

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It is neither safe nor honest to act contrary to conscience.

-Martin Luther

# **Elementary UIL Contestents Attend** Meet In White Deer

Groom Elementary students attended the district UIL meet in White Deer last week. Below is a partial list of results, not all outcomes are yet available.

Clay Britten won a 1st in the third grade Story Telling event. He also placed 2nd in third grade Spelling.

Jill Britten placed 3rd in fourth grade Spelling. Garrett Britten placed

5th in fifth grade Maps, Graphs and Charts. The fourth grade Picture

Memory tearn of Lauren Crowell, Stephany Fraser, Amanda Conrad and Doug Fields placed 4th.

The fifth grade Picture Memory team of Krisanne Davis. Nichole Barnett, Karri Britten and Candace Shulte placed 3rd in the Picture Memory contest.

The fifth grade Music

Memory team won 3rd place. Members are Krisanne Brandy Davis, Reynolds and Nichole Barnett.

Others who attended are: Aaron Watson, Chance Barkley, Kristen Brooks, Wakefield, Brin Burgin, Brett Britten, Bivens, Leah Magan

Looten, Lance Ollinger, Wyatt Britten, Ross Brooks, Brent Longway, Chera Chevado, Jennifer Jenkins, Lainie Britten, Cody Bivens, Brittany Martin, Amanda Martin, Caren Howard, Cassie Ashford, Heather Luke Pavlovsky, Leven, Britten, Sarah Macie Hutsell, Caleb Pool, Skye Brown, Allison Eatmon, Josh Evenson, Sarah Looten, Evan Crowell and Dean Fields.

#### **Groom School Menu**

April 3 - April 7 Breakfast

Mon: Cereal, blueberry muffins, juice, milk.

Tues: Pancakes, french toast, sausage patties, juice,

Wed: Breakfast burritoes, hash browns, juice, milk.

Thurs: Eiscuits, bacon, gravy, juice, milk.

Fri: Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch

Mon: Cheeseburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, tomatoes, onions, pear halves w/cherry belly buttons, milk.

Tues: Burritoes w/chili and cheese, cut corn, tortilla

pieces, picante sauce, fresh apple slices w/carame! sauce, milk.

Wed: Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls Rice Krispie treats, milk.

Thurs: Lasagne w/meat and cheese, fried okra, salad, breadsticks, applesauce, milk.

Fri: Submarine sandwiches w/shaved ham, sliced Swiss and American cheese, macaroni and cheese, pork & beans, pickle spears, lettuce leaves,

tomato slices, chocolate nobake cookies, milk.

#### The months of March and April are the time of year when several important reporting deadlines take place for Social Security

beneficiaries and workers. In 1994 if you received Social Security benefits while working and earning above the annual limit, you need to report your earnings to Social Security no later than April 17, 1995. The 1994 limits were \$8,040 for people under 65 and

If you were age 70 for the entire year, the earnings limits do not apply to you.

\$11,160 for people 65-69.

If you are self-employed, it is time for you to report your earnings and pay Social Security tax with your income tax return. If you operate a trade, business, or profession, either by your self or as a partner, and have actual net earnings of \$400 or more this year, you must report your earnings on Schedule SE. deadline for filing your income tax return is April 17, 1995.

#### Nora Painter Visits In Groom

Mrs. Nora Painter of The Medical Center Nursing Home of Clarendon, was home for a visit Friday and Saturday. She enjoyed a lovely day visiting with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Some of her callers were: Mary Lee Kimmel of Ada, Oklahoma; Mary Etta Blansett of Bristow, Oklahoma; Jessie Ellen Fuller of Burkburnett, Texas; Quita Fay Myers of Fittstown, Oklahoma; Miles Randy Kimmel of Ada, Oklahoma; Buster Lee and wife Karen Ann and their children, Tyrell Lee and Timothy Blake of Clarendon, Texas.

Visiting from Groom were Burl and Nellie Painter; Martha and M.B. Bolden; Linda and Ronny Fields, Kim and Roni Michele; Tina and Tony Painter and son Brady; and Pete and Fay Wortham.

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### Friemel, Homen Win Doubles Tennis At Wellington Loren Brand attended a

Melanie Friemel Misty Homen won the Girls Doubles Tennis match in Wellington last weekend. The team played McKinney and Holton of Wheeler winning 8-1. In the second round the girls beat Edwards and Godfrey of Memphis in two matches; 6-4 and 6-1. Friemel and Homen squared off with Chauveaux and Devoss of Wheeler for the finals. They won the meet in a triple set of 6-1, 2-6 and 6-

In girls singles, Jessica

Friemel lost out to L. Jones of Childress, 8-2.

There was no cloubles team from Groom. In the boys singles matches, C.J. Whatley lost to R. Belcher of Chilicothe in a double set 6-2, 6-0. Brad Sustaire lost to J. Salinas of Memphis, 6-0, 6-1. Bo Burgin won his first two sets before dropping out to attend the track meet on Saturday. He beat M. McKinney of Childress 1-6, 6-3 and 6-4. He then beat Gonzales of Chilicothe.

#### Groom's Little Dribblers Attend Tournament

Some of Groom's Little Dribblers participated in the 8th Annual Jim Brinkley Memorial Basketball Tournament in Panhandle recently.

They were among 24 teams represented in the event that raised over \$2,000.00 for the Jim Brinkley Scholarship Fund. Panhandle, Amarillo, Borger, Gruver, Dumas, White Deer, Spearman, Perryton, Canadian and Pampa were all involved.

Groom girls lost their

first and third games to Pampa teams, but the scores are not available.

Groom won in their second game, 13-8 against Panhandle.

The event's entry fee was paid by the Groom Athletic Boosters. Some of the

participants from Groom were Brin Burgin, Amanda Conrad, Jill Britten, Canclace Shulte, Nichole Barnett, Cassie Ashford, Krisanne Davis, Heather Leven, and Lauren Crowell.

#### Brand Attends Crime Seminar

Carson County Sheriff training seminar in Arlington last week on Financial Investigative Techniques. The seminar was presented by the Bureau of Justice Assistance and the U.S. Department of

The seminar was cosponsored by the Dallas Police Department Intelligence Unit, Dallas County Sheriff's Department, Tarrant County District Attorney's Texas Narcotics Office, Control Program and the Regional Organized Crime Information Center (ROCIC). The Carson County Sheriff's Department is a member of ROCIC.

Instructors from the Internal Revenue Service, Texas Attorney General's Office and the Economic Crime Section of the Arizona Police Tucson, Department presented the material. Topics of instruction were: location and detection of hidden criminal assets, seizure and forfeiture of assets and presentation of evidence in

The seminar was attended by 150 law enforcement investigators from across the state.



# 3 Make All-Star Team

Groom High School has three basketball players chosen to participate in the Golden Spread All Star games. The games will be held in Amarillo at the Cal Farley Coliseum on April 6, 7 and 8, 1995.

The three players are all seniors and they will play on teams from the east region. They all have played varsity basketball for Groom the past four years.

Bo Burgin, son of Donald and Nila Burgin, will be coached by Arnold Peralez from Goodwell, Oklahoma. Bo averaged 17.1 points, 6.4 rebounds and 4.5 assists per game and shot 70% from the free throw line during his senior year. He also averaged 2.1 steals per

Misty Homen, daughter of John Alan and Brenda Homen, averaged 17.9 points, 5.2 assists, 4.1 rebounds, and 2.8 steals per game. She shot 66% from the free throw line during the 94-95 season. Her team will be coached by Gerald Morgan from Amarillo.

Playing on the same team as Misty, Melanie Friemel, averaged 13.2 points per game this year and shot 60% from the free throw line. She also had 5.6 rebounds, 2.3 steals, and 3.8 assists per game. Melanie is the daughter of Gary and Julie Friemel.

Game times tournament were not yet available, but we hope to have them published in next

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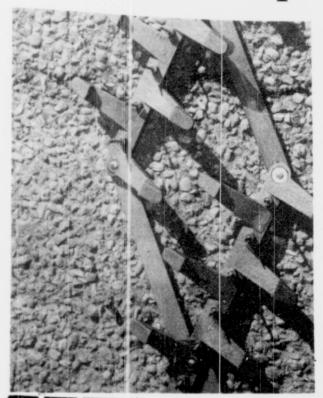
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By Loren Brand, Sheriff There are currently ten persons incarcerated in the Carson County Jail.

The Sheriff's Department assisted the Texas Highway Patrol last Friday in a targeted effort to reduce criminal activity. The 24hour operation concentrated officers along Interstate 40 in Carson County.

Sheriff's deputies were kept busy at the scene of a large grass fire by the Pantex facility last Wednesday. Smoke from the fire created traffic hazards along U.S. 60 and traffic had to be detoured minimize risks to motorists and firefighters.

Deputies also assisted at the scene of a fire in White Deer on Friday. Structures were destroyed as a result of the White Deer fire.

Chief Deputy Lovell Kennard inadvertently went "topless" Wednesday when the pickup topper on his county vehicle was torn from his pickup by high winds. The bolts attaching topper had been stripped by the force of the winds and the topper was thrown against the highway causing extensive damage to

County Carson Commissioner's Court

approved the purchase of five sets of Stinger Spikes for sheriff department vehicles. Due to the number of felony pursuit situations in our county, the Commissioner's Court agreed to the purchase of the Stinger Spikes in an effort to reduce hazards to the officers, citizens and even the suspects. The Stinger Spikes are a tire deflating tool which can be deployed by officers in a matter of seconds to insert surgically sharp, stainless steel spikes into the tires of evading vehicles. The Stingers are a device which can be thrown across one lane of traffic in front of the vehicle which refuses to stop. When the suspect vehicle runs over the Stingers the rocking arm action of the frame pushes the spikes into the tires causing the tires to deflate completely within 25-30 seconds from the time of insertion. The Stinger Spikes can withstand speeds up to 115 miles per hour. All five of our cars are now equipped with the Stingers as are all Texas Highway Patrol cars in our area.

Sheriff's deputies assisted at the scene of a major traffic accident on U.S. 60 near the Pantex plant.

### Town & Country 4-H Club Plans Activities

Groom Town & Country 4-H met Thursday, March 23rd at 7:00 p.m. Members reported on shooting sports, consumer decision making, clothing, and Share the Fun.

The Clothing Fashion Show for Groom will be April 1st in the Community Center at 2:00. County Fashion Show will be held Panhandle April 8th. Consumer Decision Making was Saturday, March 25th in Amarillo. 4-H is helping collect donations for the Cancer Drive Sunday April 2nd. Meeting time is 2:00 p.m. at the Community Center. Livestock Judging team was also discussed. Everyone interested in upcoming projects signed The meeting was

adjourned and watched a video of what Share the Fun will do at competition.

Carson County 4-Hers participated in Consumer Decision Making attended

District Contest in Amarillo Saturday. The Intermediate team from Carson County placed third. Members of the team were Brooke Britten, Frances Britten, Sarah Looten and Shannon

The Junior Consumer team placed second. This team consisted of Clay Britten, Nichole Faith Looten and Matt Putman. Clay Britten also received a medal for having the 2nd highest individual score in the Junior Division.

#### Gray Co. Farmers Eligible For Cost Share Funds

Farmers in Gray County are advised of the availability of 1995 cost share funds through the County Soil and Water Conservation District to develop erosion control and proper nutrient and pest management practices to enable the producer's row crop operation to meet state water quality standards.

"The advantage of participating in this program is that if a farmer voluntarily develops

maintains a site specific water quality management plan (WQMP) through our District and has that plan certified by the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board (TSSWCB), the farmer will be compliant with state water quality law and exempt from other state regulatory processes regarding nonpoint source discharge of pollutants," said David Bowers, Chairman of the Gray Co. SWCD Board.

## 4-H **Spring Style Show**

April 1st In The Community Center Refreshments Will Be Served Admission Is Free

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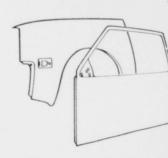
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Left-handers do not die any earlier than right-handed people, according to a new study of professional baseball players featured in the July/August issue of Contingencies, the magazine of the actuarial profession published by the American Academy of Actuaries.





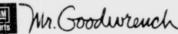
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in the pole vault.

Jeremy Lewis place fifth in the discus-

In the 400 meter retay the Groom ream placed second.

Wade Ritter placed fifth in the 100 meter dash.

In the Righ School Girls action Groom placed eighth with 40 points.

in the discus.

Sandie Conrad placed first in the high jump. The Groom Junior Fligh

Girls placed sixth with 43 soints. The 1600 meter retay leam of Allison Eatmon,

Karen

Sarah Hutsell.

Kay Case placed second Conrad, and Jodi Homen won fifth place.

Sara Britten placed 3rd in long jump and 5th in the hurdles

Karen Conrad placed 3nd in the high jump

Carrie Sue Davis place 1st in the high jump. Ailison Eatmon placed sixth in the 200 meter run. Katrina Weeker place fifth in the high jump.





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Spook" Brown would be a terrific rodeo clown for he possesses a mischievous nature and a big heart. After all, one can't aspire to rodeo clowning unless he cares a great deal about others and has at least a touch of bravery - and Kade Brown certainly qualifies on both counts!

least 22 million school children ride the bus to and from school each day. To help prevent accidents, be sure to stop for a school bus when it is stopped to load or discharge passengers; and report illegal or dangerous school bus driving.

For information on membership in the Shell Motorist Club, write to SMC, P.O. Box 60199, Chicago, IL 60660, or call 1-800-852-0555

#### Election

The City of Groom election will give voters a choice this year with two alderman slots up for grabs.

Incumbents Ronny Fields and Jerry Thornton will face off with political hopefuls Danny Ashford and Randy Johnson vying for the two

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New voters and recently moved voters need to remember to register by April 6 in order to vote in this upcoming election.

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# The Mc Lean News

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# Tigers & Lady's Participate At Warrior Relays

McLean Junior High and High School track teams made a good showing at the Warrior Meet in Miami last weekend. With 31 teams participating in large school, small school, boys and girls, high school and junior high divisions, the McLean youngsters were competing against a large field of entries. The Lady Tigers placed third overall in the meet with a total of 50 points. The Tigers racked up 33 points to place ninth.

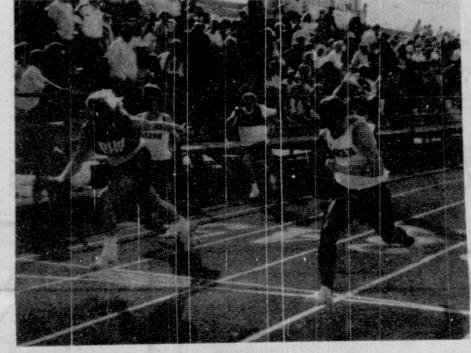
Junior Heather Hess brought home a first-place medal in the 400-meter run with a time of 67.92. The 1600-relay team, with Hess, Angel Harris, Lori Hefley and Bonnie Hauck, also brought home first-place medals with a time of Harris placed 4:53.17. second in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:30.37. In field events, Kristina Carter placed fourth in both the shot and discus. Jessica

Rich placed fifth in the shot. The sprint relay team was also fifth, with Tammy Cole, Shaley Stalls, Lori Hefley and Jessica Rich running. Rich placed fifth in the 100-meter hurdles.

In the boys' division, Brandon West was second in the shot, with a distance of 103 feet. Seth Brown placed second in the 100meter hurdles. Monty Joiner was sixth in the 100meter hurdles. The 1600relay team placed sixth with Monty Joiner, Ben Reeser, Chad Richards and Shawn Sanderson running. Reeser placed fifth in the 400-meter dash.

In the junior high division, the girls 1600-meter relay placed third, with Lacey Steel, Rachel Galley, Vanessa Glass and Jessie Fish running. Glass was second in the 200-meter hurdles.

The junior high boys sprint relay team, with Ricky



Bonnie Hauck and Jessica Rich give their all as they cross the finish line.

See Track, pg. 9

# Candidates File, Ballot Full

A field of nine candidates will vie for the three slots on the McLean ISD Board of Trustees. Incumbents, Billy Ward, Lynch Glass, and Jay Dee Fish will compete with Toni Bohlar, Bob Glass, Gordon Shepler, and Gary Jackson will face

Marshall Hanes, Bobby Sanderson, and Sasha Fish

for votes come May 6. In the City of McLean race, Mayor Sam Haynes will run unopposed. Incumbents Casper Smith off Jim Gilmore for the two alderman seats that will be up for grabs.

New voters and recently moved residents have until April 6 to register to vote in the May 6 election.



"TIME CHANGE" Run clocks up one hour on Saturday night, April 1st. "Spring Forward".

THE VFW WILL rent booths for "Spring Fest" April 21 and 22. Call-779-2766 or 779-2225.

THE McLEAN FFA team will be going to judging contest at W.T.A&M at 1 pm March 31. On April 1st the team will go to Clarendon for judging contest at 9 am.

HIGH SCHOOL UIL Competition will be at Clarendon College on March 30th.

APRIL 3RD is the date for the District High School Golf Meet at Clarendon.

A MEDICAL FUND has been established at the Bank of Commerce of McLean for Pam Purcell to help with surgery and medical expenses. Pam has no insurance. All donations will be appreciated.

BILL LAYMAN will give a talk on gun safety and gun laws at the VFW Hall on April 4th at 7:00 pm.

CLARENDON College Ex-Students Association Reunion will be Saturday, April 8. Barbecue begins at 12:00 noon at the rodeo grounds.

VFW WILL RENT Booths for SpringFest April 21-22. Contact Davie at 806-779-2766 for reservations.

WHEELER TRACK Meet begins Friday, March 31 for Jr. High and High School athletes.



Mr. and Miss McLean **High School** Karen Brass & Brad Dickey

See Page 12 For Other Class Honorees



The McLean Chapter of the National Honor Society recently installed new members in a special ceremony. Pictured are (back) Mr. Buckhaults, sponsor; members Ben Reeser, Shanna Dent, David Fuller, Tiffany McLaury, Karen Brass, R.T. Payne, Heather Hess, Brad Dickey. (front) Tammye Cole, Kristi Tidwell, Jaylene Watkins, Jill Hefley, Holly Jasper, Amber Thomas, Penny Lee, Jessica Rich, Ashley Slagle and Honorary Member Carl Dwyer.



Cathy Hembree and Sherri Watson were in Amarillo Sunday and Monday for the "New Trend" release for summer cuts and styling. meeting was held at the Radisson Hotel.

Destiny Kirkland and Missy Slagle raised over \$150 for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital by participating in the Math-A-Thon, according . to Tex Buckhaults, McLean High School math teacher. They raised the money by getting pledges for working math problems. This is in addition to their regular class work, Buckhaults said.

"This contest gives interested students a chance to sharpen their math skills and raise money for a worthy cause at the same Buckhaults

They worked at least 200 problems each to raise the



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# What Goes Around Comes Around

By Delbert Trew

Recently, at Texola, while visiting with Mort Scott and Don Mullinix, I was telling stories about characters I have met since being involved with Old Route 66. I made the remark that every time I made an effort to meet and take interest in a person, I gain personality. What goes around, comes around," could be the truest statement ever made.

An example of this, happened that day at A Californian, Texola. named Beasecker, traveling to Dayton, Ohio, joined us at McLean and followed us to Texola. A special effort was made to get better acquainted. The next several hours were spent very pleasantly, learning all about brewing homemade beer. The man was an expert, and has samples in the trunk of his 1966 Chrysler New Yorker to prove his points. Recipes, ingreclients, equipment for bottling, were discussed in detail. Tasting the samples was very invigorating and educational. "The most important thing to remember about homebrew. is not to drink the bottom inch in the bottle containing the dregs and yeast. It will give you the "Texas Trots."

Now, wasn't all that information a profitable return on my effort?

There was a real Cajun came into the Museum one day. He was as broad as he was tall. He was talking a mile a minute of what appeared to be English, but had said. The photograph the accent was so was a mystery and to top it pronounced that not a single word resembled how we pronounce it here. The ladies pushed me forward and I made that extra little effort to get acquainted. The man talked steadily for about 45 minutes, gesturing

constantly. produced a photograph and gave it to us, of an old historical marker. I just nodded and said "uh huh" about every two minutes. When he finally left, I still had no earthly idea what he all, he slapped me on the back and I think? he said "Ah, you won foine fellair."

He put a generous donation in the donation box and left. I had just learned a lesson in listening, and had impressed a man so much that he called a fine fellow. Good return!

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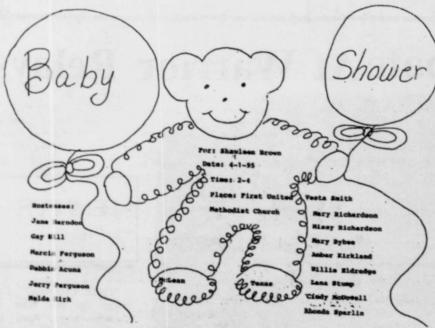
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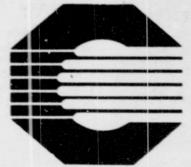
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#### Obituary

Erin Lenore Terbush ALANREED Lenore Terbush, 86, a former Alanreed resident, died Friday, March 24, 1995, in Amarillo.

Graveside services were in the Alanreed Cemetery with Billy Jones, minister of the West Side Church of Christ in Pampa, officiating. Arrangements were by Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home of McLean.

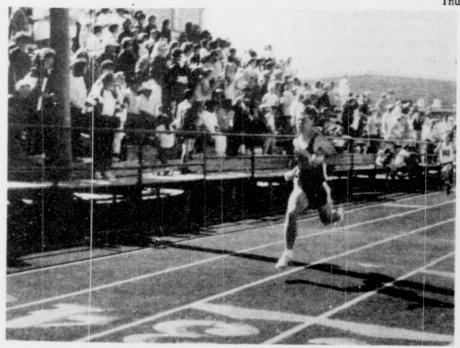
Mrs. Terbush was born in Rockwall. She married Leroy Terbush in 1950 at Clovis, New Mexico. She worked for many years for Southwestern Bell Telephone as a service observer. She retired in 1969. She was a Baptist and a member of Telephone Pioneers of America. She was an Amarillo resident at the time of her death.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Leola Dunlap, Clellan Kern and Louise Gerard, all of Amarillo; a son, Gerald Terbush of Amarillo; a sister, Carlene Terrell of Lubbock; 12 grand-children; and 23 great-grandchildren.

#### Track

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Jasper, Ike Hanes, Charlie Carter and Sy Brown, ran a 52.90 to win a first-place Carter and Sy Brown tied for fourth in the "Cagebirds"



McLean trackster sprints ahead of the pack at a recent meet.

# One-Act Play Named Alternate

The McLean High School One-Act play was named alternate in district competition in White Deer March 21. Although the play will not advance to regional competition, most of the cast members were honored. Karen Brass, Heather Hess and Moriah McCracken were named to the All-Star cast, with Holly Jasper and Shanna Dent given Honorable Mention.

The group performed Cagebirds" by David

The play was by Virginia Campton. directed Holwick, MHS drama instructor. "I was delighted with the girls' performance,'

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## Alanreed News

By Lena Carter Lena Carter accompanied Virginia Busby to Amarillo Tuesday where they visited the Jim Bruce's. Carter remained at the Bruce's for several days while Mrs. Busby went on home to Valle De Oro.

Ruby and Jay Dorsey were in Amarillo last week for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lee of Pampa were here for the Erin Terbush funeral.

We received a trace of rain in Friday nights try.

Shirley Armbrister, Nora Dragoo and her niece Judy from Amarillo were in Lovelady, Texas this weekend at the Virgil Larues where they helped celebrate Virgil's mother's 107th birthday. Virgil is Nora's brother-in-law.

Robert Bruce made a trip to Wheeler Monday.

Don't forget the Community Improvement Meeting on Saturday, April 1st. Covered dish supper. Public is invited. Improvements needed.

#### McLean Care Center News

McLean Care Center welcomes Beatrice Foster to our family here at the Care Center. Beatrice is a long time resident of Wheeler.

Sunday afternoon Pat Andrews, pastor of the Church of Christ was here to conduct a worship service.

Residents playing bingo Monday were Leon Burch, Eula Morrow, Teresa Richardson, Adelle Walker, Sylvia McClellan, Norma McBee, Kittie Hessey, Meroney, Noema Polly Burnett, Lorena Bailey, Everett, Dick Virgie Wheeler, Pat Jones and Annie Eudey. Our volunteer helpers Cliffie Heasley and Avalee Crockett. Bananas were furnished by the Lions club.

Tuesday morning members of the Church of Christ were here to give the residents a social. Members furnishing and serving refreshments were Avalee

Crockett, Cliffie Heasley and her sister Nell Hill, and George Watson. afternoon Eula Morrow, Dick Wheeler, Leon Burch, Adelle Walker, Norma McBee, Teresa Richardson and Noema Meroney played dominos.

Thursday and Friday Inez Trostle was here to style the ladies hair. The ladies also had manicures. Sue Marsh was here to assist the following residents in games of "42": Craig Morris, Teresa Richardson and Dick Wheeler; while Imogene King, Leon Burch, Adelle Walker and Eula Morrow played regular dominos.

Friday Kittie Hessey, Walker, Annie Adelle Eudey, Beryl Halbert, Teresa Richardson, Eula Morrow, Lorena Bailey and Sylvia McClellan played bingo. Dick Wheeler was our winner. Refreshments were served following bingo.

## Mom's Circle Has **Program Dealing With Grief By Sandy Waterfield**

Dealing with grief was the topic of the program for Mom's Circle on Monday, March 20 at the United Methodist Church. The meeting was open anyone.

Mrs. Holwick said. "The

play was complicated, and

they did a beautiful job with

interpretation."

The guest speaker, Sandy Waterfield from Canadian, stressed that a person may grieve for reasons other than death but grief is most related to losing a loved She found great comfort in reading after the sudden death of her daughter. "Don't Take My Grief Away From Me", a book by Doug Manning, is a favorite of Sandy's to help one deal with shock, reaction and recovery, the

three stages of grief.

In helping others deal with grief she mentioned the three "H's", hush, hug and hang around. Sandy emphasized that each person progresses through grief at their own time

The ladies enjoyed a "potluck" salad luncheon following the program. Nama Webb led the group in making a washcloth Easter bunny.

Attending the event were Ruth Magee, Adella Jackson, Bonnie Nell Fabian, Charlie Marie Shurley, Mickey Jackson, Mary Powell, Karen Brown, Shawleen Brown, Shelly

Bolton, Betty White from Clarendon, Rose Steel, Nama Webb, Mary Dwyer, Inez Trostle, Sally Seymour, Thomas, Mary Marye Emma Emma Woods, Marvell Collins, Molly McDowell, Judy Orrick and Beverly Odom.

Ten children were cared for by Judy Lee in the nursery at the Assembly of God Church. Methodist Women continue to sponsor the nursery for Mom's Circle

Mom's Circle will meet again on Monday, April 10 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Church of Christ. The nursery will be at the Methodist Church.

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April 4 - Jeff Streun. April 6 - Terry Gardner,

#### Advertisement Misleading On Social Security

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In fairness, the television advertiser might say that they are actually referring to what Social Security calls a 'lump sum (leath benefit.' This lump sum death benefit is a one-time payment of \$255 - and it is paid in addition to any monthly survivors insurance benefits that are due. The lump-sum death payment was intended to be "only a modest amount to help meet the special expenses connected with the worker's last illness and death."

The lump-sum death payment has, in fact, become a sort of "oddity' in the Social Security program - and in this case has become a hook for clever advertisers to hang an argument on.

complaint about Social Security and funeral expenses, they remember that the average lifetime annuity paid by Social Security to survivors is worth much more than the value of most individual life insurance policies. That is something to think about.

For more information on matters this or other pertaining to Social Security or Medicare call 806-669-The local Social 1010. Security office is located at 125 S Gillispie, Pampa, Texas. Office hours are 9 am until 4 pm Monday through Friday.

#### **Methodist Women** Attend Retreat At Camp Butman

United Methodist Women of McLean were represented at the Bi-Conference Retreat at Camp Butman by Bonnie Nell Fabian, president of the local unit, Mary Dwyer and Ruth Magee, Pampa District officers. They accompanied Jeanne Gramstorff of Perryton and Emma Lou Cox of Borger. They left Friday and were back Sunday night.

#### **New Baby** In McMordie Home

John, Roxie and Evan McMordie announce the arrival of Miranda Alexandra, March 21st at 5:37 pm at Coronado Community Hospital in Pampa, Texas.

Miranda weighed 6 pounds 9 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Frank McMordie of Amarillo, Ramona McMordie of Amarillo and Dennis and Linda Meadow of El Paso, Texas. Great-granddad is J. Boyd Smith of McLean and her uncle is Chris Littlefield of McLean.

For Your Information Pick 3, a daily game by the Texas Lottery, has announced sales and prizes won, by county, from

25, 1995. Carson County has sold \$62,174 and given out \$24,110 in prizes.

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# House, Senate Consider Changes

AUSTIN - Senator John Whitmire (D-Houston), Chairman of the Senate Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Mario Gallegos (D-Houston) will introduce an amendment to Senate Bill 1 to modify the State's No-Pass, No-Play Whitmire and Rule. Gallegos will offer the amendment at the Wednesday, March 8 hearing of the Senate Education Committee.

The offered amendment provides a three week suspension for a student who fails one class, as opposed to the current sixweek standard suspension. A student who fails any classes thereafter faces suspension for the full six weeks. Under the offered amendment, a student suspended under the nopass, no-play rule may be permitted to practice or rehearse with other students for an extracurricular activity but may not participate in a competition or other public performance. A school district that suspends a student under this section is encouraged to provide tutoring to the student in each subject in which the student received a grade lower than the equivalent of 70 on a scale of 100.

"I think everyone agrees no-pass, no-play is a good idea and has served the state well," said Whitmire. "I continue to believe in the underlying reason behind the rule but ten years later

an unintended result has occurred. We are seeing literally hundreds of young people across the state, particularly inner city kids, cut off from their first line of support and discipline. Football, track and band are a savior for them. It makes little sense to remove that positive influence from a kid, leaving gangs their only alternative.

According to the Texas Education Agency report on At-Risk Students, campus

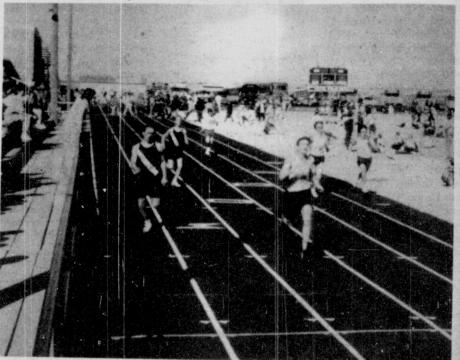
administrators have been increasingly concerned with potential connection between current no-pass, no-play policy and gang recruitment. connection was brought to forefront by the compelling testimony HPD officer Robin Kirk before the Senate Committee on Criminal

"For a lot of these kids, their only opportunity to positive life have a

experience is through band and football," concluded Whitmire. "A three-week suspension is a hard call but I believe it is the right call."



The waltz developed from the Weller, a German peasant dance and the Laendler, an Austrian dance.



Many different schools participated in area track meets but inevitably some always must race



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A.A. MEETINGS are held at the Groom Library every Tuesday night at 8:00 pm.

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Solicitation For Bids McLean ISD will be accepting sealed bids for a cubed ice machine through April 1, 1995. specifications can be obtained by writing the school's business office at P.O. Box 90, McLean, Tx. 79057 or calling (806) 779-2301 and requesting bidding documents.

> Groom/McLean News Increases Counter Price

The Groom/McLean News announced today that effective immediately the counter price of the weekly local paper would be raised to 50¢.

"We have held our counter price to 35¢ as long as possible," stated Publisher Phil Miller, "production costs like news print, labor and postage have increased many times. We feel we have no choice but to raise the counter price to 50e."

The News is still available for the subscription price of \$16.00 in county and \$18.00 out of county, for now. Groom/McLean News welcomes it's readers to subscribe to avoid the counter price increase.

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Invitation To Bid

The McLean Independent School District is accepting sealed bids for the purchase &/or lease-purchase of either a 35 passenger or 53 passenger conventional school bus. Bids will be received until 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 11, 1995, at which time bids will be opened and read aloud. Bid envelopes should be plainly marked "BUS BID: DO NOT OPEN UNTIL 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, April 11, 1995." Please address bids to: Stanley Lamb, Superintendent, P.O. Box 90, McLean, Tx 79057. Any bids received after this time will be returned to the

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