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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

## Best liar tells clean story

Gordon Zwicky's outrageous tale about his trip to Florida earned him top honors in this year's Burlington (Wis.) Liars Club contest.
Zwicky, 72, beat out 299 other entries from 31 states and Canada. He claimed he and his wife, Dorothy, won the lottery and decided to drive to Florida.

Their neighbor told them they would be fine as long as they paid attention to the road signs.

According to the tale, "Thirty miles from home they saw a road sign stating 'Clean Restrooms Ahead.' Two months later, they arrived in Florida.'
By that time, they had cleaned 450 restrooms using 267 rolls of paper towels, three cases of bowl cleaner and 86 bottles of Windex.

They were so tired, they immediately left
A family blow-out
Expect everybody to be blowing out candles next year when the Greco family has its birthday party.

Suzanne and Michael Greco share the same birthday, Dec. 23. They celebrated this year by welcoming their first child, 8pound, 8 -ounce Maxwell Allen Greco
"We're wondering what the odds are of having the whole family born on the same day," said Vicki Greco, Michael's mother.

## Drat those blue suede shoes

 his blue suede shoes.A teller at the North Community Bank thought something looked familiar about the man who held her up: His shoes were the same as those belonging to a recent employee of the bank
The teller mentioned this to authorities. Marque Love, 19, was arrested and confessed to one count of bank robbery.

Drawing date: Saturday, Jan. Winning numbers: 2-7-24-30-33-54 Estimated jackpot: $\$ 33$ million
Winners: 0
Next drawing: Wednesday, Jan. 6
Estimated jackpot: $\$ 40$ million

On this date in history Jan. 8 - Edmund J . Davis is elected Texas' first Republican governor (1870)
Jan. 10-The Lucas gusher comes in at Spindletop, setting of the Texas oil boom (1901).
Jan. 11 - The Confederate ship Alabama sinks Jan. 11 - The Confederate ship Alabama sit
the USS Hatteras off the coast of Galveston during the Civil War (1863)

## LOCAL WEATHER

As of Friday, the forecast was calling for seasonable temperatures all this week, along with partly cloudy conditions. Sunday and Tuesday should be the coolest mornings, with the mercury dipping to about 22. Monday and Wednesday should drop only to near 30 degrees. Daytime high temperatures should be in the 50 s most days to about 60 on Monday. No moisture was predicted during the week.

## County may be near to final approval on jail

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT
Bailey County's proposal to build a regional jail just south of Muleshoe may not be far from becoming reality, members of the project's steering committee said Friday
County Clerk Sherri Harrison said she still hopes the groundbreaking can be held this month; City Manager Rick Hanna said February might be more likely.
and drawn up the design
Corplan is putting together the bond package to finance the project. Hanna said, and then the entire plan must go to the Texas Attorney General's Office for final approval of the fi-

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The city's purchase option on the 20-acre
he utilities onto the sic.
Muleshoe City Council members discussed annexation of the land at their Dec. 29 meeting Hanna said the annexation was on the council agenda early in order to determine if any council member had any objection to the move
The annexation would be necessary because
state law requires that county jails be inside the

## Football team to be presented semi-finalist medals Tuesday

Members of the 2000 Muleshoe Mules football team are scheduled to be presented with their semi-finalist medals during
a ceremony at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the high school auditorium, a ceremony at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the
head coach David Wood said Friday.
The team was the first from Muleshoe to advance so far in the
playoffs, and the first to compile a 14-1 season record,

## Cotton still king in Texas - <br> but what's the alternative?

 SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL Texas farmers were hammered by drought last year and are looking ahead to the 2001 planting season with a wary Even if they want to switch out of cotton, however, there's the quandary of finding an alternative.For farmers in West Texas, one of the top cotton-produc-
ing regions, few crops can
withstand the harsh environment. High natural gas prices block this year fo rthe state's
producers.
Drought damage to the 2000 Texas cotton crop was esti-
mated at $\$ 485$ million, more than that registered for wheat, hay and forage, additional wa-
sorghum put together The state's 2000 upland cot 480-pound bales - was down 19 percent from 1999 on yields hat were 14 percent lower. Still, Randy Boman, a cot-
on agronomist with Texas A\&M Univer said he was willing to add 50,000 acres to cotton planting estimates for the northern Panhandle.
Farmers there have been eagerly checking into a cheaper Iternative to corn as they look for a crop that requires less water, he added.
Irrígation costs are expected o soar as natural gas prices tricity and diesel as well - all see COTTON on page 2


Eighth-graders win at Lazbuddie
Tyler Wood (No. 20) handles the ball against Whitharral in the eighth-grade Mules opening game of the Lazbuddie Tournament on Thursday night. Mules opening game
Muleshoe lost 39-35.

## 3Mules make Lubbock all-class team

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT fense and one on defense were named last week to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal
super team from all classes of super tea
schools.
The sole representative from the Mules' much-praised defense was linebacker Darrell Lewis, who also was the defensive most valuable player for District 2-3A. He is a 6-0, 200-
pound senior
Offensively, Muleshoe'stwo representatives on the super team were Danny Ramírez, the $5-8,165$-pound senior running back, and Stephen Woodard a

\section*{| Ramírez earlier was voted | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Madison, a 5-11, 174-pound } \\ \text { senior, on offense, and back }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |} the most valuable offensive player in District 2-3A after

setting school scoring and rush-

## ing records.

Other area players on the Lubbock super team were Springlake-Earth's big lineman Ben Angely ( $6-5,250$, senior) and Hart back Keith Finch (60,205 , senior), both on de fense.
Angeley was a Class A all state selection for the Wolver
$\qquad$ ock Cooper had two players selected, wide receiver Russel


Another milestone
Muleshoe High School athletic director David Wood congratulates Darrell Lewis on becoming the first Mule ever named to the alltournament team in the huge Caprock Holiday Tournament at Lubbock.

\section*{U.S. farmers may face drought in federal funding now

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is the opinion of Dennis Avery, director of global food issues for the Hudson Institute in Indianapolis, who clearly feels that the U.S. farm crisis will get much worse before it gets better.)
For the new year, farmers looking to Washington will see a new president, George W. Bush, along with the first female secretary of agriculture, Ann Veneman - and a huge, bipartisan farm problem. If farmers are expecting the next Congress to wave its magic wand and create more farm income, they're likely to be disappointed: They probably will get less gov-

Farmers cash in the years ahead. ting Freedom to Farm phase-out payments plus emergency assistance. Together, the two put 32 billion Washington dollars into farmers' pockets last year.
That's why in most parts of the U.S., farmland values and cash rents have been rising rapidly. But phase-out payments are dwindling down to nothing, and it's hard to claim that farmers have an "emergency" every year
When Larry Combest, the House Agriculture Committee chairman, goes to the Appropriations Committee with a request for a
longer-term obligation to farmers, he'll probably be told that $\$ 5$ bilion to $\$ 7$ billion a year is the limit. The optimists think farm payments could be worked up to $\$ 15$ billion; nobody thinks they will stay at $\$ 30$ million.
The agriculture committees face a rapidly worsening cash shortage, even though both parties will be desperate to protect marginal seats for another close election in 2002. The economy is far more likely to slow than to stay in high gear, and that will mean fewer tax dollars flowing to Washington. If Bush manages to cut taxes, that could stimulate the economy - but re-

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 Congress has to spend on farmers. The biggest constraint on congressional spending could be the Social Security reform Bush has declared as one of his highest priorities. Even Democrats realize that D-Day for paying off the $\$ 12$ trilon owed to baby-boomer retirees is rapidly approaching.All the recent federal budget "sur plus" has been Social Security money, and reform will mean diverting a lot of that cash from the general fund to interest-bearing investments.
see CRISIS on page 3

## Around Muleshoe

EMT class set for Muleshoe
Bailey County Emergency Medical Services will sponsor an ECA/EMT class starting Jan. 31 at the First Assembly of God. Class times will be 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday. Everyone taking the class must be CPR-certified before starting class. A CPR class is scheduled for 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Jan. 17-18, also at the church.
Anyone interested should contact Christopher Thompson at Signup for boys' basketball scheduled
There will be a signup for boys' Muleshoe Youth Basketball from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Jan. 9 at Muleshoe State Bank. The cost is $\$ 35$
A second signup and evaluation is scheduled for Jan. 13 Players must be at the evaluation in order to play in the league. Eligibility is open to boys in grades three through 12.

## Correction

A story that began on Page 1 of Sunday's Journal should have stated that Kay Swint is affiliated with the Muleshoe Area Medical Center outpatient servicesclinic, not South Plains Health Provider Clinic of Muleshoe

## Public calendar

Jan. 8-10 a.m. Bailey County Commissioners' Court, in the mmission room at the courthouse
Jan. 9 - Noon. Muleshoe School Board, in the board room of
he district administration building, 514 W . Avenue
Jan. 11 - $7: 45$ p.m. - Public hearing in Three Way Independent School District for discussion of the district's Academic Excellence Indicator System, just before the school board's regular 8 p.m. meeting
The deadline for items to appear in Around Muleshoe is 5 p.m. editions.
Special-education services available
Anyone whoknows of achild needing special education but not receiving it is encouraged Co-op at (806) 894-6858.
Signs of need can be developmental delay or ongoing behavioral or medical problems that interfere with education

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL
U.S. Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman declared sev-
eral new federal Resource Conservation and Development areas Thursday, including one for the High Plains.
The action makes the region available for federal help in planning and implementing projects that increase reduce soil erosion, improve water
quality or diversify the local economy, among other things. Rep. Mac Thornberry, RTexas, said, "As someone who has been pushing the USDA to

## COTTON

from page 1
fuel sources for Texas Irrigation costs also are ex pected to rise due to the has been depleted during the past two dry years.
"The northern Panhandle produced corn in the past, but I'd not be surprised at another 50,000 acres of cotton going in up there," Boman said.
"I know there's a lot of economic pressure to go to cotton in those fringe areas," he added. Boman said corn requires twice as much irrigation as cotton in Texas.
"On the high side, you can spend \$200 an acre for irrigation for corn, but cotton would be less than half that," he said. Traditionally, the northernareas lack enough heat units for reliable cotton crop, but a se ries of mild falls and reports o 2.5 -bale-per-acre yields around Amarillo have farmers taking a serious look at cotton
Heat-unit accumulation fo September has been 30 percent September has been 30 percen

Scooter injuries reported to be on the rise

## High Plains becomes eligible for more federal aid

The co-op provides services ally impaired, hearing impaired, learning disabled, emotionally disturbed, mentally retarded as well as health or physical disabilities. Services are available in dis

The scooter craze that saw many young children wake up Christmas morning to find a shiny new scooter under the ree has led to an increase in cooter-related injuries, the Texas Chiropractic Association aid Thursday
The federal Centers for DisDec. 14 stating that the report related to scooters have in creased dramatically since May.
One group has estimated that 5 million scooter were sold las

Most injuries prove to be bruises, strains and sprains, but many fractures also have oc curred.

Dr. James Welch, president of the Texas group, cautioned parents: "The recent scoote

day's announcement is clearly good new. The designation of the High Plains as an RC\&D has been a long time in coming. Congress increased funding late last year for RC\&Ds, so I'm pleased to see the USDA finally follow through and approve the High Plains' status."
Rep. Larry Combest, also RTexas, stated, "I am very pleased that the Texas High Plains has received this important designation. Like most of rural America, the High Plains
and farm employment has di minished. This designation will enable the Texas High Plains to receive assistance from the USDA program, which will benefit our entire region:" RC\&D areas are locally led by councils comprised of volunteers, civic leaders and loca elected officials as part of a volunteercooperation" effor Gwen Barnhart, vice chairman of the Texas High Plains RC\&D Council, added, "I am very thankful to Representatives Combest and Thornberry
his project done," The 2001 Agriculture A
propriations Bill includes a $\$ 7$ million increase in RC\& funding, which strengthene the likelihood of the High Plains RC\&D receiving the design tion.
The federal designation important, Combest said, beto become eligible for feder funding.
The High Plains RC\&D are has been in existence for some time, but without federal funds
properly, scooters can provide hours of fun and some physical recreation to young kids."
Herecommended the follow ng as safety tips:

- As with Rollerblades and skateboards, make sure children use the proper equipment.


By DON CLAPP
Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge It's a new year and the cranes are still at the Muleshoe Ntional Wildlife Refuge - and will remain until early March. Lesser sandhill crane numbers on the refuge have emained around 5,000 at Paul's Lake for the past month At least another 7,000 have been roosting in nearby playas or fields as 12,000 or more ?
at one time early in the mor ings the past two weeks Although some cranes are us ing all three refuge lakes, visitors are most likely to see cranes at Paul'sLake. On sunny afternoons, visitors also are apt to see prairie dogs at the newly constructed interpretive viewing turnout near the Paul's Lake viewing platform
Other new additions in the Paul's Lake area include


My Son's Dog Zeke and the New Millennium

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Our oldest son recently brought
his dog, a Great Dane named Zeke his dog, a Great Dane named Zeke his dog, a Great Dane named Zeke,
home from college for the holi-
days. No, Zeke is not in college.
particularly appropriate
off the new millennium. Zeke is quick to give and accept
genuine genuine love. He loves to be be
stroked and petted, and he'll
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Visitors interssted in birding } \\ & \text { are likely to see ladder-backed }\end{aligned}$ are likely to see ladder--acked
ouple of years, Boman said ut those who risk planting cotton could see serious qual ity and maturity problems if heat units are average or lower Also, the clay-loam type of soil in the area could pose harest problems if rainy coo weather in October and No vember leaves the ground oft to move equipment. As far as other areas in West Texas, Boman said farmers do not have economical alterna tives to cotton, and acreage should be about the same for next year.
"We won't see much change in West Texas. Those guys don't have many options. Cot on is the mainstay as long as the economics are there Boman said.
"From our perspective, go ernment programs favor cotton rather than corn or sorghum," he said.
The USDA recently left cot on and corn loan rate unchanged for 2001 , 51.92 cents per pouind and $\$ 1.89$ per te at $\$ 1.71$ per bushel, but not before initially announcing a -cent rate cut, drawing howls 3-cent rate cut, drawing howls rom sorghum groups.
Besides acreage, yields could decline as farmers opt to spend ess money on their cotton and irigate it less. That is anpe
cially so after spending on pesticides, fertilizer and irrigation in 2000 only to have yields shriveled by late-summer heat.
"I know, with the price of "I know, with the price of
energy for pumping, that cost has essentially doubled," Boman said. "Farmers will look long and hard at how long run their wells."


# This should include helmets 

 elbow pads and knee pads a minimum.- Make sure the pavement is smooth and level where a child rides his or her scooter. Watch for large cracks in concrete or asphalt, because a small wheel could get stuck and children


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 riously injuring themselves. - Watch for cars and other ehicles when on a scooter. Since there is no way of hanging the popularity scooters for the time being, parents can rest a easier if their children follow these rules. great idea or a wonderful asset to
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Shelburne
know a single Shelburne eve remotely interested in anything even remotely lucrative.) This animal is huge. Stretched out on the carpet, long legs and
huge paws fully extended (and he stretches a lot presumably because he sleeps about 20 hours out of every 24), I'm sure he's six feet
long if he's an inch. Stand him long if he's an inch. Stand him up,
on his hind legs, hold his front on his in the air, and he'll look you
paws in eyeball to eyeball-and try to give you a slobbery doggy kiss.
Did I mention he's only six
months old? months old?
He really
He really is a lovable, albeit
uncommonly large, beast, well uncommonly large, beast, well-
trained and compliant. And, even if he's not in college, I think he shows some obvious intelligence because, well, he agrees with me
on many items, and he's reminded on many items, and he's reminded
me of a few things that I think are quickly respond with warm
nudges and friendly rumbles. Just
watch out for that nudges and friendly rumbles
watch out for that tongue. He loves his master and likes
his family. He's easy to love,
almost impossible to rile, and he
never holds a grudge. He'll for-
never holds a grudge.
give you for going off
and banning him and banning him to a cold yard.
He won't hold it against you that
 you won't let him lounge on the
couch. He makes an interesting
picture when he tries to cheat by piccure when he tries to cheat by
propping his hindquarters on the
couch couch with only his front legs
touching the ground on the carpet in front. I don't think I ever
dog actually sit on a couch.
He loves the snow, and reat He loves the snow, and r Zeke loves naps and takes as many as possible, and he knows that almost nothing is better (and
precious little is truly more impor precious little is truly more impor-
tant) than a snooze in the sunshine I will admit tnat Zeke occasion ally, in rare flashes of frenentic
energy, chases his tail, and look energy, chases his tail, and looks
seriously silly doing so. It's prob seriously silly doing so. It's proba-
bly due to the bad influence of the bly due to the bad influence of the
humans he's seen wasting a lot of energy and looking very silly doing the same thing. But he generally
wises up pretty quickly and opts wises up pretty quickly and opt again for a nap in the sunshine.
Zeke seems to know that some Zeke seems to know that some-
one even bigger than him has made provisions for his food and shelter I've never seen him worried. Maybe I'd worry less if I was wise, and as trusting, as big Zeke. Curtis Sheltume is minister of tio
Church of Chis in Muleshoo.


'Cause I'm cute, that's why! Five-month-old Hailey Anzaldua tries to look casual after winning the Muleshoe Alco store's most recent cute baby he store's customer service group manager, said the con, est raised \$526.03 for the Bailey County Meals on Wheels program.

Duct-cleaning provides breath of fresh air SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL Got nothing to do after the holidays? How about cleaning the air ducts?
Whoopee! And after that you can organize your socks, you say?
"Although it's probably no 1 on your list of new year's resolutions, cleaning the ducts can make a big difference in your respira ory health, especially if any one in your household has a chronic respiratory condi tion," said Richard Roll president of the American
Homeowners Association.
Air ducts can collect an amazing quantity of gunk. Cleaning them can help to liminate dust, odors and ontaminants that affect in oor air quality
A home's heating, ventila ion and air-conditioning sys
em, sometimes referred to
ety of unwanted things in cluding mold, fungi, bacte ia and small particles of dust According to the federal

Agency removing thosecon taminants from a home ca dramatically improve the air a family breathes.
Not only that, but a home's HVAC system will function more efficiently, costing less in heating and cooling bills. These ducts should be cleaned every three to five years, and at least every three years if the household in cludes smokers or pets or is in a dusty climate.
Changing the air filter four times a year also reduces dust buildup in the system.
But before prying thegrate off the ducts, remember that cleaning the ductwork is not do-it-yourself project.
A professional cleaning company can use special equipment to suction dirtout of theducts as well as dislodge anything that may be stuck. Upon request, the company also can appy sanitizer, an anti-microbia chemical that will reduce the growth of bacteria and fun

Expect to pay anywhere
from \$150 $\$ 1,000$ for cleaning, depending on the size of the house and the type of system.
Be sure to ask for EPA certification before hiring a duct-cleaning company. Beware of "blow and go" companies - those that promise to clean a system for a very low price but also do a very poor job.
One source for information about air-duct cleaning is the National Air Duct Cleaners Association

Observations learned in the school of hard knocks

1. There's always time to pet
yer dog.
2. If a feller doesn't trim his
own horses' feet, he's got too
many horses ornotenoughtime.
3. Some people do what
they've gotta do to live where

## CRISIS

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| Farmers are in particular trouble, because buying a commercial farmer's vote through commodity programs costs a lot more per vote than winning retiree votes with a prescription drug subsidy. <br> A renewed set of government entitlements also might have to be shared with livestock producers and horticulturists. <br> If Congress is going back to subsidies instead of pressing for freer farm trade, then the farmers who haven't gotten payments in recent decades won't want to be left out in the cold. <br> Then there are the hard-tosolve realities that make being a farmer difficult: <br> - Farmers can't sell more food to Americans. Even our pets are overfed. <br> - Government price supports quickly produce surpluses. That's where Europe has been stuck for 30 years, and why they keep ruining the world market with export dumping. Even today's marketing loans are stimulating surpluses: Check soybeans right now. <br> -Ethanol is an expensive substitute for coal, and we have plenty of coal right now. <br> -We're still blocked by trade barriers from selling more food to newly affluent Asians. <br> - The Democrats can't move on freeing farm trade because of their political alliances with trade unions that oppose it, nor |  |

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## Muleshoe area always well-represented on the stock-show circuit

(EDITOR'SNOTE: With this year's junior livestock shows about to swing into high gear the beginning of another year is a good time to focus on the type of values represented by these institutions. Caring for an animal can instill in a child a lifelong habit of caring for something besides themselve as few other experiences in life can do. This article is reprinted by permission from The Ban ner-Press of Brenham, Texas and originally ran during last season's livestock show sea
son.)
If the strongly agriculturally based West Texas community of Muleshoe represents the av erage Texas town, there migh well be an influx (into Brenham) this weekend of "vis iting pigs and people" nearing the total of Brenham's roughly 14,000 population
Indeed, Muleshoe - located 530 miles away, 70 miles north of Lubbock in the Panhandle -has a contingent of five trailers, 40 pigs and at least 80 people who have traveled to Brenham for the Houston Live stock Show and Rodeo's Junior Market Barrow Sift.
It doesn't take much calculating to see that the sift continues to grow, its 17 th year in Brenham almost certainly the largest yet - with a total stock population in excess of 5,000 barrows.
Andif all areas of Texas were as well-represented as Muleshoe, the visitor total of perhaps 7,000 humans would be swelled to more than 10,000 for this gigantic Thursday-throughSunday pig-sift period.
Indeed if there is a means of counting accurately, the Washington County Chamber of Commerce tourism division's 6,000-visitorestimate may turn out to be a little on the low side. One busy Muleshoe mom, Susan Kerby - whodrove here with four youngsters - feels that their city's contingent comes close to a total of two adults and youngsters per participating pig.
"We may even have a hundred people here," Kerby suggested, perhaps basing this ample estimate on the size of her own crew - one of more than a dozen Muleshoe groups making the 10 -to 12 -hourdrive southeastward from the Panhandle
A young lady from there, Myndi Heathington-a junior in high school and now a ninetime swine sift veteran - was among the fortunate youngsters who beat the roughly one-in80 odds last yea
Heathington proudly pointed out that her 1999 crossbredcategory entry was one of the 600 pigs selected for the supertough competition in the HLS\&R Junior Barrow Show - and then it advanced all the way to rank as eighth-best in its

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## CAIN

Gary and Stacy Cain of Mule shoe are the parents of a daughter Chantel Elizabeth, born at 11:55 a.m. on Dec. 27 at University Medical Center in Lubbock. She weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces and was $181 / 4$ inches long
Siblings include Tamara and Travis Thompson.
Grandparents are Gene and Janice Snell of Muleshoe, Sue


Camp-for-All near Burton. Still others from Muleshoe - when all of their day's bar row duties are done - will be found sleeping nights at the Half-Moon Motel in the Lake Somerville area.
It certainly doesn't appear to be an overstatement that all hotels, motels and bed-and-breakfasts-plus RV spaces a both the fairgrounds and area campgrounds - are booked up for 50 miles around Brenham because of this gigantic pig sift. Another small random survey found that most youngsters
name their pigs, and unless it was just coincidence this time they are frequently named for popular figures in professional wrestling
Of course, part of any stock show is food. Booths run by Girl Scouts and 4-H clubs were starting to catch the eye of the large human population as 11 a.m. approached.

Most members of the Mule shoe group had a plan of their own: Someone was cooking up fajitas, and lunch would be ready within the next half-hour

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Brock Steinbock (No.445) of Lazbuddie shows the first-place Hampshire lightweight gilt at the Panhandle-South Plains Fair in Lubbock in September. The animal belonged to the Mason family
division.
Landon Kerby, a Muleshoe sophomore, seeks to return to a spot in the Houston show and another high finish, after managing to place fourth in the Duroc division in 1998 A random survey of other
folks wandering around under the hog pavilions Friday indi the hog pavilions Friday indiTexas represented here - with Ennis, Levelland, Seymour, El Paso and Shepherd (the closest, at less than two hours away) among the other places reporting in during a one-hour
random sampling of visitors. random sampling of visitors.
Many of these groups make Many of these groups make
their headquarters at one of the motels in College Station. The much larger group from Muleshoe is spread out all over the place - ranging from staying in College Station to a whole bunch based in cabins at


Nine-year-old Ryan Mason of Lazbuddie poses with his lightweight gilt that was named champion Spot at the lightweight gilt that was named champion Spot at the
Panhandle-South Plains Fair in Lubbock last Sept. 25. Ryan Hinu Minilil

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|  | Ask your workplace about emergency plans. |
| $\square$ | Leam about emergency plans for your children's school or day care center. |
| Create an Emergency Plan |  |
| $\square$ | Meet with household members. Discuss with children the dangers of fire, severe weather, earthquakes and other emergencies. |
|  | Discuss how to respond to each disaster that could occur. |


| - | Discuss what to do about power outages and personal injuries. |
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| $\square$ | Draw a floor plan of your home. Mark two escape routes from each room. |
| $\square$ | Learn how to turn off the water, gas and electricity at main switches. |
| $\square$ | Post emergency telephone numbers near telephones. |
| - | Teach children how and when to call 911, police and fire. |
| $\square$ | Instruct household members to tum on the radio for emergency information. |
| $\square$ | Pick one out-of-state and one local friend or relative for family members to call if separated by disaster (it is often easier to call out-of-state than within the affected area). |
| $\square$ | Teach children how to make long distance telephone calls. |
| $\square$ | Pick two meeting places. <br> 1) A place near your home in case of a fire. <br> 2) A place outside your neighborhood in case you cannot return home after a disaster. |
| - | Take a basic first aid and CPR class. |
|  | Keep family records in a water and fire-proof container. |

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tiont the style and serial number of
medical devices medical devices such as pacemakers
For additional information about how to prepare for hazards in your community, contact your local emergency management and American Red Cross chapter. disabled family members.

Petty of Lubbock and Clayton Thompson of Lacey, Wash. Great-grandparents are Opal Cain of Clovis, Julia Symcox of Farwell and M.A. Ferguson of Amarillo.

## MACIAS

Marco and Christy Macías of Muleshoe announce the birth of daughter Megan Arian Ma She was bomat 704 19 in Clovis. She weighed 6
pounds, $81 / 2$ ounces, and was 20 $1 / 2$ inches long.
She has a sister,Leslie Danielle Macías, 7
Her grandparents are Alex and María García of Muleshoe and Prospero and Juana Macías of Seminole.
Great-grandparents are José and Arminda Orozco of Muleshoe and Guadalupe Muñiz of Sudan.

## A company's business plan can make for happy new year

## SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

 ness owners, the new year is the perfect time to create or update a company's business plan. A welldeveloped business plan iscrucial developedbusiness planiscrucial ing or strategic partners.While format and content for most business plans are similar, the business owner should distinguish his or her plan by thos characteristics unique to the individual business, as well as its life-cycle position.
The Texas Society of CPAs provides the following advice for creating the rood map necessary for business $q$ owth.

- The ex $x^{\prime}$ utive summary More thar , lerely an introduction


## ess plan, including all key point

 and critical information.The executive summary is frequently the first place readers will go to learn about the business, so is important that it be written clearly.

- Business description - This section should clearly identify the business's goals and objectives as well as provide information about he company's history, its curren status and its future potential and rowth opportunities.
It also should include a compre hensive description of the business, including its location, physical facilities and business structure.
For example, is it a sole propri


## company?

- Productand/or service descrip-(ion-Try todescribe the product and/or service in vivid detail and explain its benefits from the customer's perspective. Explain how the product or service is produced and at what cost, including the rationale behind the pricing strategy.
- Marketing - This plays a vital role in successful business ventures. Be sure to explain the marketing plan in detail and include the results of any market research recently conducted. Identify the market and show where it is headed. Is the industry growing and, if so, how quickly? Demonstrate demand for the
industry trends.
It's also important to describe the plan to sell the product or service. Are direct sales, mail order, telemarketing, e-commerce or some combination of these being considered?
The method of advertising and promotion could mean the difference between success and failure - Competition - The business plan needs to address competition. Be sure to state exactly who the competition is. Also, it's important to include information about the competition, such as the results of any research conducted on the industry either individually or by another entity How do competitors' products


## Raral development workshop set for Feb. 1 in Alpine

: ECIAL TO THE JOURNAL AUSTIN - Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs announced Tuesday that the state Department of Agriculture is partnering with AEP-West Texas Utilities and the Big Bend Regional Minority and Small Business Development Center to host workshop Feb. 1 in Alpine. The open forum will provide
farmers, ranchers, agribusinesses, manufacturers small businesses, commodity
groups and the community a chance to learn about opportunities available in rural economic development, incubators and community development, tourism and ex pansion of existing businesses The conference will begin with a 5 p.m. reception Jan. 31 at the Reata Restaurant, 203 N Fifth in Alpine.
The workshop itself begins at 7:30 a.m. Feb. 1 in the Uni versity Center at Sul Ross Stat University. The meeting co
is $\$ 35$ per person and pre-registration is available by calling Jana Hunter at (915) 837-8694 or Jack Stallings at (915) 8593942.

The "RITE Approach to Rural Development" will feature business development specialists presenting the latest in business planning, marketing and financing programs that can assist in rural development in Texas
Robert Wood, deputy assis-

## URSING HOME NEWS

Thursday morning, Winford
Mullins, Zona Gatewood and Debra Noble directed a memorial service for Gladys Pierce. Thursday afternoon, Olan Gatlin and Alta Gore were honored with a birthday party for the month of December. Eva Nell Dale and Anita Johnson and daughters entertained. Decorators Floral provided flowers for each honoree and Lasting Impressions gave each one a 2 Y
Beanie Baby.
Friday afternoon, Brady Mason of First Baptist Church entertained the residents at their early new year's party
Harold and Mary Jo Burge and
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RaJon Thorn.
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Sixth grade-Castle Crawford, Amberlee Steinbock and Montana Steinbock.
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Eleventh grade - Savannah Black Kayla Kimbrough, Candice Randolph, Jay Seaton and Triston Thorn.
Twelfth grade - Kendra Gallman, Kati Mimms, Landon Parham, Crystal Scott and Elisabeth Thomas.
"A/B" Honor Roll
Second grade - Tasha Barnes,
several family members of the enter's residents directed the bingo bonanza Saturday afternoon.
Members of the Mennonite church at Farwell directed church services Sunday afternoon. A special friend had Decorators Floral make and deliver two bouquets for the residents last week.
Mary Jo Burge, Eva Nell Dale, Beverly Wagnon, Claudine Embry and the center's Activity Department shampooed and set the ladies' hair Tuesday afternoon. Wagnon gave several ladies haricuts.
and Wanda Kittrell, Harold and Mary Jo Burge served coffee, cocoa, juice and doughnuts to the residents. Harold Burge directed the conversation and read bits of wisdomtothe group seated around the tables. The devotional was directed by Cody Favor, the First Baptist Church youth director; Billie Downing; and Debra Noble.
Joe Embry, Harold Burge and Stacy Conner visted the residents Tuesday.
Elzie Darland attended a family reunion over the weekend. On Wednesday, Harlen and Betty Jo Davis visited Cecil Davis, Darlene Henry visited her

Department of Agriculture's present information on develpresent information on devel-
opment and financing programs opment andfinancing programs
available through the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority.
"Agriculture is one of the most dynamic industries in Texas,"Combs said. "By work ing with our producers and agribusiness leaders, we can keep our industry on the fore front of change in the 21 st century.
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mother, Fannie May Black, and Boyd Gibbs of Lubbock visited the center.
Janie Mosley is visiting her mother, Kathryn Hancock, this eek.
The January birthday party is scheduled for 3 p.m. Jan. 24

HOSPITAL NEWS
Muleshoe Area Medical Cen patient load:
Dec. 28 - Ethel Ayres Dec. 28 - Ethel Ayres, Grace Plyler.
Jan. 1 - None reported. Jan. 2 - Ethel Ayres Pauline Guinn, Vanessa Márquez, Michelle Morales, Georgia Parks, Grace Plyler and Eloisa Vega.
Jan. 3 - Ethel Ayres Rodger Buhrman, Pauline Rodger Buhrman, Panessa Márquez, Guinn, Vanessa Márquez,
Michelle Morales and Georgia Parks
are the competitors' strengths an weaknesses? What strategies are in place for dealing with competitors?

- Management and operations As this section is being pre-- As kee pared, keep in mind that people sset and mable pusines asset and many potential inves ors view the management tean as a critical predictor of a successful business. Describe members of the management team, including their responsibilities and backgrounds.
If the business plan is being used to attract financiers or strate gic partners, copies of the team's résumés may need to be included Also outline the need for add


## projections

Financial data business's historical financial information and projections for future growth form the founda tion of a tion of a solid business plan Some documents to include in the plan are balance sheets, profit and-loss statements, break-even analyses, cash-flow projection and a statement that outlines the sources and use of funds for the past two years. These can be use ful benchmarks for assessing future growth and development When developing a business plan, it is a good idea to consult a CPA with the knowledge and experience necessary to offer sound advice.

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