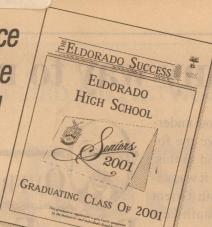
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Hospital board eyes threat of lawsuit from former physician

by Pat Ragsdale

the meeting listed the purpose of the discussion of personnel matters, the evaluation of Preferred Minor. Management, the company that

Fryar leaving Eldorado for job in Ballinger

Coach Jim Fryar notified SCISD Supt. George Blanch on Tuesday has reportedly accepted a position at Ballinger High School as an assistant coach. Fryar came to Eldorado in 1996. Since that time his Eldorado Eagles football team has week's Success.

EHS senior Megan Poynor has

won a cheerleading scholarship to

Midwestern State University in

Wichita Falls. Poynor, who for

that she had been accepted.

major in Kinesiology or Art.

with the district's attorney con-The Schleicher County Medi- cerning pending litigation. Meetcal Center (SCMC) board of trust- ing with the board was attorney ees went behind closed doors Mon- James Kosub as well as Andy Freeday night for a series of three ex- man of Preferred Management. ecutive sessions. The agenda for Also joining in portions of the executive session were Hospital Adthe executive sessions as being for ministrator Ann Fagan-Cook and Assistant Administrator Beverly

When the board emerged into under current federal rules. oversees day-to-day operations of open session some two and onethe hospital, and a consultation half hours later, they voted unanimously to direct attorney Kosub to answer correspondence from a Houston attorney. The Success has learned that former SCMC physician Randall Sloan, through his attorney in Houston, has indicated a desire to sue the district for breach of contract.

Dr. Sloan left SCMC at the end ecutive session. that he will be resigning as Athletic of December, 2000, after his con-Director and Head Football Coach tract with the hospital district reeffective at the end of June. Fryar portedly expired. According to story in the April 19, 2001 edition of the Eden Echo newspaper, Dr. Sloan has joined the staff of the Concho County Hospital in Eden.

Next, the board trustees voted made 5 straight playoff appearanc- to continue negotiations with Dr. es. Look for more details in next Albert Empedrad and to invite him to use less than half of the bud-

board. It was explained that Dr. Empedrad, a native of the Phillipines, is working in the United States under a "J-1" visa and currently lives in California. One of the requirements of the J-1 program is that physicians in the program must live and work in a medically underserved area. Schleicher County qualifies as an underserved area

The meeting was the board's regular monthly session and was called to order by Board President Judy Christian at 6:00 p.m. On hand for the meeting were trustees Shirley Joiner, Lanis Mikeska, John Callison, Jim Marin, Delia Pina and Randy Mankin. After an invocation, led by Jim Martin, the

Following the two votes mentioned above, the trustees approved the minutes of the March 26 meeting. They then took up discussion of the district's financial reports. During the review it was noted that the hospital's financial picture continues to improve. It was explained that during March, the district had to visit Eldorado and to meet the geted tax subsidy to balance the books. The board reviewed and approved the district's financial statement, check journal, statistics report, cash flow report and bad debt listing.

> Hospital Administrator Ann Fagan-Cook reported that the nursing home was currently operating at 93 percent occupancy. She noted one bed was vacant but that she expected it would be filled quickly from a waiting list. Fagan-Cook also reported that the hospital may soon be receiving additional funds following the settlement of a class action lawsuit against two asbestos manufacturers. She told the board that she had been notified that SCMC would be participating in the settlement. However, she said she had no idea when the money would be coming nor how much the district could expect to receive. Three years ago the hospital district received \$440,928.33 as its part of a class action settlement with W.R. Grace Company, another asbestos manufacturer.

Ms. Fagan-Cook also explained A group of Eldorado parents lished in a special program that that new federal privacy rules went CONTINUED ON PAGE 6

years has led cheers on the sidelines of Eldorado Eagles games will be wearing the Maroon and Gold and performing sideline routines for the MSU Indians. Poynor competed in cheerleading tryouts on Sunday. She learned Tuesday Poynor is the daughter of Teresa Poynor and Britt Poynor. While at Midwestern, she plans to

Megan Poynor

Project Graduation slated

Poynor wins cheerleader

scholarship at Midwestern

Alcohol and drug free celebration for EHS seniors

are seeking the help of other par- will be available at graduation. ents, merchants, churches and anyhelp out may do so by making tax- er \$ 25. deductible gift to Project Gradua-

ages will also be accepted to help Whitten 853-2415. fill the "bottomless pits" these kids they are having a good time.

Donors' names will be pub- involved.

Several layers of sponsorship one interested in helping provide are available including: Diamond a drug and alcohol free party for Supporter \$500; Gold Supporter; Eldorado High School graduates Silver Supporter \$100; Bronze on May 25th. Persons wishing to Supporter \$50; and Eagle Support-

Anyone wishing to donate to this worthwhile event may contact Donations of money, prizes and any of the following Door Prize gift certificates are sought to be Committee members: Geralyn used as door prizes door prizes in Beach 853-2943; Cynthia Joiner order to help get the kids to the 853-2203; Janet Curtis 853-2137; party and keep them safe all night Soila Rojas 853-2029; Darlene long. Donations of food or bever- Edmiston 853-3383; and Marilyn

seem to have for stomachs when through May 18. Your support is greatly appreciated by everyone the public is invited. A concession

13th annual **Shannon Harbor** Relays set today

Eldorado Elementary School track athletes get their opportunity to shine this afternoon in the 13th annual Shannon Harbor Relays. The annual event features 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade students competing in a number of running events. The relays get underway Donations will be accepted at 12:30 p.m. in Eagle Stadium. There is no admission charge and stand will be available.



board went immediately into ex- Best of the best — Eldorado's two girls doubles teams brought home the Gold and Silver medals from the Region 1-2A Tennis Tournament in Abilene last week. (L-R) Kayla McCravey and Gentry Newman placed 1st while teammates Christian Redish and Lindsay Beach placed 2nd, Both teams will compete in the State Tournament in Austin next week

Eagles girls sweep through doubles bracket at 1-2A Regional Tournament in Abilene

One quarter of the girls doubles the State Tourney in Austin. teams at the State 2A Tennis Tour-

feating their teammates Beach and ity of an all Eldorado final. Redish in the finals. Not to worry though, both teams are headed to Rutherford is complaining to ev-

nament next week will be from State Tournament bracket unfold- able to get the thing changed. Ru-Eldorado. The team of Kayla Mc- ed this week after it was learned therford says that he cannot re-Cravey and Gentry Newman will that the tournament organizers had call such a situation ever happenbe there. So will Lindsay Beach broken with tradition and placed ing before and he promises to conand Christina Redish. That after both Eldorado teams on the same tinue the battle with tournament the Eldorado girls dominated the side of the tourney bracket. That officials. Region 1-2A Tournament in would force the two teams to play Abilene on Wednesday and Thurs- one another in the second round, selves facing similar circumstancprovided they both advanced past es, Sabinal in 1A girls doubles, McCravey and Newman won their first round opponents. It Dallas Highland Park in 4A Girls the Regional doubles title by de- would also eliminate the possibil- Singles and San Antonio Alamo

eryone who will listen about the But a controversy over the bracket but is unsure if he will be

Three other schools find them-Heights in 4A girls doubles. They, EHS head tennis coach Matt too, are complaining and they just CONTINUED ON PAGE 4

Bullard earns 3rd trip to State Track Meet

best and it earned for him yet an- 10:35.16. other trip to the State Track Meet in Austin. Bullard's first appearance in the big show came in his sophomore year in 1999. Last year Bullard made a return trip, placing 5th with a jump of 44-10.

Bullard also competed in the 800 Meter Run at the Regional Meet. He finished, 6th with a time of 2:04.56.

The two-day meet was held in Abilene Christian University's Elmer Gray Stadium. On Friday, April 27, EHS senior Stacy Nicholson won a 3rd Place Bronze Medal in the Shot Put with a toss of 39-9. Leandra Tate of Albany won the event with a distance of 44-3.5, shattering the old meet record of 41-1, previously set by Celinda Whisenant of Dublin in 1995. Sophomore Christina Redish placed 6th with a personal best throw of 34-0.5.

Senior, Sammy Cabrera, a

Saturday was a gorgeous day state cross county medalist, also for a track meet and EHS senior competed in the Regional Meet. held on Friday and Saturday, May gion 1-2A Track Meet in Abilene. 4:44.93 and 10th in the 3200 The jump was Bullard's personal Meter Run with a time of p.m. on Friday afternoon, May

The State Track Meet will be Joey Bullard made the best of it, He closed out an outstanding high 11 & 12 in Mike Meyers Stadium notching up a leap of 46-7 to win school career by placing 5th in the on the campus of the University of the Triple-Jump event at the Re- 1600 Meter Run with a time of Texas. Joey Bullard will be competing in the Triple Jump at 3:00 11th.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Kicking up sand — A sprint down the runway, followed by a hop, skip and a jump ended with a shower of sand on Saturday for Eldorado's Joey Bullard. He is shown here plowing into the sand pit during the triple-jump event at the Region 1-2A Track Meet in Abilene. Bullard won the event with a jump of 46-7 to earn his third trip to the State Track Meet.

Is this any way to run a railroad?

I'm a little slow, you understand, so please forgive me for just now getting around to this. In February of this year it was announced that the South Orient Railroad, running southwest from Coleman, through San Angelo and on to the Mexican border, is being taken over by the State of Texas. For a mere \$9.5 Star State have purchased an international railway, and we're placing it in the hands of the Tex- ed asking questions. as Department of Transportation (TxDOT).

big deal?

powerful state agencies is the Texas Railroad Commission (RRC). It was formed specifically to oversee the railroad industry. So why then wasn't the RRC



million we citizens of the Lone chosen to take over and operate the South Orient Railroad Line?

My call was bounced from the answer. He pointed out that, since it is the agency responsi- gas?" ble for transportation.

Allright, I said. Why is it that the trucking industry, which is goods, is regulated by the Rail- doesn't." road Commission?

There was a long pause, then next question. the voice on the other end of the line said he would have to forward my call to someone else.

After wandering around in a pause then she said. "Don't tell maze of voice mail messages for me...' several minutes, my call was finally taken by a lady who seemed regulated by the Texas Railroad genuinely interested in my question. So, I repeated it... Why isn't the Railroad Commission going

same as I had received from the make sense. Have a nice day!"

earlier gentleman, TxDOT is charged with regulating transportation and since railroads are involved in transportation, well...it's only natural.

So, I repeated my second question. Why then is the trucking industry, which is also involved in transportation, regulated by the RRC?

Again, there was a long pause. Finally the woman re-So, I called Austin and start- plied, "That's a very good ques-

Before she could transfer my one bureaucrat to another until I call to anyone else I jumped in Okay, you ask, so what's the reached one who seemed to have with a third question, "And, I would like to know why it is that Well, it occurred to me that by their very nature, railroads are the Texas Natural Resource Conone of Texas' largest and most in the business of transporting servation Commission does not goods. Therefore, he said, Tx- regulate the production of natu-DOT was the obvious choice ral resources like oil and natural

> "It doesn't?" she was now asking me questions.

"Nope," I replied. "The name also involved in transporting implies that it does but it

"Well, who does?" was her

"You're not going to believe

it," I told her. Once more, there was a long

"Yep," I said, "the oilfield is Commission. Does that make

any sense?" Just before she hung up on me to operate the South Orient Line? the woman replied, "Sir, nobody Her answer was virtually the ever said that government had to

Legislative redistricting effort has one month to go

AUSTIN - The stakes are enormous to politicians and special interests and really to all Texans, but no one's paying a lot of attention to redistricting except those whose ox is most likely to

"We've had only one telephone call from a constituent about it," said one House member's staffer.

the makeup of Texas' House and states' Congressional districts. But figurative sense. those who are the most intensely



who could lose their seats over it. From now until the end of the New census data will change session, it's going to be Dodge City

in Austin. A lot of shooting is go-Senate districts, not to mention the ing to be going on, at least in the redrawn districts.

If a redistricting plan does not Gambling bill comes up 7s interested in the process are those get out of the Legislature, the matter falls into the lap of the Legisla-

tive Redistricting Board.

The board has five members, four of them Republicans. It has to convene within 90 days after the close of the session and must come up with a plan inside of 60 days.

But legislators still have a month to get everything saucered and blowed.

The plan released by the House

The House has approved a bill that amounts to a good roll of the dice for Indian gambling interests in Texas:

McAllen Democrat Juan Hinojosa's House Bill 514 would legalize casinos operated by the Kickapoos in Eagle Pass and the Tiguas in El Paso. It also would load the dice in favor of the Alabama Cous-

Hinojosa says the casinos are said, the tribe's suicide rate was completely about." three times higher than the national average.

bill is a first step toward legalized my hope the long feud between gambling statewide.

this bill out of the House amounts this great gentleman." to a nice cut of the cards for those supporting Indian gaming, the ing in the Senate.

of the management

jackpot remains up for grabs.

Similar legislation still has to make it through the Senate. And still pending is a lawsuit filed by the Attorney General's Office that would shut down the Tigua casi-

Dallas needs the water

Years ago, the story goes, the has 18 incumbents paired to face men's room in the old Fort Worth each other in elections to fill nine Press had a chain pull toilet with an overhead tank.

Written on the tank was this slam: "Pull the chain. Dallas needs the water."

The Trinity River, of course, flows through Fort Worth before it gets to Big D. Maybe the late Tom Landry can

help ease the long-standing rivalry between the two cities. The House has passed a bill that

would name a portion of Interstate 30 between Fort Worth and Dallas hatta's aspirations to open a casi- in honor of the former head coach of the Dallas Cowboys.

Speaking in favor of the bill, good for tourism and have created Fort Worth Rep. Anna Mowery jobs for Indians. Prior to the open-said it was "one of the very few ing of the Tigua casino in 1993, he things Dallas and Fort Worth agree

Rep. Tony Goolsby of Dallas, the bill's sponsor, put the measure Opponents maintain that the in even sharper perspective: "It is Dallas and Fort Worth can be While the 82-60 vote moving mended and brought together by

A companion bill is still pend-

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Setting the Stage for the Big Entertainers

and people started calling him thing.' Scoop. He now lives in California Dude. He works in concert produc- before every show. tion, stage managing major acts all month or two in advance.

ing stage hands, dealing with se- But that's show business." curity companies, all sorts of city that's gonna be there for a day, But the crowd loves it. then will go away."

sound equipment.

noon you've got security, a medi-tect the performers." cal operation, fencing, caterers,

charges that makes the place look tired of getting shot at."

When I first knew Charles like World War Three when Chris Sweeney he was in high school and hits them during his show. We have his nickname was Chip. He got to bring in fire marshals, put up involved in radio news in Houston danger zone signs. It's an intense

Chris has to have fifty red carand has a website called Stage nations and fifty white carnations

"Basically, he just grabs them over northern California. For a re- and throws them out to the fans. ally big show, his work starts a Here I am, spending a couple of hours in the middle of Nowhere, "Basically, my responsibility is California trying to find carnations, to pull together all the pieces that which is a major challenge. The will one day make the show hap- whole purpose is for Chris LeDoux pen: lighting, sound, staging, hir- to take them and throw them away.

Scoop really dreads to hear things. It's like building a small Chris do the song, "Copenhagen."

"On the first note of that song, For a really big show, five or you'll see fifty Copenhagen cans six eighteen-wheelers will pull up come flying through the air. Chris to the concert site. They're full of never seems to get hit, but all the band instruments and lighting and other poor guys on stage do. You've got Copenhagen cans "I'm always the first one there bouncing off guitars and drums and and I enjoy seeing the empty lot the musicians' foreheads. On a few just before dawn. I try to picture shows we've actually had to string what it's going to look like. By up a net to catch the stuff to pro-

Scoop works with country vendors, the stage area. It's like a groups. He says they're more famlittle village. Then around mid- ily-oriented. "I took the pledge. I night they start tearing down and swore off doing rap shows just within a few hours it's an empty because the music is too strange. I lot again. It's an interesting life." guess maybe I'm too old to get the He says Chris LeDoux always purpose of it. I can't understand the has a bunch of fireworks and flow-lyrics and when I do, I really don't ers. "He shows up with full pyro- want to know those lyrics. It's a technics which takes a whole day different world and I'm sure they to set up. He has a pyro-technician have a message. I just haven't figwho travels with him. We set up ured it out. Besides that, I just got

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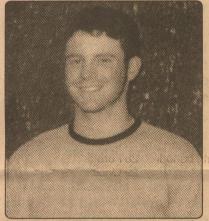
Angelo.

Dunn and the Rev. Harry Matthews week at Baptist Memorials Center. erational, and regulatory issues. of Glen Meadows Baptist Church Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens. Massie Funeral Home.

Burgess; and one great-granddaughter, Brittany Wilde.

sity where he played basketball. J.D. was proud of the work he had done as an inspector at the Beaumont shipyards. J.D. and Scotta Hicks were former owners of the Christoval Drug Store and later Hovorak of San Angelo; and numer-J.D. was a longtime real estate ous nieces and nephews. agent in San Angelo. His special

Poynor joins Air Force



COURTESY PHOTO Casey Poynor

Casey Poynor, son of Teresa Poynor and Britt Poynor is joining the United States Air Force. He will report to Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio for basic training on Monday, May 7th.

Poynor is a 2000 graduate of Eldorado High School where he was active in numerous academic and athletic activities. He was a member of the National Honor Society as well as a member of several championship baseball and football teams.

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Joseph Damon Hicks

Joseph Damon Hicks, 95, went ing bridge and playing dominoes Southwest Conference of Rural to be with the Lord at 10:10 a.m. at the San Angelo Senior Citizens and Community Hospitals in Dalon Sunday, April 29, 2001, in San Center. As a longtime member of las. The three-day conference, Park Heights Baptist Church, J.D. Funeral service was Tuesday, was a member and greeter of the May 1, in Robert Massie Funeral Presidents Sunday School class,

He is survived by his wife of 66 Mary Hicks. He was preceded in Lois Hicks of Odessa; a grandson, death by two brothers, Roy C. Joey and wife, Tina, and their son, Hicks and Clinton Alton Hicks; Joseph, of Sachse; granddaughter, one sister, Mary Lucille Hicks Debbie Mongognia of Dallas, and their mother, Jobynia Hicks, also of Dallas; grandchildren, Doug and Dar-J.D. graduated from Miles High la Wilde and daughters of San Ange-School and Howard Payne Univer- lo; Sheila Vancil and children of San Wilde and sons of Garland; Shannon and Alan Gillespie and daughters of Eldorado; special daughter, Gayle

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tested race in the County. Incum- until 7:00 p.m. and, as usual the

bent City Councilman Robert By- Success will post results in the

bee is being challenged by Jim window of the newspaper office as

Nance for the council seat in Ward soon as they become available.

Local hospital administrator attends educational conference

Ann Fagan-Cook, administra- ing our hospital." tor of Schleicher County Medical Center, recently attended the sponsored by the Texas Organization of Rural & Community hospitals (TORCH), featured educa-

"With all the challenges facing officiating. Burial followed in years, Scotta Hicks; one son, Harold small hospitals in Texas, we must Joseph Hicks and wife, Joyce; two take every opportunity to under-Arrangements were by Robert sisters, Reba Hicks Eubank of San stand the issues that impact us," Angelo and Alene Hicks Batty of Ann Fagan-Cook, said. "TORCH J.D. was born on Nov. 21, 1905, Long Beach, Calif.; two sisters-in- is an advocate all during the year in Miles to Robert Wesley and law, Betha Hicks of San Angelo and for rural hospitals across the state. is the only association in the state They supply us with information about issues, they lobby for our cause in the state legislature and with Congress, and they are the first group we go to when we need help with a new problem or challenge." Fagan-Cook said that constant education is vital because Angelo; Duane and Vickie Wilde and healthcare is changing so rapidly. son of Garland; Daniel and Debbie "Just about the time we get one problem solved and one challenge met, we are faced with new issues that must be dealt with," she said. "Membership in TORCH and the annual Southwest Conference of Pallbearers were Greg and Matt Rural and Community Hospitals hobbies were woodworking, play- Baldwin, Ricky and Kevin Barron, are two dynamic venues for learning about new opportunities and The family would like to thank staying abreast with what is going all who have helped during this on which helps us deal with current challenges and problems fac-

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TORCH, formed 11 years ago, devoted exclusively to providing advocacy and leadership in addressing the special needs and issues of the state's rural and community hospitals. TORCH focuses on problems and challenges that are unique to general acute care hospitals of fewer than 150

Meals for Friends Menu

Monday, May 7

Roasted Chicken, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Cornbread, Cherry Cobbler, Milk

Tuesday May 8

Chicken & Rice Casserole, Broccoli, Dinner Roll, Peach Halves, Chocolate cake, Milk

Wednesday May 9

Roast Beef w/ Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Brussel Sprouts, Wheat Roll, Juice, Milk, Brownie w/ Nuts

Thursday May 11

Pork Chop w/ Gravy, Baked Potato, Yellow Squash, Cornbread, Pineapple Waldorf, Milk

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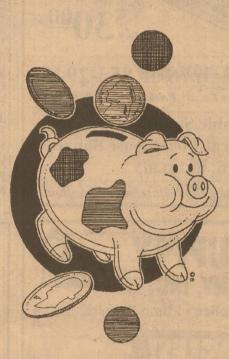




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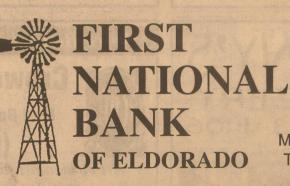
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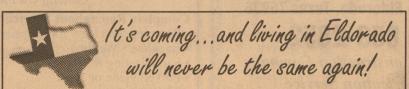
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Eagles nine win when they have to, earn playoff berth

by David E. Hill

gle Field for a very important ball innings. game. If the Eagles won, they third.

Eldorado came out and took control of the ball game early and day and had some good help in the County today in a double-header never looked back. EHS clinched field," Coach Ronnie Molina said at Nathan Donskey Field in San a playoff spot for the sixth consec- after the game. "All in all it was a Angelo. It's a best of three series utive year by winning 5-3.

Eldorado scored first in the bot-

Mason Punchers last Friday at Earruns in the third, sixth and seventh place.

clinched third place based on the for the Eagles on the hill and got team. "These young men know with an Area Championship," head to head record. If they lost, it the big win. He went 7 innings, how to compete and they just need Coach Molina said. would force a play in game for allowing 3 runs, with 3 K's and a little confidence and I believe we gave up 3 walks.

"Mike kept them off balance all great day for him on the mound." for the Area Championship. The

tom half of the 1st inning taking a Rocky Robles, Jason Brock, Jim- the second game will begin 30 min-2-0 advantage. The Eagles then my Aguilar, and Manuel Hernan- utes after the conclusion of game scored a run in the fifth and 2 runs dez all had singles. Robles and one. Should the two teams split the in the sixth for the victory. The Hernandez added doubles as well. twin bill, a third game will be

Eagles pitching and defense would The win runs the Eagles district ty earilier this year and lost a bi-The Eldorado Eagles hosted the only allow Mason to get single record to 5-5 and clinches third zarre game.

> "We finally played a complete tough, both mentally and physi-Mike Adame went the distance game," Coach Molina said of his cally. If we do, we should come out will overcome this hurdle."

> Eldorado will face Reagan gin their playoff trek. WEAR Offensively, Ramon Barajas, first game will start at 2 pm and played on Saturday, at 7 p.m. in Sonora. The winner will play district champion Tahoka.

> > Eldorado faced Reagan Coun-

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Menus Subject To Change

Cafeteria Line

Beef Tacos/Cheese, Pinto

Beans, Lettuce and Tomato Sal-

ad, Cornbread, Iced Cupcakes

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nel Corn, Diced Peaches, Choc-

Corn Dogs French Fries, Mixed

| Hamburgers, French Fries, Let- |

tuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Orange

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Apple Juice, Cinnamon Rolls

Fast Food Line

Cheese Enchiladas/Chili, Corn-

bread, Tossed Salad, Pineapple,

Steak Burgers French Fries, Let-

tuce Tomatoes Pickles, Choco-

No School, Weather Day

Peaches, Pancakes/Syrup

No School, Weather Day

Monday, May 7

Tuesday, May 8

Fruit, Brownies

Friday, May 11

Monday, May 7

Tuesday, May 8

Wednesday, May 9

fins, Choice of Cereal

Thursday, May 10

Friday, May 4

Monday, May /

Iced Cupcakes

Tuesday, May 8

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Wednesday, May 9

Team Tennis On April 12 and 13, 2001 the

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Middle School

Middle School Eagle Team traveled to Mason to participate in Junior High Team Tennis Tournament.

On Thursday, the Eagles played Kerrville. The Eagles won 8 out of 11 matches. On Friday, the Eagles started the day off by defeating San Saba 17 to 12.

The Eagles won the Consolation bracket by winning 10 out of 9 matches. Coach Teresa Baker noted the althletes did a super job and proudly represented Eldorado.

Players receiving medals were: Jessica Robertson, Emily Newman, Betsy Green, Allison Reynolds, Chandra Wanoreck, Maxie Holley, Lauren Brown, Taylor Baker, Michael Ballew, Frank Edmiston, Caleb Nixon, Frank Wipff, Patrick Chavez, Lance Roberts, Bryce Leggett, Ryan Cathey and Logan Neal.



Safe at third — John Ray Espinosa beat the throw to third last Friday as the Eldorado Eagles defeated the Mason Punchers 5-3 to and clinched a playoff berth.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN Sweet victory — Coach Ronnie Molina hugged Mike Adame Friday as the Eagles baseball team celebrated a 5-3 win over Mason. The win clinched a playoff berth for the Warbirds.

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co eagles!

Girls doubles tennis teams advance to State County 6-3, 6-2 before losing to Regional Tourney. She then de-

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ford's argument, especially since Newman 6-1, 6-3 in the finals. there are several other schools on opposite sides of their respec-

run by defeating Ingram and Wylie Memphis. of Friona 6-3, 6-2. They then definals where they defeated Isaacs ty 7-5, 7-5 in the 1st Round of the another in the second round. and Gullett of Canadian 6-0, 6-1 In the final McCravev and Newman they defeated their teammates

tive brackets so that the would not They then defeated Rodriguez and

may give some weight to Ruther- their teammates McCravey and feated Fishback of Forsan 6-3, 6-0 to move into the semi-finals. In boys doubles, Thomas There, she lost to Wuthrich of Arwith two entries. Those schools, Ballew and Bobby Phillips defeat- cher City 6-1, 6-0. Brown then lost however, have their players listed ed Coleman and Hatervis of Stam- to Warren of Floydada 6-3, 6-2 to ford 6-1, 6-0 in the first round. finish in 4th Place in the tourney.

Both girls doubles teams are face one another until the final Bennett of Floydada 6-0, 6-1 to scheduled to play at 9:00 a.m. on move into the semi-finals. Ballew the courts at World of Tennis To get to the State Tournament and Phillips lost to Lozano and Country Club at Lakeway in West both Eldorado doubles teams dis- Barnes of Reagan County in the Austin. McCravey and Newman patched several opponents at Re-semi-final 7-6, 6-7, 6-3 but won the will face Dawn Dreyer and Lindgional. McCravey and Newman 3rd Place match 3-6, 7-6, (7-5), 6- say Grivich, of Refugio in the quaropened their Regional Tournament 2 over Phillips and Urrutia of terfinal round. Beach and Redish will face Sydney Zadow and Shel-In girls singles action, EHS by Zadow, Van Alstyne. As the feated Keathly and Earls of For-sophomore Courtney Brown de-bracket now stands, if both EHS san 6-3, 6-2 to move into the semi-feated Ridgeway of Reagan Counteams advance, they will face one

Briskets will be available Sunday, May 20th

Wednesday, May 9 Beach and Redish 6-1, 6-3. Chef Salad, Crackers (8), Mixed Beach and Redish began by Fruit, Brownies defeating Stapp and Braddock of **Thursday May 10** Forsan 6-2, 6-1. They then defeat-Hamburgers, French Fries, Leted Simms and Simms of Wellingtuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Orange Wedges ton 6-1, 6-1 to advance to the semi-Friday, May 4 finals. There they defeated Sieg-No School, Weather Day erthaler and Goetz of Reagan SOAR HIGH EAGLES!



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Stationary Bike Tourist

Dear Mayor:

cling across the United States us- fun? I like to visit my cousin and ing a stationary bike and maps to play video games. Is Eldorado chart our course. We started in named after the famous golden city? Copper Harbor, MI, and trying to get to Del Rio, TX.

county line. I traveled straight wall. south to your town.

I know Eldorado is the county

seat. How old is your courthouse? Our fifth grade class is bicy- What do your fifth graders do for

Could you please write back and tell me what sights I would This was my fifth time to ped- have seen if my trip was real. Also, al, and I traveled 15 miles. I start- if possible, could you please send ed on Highway 277, just inside the a small souvenir for our travel

> Sincerely, Stephen Walton

Mayor's Reply

Dear Stephen:

rado is the county seat of Schle- beautiful. I am enclosing a color icher County, Texas. The town photo of the bluebonnets that was was established in 1895 on the taken only a few miles from Eldo-Edwards Plateau after innovations rado. in windmill technology made it possible to pump water from the Eldorado is named after the mythvast Edwards-Trinity Aquifer, ical City of Gold. While there are some 400 feet below the surface. several theories as to why the This was particularly important name was chosen, no one can be since there are no rivers or lakes certain. We do know that there was in the area.

students do for fun. I am forward- jected by the Post Office since ing a copy of your letter to Eldo- there was already a town in Texas rado Middle School in hopes that with that name. Regardless, we are some of those students may write all very happy that the name Elto you with details about their dorado was the one that was lives.

Stephen, our courthouse is almost eighty years old and was built mayor for 10 years. In that time, I of native limestone. Eldorado has have responded to hundreds of letother historic landmarks including ters about a myriad of subjects. the old First National Bank build- But, none of those letters was nearing, built in 1907, and the Eldora-ly as much fun to answer as yours. do Woolen Mill, constructed in You see, I'm always happy to tell 1940. Interestingly, our mill sup- people about Eldorado and I am plied the majority of woolen army particularly glad you wrote. blankets used by American troops in World War II. It was the first Hall if you ever pass this way. I full-process woolen mill west of would be delighted to show you the Mississippi River and remains around town. today as the only operational woolen mill in the southwest United

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Stephen, I'm sorry that hour Thank you, for your letter and trip through Eldorado was imagiyour interest in our town. I think nary since, at the very time you your stationary bicycle tour is a were pedaling the stationary bike, wonderful idea and I applaud your the countryside around town was teacher for using such an imagi- adorned with wildflowers, particnative approach to familiarize you ularly Texas Bluebonnets. The with the geography of our great bluebonnet is the Texas State Flower and this year the crop of As you know, Stephen, Eldo- flowers has been breathtakingly

To answer your question, yes, an attempt to name the town Wal-You asked what our fifth grade lick. However, the name was repicked.

I have served as Eldorado's

Stephen, be sure to stop by City

Sincerely, John Nikolauk, Mayor City of Eldorado

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Times good for the week of 5/04-5/10 only Friday/Monday through Thursday 5:00 7:30 9:45

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Thank you, Linda Mungia

EHS golf teams make history by advancing to Regional Tourney

by Coach Melissa O'Harrow

ment. This had never been accom- They finished in 13th place in a

advanced to the Regional Tourna- tal ever with a 224 on Tuesday. way we do) plished before. This year the Re- very tight tournament. The only resented by Hannah Robledo, ward to making more history next gional Tourney was played on the boy to make it to the Regional tour- Blake Snelson, Brittany Key, Toni year by going back to Regional Shady Oaks golf course at Baird. nament last year was Clay, so this Martin, and Mikinzie Holley. Han- with their sights on getting to

were Clay Whitten, Michael for the other four. They played nament last year, but this was the The Eldorado High School golf Ramirez, Andrew Anderson, Coby with a lot of heart and made some first year for Toni and Mikinzie to teams made a little history this Edmiston, and Wesley Jones. people start asking, "Where's Elyear. Both the boys and girls teams These players scored their best to-dorado?" (Not pronounced the finished 8th out of 16 teams.

ed Eldorado at the Regional Tour- might just win it all!.

participate at this level. The girls

What a great year these teams The girls' team was well rep- have had!! They are looking for-Representing the boys team was a completely new experience nah, Blake, and Brittany represent- State. Who knows? Someday they

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2001 EHS girls golf team members are (L-R) Mikinzie Holley, Hannah Robledo, Toni Martin, Blake Snelson, Brittany Key and Mayci



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

2001 EHS boys golf team members are (L-R) Clay Whitten, Andrew Anderson, Michael Ramirez, Wesley Jones and Coby Ed-







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HUDSON LIVESTOCK SUPPLEMENTS

Hospital district trustees hold monthly meeting

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into force on April 14th. She noted that many of the rules have already been implemented locally years to come into complete compliance. As part of the new rules, the hospital must develop a method of storing records off-site, while still maintaining confidentiality and privacy standards. She said a data is also required in the rules.

The date for the hospital's annual barbecue had been tentative-Mias Amigas Club prompted the budget.

board to ask that another date be

agenda, the board reappointed Dr. checks. Now, checks exceeding Gordy Day to the hospital's medi- \$1,500.00 will require two signacal staff. They also approved the tures, with at least one of those sigpurchase of an oxygen concentra- natures being from a member of method of encrypting computer tor and approved payment for dec- the board of trustees. orating services in the Schleicher County Family Clinic. The trust- the meeting adjourned at 10:35 ees also okayed the purchase of a p.m. ly set for June 30, however a con-riding lawn mower, which had flict with the yearly meeting of the been previously authorized in the

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The board then voted to amend

There being no further business



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EHS senior Stacy Nicholson placed 3rd in the shot put last Meet with a toss of 39-9.



chosen. The trustees will give fi- the district's bylaws to allow for nal approval to the date at their the payment of recurring expensnext meeting on May 21. The es in a timely manner in an effort and that the district will have two board also discussed scheduling an to avoid late charges. They also annual Strategic Planning meeting. amended the section that required Under new business on the two signatures on hospital district

week at the Region 1-2A Track



Representing Eldorado High School at the Regional Tennis Meet in Abilene last week were (Front L-R) Quisto Gonzalez, Christina Redish (Back L-R) buddy

Greer, Thomas Ballew, Lindsay Beach, Bobby Phillips, Gentry Newman, Kayla McCravey, Courtney Sauer and Courtney Brown

PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Tennis Tradition —





The Blotter is a summary of the previous week's activity at the Schleicher County Sheriff's Dept. For practical reasons of time and space, The Blotter does not include every call made to the Sheriff's office, nor does it include routine security checks, minor traffic stops or routine patrols. Incidents of major impact will be reported separately. Subjects reported to have been arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court

ARRESTS

April 25 • Hargrove, Johnny L. male age 42, hold for Irion County, charge Driving While Intoxicated (1st Offense). Released on \$1,000 Sure- ery reported to Sheriff's Office of a

April 26 • Skinner, Arthur Lee, male age 33, hold for Irion County, charge Driving While License Suspended. Released to Irion County.

April 28 • Hall, Brian Scott, male age 25, arrested by SC Officer, ed charge Making Alcohol Available To A Minor. Released on \$1,000 Surety



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April 29 • Luna, Ubaldo G., male age 19, arrested by SC Officer, 1-1 about a goat in their yard. Discharge Interfering with Public Servant. Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.

Rodriquez, Rogelio Jr., male age 17, charge Evading Arrest or Deten- ficer responded and possible owner tion . Released on \$1,000 Surety collected animal.

Released, paid fines.

REPORTS

advised that the would be in town until Sunday, doing a audit for the cable company

 6:35 p.m. Officer reported that the stop sign on Pecos and Rudd Road had been knocked down. The city had only put up a speed limit sign.

lock reported that husband had lost black his wallet.

April 25 • 6:30 a.m. Auto recov-

vehicle that was to be repossessed. · 6:13 p.m. Complainant reported 2 older people hitchhiking on N. Divide and Fields. Complainant also advised subjects were holding up

April 26 • 3:45 p.m. Complainant reported a reckless driver. Officer re-

• 5:13 p.m. and 7:20 p.m. Comofficer. Officer responded.

• 9:39 p.m. Complainant on Hwy. 915 reported a large steer in the middle of the road. Officer responded. April 27 • 10:00 a.m. Complain-

Officer responded.

ant reported illegals on county road.

7:01 p.m. Complainant stated that there is a bike at their residence that does not belong to them. Complainant reported that it looks like Huffy was picked up by officer and placed at Sheriff's Office.

stated he was being harassed over crete in their yard. the phone.

• 9:51 a.m. Complainant reported that 82 year old husband was having trouble breathing and needed an ambulance. Officer and EMS2 re-

• 8:16 p.m.Complainant called 9patch requested person call back on the Sheriff's Office phone line. Caller advised animal was a Spanish goat with a black head and white body. Of-

• 5:55 p.m. Complainant at con-April 30 • Perez, Jeremy, male venience store on South Hwy. 277 reage 17, arrested by DPS Officer, ported a gas drive off. Officer unavailcharge No Driver License/Speeding. able at time of call. Amount taken

• 11:30 p.m. Complainant report-April 24 • 5:30 p.m. Complainant ed a party that was probably being attended by minors on North Divide. Subject reported that there may be alcohol and marijuana present.

April 29 • 12:16 p.m. Complainant reported possible criminal mischief done to a local business on North Divide. Officer responded.

• 12:56 p.m. Hospital reported a • 7:40 p.m. Complainant at fuel black and yellow snake outside near patio. Officer responded.

> • 1:26 p.m. Complainant called Sheriff Office and requested a welfare check on a local subject. Officer check local hospital and subjects residence. All OK. Subject's wife reported subject was on his way to work.

• 1:59 p.m. Complainant reported a dark blue Chevy Blazer or Ford some type of sign. Officer respond- Bronco with some possible illegals in it. Officer responded.

• 5:51 p.m. Complainant requested an officer meet them at ranch. Possible trespassing.

• 6:07 p.m. Caller asked if there plainant requested to speak with an is a doctor on call at the hospital. Subject stated that they had called the emergency room and the recording told them to call 9-1-1 if it was an emergency. Dispatch advised subject to call again and press #3.

• 9:32 p.m. Unknown complain-

ant reported a fight at housing com-• 3:30 p.m. Complainant report- plex on East St. Officers responded ed a reckless driver on E. Fields and one was placed in custody. Two males were arrested. • 10:55 p.m. Complainant report-

ed to Sheriff Office that their son was violating his curfew. April 30 • 11:20 a.m. Complain-

someone tried to hide the bike. 20" ant reported that they would be having a controlled burn. • 4:09 p.m. Complainant report-

April 28 • 1:00 a.m Complainant ed that someone had dumped con-

• 8:51 p.m. Complainant reported a white extended cab Ford pickup driving recklessly. Officer responded.

• 10:50 p.m. Complainant reported several cows out on Highway 915. Officer responded.

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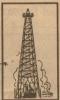
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Eldorado Spotlight



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St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon Report

do Gonzalez, Juan Medrano, Ash-raised approximately \$700 in ley Paulson and Morgan Gillespie pledges and donations. rode their bicycles in the annual



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Kasey Lynn Gonzalez, Rolan- miles at the County Park. They

Gregory Rodriguez, also col-St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon in weather lected donations for the Bike-athat was less than desirable. These Thon but was unable to ride that young Eldorado students com- day. The students efforts were bined their efforts on Saturday, made on behalf of many less for-April 21st to travel more than 50 tunate children who rely on St. Jude's Research Hospital.

> Coach Allen Gillespie even ran two miles with the bikers for this worthy cause.

Words cannot express how much St. Jude's and the Danny Thomas Foundation appreciate the efforts of these dedicated Eldorado youngsters.



All District Band — Earning spots on the All-District Jr. High Band were (Front L-R) Laurie Almazan, Kristin Mittel, Charlotte Adame (Middle Row L-R) Diego Barrera, Melinda Hernandez, Hope Fuentes, Kali Roberts (Back L-R) Brence Minor, Ashley Doran and

Middle School **District Tennis**

Eldorado 7th and 8th Grade tennis players wrapped up the 2001 season on Saturday, April 21 in the District 2-2A Tennis Tournament held here. Eldorado players won 3 gold, 1 silver and

Afterward, Coach Teresa the tournament went.

7th Girls Singles: Lauren

7th Girls Doubles: Chandra Wanoreck and Allison Reynolds, Gold; Taylor Baker and Maxie Holley, Bronze; Fuentes and

7th Boys Singles: Caleb Nixon, Fourth and Frank Wipff, par-

7th Boys Doubles: Michael Ballew and Frank Edmiston,

8th Boys Singles: Logan Neal,

Twelve EMS students claim spots on All-District Band

Region 7 West Zone Middle Mittel and Melinda Hernandez; School after school hours on Fri- Murr and Diego Barrera; Tuba: day, April 27, 2001

Students from 8 schools ranging in size from 1A to 3A, competed for All-District honors. Schools represented included: Brady, Llano, Sterling City, Sonora, Eldorado, in the Llano concert.

band and performed a concert on nings. Saturday in Llano on Saturday, April 28.

were-Flutes: Kali Roberts, Hope Brown, Autume Walton, Liz Lacy, Fuentes, and Laurie Almazan; Jessica Robertson, Rachel Joiner,

School All-District Band try-outs Trumpet: Charlotte Adame; Horn: were held at Eldorado Middle Holly Ford; Trombone: Ashton Brence Minor; Mallets: Ashley

These students won the honor to play four music selections under the direction of Mr. Brian Owen of Brady I.S.D. It took one Miles, Reagan Co., and Junction. hour for the band to learn each se-In all, 152 students competed with lection. Selections included: 82 students going on to participate "March on the King's Highway" by La Plante, "Chester Variations" Twelve students from Eldora- by Del Borgo, "Battle Pavane" by do were selected to the All-District Margolis and "Prehistoric" by Jen-

Students who tried out included: Sheryl Alexander, Allison Rey-Performing for the Eagles nolds, Karina Sanchez, Lauren Clarinets: Emily Newman, Kristin Abel Montalvo and Joel Esparza.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Beautiful Spot — The Chamber Pride Committee selected two sites this month as Pride Spot of the Month. This spot is the Gentry Park on Main Sreet. It is maintained by Duge Yates. The second is the flower bed on the corner of Mills and S. Divide next to Shot's

bites, venomous insect bites, burns, bumps & bruises. We hope you **Results Listed**

3 bronze medals.

Among six schools participated in the Tournament were Eldorado, Grape Creek, Mason, Ozona, Sonora and Wall. In all, more than 100 players participated in about 150 matches.

Baker expressed her pride in the EMS tennis players and said that she was pleased with how well

Individual results were as fol-

Brown, Bronze.

Rachel Joiner participation.

ticipated.

8th Girls Singles: Emily Newman, Bronze; Betsy Green, Fourth; Jessica Robertson, Consolation; Linda Fuentes, partici-

Gold and Ryan Cathey, Silver.

EHS Class of 2001 Graduation Supplement

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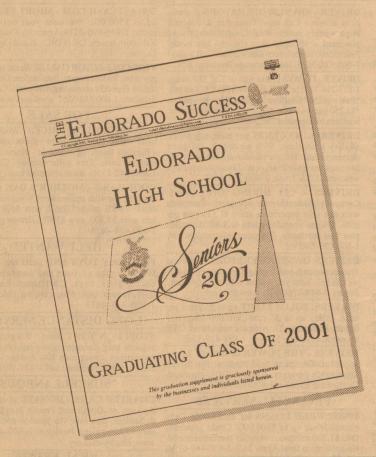
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