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## Run for your lives, it's the Running of the Bull!

Put on your boots and roll up your pants legs, the first-ever Running of the Bull kicks off this weekend in Eldorado. Festivities will begin at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 26, with a parade running along West Warner Ave. and ending at the courthouse square. Events will continue throughout the day and pickup at noon on Sunday before wrapping up at 5:00 p.m.

Unlike the Spanish festival that inspired it, there are no life-threatening events associated with Eldorado's Running of the Bull, unless you consider the distinct possibility that you might laugh yourself into a coma.

Instead of running pell mell down a narrow street in Pamplona, avoiding a herd of charging bulls, local participants will be dispensing a different sort of bull, the bull for which bull shooters across Texas have become famous.

The brainchild of Eldorado's Jim Runge, the Running of the Bull has attracted attention, and participants from across the Lone Star state. One by one they will take to the stage, or the Bully Pulpit, as Runge calls it, and spin their yarns. But there's more to it than just a glorified liars contest, and that's no bull.

Cowboy poets, singers, a dance troupe known as the "Hoof 'n Heifers Running from the Bull," and many many others, will be augmented by a wide array of arts and crafts booths, food vendors and games. There will be

a number of activities designed just for the youngsters.

Runge notes that the ROB festival has been publicized across the state and has even attracted the attention of the Steve Harvey show on the WB television network. Several of the acts will be video taped for submission to the TV show.

An assortment of vendors have signed up for the two day event and a full schedule of activities is planned. (See schedule of events on Page 4)

Running of the Bull is sponsored by the EOBOC (Eldorado Olympic Bid Organizing Committee). Other events held by the EOBOC include the dedication of the Eldorado Tagoo Bird Sanctuary at the south end of town, and the Elgoatrod Festival, a tongue in cheek parody of Alaska's Iditrod dog sled race.

Runge says that the EOBOC hopes to hold larger and larger events as a means of attracting the Olympic games to Eldorado. It is difficult to tell if Runge is overly optimistic...or overly full of bull.

### Parade set for 10 a.m.

A new event has been added to the list of activities scheduled for the Running of the Bull festival. Annie Arispe will be in charge of organizing a parade to begin the weekend.

The parade will form behind the

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PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Move over Pamplona, there's a new bull in town — Dressed in the white and red costumes favored in Pamplona, Spain, Fr. George Varakukala, Charlie Bradley, Jim Runge and Chad Elkins warm up for the first-ever Running of the Bull in Eldorado. Unlike the version practiced on the Iberian peninsula, the local Running of the Bull will feature bull shooters, windbags, prevaricators and other assorted tall tale tellers.

### School board wants veteran band director

SCISD trustees met Tuesday evening and voted to offer Walter Reneau of Iraan the band director's job here in Eldorado. Although Reneau has yet to sign a contract, he has been in negotiations with Supt. Mark Gesch.

If he accepts the job, Reneau will replace Gina Muela who left to take an assistant director's job in Littlefield. During Muela's tenure, and that of her predecessor, Mike Marsh, the Mighty Eagle Band amassed an impressive string of 19 consecutive Division "1" ratings at Marching Contest.

Reneau has met with a good deal of success himself during stints in five Texas towns. He began his career in Odessa in 1975, moved on to Seminole in 1978 and to Pecos in 1980. Then in 1985, Reneau went to Snyder where he stayed for 15 years. In 2000, Reneau moved to Iraan where he retired in 2002. Unhappy with retirement, Reneau was reportedly attracted by word that the head job in Eldorado was open.

Reneau received a Bachelor Music Education degree from West Texas State University in Canyon in 1971. He returned to WTSU two years later to earn his Masters degree in music.

Watch the Success website at www.myeldorado.net for updates on the status of SCISD's contract with Reneau.

### Courtney Brown wins \$10,000 scholarship at State 4-H Roundup

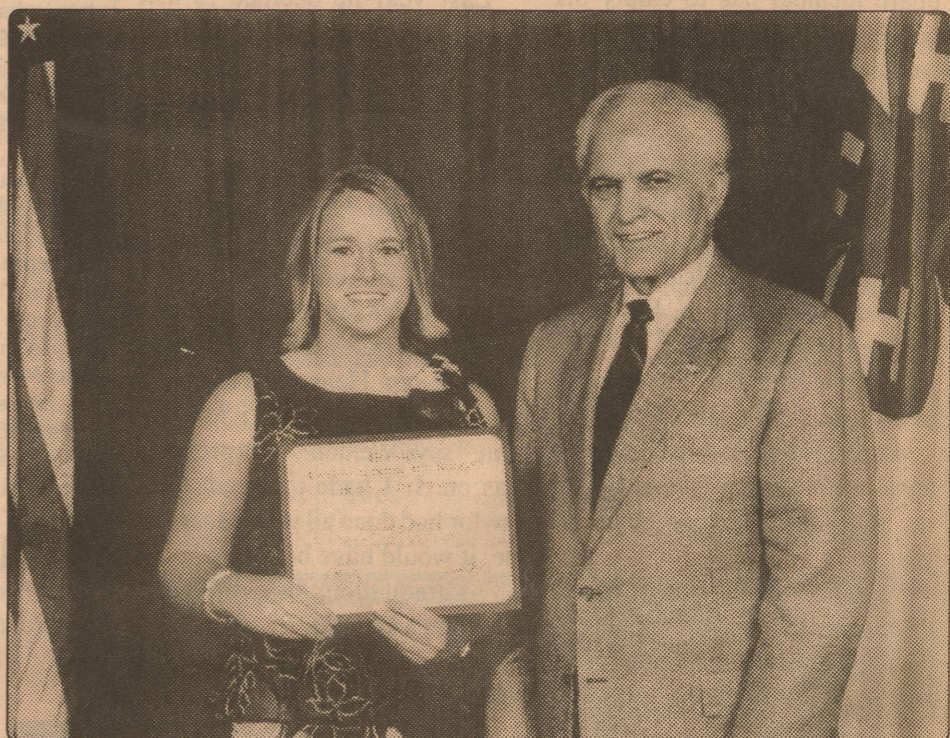
Courtney Brown of Eldorado received a \$10,000.00 4-H Foundation Scholarship through the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo recently while attending the State 4-H Roundup in College Station.

Courtney is the daughter of Matt and Christie Brown of Eldorado. She is a 2003 graduate of Eldorado High School and plans to attend college at Texas Christian University in Ft. Worth where she will pursue a degree in Business.

During her 13 years as a member of the Schleicher County 4-H Club, Courtney participated with projects in

Meat Goats, Foods & Nutrition, Public Speaking and Character Counts. She is a 4-H Gold Star winner and attended the State 4-H Roundup for four straight years.

Courtney also excelled in the classroom and on the playing field. She earned a Who's Who Academic Award and membership in the National Honor Society. At the same time, Courtney competed in tennis, winning a Regional Doubles championship in 2003 and qualifying for the state tournament in previous years. She also participated in student government at Eldorado High School.



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4-H Foundation Scholarship — Courtney Brown received a \$10,000.00 4-H Foundation Scholarship from the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo during the State 4-H Roundup held recently in College Station.



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High honors from the TSGRA — Schleicher County Agent Scott Edmonson (L) accepts the County Agent of the Year Award from outgoing Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association President Pat Jackson (R) at the group's annual convention in Kerrville last weekend.

### Scott Edmonson named County Agent of the Year by TSGRA

The Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association presented several awards during its 88th annual convention in Kerrville on Friday, July 18, 2003. Among the honorees was Scott Edmonson of Eldorado who was named Outstanding County Extension Agent.

Edmonson was born and raised in Duncan, OK. After graduating from high school, he received a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma State

University in 1989 and a Master of Science degree in Agricultural Education in 1991. He joined the Extension Service in 1991 and served in Irion and Guadalupe Counties prior to moving to Schleicher County in 1998.

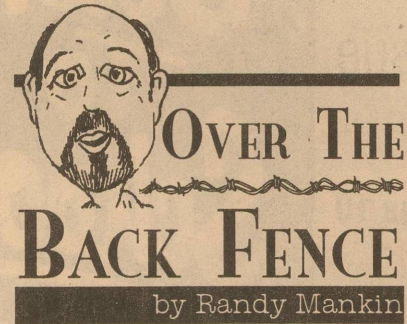
He has received the County Extension Agent Achievement Award from the National Association of County Agricultural Agents and the Texas

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## Pickups, Politicians and Chicken Manure

Randy is taking a break from his column writing duties this week. So, we bring you one of his Over the Back Fence columns that first appeared on Feb. 4, 1999.



My old Granddad was a practiced observer of human nature. Once, on the courthouse square in Anson, he and I sat on a bench one afternoon and watched people. Actually, he watched people, I watched him as he watched them.

"That guy looks like he just lost his best friend," Granddad said, pointing to a man who was walking up the sidewalk toward the courthouse. "I doubt if he'll find him in there."

I've always thought my Granddad was a something of a philosopher. I seriously doubt if he would have cared for the comparison. Because, as he said, "Fancy titles are what people give you when they really don't want to pay you."

Below, I have listed a few of my Granddad's observations. I hope you enjoy them.

**About grandchildren:** "It's impossible to spoil a grandkid."

**About committee meetings:** "When it's all said and done... there's generally more said than done"

**About vindication,** "He who laughs last, laughs longest"

**About hypocrites,** "The folks who think you shouldn't keep score are the ones who yell the loudest when their kid makes a point."

**About unpleasant sights,** "Two things which aren't pretty to look at: 1) a butcher making sausage; and 2) Congress making laws."

**About public apathy,** "When an ostrich sticks his head in the sand, what part of his anatomy is he showing the rest of the world?"

**About gossip,** "Gossip is like toothpaste...hard to put back in its tube once you've squeezed it out."

**About education,** "Experience

is the best teacher...it doesn't promote you just because you've had a birthday."

**About God,** "Most folks ask for His help right after they ignore His advice."

**About pecking order,** "Somewhere near the bottom of the barrel is a politician standing on a lawyer's shoulders."

**About women,** "Women! Where would men be without 'em?...In Eden."

**About Aggies,** "You can always tell an Aggie...you just can't tell if he's listening."

**About politicians,** "Politicians are like diapers...they should both be changed often and for the exact same reason."

**About getting old,** "People are like wine, the older they get the better they are...right up to the moment they turn to vinegar."

**About driving Fords,** "The reason I drive a Ford is it's the best pickup there is...and I can't afford a GMC."

**About the cream of the crop...** whenever my Granddad would see or hear anything advertised as the best, or the greatest or any other superlative he would say, "Yep, sorta" like the white stuff on the top of chicken manure."

To which I was expected to ask, "What is that white stuff?"

He would always reply, "Just more chicken manure."

## 20 state agencies render aid to hurricane victims

AUSTIN - Twenty state agencies have responded to help Texans in the aftermath of Hurricane Claudette and the list includes some unusual department names.

State agencies involved in the recovery effort include the Department of Public Safety, Texas Army National Guard, Texas Engineering Extension Service, Texas Forest Service and Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Other agencies include the Public Utilities Commission, Texas Department of Transportation, Railroad Commission, General Land Office, Texas Department of

### State Capital Highlights

by Mike Cox



Human Services and Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

Others are the Texas Youth Commission, Department of Criminal Justice, Department of Health, University of Texas Center for Space Research, Texas Water Development Board, Department of Information Resources, and Texas Animal Health Commission.

Eighteen counties were affected by the hurricane, which claimed two lives and left one person in-

jured. Property damage was worse than expected. A dollar figure is still being discussed and the full effects will sink in as recovery operations continue: Though Claudette was a Category 1 hurricane on the Saffir-Simpson scale, it did not act like one.

The scale ranks tropical cyclones from 1 to 5 with 5 being one you don't ever want to hear about, much less experience. A Category 1 storm, with winds of 74 to 95 miles an hour, according to the National Weather Service, is supposed to cause "no real damage to building structures."

Claudette, evidently, did not get that memo. The state's Division of Emergency Management estimates that three out of four residences and 70 percent of all businesses in the Port Lavaca area were damaged by the storm last week.

In reality, the damage left in the hurricane's wake reads a lot more like a Category 2 storm with "some roofing material, door, and window damage of buildings." In fact, one reported 104 mile an hour gust was well into Category 2 territory.

The bottom line message that state and local officials will try to get out is that given the effects of a so-called "minimal" hurricane, Texans who live along the state's long coast line need to give a bit more of their thinking to the possibility of "the big one" hitting Texas.

### The other storm...

In Austin meanwhile, developments in the ongoing special session to deal with congressional redistricting continue to move about as fast as Hurricane Claudette did when it came ashore.

Maps showing proposed district realignments come and go like flying corrugated metal torn from a roof. And Gov. Rick Perry has indicated that he will call another special session if lawmakers don't reach an accord on map matters this session.

Best, and arguably the most-accurate quote on the issue last week came from Sen. Robert Duncan (R-Lubbock): "We may never be able to get a consensus. But that doesn't mean we shouldn't continue to try."

### Former rangers buy land...

With their official state service over because of retirement, a group of former Texas Rangers and their supporters have purchased 15 acres of land in Kerrville for a planned Texas Rangers History and Education Center.

The tract is on Texas 173 near the Cowboy Art Museum in Kerrville. The sale was closed July 1.

Planned for the land is a \$6 million complex the Former Texas Ranger Association Foundation hopes to see opened within three years.

The facility will feature Ranger artifacts and house research material dealing with the legendary law enforcement arm



## ROLLING ALONG

WITH TUMBLEWEED SMITH

### Baylor's oldest recent graduate

I make at least one commencement address every year. This year, I had the privilege of speaking to the Greenwood High School Class of 2003. The event was held in Midland's Chaparral Center.

Graduating seniors at Greenwood have a special tradition. When the school board member hands them their diploma, they hand him something back. This year, it was a one-inch beach thong. The tiny shoes were in bright colors of pink and yellow and green.

In previous years, the object has been a penny, a marble or something just as ridiculous. Some years the object is big enough so the board member has to empty his pockets during the graduation ceremonies. Occasionally the board member gets a condom.

High school and college graduates are trying to figure out just what they're going to be doing for the rest of their lives. Weldon Bigony of Big Spring is a recent college graduate and he's like others in his class: thinking about the future.

Weldon has made lots of news lately. He's been on Oprah, the Today Show, in People Magazine and dozens of other media. He got the publicity because he is 82 years old.

"I started out with the class of 42 but finished with the class of 03. You could say I'm a slow learner," says Weldon.

After graduation, he competed in the national senior games in the fast walking category. "I finished," he told Oprah when she asked him

how he placed in the race.

In 1941, Weldon was in his senior year at Baylor. He was attending the university on a football scholarship. Baylor was on the quarter system then and when Weldon finished his fall quarter, just after Pearl harbor, he enlisted in the Navy. He didn't hesitate to do so, even though he was just two quarters (6 months) away from getting his college degree.

Weldon had a career as a pilot, retiring in 1981 when he was 61. He played golf, traveled and ran marathons. Over the years, he regretted not getting his degree. "I kinda hate to leave things unfinished," says Weldon.

Last year he decided to ask Baylor if he could get his scholarship back. He told the school he had given them 4 football seasons, as his contract stated, but he hadn't finished his education. Baylor said come on down. He got nearly a full scholarship: All he had to pay for were room and board.

During the school year, Weldon wore tennis shoes, a back pack and baseball cap. He worked hard and passed his courses. "I had to, man," says Weldon. "The pressure was on. If I hadn't passed, after Baylor had done all it had done for me, it would have been bad."

At graduation, the entire class gave him a standing ovation. Soon everybody in the coliseum was standing.

Like a lot of new graduates with a BBA Degree, Weldon is weighing his options. He doesn't know what his next job will be.

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# OBITUARIES

## Editha G. Shaw



GRANDBURY — Editha G. Shaw, 91, died Monday, July 21, 2003 in Grandbury. Funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. Thursday at Wiley Funeral Home in Grandbury.

Graveside services will be at 3:00 p.m. Thursday at Indian Creek Cemetery in Comanche, Texas.

Mrs. Shaw was born November 26, 1911, in Comanche, to W.A. and

Alpha Williams Bowman. She owned and operated Shaw's Motel in Eldorado for 36 years and moved to Granbury after retirement. Editha was a member of the First Baptist Church in Eldorado.

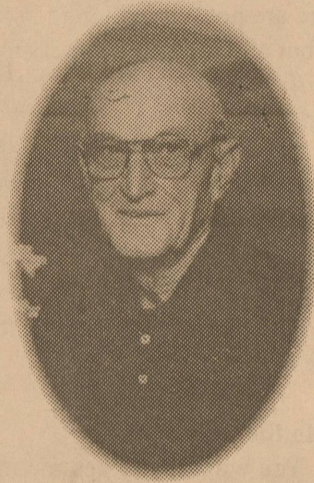
Mrs. Shaw was preceded in death by her husband, C.N. Shaw, in 1965, and a sister, Evelyn Love, in 1984.

Survivors are: one sister, Christine Hodges of Grandbury; several nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews; and two special friends, Enda Ory of Eldorado and Lois Etheridge of Granbury.

Honorary pall bearers are nephews David and Gene Hodges; great nephews: Ryan and Evan Cates; Charlie and Matthew Copeland; three great nieces: Gena Stone, Karis Graham and Elizabeth Hodges.

Memorials can be made to West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 3001 South Jackson, San Angelo, TX 76901 or the First Baptist Church of Eldorado.

## Jack Ottaberry



Donnie Jack Ottaberry passed away Saturday, July 19, 2003 at his residence in Midland, Texas.

Jack was born on August 29, 1931 to J.T. and Bonnie Eura Ottaberry in Martins Mill Texas. Jack grew up in Eldorado before serving in the Army between 1952 - 1954. In 1953, he married Nina Ruth Wallis and they resided in Midland, Texas. Jack retired from the oil industry where he was employed at John L. Cox for 23 years.

Jack is preceded in death by his parents, one daughter; Debra Kay Ewbank, one great-grandson, Robert Michael Helms "Mikey," two sisters, Marlie Logan; and Gloria Caveness; two brothers, Foster and Farlon Ottaberry.

Jack is survived by his wife Nina R. Ottaberry of Midland; one son, Donnie J. and his wife Paula Ottaberry both of Midland; two daughters, Devanna and her husband David Likes of Hobbs, NM; and Devonna Stidham of Midland; and one son-in-law, Ed Ewbank of Midland; thirteen grandchildren and twenty-six great grand kids; one brother, Billy Joe Ottaberry of Monahan's; and many loving nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services were held Tuesday, July 22, 2003 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Bob Porterfield officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Hwy. Midland, Texas.

## June McDonald

LOCKNEY — June McDonald departed this life at the age of 79 on Monday, July 14, 2003, in Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock, Texas.

She was born on June 21, 1924, in Summerfield, Texas, to the late Budley Thorton and Bertha Moore Thorton. She moved to Lockney in 1925.

She married Wayne Bybee and had two children. He preceded her in death in October of 1958.

She married Robert McDonald on July 16, 1983.

She worked at the bank in Lockney for 45 years and served as the vice president until she retired in 1989.

She was a member of the Eastern Star, B&PW, V.F.W. Auxiliary and was the Woman Citizen of the Year in Lockney. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Lockney, having served as the church treasurer for 35 years.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, Raymond, Orlan, J.P. and Hollis Thorton.

June was a talented artist and creative craftsperson who enjoyed sharing her gifts. She loved being with her family and friends. Playing bridge and being a part of the Dairy Queen Girls were some of her fun things to do.

After she married Robert, they began a fabulous life of loving, sharing and enjoying life together. They traveled to the Pacific Northwest and Canada. Robert and June traveled repeatedly to Taos, N.M. June's love of her family and friends was unconditional and was felt by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband,

Robert McDonald; one son, Monty Bybee and his wife, Cindy, of Eldorado; two stepsons, Marlon McDonald and his wife, Sherry, of Lockney, and Gary McDonald and his wife, Clarisse, of Lubbock; one daughter, Tony Akin and her husband, Galen, of Christoval; one stepdaughter, Cathie Elam and her husband, Gary, of Mansfield; two brothers, Charles and Lewis Thorton, both of California; one sister, Mary Ruth Fewell of Lockney; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held July 17, at First United Methodist Church in Lockney with the Rev. Neeley Ladrum officiating. Burial followed in the Lockney Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be made to the First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 7, Lockney, TX 79241



PHOTO BY RANDY MANKIN

**Money for school** — J.L. Mankin (2nd from Left) received a scholarship from Mark Jordan, general manager of the Wise County Messenger during the West Texas Press Association Convention in Lubbock last Saturday. Also on hand for the presentation were Willis Webb (2nd from Right), president of the Texas Press Association, and Bob Dillard, president of the WTPA.

## Mankin receives scholarship during WTPA convention

J.L. Mankin of Eldorado is the recipient of the 2003 Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship awarded each year by the West Texas Press Association. He received the scholarship during the West Texas Press Association summer convention in Lubbock last Saturday.

The Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship is named for the former publisher of the Hamlin Herald who died in 1981. It is presented each year to two students. One scholarship goes to a graduating high school senior and the other to a college junior or senior, who is pursuing a career in the print media. Each year the WTPA and the Texas Press Association team up to fund the two \$2,000.00 scholarships.

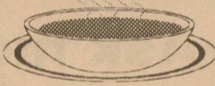
Mark Jordan, general manager

of the Wise County Messenger in Decatur, made the presentation on behalf of the WTPA. Newly elected TPA President Willis Webb, publisher of the Jasper Newsboy, was in attendance and offered Mankin his congratulations. WTPA President Bob Dillard was also on hand for the presentation. Dillard is publisher of the Jeff Davis Mountain Dispatch, the Martin County Messenger and the Greenwood Ranger.

J.L. Mankin is a 2003 graduate of Eldorado High School. He is enrolled at Angelo State University where he plans to study journalism. He is the son of Randy and Kathy Mankin of Eldorado, owners and publishers of the Eldorado Success.

Receiving the other Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship was Laura Lucas of Granbury. Lucas is a student at the University of Texas in Austin.

## Meals for Friends Menu



**Monday, July 28**  
Ham w/ Pineapple Rings, Corn, Macaroni & Cheese, Dinner Roll, Peaches, Lemon Bar, Milk

**Tuesday 29**  
Bar-B-Que Chicken, Pinto Beans, Cornbread, Potato Salad, Apricot/Banana Medley, Milk

**Wednesday, July 30**  
Roast Beef w/ Brown Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Dinner Roll, Sliced Strawberries, Angel Food Cake, Milk

**Thursday, July 31**  
Frito Pie, Spinach, Wheat Bread, Tossed Salad, Cinnamon Apple Sauce, Milk

**Friday, August 1**  
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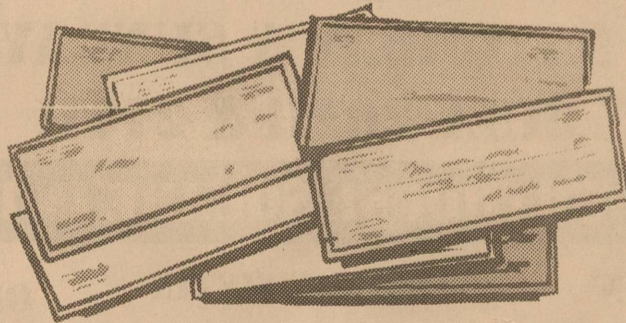
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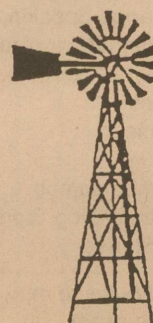
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# Giant sand dunes at Monahans State Park

by Mark Campbell  
 "Ay, carumba!"

That's probably what Spanish explorers said 400 years ago when they detoured off Interstate 20 and got their first look at the Monahan Sandhills. The Spaniards were certainly wishing they had spent the night back in Odessa, but, no, they just had to go on a few more exits.

At Monahans they found sand. Lots of sand. And not just sand but dunes. Big giant sand dunes that Huntsville's Big Giant Sam Houston statue could've played in.

"This would make a unique state park," a Spaniard could've said, but most likely in Spanish.

And, man, he was right!

### Getting there

Like Big Bend, Monahans seems like it's in another country. Interstate driving isn't the ideal way of traveling; you don't see much but Exxons and McDonald's, often in the same building which is so wrong somehow.

I-20 goes on forever, probably. Just getting out to Midland-Odessa takes temerity. (And if you're coming from the west, it's just as daunting.) It's so flat out west that you can see the Monahans state park from Abilene - it just never seems to get any closer. Ha, I'm kidding! You can't see it until Big Spring.

There are billboards on the Interstate to let you know you're close. Just be careful. For some reason, right at the entrance to the park is a railroad track. A working track with strings of train cars that go so far that you can't see the end and that's saying something in West Texas.

So watch out for a train. It'd be a bummer to travel 400 miles only to get clobbered at the en-

trance of the park by a train!

### Headquarters

We had visited Monahans Sandhills SP about 15 years ago. We had (yet another) photo of our oldest daughter with her head in her hands, wishing very hard that she was somewhere else. The park was interesting then and certainly something we had never seen in that part of Texas. But there just wasn't a ton of things to do.

Now, however, they've really improved the park. The Dunagan Visitor/Interpretive Center was revamped in 1999. Now, it not only contains a park store but a small center where visitors can learn all about the sand hills and the unique plants and critters that live there.

You can hear bird calls - please push just one button at a time, a hand written note requests; otherwise it sounds like a Best Buy where nine stereos are playing at once, all on different stations - and the calls of desert animals.

You learn the dunes go on for hundreds of miles, well into New Mexico. And that Monahans boasts dunes that are active, constantly changing.

At the far end of the visitor's center are three chairs that look out and over a small nature trail. Take time and sit there. Sure enough, you'll see a critter. We watched a baby bunny root around an ocotillo for a snack then snuggle into its base for a nap. Not only is it very peaceful in one of those three chairs, but it's also air-conditioned. With a Coke machine nearby, it makes for a great place to just settle down for a while - if you feel like sitting after driving for six hours.

The nature trail is very short and well maintained. It's curvy and introduces you to just about everything you could see in the park, lots of flowers and bird's nests.



*It's a long way back to the top - Toting his disc, the author trudges back up a dune. You can see the kind of vegetation that grows in low places at Monahans.*

Most amazing are the shinoaks. These are full-grown trees that stand just 4-feet tall at maturity and most aren't near that high. These tiny trees still produce normal sized acorns. It's not everyday you come upon a stand of mature trees that you could leap completely over. (Just don't let the warden see you.)

### Into the park

You can see a few dunes from the entrance and there's some sand blown over the road. But you don't get the Big Picture until you drive farther into the park.

The road bobs and weaves initially, meandering around scattered picnic areas, some of which are nestled right next to dunes. In fact, one table is being overtaken by the ever-active sand that has covered the base with a few inches.

MSSP caters to horses. There's a day use area of around 600 acres where equestrians can visit more remote, seldom-seen dunes.

About half a mile in is a day

use area, right next to the camping site and the showers. (Which will become your favorite showers on the planet, even more so than the ones at Galveston Island State Park.) This day use area has some nice smaller dunes.

But keep driving. Bigger dunes await at the end of the road, at the place where a working oil well pump does its thing. The dunes here are not only taller and steeper but allow quicker access to the really huge ones deeper into the park.

There are picnic tables here at the end of the road, too. One dune near this area was at least 55 feet tall and cocked at about a 35-degree angle. It would afford quite an adventure, as we shall shortly see.

### Into the dunes

You will shortly get one of the best workouts you've ever experienced after climbing a few giant sand dunes. The sand gives way, of course, and you must constantly propel yourself forward at a crazy angle to reach the apex. And that often requires some substantial effort.

When you scale one, there's always another one just over there that's a little taller and begs to be climbed. So you do. Then there's another and another and eventually you're quite a ways from your vehicle. And probably really thirsty. And sandy.

In the evening, visitors mount taller dunes and take a sit, waiting for one of those fabulous West Texas sunsets. It gets cooler quickly and, with a gentle breeze blowing, it makes for a very pleasant early evening, watching the sun ease down and changing the color of the dunes around you.

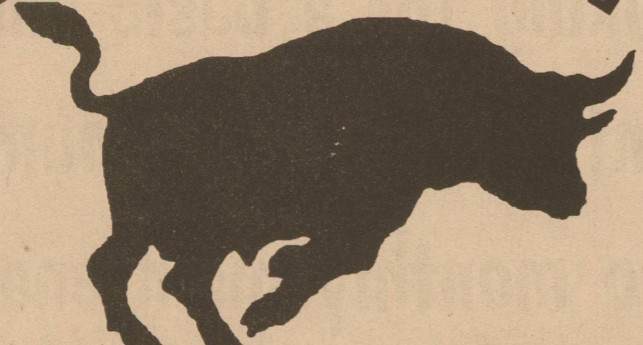
Plant life thrives at the base of the dunes. The vegetation is necessary and it's aided by water that pools in low spots. At dawn and dusk, rabbits, foxes and bobcats and other desert-lovin' animals venture cautiously to the pools for a drink of water. You might even see a porcupine which would be weird, probably.

Brave souls (or everyday kids) just keep going and going to dune after dune. You can go long ways; the park is 3,840 acres. Just be careful to have a flashlight if darkness approaches. You could get discombobulated easily out there at night. (What a wild tumble it would be down a 70-foot dune in pitch black! And you could land on a porcupine!)

Even if you sit motionless in your vehicle with the windows rolled up, you'll get sand on and in you. That's when the showers are so wonderful. I know those Spaniards must've appreciated them. The showers are even heated in the winter.

If you don't have any soap, there's a good chance that someone has left some in there. Shampoo too. You'll groan but use them however you might not want to take a chance on whatever clothing has been cast aside and simply

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<b>SATURDAY, JULY 26</b>	1:45-Impersonations	Dance
10-Parade/show cars begin arriving	2-Tagoo Bird Facts by Claude Oran Spencer	1-Hoof 'n' Heifers
10:30-Audience Warm up...macarena	2:15-True Personal Stories	1:20-Longest Talker w/o stopping
11-Hoof 'n' Heifers	2:30-Extemporaneous Speaking	1:30-Tagoo Bird Facts by Claude Oran Spencer
11:20-Limericks	3-car show trophies awarded	2-Skits & Stunts/car show balloting ends
11:30-Biggest Lie Contest	3:30-Punning Competition	2:30-Cowboy Poetry
12-all show cars must be in place/ balloting begins	3:45-Shaggy Dog Stories	3-car show trophies awarded
12:15-Painful Poetry	4-Limerick competition	3:15-Extemporaneous Speaking
12:30-Mime Bull	4:30-Invisible Face Painting Technique Seminar	3:30-Tongue Twisting/Backwards Talk
12:45-Tongue Twisting	5-Games with Pam Gaddis	3:45-Musical ditties
1-Costuming Contest/car show balloting ends	After hours bull session-open mike	4-Biggest Lie Contest
1:15-Fastest Talker Competition		4:15-Freestyle
1:30-Double Talk/Talking in tongues		4:30-Political Mumbo Jumbo
	<b>SUNDAY, JULY 27</b>	4:45-Punning/Shaggy Dog Stories
	12-all show cars must be in place/ balloting begins	5-True Personal Stories
	12:30-Audience Warm Up-Chicken	

Disclaimer: As with everything associated with Running of the Bull, this schedule is also full of bull and may, or may not, be accurate. Changes will be announced from the Bully Pulpit throughout the event.

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## A word from the Principal

Hello Students and Parents, its that time again. Summer is quickly coming to a close. I am ready for all of you students to return. It is mighty boring around here without you guys. I am looking forward to a new year, with a few new students, a few new staff members, and a few new ideas.

All students need to come during their prescribed time to complete their schedule and registration information. They need to bring with them their Street Address, their PO Box Number, Phone Number, Parents Work Numbers and Emergency Contact Name and Number. Parents, you

are welcome and encouraged to come with your student to registration as well.

August 6th schedule:  
Seniors: 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
Juniors: 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
August 7th schedule:  
Soph. 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
Freshmen 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Senior Pictures are scheduled for August 13 from 9 to 2. You should be receiving information from Blunck Studios about that in the mail.

Thank you very much.  
Tim Seymore  
Eldorado High School

## Running of the Bull info

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hospital in the parking lot on Saturday, July 26 and leave at 10 am. Participants should arrive no later than 9:30 a.m.

The route will travel directly to the courthouse square, traveling around the square to end on the parking lot so entries may be viewed and parade participants may enjoy the numerous activities on the grounds, which begin upon the parade's arrival.

Primary entrants so far include motorcycles and other vehicles that might frighten horses and other animals, so this has been designated an "all wheeled parade" with animals excluded. All bicycles, cars, trucks, golf carts, fire trucks, floats and/or sinks, walkers, wheelchairs and other wheeled or walking entries are welcomed.

Given the theme of the weekend, comical or bullish entries are especially welcome.

### Vendors list grows

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**AMUSEMENTS:** Bounce house, giant slide, obstacle course, wax hands, trackless choo choo, petting zoo, pony rides, pinewood derby, carnival games, interactive games, photo boards, 4 x 4 skiing, bull shooting competition, car show, parade, clogging, invisible face painting, after hours bull session, shenanigans.

## Edmonson honored by TSGRA

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County Agricultural Agents Assn., the Epsilon Sigma Phi Early Career Award, the Result Demonstration Handbook Award and the New Agent Award from the Texas County Agricultural Agents Assn.

He has been active in the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo, Eldorado Woolen Mill Board, Masonic Lodge and various Extension organizations. He and his wife, Maela, have two sons.

Others honored by the TSGRA included: Outstanding News Reporter - Becky Sauder, USDA Market News Service, San Angelo; Outstanding Agricultural Science Teacher Award - Jay Waller, Ira High School; and Outstanding County Extension Agent Family & Consumer Sciences - Judy Gully, Nolan County; outstanding Trapper of the Year - Don Baker, Tom Green County.

Two Special Achievement Awards were presented, one to Minnie Savage of San Angelo for her efforts on behalf of the sheep and goat industry through her work with the Sheep & Goat Predator Management Board. The other went to Kay King, chair of the Fashion and Interior Design Department of Houston Community College.

Dr. Joe David Ross of Sonora received a Special Lifetime Achievement Award in appreciation for his outstanding contributions in behalf of the sheep and goat/wool and mohair industry.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

**Shopping spree** — Sylvia Estrada of Eldorado was the winner of a 60 second shopping spree at Super S Foods. She came to the store last Thursday morning to claim her prize and the minute-long spree netted Ms. Estrada \$678.00 worth of groceries.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters to the Editor express the opinions of their author. They do not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of the staff, management or ownership of the Eldorado Success.

### In search of long lost love

Dear Editor:

My name is Winston Polley, I am a 60 year old man, on a quest, and need your help. I am trying to locate a girl who graduated from Eldorado High School in 1962. Her name, in 1962, was Carolyn Rae Wilkinson. I met, and fell in love with Carolyn in the fall of 1957, while going to school in Coleman, Texas. We dated each other from 1957 through the summer of 1961. During that summer, her Father, Ray Wilkinson, who worked for Halliburton, was transferred to Eldorado. Although we tried, the relationship between Carolyn and I faded and we eventually went our separate ways.

Circumstances in my life have changed and I would love to locate Carolyn, if possible. I understand she graduated from Eldorado High School in the spring of 1962 and moved to Abilene, Texas; but from there, her whereabouts become vague. I thought if

I could get the word out to the folks of Eldorado, that may have known her, someone might know where she is today. Or, if not today, possibly a lead I might follow from when she left Abilene. I really know nothing and anything would be of help.

If you can help me, I can be contacted through my email address: wpolley@hotmail.com. Or, my mailing address:

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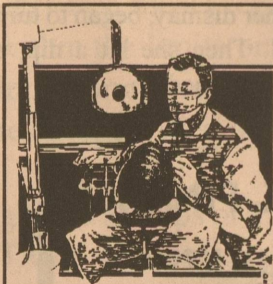
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**In hot pursuit** — EHS Ag Teacher Cory Stevens will be one of the team ropers to compete in the Tri-County Roping here this Saturday.

**Tri-County Qualifying Roping slated here Saturday evening**

The Tri-County Roping will be held here on Saturday, July 26th at the Schleicher County Rodeo Arena. Team ropers from Sutton, Schleicher and Ozona will compete for the top 20 slots. Top 20 team ropers will advance to the short-go to be held during the 34th Annual Schleicher County Rodeo performance on Friday, August 1st and Saturday, August 2nd.

Tri-County Roping books will open at 5:00 p.m. with roping action beginning at 6:30 p.m.

The roping is a 3-head progressive after 1 with an entry fee of \$75.00 per man (enter with 1 draw-2 partners.) Buckles will be awarded to the winners. For more information contact Troy Daniels at 325-853-2202.

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**Giant sand dunes at Monahans State Park**

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She was simply launched, backward and skyward at a shocking speed. The camera (thankfully wrapped in a t-shirt) sailed about 20 feet one way and the fanny pack/umbrella shot the other direction.

**Surfing**  
 Back at headquarters, you can rent discs for \$2 per hour to slide down the dunes. Boards are also available for \$3 per hour. You're given a chunk of wax to make your choice of device extra slick.

We rented a disc and a board and returned to the very back of the park by the oil pump. The warden told us we were in luck. It had rained and more storms were in the area. Packed sand surfs better, she said.

In fact, warmed afternoon sand is poorest for surfing, she added. We were there in the morning with some solid sand. It still gave way when you walked on it, but it was cool to the touch.

After a trial run at the day use area that wasn't long enough to get any kind of substantial ride, I hiked up a hill that I judged to be 60 feet tall and 38 degrees (remember, I work in words, not numbers). I waxed up the board and prepared to head down. The key words there are "head down."

That what happened: I went down head first. The good thing about a tumble is that you don't fall very far (unless you've got a head of steam up) and the sand is soft to land on. The bigger problem is when your board goes 100 feet down the hill and on into the parking lot. You have to trudge after it then struggle back up that darn dune!

I never got the hang of the board that's about 30 inches long, even with some serious waxing. Leaning back seemed to be the key. Once I managed about a 25-foot ride and it was thrilling enough.

But my wife — she had the thrilling ride.

**The crash**  
 After two hours of surfing (well, mostly picking myself up and/or scaling dunes, not a lot of actual surfing), I had had enough. My wife was looking down from atop the 60-footer with the disc; she decided to ride down.

She had the camera on one arm and an umbrella and fanny pack around her waist. She sat on the (freshly waxed) disc six stories above and pushed off. Things went well for about 50 feet but, all the while, she was generating a remarkable speed.

Now a blur, she approached the bottom of the dune — the sand area I had substantially messed up by tumbling all over it scores of times — and, to her dismay, began to turn backward. Then she hit a dip, a spot I had churned up.

It was the human, however, who was most entertaining. Still roaring downhill, her head seemed to stay on the disc while her feet were straight up. Kinda like a trick surfer in Hawaii, one of those who stands on his head on the board while on a wave. She was frozen that way until the next bump. I wish I'd had a camera, but it was on a journey of its own.

Then my talented wife did a perfect aerial backflip, followed by a second one on the sand, before thudding to a stop. She could've been paralyzed! Of course, I already was — with laughter. You know something is funny when you're driving down the road three hours later and just burst laughing uncontrollably, recollecting the sight. Then you get hit.

Aside from a sore shoulder, my wife, thankfully, was not injured. Nor was any equipment. We did, however, end our surfing adventures at that time. Immediately.

**Other stuff in the park**  
 It's \$2 for those 13 and over to get in and worth it. It's \$2 more for a horse (of any age) and they'd probably say it's worth it, too.

Like some other state parks, there's a fee of \$250-\$5,000 if you plan on making a major motion picture while you're there. (There's a per day "fee for filming purposes.")

There's a group dining hall available for \$40. MSSP would make a unique family reunion destination.

It's \$10 for one of the 26 camping sites with water and electricity.

Visitors seeking more than surfing adventures can sign up for a "camel trek." You can take a one- or two-day journey across the dunes with the Texas Camel Corps.

MSSP is also a great place for stargazing at 2,724 feet altitude.

We had a grand time at MSSP (well, me more than my wife). Those dunes are just flat-out cool, whether you surf them or not. I know that's what the Spaniards thought.

**Hospital Administrator recovering**

Hospital Administrator Sharon Dietz is recovering from injuries she sustained at the Schleicher County Rodeo Arena last week. Dietz was alone at the arena when she was thrown from her horse while practicing barrel racing.

Fortunately, Dietz had a cellular phone with her and was able to call for an ambulance. After treatment at Schleicher County Medical Center, Dietz was transferred to a San Angelo hospital where she reportedly underwent surgery to repair a broken leg.

Dietz told the Success that her recovery is going well and she expects to return to work in a couple of weeks.

**Solution to puzzle on Page 2**

Fill in the missing letters:

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• HOW TO DEAL (PG-13)	2:20 4:40
• TERMINATOR 3 dts (R)	1:50 4:15
• TERMINATOR 3 (R)	
BRUCE ALMIGHTY (PG-13)	2:15 4:25
RUGRATS GO WILD dts (PG)	2:30 4:20
2 FAST 2 FURIOUS (PG-13)	2:25 4:50
ITALIAN JOB (PG-13)	2:10 4:35

Times good for the week of 7/25 thru 7/31  
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 Friday-Thursday

•LXG LEAGUE OF EXTRAORDINARY	
GENTLEMEN dts (PG-13)	7:00 9:30
• HOW TO DEAL (PG-13)	7:20 9:45
• TERMINATOR 3 dts (R)	7:05 9:35
• TERMINATOR 3 (R)	7:30 9:55
BRUCE ALMIGHTY (PG-13)	7:15 9:20
RUGRATS GO WILD dts (PG)	
2 FAST 2 FURIOUS (PG-13)	7:25 9:50
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# S.C.I.S.D. announces policy for providing free and reduced meals for children

Schleicher County I.S.D. today announced its policy for providing free and reduced meals for children served under the national School Lunch and School breakfast programs. Each school and/or the central office have a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced-price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Foster children who are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court may also

be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Eligibility for the foster child is based on the child's income.

Application forms are being distributed to all households with a letter informing households of the availability of free and reduced-price meals for their children. Applications also are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply for free and reduced-price meals, households must fill out the application and return it to the school. Application may be submitted anytime during the school year. The information households provide on the application will be used

for the purpose of determining eligibility and verification of data. The school officials may verify applications at any time during the school year.

For school officials to determine eligibility for free and reduced-price benefits, households receiving food stamps or TANF only have to list their child's name and food stamp or TANF case number. An adult household member must sign the application.

Households that do not list a food stamp or TANF case number must list the names of all household members, the amount and source of the income received by each household member and the

social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. If the adult who signs the application does not have a social security number the household member must indicate that a social security number is not available by writing the word "NONE". An adult household member must sign the application.

Under the provisions of the free and reduced-price meal policy, The Food Service Director will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the reviewing official on an informal basis. Parents

wishing to make a formal appeal for a hearing on the decision may make a request either orally or in writing to George Blanch, P.O. Box W, Eldorado, Texas 76936 or Phone 915-853-2514.

Households that list a food stamp or TANF case number must report when the household no longer receives these benefits. Other households approved for benefits based on income of information must report increases in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decrease in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should

contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits in household's income falls at or below the level shown above.

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## 2003-2004 INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

FAMILY SIZE	ANNUALLY		MONTHLY		WEEKLY	
	FREE	REDUCED PRICE	FREE	REDUCED PRICE	FREE	REDUCED PRICE
1	\$11,674	\$16,613	\$973	\$1,385	\$225	\$320
2	15,756	22,422	1,313	1,869	303	432
3	19,838	28,231	1,654	2,353	382	543
4	23,920	34,040	1,994	2,837	460	655
5	28,002	39,849	2,334	3,321	539	767
6	32,084	45,658	2,674	3,805	617	879
7	36,166	51,467	3,014	4,289	696	990
8	40,248	57,276	3,354	4,773	774	1,102
9	44,330	63,085	3,695	5,258	853	1,214
10	48,412	68,894	4,036	5,743	932	1,326
11	52,494	74,703	4,377	6,228	1,011	1,438
12	56,576	80,512	4,718	6,713	1,090	1,550
For each additional family member add:						
	+ \$4,082	+ \$5,809	+ \$341	+ \$485	+ \$79	+ \$112

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Free and Reduced-Priced Meals

## NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Schleicher County ISD School District/Charter School  
LETTER TO HOUSEHOLDS ( Multi-Child)  
NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH/BREAKFAST PROGRAM  
SCHOOL YEAR 2003-04

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. The Schleicher County ISD offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs \$.50, lunch costs \$1.50. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced-price meals. The reduced price is \$.25 for breakfast and \$.40 for lunch.

To apply for free or reduced-price meals, use the Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application, which is enclosed. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. Return the completed application to:

Ima Bruce, P.O.Box W, Eldorado, Texas 76936, or call at 325-853-3172 ext. 526. Here are answers to questions you may have about applying:

1. Who can get free or reduced-price meals? Children in households receiving Food Stamps or TANF can get free meals regardless of household income. Also, if your household income is within the limits on the Federal Income Chart, your children can receive free or reduced-price meals.

2. Will my information be checked? Yes. We may ask you to send written proof of the information you give.

3. What if I stop receiving Food Stamps or TANF? If your children qualify because you listed a Food Stamp or TANF case number, you must tell the school when you no longer receive Food Stamps or TANF.

4. What if my household size or income changes? If your children qualify for free or reduced-price meals based on your income, you must tell us if your household size goes down or if your income goes up by more than \$50 per month (\$600 per year). Call us at 325-853-3172 ext.526. You do not have to fill out another application.

5. If I don't qualify now, may I apply again later? Yes. You may apply at any time during the school year if your household size goes up, income goes down, or if you start receiving Food Stamps or TANF. If you lose your job, your children may be able to receive free or reduced-price meals during the time you are unemployed.

6. What if I disagree with the school's decision about my application? You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to Mr. Mark Gesch, Superintendent of Schools at P.O. Box W, Eldorado, Texas 76936 or call at 325-853-2514 ext. 222.

If you have other questions or need help, call me at 853-3172 ext. 526

Sincerely,  
Ima Bruce,  
Food Service Director

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### Multi-Child Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application for 2003-04

Schleicher County ISD School District/Charter School

**Part 1. Children in School (Use a separate application for each foster child.)**

Names of all children in school (Last, First, Middle Initial)	School Name	Social Security #, Student I.D., or Date of Birth (OPTIONAL)	Grade	Food Stamp or TANF case # (if any)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				

If you listed a Food Stamp/TANF case number for one child, skip to Part 4.

**Part 2. Foster Child**

If this application is for a child who is the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court, check box  and list the amount of the child's personal use monthly income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Skip to Part 4.

**Part 3. Total Household Income from Last Month. (You must tell us how much and how often.)**

1. Name. (List everyone in household). (Example: Jane Smith)	2. Last month's income and how often it was received. (Example: \$200/weekly (W) or \$150/monthly (M) every other week (2W) or \$200/twice a month (2M))	3. Check if NO Income.			
	Earnings from work before deductions	Welfare/child support	Pension/Retirement	Other	
1.	\$ / /	\$ / /	\$ / /	\$ / /	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	\$ / /	\$ / /	\$ / /	\$ / /	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**Part 4. Signature and Social Security Number. (Adult must sign.)**

An adult household member must sign the application. If Part 3 is completed, the adult signing the form must also list his or her Social Security Number or mark the "I do not have a Social Security Number" box. (See Privacy Act Statement on the "Instructions for Applying" page.) I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the school will get Federal funds based on the information I give. I understand that school officials may verify (check) the information. I understand that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted.

Sign here: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_  I do not have a Social Security Number.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Do not fill out this part. For school use only.**

Monthly Income Conversion: Weekly x 4.33, Every 2 Weeks x 2.15, Twice A Month x 2

Monthly Income: \_\_\_\_\_ Household size: \_\_\_\_\_ FS/TANF: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Withdrawn: \_\_\_\_\_

Eligibility: Free \_\_\_\_\_ Reduced \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Temporary: Free \_\_\_\_\_ Time Period: \_\_\_\_\_ (expires after \_\_\_\_\_ days)

Determining Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# EMS youth attend MADD/TABC Power Camp

Fourteen students from Eldorado Middle School attended Youth Power Camp sponsored by Mothers Against Drunk Driving and the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission at St. Mary's University in San Antonio July 9-12. The goal of the camp is to empower youth with the knowledge and

leadership skills necessary to initiate change in their communities to reduce underage drinking and drug use.

During the four days, students attended educational sessions about the effects of alcohol on the body, the transition to college, conflict management, and leadership

building. The students also designed plans for preventing underage drinking in their own communities.

"Not all teens drink alcohol or want to drink alcohol. The MADD/TABC Youth Power Camp empowers these students to become more involved with their local law enforcement and their local government to make changes to stop underage drinking. We hope that these students will become leaders in their communities and help adults foster an environment in which underage drinking is not condoned or tolerated," said Karen Housewright, Executive Director of the Texas State Office of MADD.

The Eldorado Middle School eighth graders with the help of the entering freshmen plan to mentor younger students in our district. Through regular and consistent mentoring, the older students hope to change the pattern of underage drinking in our community.

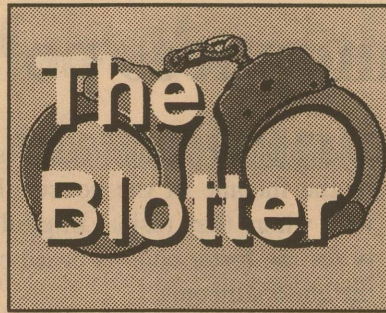
"The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission is determined to reach out to all Texans when addressing the issue of underage drinking. We have found that the Youth Leadership camps have

been a great venue to not only teach our Texas youth leadership skills, but it is also an opportunity to solicit their help in combating underage drinking. Through these camps, our message to the youth campers is that we must Stop Alcohol Violations Early. We must do it now, not later," said Greg Hamilton, Law Enforcement Chief of TABC.

The following students attended the camp: freshmen—Ricky Mercado, Kimberly Samaniego, Josue Chavez, Amy Doran, Mariana Guzman, and Ridge Ann Suduth; eighth graders—Manny Gonzalez, Justin Garcia, Jasmine Romero, Erika Estrada, J.P. Joiner, Macy Chatham, Lalo Sanchez, and Selvia Aranda. They were accompanied by Sylvia Belman (administrative assistant), Kara Sue Garlitz (EMS principal), and Katrina Gonzales (eighth grade language arts teacher and Do Something Council sponsor).

"Within four jam-packed days, our group came together to create a plan to address the problem of underage drinking and drug use in Eldorado. The students that attended took this task seriously. They worked side-by-side from 8:00 am until 11:00 pm each night. I think we will all be pleased with the results this coming school year," said sponsor Katrina Gonzales.

A second session of the MADD/TABC Youth Power Camp will be held July 23-26 at Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls. A total of approximately 1,200 students will attend the two camps this summer. For information on camps to be held next summer, call 1-800-777-6233.



The Blotter is a summary of the previous week's activity by 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 of law.

### ARRESTS

- July 16** • Gonzales, Ruben Arispe, male age 59, arrested by Texas Ranger, offense Aggravated Assault of a Child.
- Hopkins, Joseph L., male age 22, offense Theft of Service. Released on PR Bond.
- Clark, William B., male age 37, offense Theft of Service. Released on PR Bond.
- Fay, Dawn, female age 37, offense Theft of Service. Released on PR Bond.
- Rodriguez, Mary S., female age 41, offense Theft of Service.
- July 21** • Garza, Elizabeth, female age 21, offense Theft of Service.
- July 22** • Hipolito, Hermalindo, male age 35, offense Driving While Intoxicated (1st Offense). Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.
- Pina, Oralia, female age 28, offense Forgery.
- Gower, Haniatun Naimah, female age 51, offense Disorderly Conduct.

### INCIDENT REPORTS

- July 15** • 6:49 p.m. Female subject requested an ambulance at Rodeo Arena. Subject stated they were injured. Officer and EMS responded.
- 8:21 p.m. Hospital requested a Basic Transfer to San Angelo hospital. EMS responded.
- July 16** • 12:10 a.m. Male subject on Carson Street reported a

possible fire coming from their hot water heater. Officer and Volunteer Fire Department responded.

- July 17** • 2:35 p.m. Complainant reported losing their cell phone between Eldorado and Christoval.
- 4:50 p.m. Complainant reported a controlled burn on Hwy. 190 East.
- 4:30 p.m. Officer responded to a call from Menard Sheriff's office about a stranded motorist on Hwy. 190 East.
- 8:14 p.m. Complainant reported an older model baby blue car tailgating them and cutting in front of them on Hwy. 277 North. Second call to dispatcher came in at 8:20 from complainant who stated the car had pulled into a convenience store and was bearing Mexico plates. Officer responded.
- 8:25 p.m. Subject reported 3-4 cows loose on Hwy. 277 in front of Huldale Plant. Dispatcher contacted rancher, who recovered their livestock.
- July 18** • 3:15 p.m. Subject requested to speak with an officer about filing charges on their estranged spouse who forged checks on their account. Officer responded.
- July 19** • 1:27 p.m. Complainant reported a suspicious silver Chevy Blazer on County Road 117. Officer responded and was unable to locate.
- 9:18 p.m. Complainant reported a prowler on North Divide. Officers responded.
- July 20** • 11:49 p.m. Subject on S. Main reported loud music. Officer responded and was unable to locate.
- 3:40 p.m. Male subject requested to speak with an officer. Officer responded.
- July 22** • 7:06 a.m. Complainant reported a water leak on Cedarwood Drive. City was notified.

## EHS Booster Club News

by Bill Hodges

If you have not seen the work being done on the baseball field you need drive by and take a look. This is something we can all be proud of. The baseball field is being remodeled with the help of David Creek (Creek Roustabout Service) and Coach Gary Grubbs, his staff and students.

The new weight room is coming along great and should be ready soon.

Booster Club members are currently selling football program ads and if your business or as an individual are interested in supporting this project contacted Edie Niblett. The 2003 Football Program highlights this season's football teams, coaches, flag corps, cheerleaders, cross-country runners and drum major.

If you are interested in volunteering for this school year contact Booster Club President George (Tinker) Wipff.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
SEPTEMBER 13, 2003

- PROPOSITION 1**  
(HJR 68, Section 1)
- HJR 68, Section 1 would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to use excess receipts in the Veterans' Land and Veterans' Housing Assistance funds for payment of revenue bonds, and use excess assets in those funds to provide veterans homes.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to use assets in certain veterans' land and veterans' housing assistance funds to provide veterans homes for the aged or infirm and to make principal, interest, and bond enhancement payments on revenue bonds."
- PROPOSITION 2**  
(HJR 51)
- HJR 51 would expand from six months to two years the period in which the former owner of a mineral interest that was sold for unpaid property taxes may buy back the mineral interest.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to establish a two-year period for the redemption of a mineral interest sold for unpaid ad valorem taxes at a tax sale."
- PROPOSITION 3**  
(HJR 55)
- HJR 55 would authorize the legislature to exempt from taxation land owned by a religious organization that is leased for use as a school or that will be used to expand or construct a place of religious worship that yields no revenue.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation property owned by a religious organization that is leased for use as a school or that is owned with the intent of expanding or constructing a religious facility."
- PROPOSITION 4**  
(SJR 30)
- SJR 30 would authorize the legislature to allow conservation and reclamation districts to use taxes to develop and finance certain parks and recreation facilities. Also, the amendment would authorize the legislature to allow local elections for the issuance of bonds to improve and maintain parks and recreational facilities in the Tarrant Regional Water District or a conservation and reclamation district located in whole or in part in Bastrop, Bexar, Brazoria, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Montgomery, Tarrant, Travis, Waller or Williamson County.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit a person to take office without an election if the person is the only candidate to qualify in an election for that office."
- PROPOSITION 9**  
(HJR 68, Section 2)
- HJR 68, Section 2 would redefine the com-

- position of the permanent and available school funds by requiring during the next two fiscal years, and authorizing thereafter, annual distributions to the available school fund of a percentage of any increase in the value of the permanent school fund's total investment assets.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the use of income and appreciation of the permanent school fund."
- PROPOSITION 10**  
(HJR 61)
- HJR 61 would authorize municipalities to donate surplus fire-fighting equipment, supplies, or materials to the Texas Forest Service, which would be authorized to distribute based on need the equipment to rural volunteer fire departments.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing municipalities to donate surplus fire-fighting equipment or supplies for the benefit of rural volunteer fire departments."
- PROPOSITION 11**  
(HJR 85)
- HJR 85 would authorize the legislature to regulate the operation of wineries in Texas, regardless of whether a winery is located in an area in which the sale of wine has been authorized by local option election.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "A constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to enact laws authorizing and governing the operation of wineries in this state."
- PROPOSITION 12**  
(HJR 3)
- HJR 3 would immediately authorize the Legislature to limit non-economic damages assessed against a provider of medical or health care and, after January 1, 2005, to limit awards in all other types of cases.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment concerning civil lawsuits against doctors and health care providers, and other actions, authorizing the legislature to determine limitations on non-economic damages."
- PROPOSITION 13**  
(HJR 16)
- HJR 16 would authorize a county, city, town, and junior college district to freeze property taxes on a residential homestead of a person who is disabled or aged 65 or older.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to permit counties, cities and towns, and junior college districts to establish an ad valorem tax freeze on residence homesteads of the disabled and of the elderly and their spouses."
- PROPOSITION 14**  
(HJR 28)
- HJR 28 would authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to issue

- notes or borrow money to fund highway improvement projects. The terms of the notes or loans may not exceed two years. The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for authorization of the issuing of notes or the borrowing of money on a short-term basis by a state transportation agency for transportation-related projects, and the issuance of bonds and other public securities secured by the state highway fund."
- PROPOSITION 15**  
(HJR 54)
- HJR 54 would prohibit a local retirement system and the political subdivision that finances the retirement system from reducing or otherwise impairing certain accrued benefits under the local retirement system.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The Constitutional amendment providing that certain benefits under certain local public retirement systems may not be reduced or impaired."
- PROPOSITION 16**  
(SJR 42)
- SJR 42 would amend the Texas Constitution to allow home equity lines of credit and allow refinancing of a home equity loan with a reverse mortgage loan.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing a home equity line of credit, providing for administrative interpretation of home equity lending law, and otherwise relating to the making, refinancing, repayment, and enforcement of home equity loans."
- PROPOSITION 17**  
(HJR 21)
- HJR 21 would prohibit an increase in school property taxes on residence homesteads of disabled persons.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to prohibit an increase in the total amount of school district ad valorem taxes that may be imposed on the residence homestead of a disabled person."
- PROPOSITION 18**  
(HJR 59)
- HJR 59 would authorize the legislature to permit a person to assume an office of a political subdivision without an election if the person is the only candidate to qualify in an election for that office and the election is required by the Texas Constitution. This proposition applies only to local political subdivisions, whereas Proposition 8 applies to state and local political subdivisions.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit a person to assume an office of a political subdivision without an election if the person is the only candidate to qualify in an election for that office."
- PROPOSITION 19**  
(SJR 45)
- SJR 45 would repeal the legislature's

- authority to create rural fire prevention districts. Effective September 1, 2003, all existing rural fire prevention districts will convert to emergency services districts.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to repeal the authority of the legislature to provide for the creation of rural fire prevention districts."
- PROPOSITION 20**  
(SJR 55)
- SJR 55 would authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds in a total amount not to exceed \$250 million that will be used to provide loans for economic development projects that benefit defense-related communities in Texas.
- The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds or notes not to exceed \$250 million payable from the general revenues of the state to provide loans to defense-related communities, that will be repaid by the defense-related community, for economic development projects, including projects that enhance the military value of military installations."
- PROPOSITION 21**  
(SJR 19)
- SJR 19 would authorize current and retired faculty members of a public institution of higher education to receive compensation for service as a member of the governing body of a water district.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to permit a current or retired faculty member of a public college or university to receive compensation for service on the governing body of a water district."
- PROPOSITION 22**  
(HJR 84)
- HJR 84 would authorize the appointment of a temporary replacement officer to serve on behalf of a state, district, or local public officer who is called into active military duty for longer than 30 days.
- The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the appointment of a temporary replacement officer to fill a vacancy created when a public officer enters active duty in the United States armed forces."
- Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 13 de septiembre de 2003. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis llamando al 1/800/252/8683 o escribiendo al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, TX 78711.
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## BIRTHDAY LIST

- JULY**
- 24th Sheila Prater, Derek Engdahl, Samantha Santellano
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  - 28th Seth Taylor, Charlene Harris, Courtney Sauer, Damien Beach, Tommy Hunley, Mary Jenkins, Charlene Harris, Walter Wagner
  - 29th Willene Garlitz, Cliff Schooley, Gera Lemke, Wayne Palmer, Maddie Dean
  - 30th Scooter Faull, Sandra Helmers, Vernell McCalla, Virgilio Escobar Sr.

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The Schleicher County Sheriff's Department is accepting sealed bids on one (1) passenger vehicle.

#### Vehicle 1

**1990 Chevy Lumina White**  
 VIN#2G1WN547L9216881  
 The vehicle will be up for bid starting Thursday, July 17th through Thursday, Friday, August 1st. Bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m. Monday, August 4, 2003 at the Schleicher County Sheriff's Office at 4 South Divide, Eldorado, Texas. Contact the Sheriff Office to view vehicle.

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**Tuesday-Friday 1:00 PM-4:00 PM**  
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Schleicher County Family Clinic is accepting applications for Clinic Receptionist, Mon. - Fri., 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Interested applicants should possess computer knowledge, telephone skills, collection skills, and scheduling abilities. Bilingual preferred. Applications should be submitted to Cindy Daniels, R.N., Clinic Manager at (325) 853-3137, 400 W. Murchison Hwy., Eldorado, Tx. 76936. 29-30b

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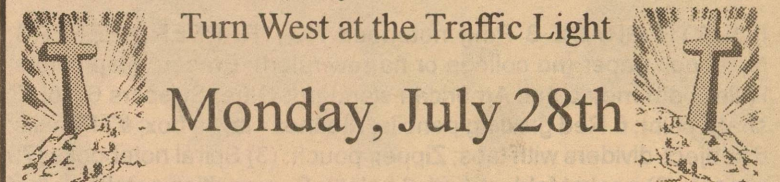
**ELDORADO-3 FAMILY CARPORT SALE-** 704 Lee Ave. (Epola Herrera Residence.) Thursday, July 31; from 3PM till dark. **PLEASE NO SALES BEFORE 3 PM;** Queen size mattress set, entertainment center, door w/frame, couch and love seat, weight bench/weights, and air-compressor. 30-31p

**ELDORADO-INSIDE MOVING SALE:** Old Wade Farm 3 1/2 miles out on Hwy 190 West. Thursday July 24th 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Furniture, pictures, curtains, dishes, small air-conditioner, plus size clothes, and misc.30p

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#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

TXP, Incorporated; P.O. Box 60245; San Angelo, TX 76906 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Permian Lime Formation, Reichert Lease, Well Number 1. The proposed disposal well is located 20 Miles NE of Eldorado in the R.E.G. (Lime 5900), in Schleicher County. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2108 to 2220 feet. **LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792.)

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids, addressed to the Schleicher County Commissioners' Court will be received by the County Clerk, until 10:00 a.m. July 28, 2003, when such bids will be opened in the Commissioner's Courtroom for:

1. Paving of the Eldorado Cemetery
2. Paving of 2,618 feet of Mary Street

(bid specifications to be pickup at the Clerk's Office)

The Commissioners Court has the right to accept or reject any and all bids submitted.

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**KINDERGARTEN** Elmer's White School Glue - 4 oz.; 1 Glue Stick; (2) #2 pencils; Eraser (pink rubber); Crayons - 1 box of 24; 1 box of 12 long colored pencils; Fiskars for Kids scissors (metal blades); 1 large box Kleenex; School box-small; 2 vinyl (plastic) pocket folders; Boys (1-box sandwich size ziploc bags) Girls (1-box gallon size ziploc bags); 1 water bottle; Backpack THAT WILL HOLD FOLDERS; (1) regular size towel for napping (no mats, large towels, or blankets); ALL SUPPLIES SHOULD BE LABELED WITH CHILD'S NAME IN LARGE PRINT; Other supplies may be requested by your child's teacher.

**FIRST GRADE** #2 Pencils; Large Elmer's Glue (white only); School box; Metal inlaid scissors; Crayons -16 count; 1 pkg. 9 X 12 assorted construction paper (loose); 1 box Kleenex; 4 pocket folders; 40 page spiral notebook; Pencil top erasers; \$2.00 for Weekly Reader

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**FOURTH GRADE** 3 Ring notebook NO TRAPPER KEEPERS; Notebook paper (no college or narrow ruled); Eraser; Map colors; Ruler both metric and American standard; Glue; Scissors 6" or 7" sharp point; 6 Red grading pencils; Kleenex - large box; #2 Pencils; 6 subject dividers with tabs; Zipper pouch; (3) Spiral notebooks (70 pages); (3) pocket folders (with 3 holes); Composition notebook (not a spiral) INDIVIDUAL TEACHER MAY REQUEST SPIRALS AND FOLDERS.

**FIFTH GRADE:** Notebook (large rings); notebook paper (wide ruled); dividers (1) pkg. 8 1/2" X 11"; 1 zipper bag (to fit inside notebook); 1 plastic crayon/pencil box (approx. 8" by 1 1/2"); pencils - no mechanical ones; pens - blue or black erasable; red grading pens or pencils; eraser; map colors; (2) pocket folders with brads; large box of Kleenex; markers; scotch tape; scissors; 24 count box of crayons; reinforcement rings; white paper -1 ream (500 sheets) 8 1/2 X 11 -This ream of paper will be used all year for your child's math papers instead of notebook paper. It may be purchased in reams of 500 sheets at discount stores, grocery stores, or office supply stores.

## American Profile announces Wrangler Photo Contest

FRANKLIN, TN — American Profile magazine and Wrangler Jeans are kicking off the back-to-school season with the American Profile/Wrangler Shoot'n Score Photo Contest. The August 10, 2003 Back-to-School issue of American Profile will invite high school students and fans nationwide to submit their favorite school sports photo for a chance to win prizes from Wrangler and have their photo published by American Profile.

American Profile and Wrangler Jeans will award one grand prize

winner a Five Star Premium Photo Package, which includes featuring the winning photo in American Profile, a digital camera, a photo printer and \$100 worth of Wrangler Five Star Premium Denim jeans. Ten second prize winners will have their photos posted online at [www.americanprofile.com](http://www.americanprofile.com) and will also receive a pair of Wrangler Five Star premium Denim jeans.

The winning photo and winner will appear in this paper as part of the November 2003 issue of American Profile.



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**Software update** — Jolynn Kasik (L), a software support representative from Advanced Professional Software, trained SCMC employees on the use of new computer software for the hospital. Here Lisa Brown (center) and Beverly Minor (R) are shown receiving the training.

## DPS seeks more recruits to offset retirements

With a fast-approaching application deadline of August 4, the DPS is stepping up efforts to attract trooper applicants to an October recruit school.

"The deadline is just around the corner, and we have an urgent need for trooper-trainees to offset retirements and to fill trooper openings associated with NAFTA," said DPS Director Col. Thomas Davis Jr. "We need an immediate influx of applicants to ensure a quality, diversified applicant pool to fill our next recruit school."

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Information also is available by calling a toll-free number, 1-866-TXTROOP (898-7667), that rings directly into the recruiting office at DPS Headquarters in Austin.

Graduates are initially assigned as uniformed officers in one of several services. After gaining experience, troopers can compete for a variety of assignments in the Traffic Law Enforcement, Criminal Law Enforcement, Driver License, Administration and Texas Ranger divisions.

An applicant must be a U.S. citizen, at least 20 years of age by the time they are accepted as trooper-trainees and have completed 90 hours of college credit. Law enforcement, jailer or military experience may be used toward fulfilling the college requirement.

An applicant's background will be carefully scrutinized, including prior criminal history. DPS is an equal opportunity employer.

## Big Spring veterans home to honor Korean Vets Saturday

Event to mark the 50th anniversary of Korean War Armistice.

The general public is invited to attend an event marking the 50th anniversary of the Korean War Armistice at the Lamun-Lusk-Sanchez Texas State Veterans Home, in Big Spring, from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., Sunday, July 27th.

Special patches and pins will be handed out to 20 residents of the home who are Korean War veterans. Some residents will be available for interviews and re-

freshments will be served.

The Lamun-Lusk-Sanchez Texas State Veterans Home has 160 beds in large private and semi-private rooms. The home offers a wide array of health care services, a comprehensive rehabilitation program, special diets, recreational activities, social services, a library and a certified, secured Alzheimer's unit with its own secure outdoor courtyard. As of May 2003, the home has 60 certified Alzheimer's care beds.

## USDA accepting applications for Grassland Reserve Program

Financial assistance for the Grassland Reserve Program (GRP) is now available to eligible landowners. GRP is authorized by the Food Security Act of 1985, as amended by the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002. The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) administer the program, in cooperation with the USDA Forest Service. Funding for the GRP comes from the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC).

According to Dr. Larry D. But-

ler, NRCS State Conservationist, "This voluntary program helps landowners and operators restore and protect grassland, including rangeland and pastureland, and certain other lands, while maintaining the areas as grazing lands. The program emphasizes support for grazing operations, plant and animal biodiversity, and grassland and land containing shrubs and forbs under the greatest threat of conversion to other land uses."

To participate in GRP, offers must be private land that includes at least 40 contiguous acres. Participants voluntarily limit future use of the land while retaining the right to conduct common grazing practices; produce hay, mow, or harvest for seed production (subject to certain restrictions during the nesting season of bird species that are in significant decline or those that are protected under Federal or State law); conduct fire rehabilitation; and construct fire-breaks and fences.

Applications for participation will be accepted on a continuous basis with the local office of NRCS or FSA. For the current funding cycle, an application must be received by August 1, 2003. All applications received by that date will be ranked on specific selection criteria to ensure only the highest priority areas (land) are protected. Once funding has been exhausted, eligible applications will remain on file until additional funding becomes available. Applications accepted after August 1, 2003, will be held for ranking during the next funding cycle.

For more information about the GRP, contact your local NRCS field office. Additional information is available on the agency Website at:

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/farmbill>.



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