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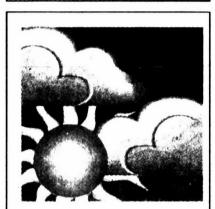


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Lefors ISD board to meet at 7 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 9

LEFORS Lefors Independent School District (ISD) board of trustees are to meet at 7 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 9, at the elementary school library, 160 6th St.

Among the items listed on the agenda include a depository contract, substitute teacher list, student insurance, district insurance, and cafeteria prices.

A personnel session and superintendent's report is planned, as well as consideration of current bills and a financial report.

An open forum for public comments is scheduled following the call to order.

City Commission plans budget work session

A special work session of the Pampa City Commission is set for 4 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 9, in the third floor conference room at City Hall.

Commissioners will continue to discuss the 2001-2002 budget at the meeting.

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Lloyd Daniel Littlefield, 82, farmer and rancher.

Martha McComas, 81, homemaker.

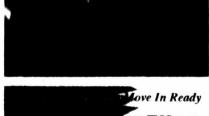
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City proposes staff reduction to save \$'s

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By DEE DEE LARAMORE Staff Writer

In an effort to plug a seven-year drain on the City of Pampa's cash reserves, officials drew up a 2001-2002 proposed \$7.36 million budget that include eliminating 24 jobs, closing the north fire station, raising water and sewer rates, and contracting with Gray County for emergency dispatch. However, the proposal does not include an increase in property taxes.

Even with these major cuts, the 2001-2002 budget being considered by Pampa city Commission reflects a \$117,006 deficit.

"I don't enjoy doing any of this," said City Manager Bob Eskridge said of the job cuts. "There's no way to go through this without disrupting people's lives. But to make the cuts needed to balance the budget, we've got to make cuts in services.'

City of Pampa financial officers project the city will receive \$7.25 million in revenues next year. Expenditures are expected to reach \$7.18 million, along with \$193,550 in capital purchases, for total expenses of \$7.36 million.

'I don't enjoy doing any of this. There's no way to go through this without disrupting people's lives.'

City Manager Bob Eskridge

Since 1994, the city of Pampa has operated on a deficit which has drained the city's coffers. At the present rate of deficit spending, the city's cash reserves could be depleted in approximately two years.

You can't get control of expenditures in the budget without reducing personnel," Eskridge said.

In 1994, the City of Pampa employed 180. Since then, the workforce has dwindled to 155, primarily through attrition, Eskridge said. "This will take it down to 131,"

"The direction I feel I was given by the city commission was to bring them a balanced budget," the city manager said. "Even with all these cuts, it's going to take two

"I didn't take this out of the air," he emphasized. "We've got to do something. These positions are important. All the positions in the city are important.

"But you get to the point that if you have to eliminate positions, what positions do you take that will have the

"We eliminated 11 positions last year. It had a great effect on us internally, but not a lot of effect on the public. This time it will have an effect on the public," he added. "There's no way to go through this without disrupting people's lives."

The proposed budget cuts 24-full time employees from city staff. To do this, city officials want to consolidate the police and fire dispatch services with Gray County Sheriff's dispatch and contract with the county for these services. At present, nine people are employed in dis-

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(Pampa News photos by Nancy Young) Carolyn and Jackie Taylor, left, listen as speakers discuss the pros and cons of the swine industry locating in Gray County. Over 130 local and area residents, pictured above, turned out for the meeting at M.K. Brown Civic Center's Heritage Room Tuesday night.

Speaking out

Groundwater fears aired; others say no need to fear

By NANCY YOUNG **Managing Editor**

Fear of groundwater contamination if a 50,000 pig facility moves to Gray County was the primary concern of the majority of people at the public meeting at M. K. Brown Auditorium Tuesday night.

lagoons containing hog manure tacility. from the proposed National Fig. Development (NPD) company genetic research facility east of Pampa has several local residents concerned about the safety of the local groundwater sup-

ply in the area. An Environmental Impact study on the permit request is being requested. Betty Truly, a retired teacher, urged the approximately 130 residents attending a public meeting at M. K. Brown Auditorium Tuesday night to write letters requesting

the study. "This is our water supply and we must be careful with it," said. Truly. "We don't want it ruined."

Truly urged the group to write the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) along with U.S. Senators, Kay Bailey Hutchison and Phil Gramm, and U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry to request the study. She said it was extremely important Hutchison, Gramm and Thornberry be contacted because the EPA must reply to Congress when they are requested by Congress to do so. She asked all persons writing letters

to make copies of their letters to send to the Texas Natural Conservation Resource (TNRCC) in Commission Austin.

TNRCC is the agency which grants permits for swine facilities. NPD has applied for a permit to establish the facility on land II miles east of Pampa to The possibility of leaking establish the genetic research

> She said personnel in the TNRCC office told her by telephone that the letters must focus on the possibility of air and water pollution or they wouldn't be read by the staff. "We simply want to protect

> our water," she said. "It is ours, It's all we have. And I am not an alarmist.

Truly said that as a part of the study that NPD should be required to conclusively prove that their pig sludge facility would not reach and contaminate the underground water *

She expressed concern about the possible contamination to the Ogallala Aquiter which is the source for the area's drinking water as far north as North Dakota.

Truly said such an environmental study would cause the EPA to check the entire area serviced by the Ogallala Aquiter. Leaking lagoons could affect the water quality for hundreds of miles and many future years, she said.

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Police discover 'lab'; fumes affect officer

By DEE DEE LARAMORE Staff Writer

A Pampa police officer had to

be treated at the emergency room Tuesday evening for a reaction to the fumes from an alleged methamphetamine lab.

Officer Shawn Waters was treated and released at the Pampa Regional Medical Center emergency room Tuesday after he experienced a "strong reaction" to fumes filling a house on Powell Street, Col. Terry Young said today.

Waters was among local law enforcement officers serving a search warrant for illegal drugs at 600 N. Powell at approximately 4:45 p.m. Tuesday.

Two people were arrested after police found more than four grams of methamphetamine and the remains of a lab used to make the illegal sub-

stance, police said. Jessie Darlene Callaway, 34, 600 N. Powell, and Lance Allan strong odor of chemicals. There Herr, 39, 2117 Lynn, were arrest- was even a haze in the hallway." ed at the scene. Each were

charged with possession of a controlled substance over four grams. Callaway was also charged with possession of drug paraphernalia.

Both Callaway and Herr remained in Gray County Jail at press time today. Bond was set at \$20,000 each on the possession charges and Callaway's bond for the drug paraphernalia charge was set at \$500, according to jail records.

Young said the warrant was issued after police investigation and complaints from local citi-

In the search of the residence, police found more than four grams of methamphetamine packaged in small plastic bags,

He estimated the street value of the drugs at \$400 to \$500.

"We also found the remains of a lab. It appeared there had been a recent cook," he added. "When officers first went in there was a

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Tralee to help offenders, too

By NANCY YOUNG Managing Editor

A program to provide intervention and counseling for perpetrators of domestic violence is now available in Pampa.

The program is being offered by Panhandle Crisis Center in Perryton while the Tralee Crisis Center in Pampa is offering support and coopera-

Victims of family violence and sexual assault have been served by Panhandle Crisis Center since 1984 in Ochiltree, Hansford and Lipscomb Counties since 1984.

In 1999, the program expanded its services to offer the Battering Intervention and Prevention Program (BIPP).

Three separate classes are offered in Perryton for male offenders, female offenders and Spanishspeaking offenders. The number of referrals from Gray County's Adult Probation Department prompted the agency to offer a program in Pampa, according to Cindy Smith, executive director of the Center.

The program was implemented June 26 after consultation with criminal justice officials and Tralee Crisis Center.

BIPP is an 18-week program to educate violent family members about the effects of abuse on their partners and their children. It also provides an opportunity for change through education. Crisis Center at 669-1131.

toward healthy, nonviolent relationships.

Weekly classes for men who batter are held in Pampa. Individuals may attend voluntarily or by court-order.

Individuals do not have to wait for another 18week session to begin. Entrance is allowed at any time during the program.

Classes are held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Tuesdays, in the classroom of Gray County Sheriff's Department. Fees usually run \$15, but lower rates are available for individuals with incomes below the federal poverty level. The program is funded by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. It meets the guidelines set by the state in its operation and curriculum.

"Tralee Crisis Center and Panhandle Crisis Center have a history of working together to serve victims of family violence," said Linda Town, Executive Director Tralee Crisis Center. "Resources for batterers are needed in our community and we are pleased that the state funding awarded to Perryton's agency can be utilized to benefit a wider service area in the Panhandle."

Anyone interested in attending these sessions may contact the Panhandle Crisis Center at 1-800-435-5008 to enroll, according to Smith. Both crisis centers are also available to provide informational programs to the community about this new ser-

To request a presentation, please call Tralee

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

BOYD, Derl O. "Seaboard" — 10 a.m., First Baptist Church, Lefors.

LITTLEFIELD, Lloyd Daniel — Graveside services, 10 a.m., Jericho Cemetery, Jericho.

WILLIAMS, Edward Smith, M.D. — Memorial services, 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church,

Obituaries

E.O. KELLY

BRISCOE — E.O. Kelly, 78, died Monday, Aug. 6, 2001. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in First Baptist Church at Wheeler with the Rev. B.A. Hyatt of Lubbock officiating. Burial will be in Zybach Cemetery in Zybach under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Born Nov. 27, 1922, in Cass, Ark., Mr. Kelly came to Briscoe in 1941. He married Alice Helton on Nov. 26, 1942. He farmed and ranched in Allison and Briscoe and was a member of Wheeler County Appraisal Board, the Farm Bureau Board and the Translator Board. He belonged to Briscoe Assembly of God

He was preceded in death by a brother, Jess Kelly; and by two sisters, Zona Edwards and Oma Plymale.

Survivors include his wife, Alice; four daughters, Elizabeth Meers of Briscoe and Pampa, Diann Rose of Canyon, Ianice McClov of Morse and Linda Thomas of Dalhart; four sisters, Patricia Swearengin, Linda Jo Hipsher, Mary Sue Lowrimore and Pandora Frazer, all of Mulberry, Ark.; three brothers, Jimmy Kelly of Kennewick, Wash., and Doug Smalley and Ray Dale Smalley, both of Mulberry; and six grand-

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be to Briscoe Community Church. LLOYD DANIEL LITTLEFIELD

GROOM — Lloyd Daniel Littlefield, 82, died Monday, Aug. 6, 2001. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Jericho Cemetery under the direction of Robertson Funeral

Directors of Clarendon. Mr. Littlefield was born Feb. 18, 1919, at Sunset, in Wise County. At age seven, he moved with his family from Wheeler County to Wayside. He married Verda Lee James on May 31, 1941, at Panhandle and had been a Groom resident since 1970, moving from Jericho.

He farmed and ranched most of his life and was a U.S. Army Air Corps veteran, serving during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Verda, of Groom; three sons, Lloyd Littlefield of McLean, Leroy Littlefield of Rosenberg and Jerry Littlefield of Waelder; a brother, John Littlefield of Muleshoe; seven grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

MARTHA McCOMAS

Martha McComas, 81, of Pampa, died Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2001. Services are pending under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Born Sept. 15, 1919, at Arkansas City, Kan., Mrs. McComas graduated from North High School in Wichita, Kan. She married Bill McComas on Dec. 20, 1941, at Wichita and was a secretary for Boeing Aircraft during World War II.

A homemaker, she had been a Pampa resident since 1953 and was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a husband, Bill McComas, of the home; a son, Mike McComas of Pampa; a daughter, Jane Taintor of Memphis, Tenn.; a sister, Mildred Laird of Denver, Colo.; and three grandchildren.

DOROTHY JEANNETTE MULLEN AMARILLO — Dorothy Jeannette Mullen, 89,

of Amarillo, died Friday, Aug. 3, 2001. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa with Dr. Murray Gossett of First Presbyterian Church of officiating. Burial will be under the direction of N.S. Griggs and Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Born in Pampa to Charles Thomas Mullen and Wardie Alice Barbee, Miss Mullen graduated from Pampa High School in 1929 and lived on a farm there until she was a junior in high school. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1929.

She worked for Welfare Services, Texas Employment Services and Boy Scouts of America in Pampa for 51/2 years. She had been an Amarillo resident since 1943, working for: the Boys Scouts of America. She retired in 1976.

She was a member and an elder of the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo and was a charter member of Northminster Presbyterian Church, where she also served as an elder.

*Her grandfather, C.L. Mullen, came to the Texas Panhandle in 1907 and moved to Pampa. Survivors include nephews, Robert Mullen of Seattle and William T. Mullen of Albuquerque, N.M.; a niece, Marsha Lewis of Tigard, Ore.; 11 great-nieces and great-nephews; and 21 greatgreat-nieces and great-great-nephews.

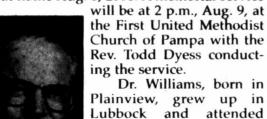
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EDWARD SMITH WILLIAMS, M.D. Feb. 16, 1918-Aug. 6, 2001

Dr. Edward S. Williams, age 83, died peacefully at home Aug. 6, 2001. A memorial service



Plainview, grew up in Lubbock and attended Texas Tech. He graduated from the University of Tennessee College Medicine in 1942, then joined the Navy and served a year as an intern at the

Pensacola Naval Air Station. He married Mary Earle Sansom in 1942. He was then placed as a medical officer with the First Marine Division, serving two years in the South Pacific during World War II. He received two presidential citations and a promotion to Lt. Commander as a result of his tour of duty.

He spent one year practicing in Levelland, then moved to Pampa in 1947, where he practiced Obstetrics and Pediatrics, retiring in 1984. He delivered over 5,000 babies during his years in practice. After retiring, he served as City Health Officer from 1984 to 1994. He was presented with a Certificate of Appreciation from the Texas Department of Health for 12 years of volunteer service with the Pampa Health Department.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, a past president of the Rotary Club, a former member of the Board of Trustees of Coronado Hospital, and the American and Texas Medical Associations. He also served on the first Board of Directors of Tralee Crisis Center. A licensed pilot himself, he was a medical examiner of pilots for the Federal Aviation Administration from 1966 to

Survivors include his wife, Mary Earle Williams; a son, the Rev. Sansom Williams and his wife Jan of Austin; two daughters, Mary Ellen Coon and her husband Sanford of Austin and Anne Martin and her husband Jim of Austin; five grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be to the First United Methodist Church, Pampa, the March of Dimes or the charity of your choice.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following arrests and incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Monday, Aug. 6 A burglary of a business was reported at Quality Cleaners, 410 S. Cuyler. Someone broke a window and entered the building sometime between 12 noon, Aug. 4, and 6:30 a.m., Aug. 6. Estimated loss is \$325.

Tuesday, Aug. 7 Lance Allan Herr, 39, 2117 Lynn, was arrested for possession of a controlled substance, over 4 grams in the 600 block of North Powell.

Jessie Darlene Callaway, 34, 600 N. Powell, was arrested in the 600 block of North Powell for possession of a controlled substance over 4 grams and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 800 block of West Kingsmill. Property damage was estimated at \$100.

Theft of \$15 was reported in the 1000 block of South Faulkner.

A tan and white pit bull, seven-weeks-old, was reported stolen from the 1000 blocks of South Wells. The puppy is valued at \$50.

A money bag with \$70 was reported lost in the 1200 block of North Hobart. The money bag was later found.

Wednesday, Aug. 8

Two 30-packs of Bud Light valued at \$36 and an 18-pack of Bud Light valued at \$12 were reported stolen from Allsup's, 1025 W. Wilks.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accident during the 24-hour period ending at

Tuesday, Aug. 7

9:27 p.m. - A 1996 Chevrolet pickup driven by Tiburcio Holguin, 38, 426 Yeager, collided with an illegally parked 1997 Ford Mustang, owned by foan Carlos Salazar, 820 N. Zimmers, in the 400 block of Yeager. Salazar was cited for parking facing traffic and Holguin was cited for backing without safety. No injuries were reported at the

Fires

Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Tuesday, Aug. 7

11:27 a.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a medical assist in the 1300 block of West Kentucky.

4:34 p.m. - One unit and three firefighters responded to a medical assist in the 1000 block of Terry Road.

4:36 p.m. – One unit and three firefighters responded to a request by the Pampa Police Department for assistance in the 600 block of North Powell.

Monday, Aug. 8

2:42 a.m. - One unit and two firefighters responded to a grass fire in the 1000 block of Prairie Drive. Some trash near a dumpster and approximately 10 feet of grass nearby were burned. Cause is unknown.

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SPEAKING

While Pampa's primary municipal water supply comes from Lake Meredith, Truly said it has been out

of compliance with state standards for some time. She said in order to comply with the state law, the city of Pampa uses well water from the Ogallala Aquifer along with the Lake Meredith water.

"This is what brings the municipal water supply

from Pampa into compliance," she said.

Requests to establish a dry waste system of disposal have been made by the group. Dr. Louis Haydon called for the Pampa Economic Development Commission and Gray County Commissioners to make the request.

The attorney general of North Carolina and Smithfield Foods, Inc. have selected technology adapted by Agricultural Research Service scientists in Florence, S.C., to clean up and dispose of manure from swine-production waste water at a 4,360-pig farm in North Carolina's Duplin County, according to the Agricultural Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture.

Haydon said Wednesday morning he learned the new dry waste technology will be used by Smithfield Foods to replace the current lagoons for cleaning waste water in the state's hog operations.

Haydon expressed concern about the nitrates and antibiotics also seeping into the groundwater supply along with the hog waste.

"If this latest technology would be used here, we might not have water contamination," he said. "I'm not against hogs- I'm worried about our water." Bill Philpott of Miami told the group Tuesday

night everyone must remain objective. "I realize people are emotional because it is an emotional issue," he said, "but to get people to listen

we must be objective." "What price progress?," asked Philpott, who lives two-tenths of a mile from the proposed swine facility and a professor emeritus in science.

He said when Seaboard, a pork producing company, was looking at a site nearby, that he began to educate himself. He said he has talked with bankers, educators, business people and many others across the area. He said he felt the most severe challenge was going to be in the schools.

Carl Williamson, also from Miami, said he was approached about a month ago by the Miami mayor who asked him to objectively research the hog issue.

Williamson said he and his wife Shirley returned to Miami about a year ago to retire in the community where he was raised. They had been living in the Dallas area for the past 40 years.

"When I began, I was very objective," he said. "I knew nothing about it. Now, I'm not that objective." Williamson said residents in Kansas and Oklahoma along with Texas told him they thought what more can we ask." the swine industry would bring economic growth.

now rebelling," he said. "Many of those areas are one attending their meetings.

voting people out of office who supported the indus-

Williamson said his hometown is only eight miles from the site. "I moved back here to retire," he said. Calvin Lacy, a Pampa resident, and Bob Lemon, a Perryton attorney, both said they feel the hog opera-

tions would not cause serious concern. Lemon said he has been attorney for North Plains Groundwater for 46 years and no lagoons have been

"It simply has not happened," he said. He said the lagoons seal over and do not leak.

Lemon also said the resources of the Texas Panhandle are designed to have animal agriculture. He said Perryton and Ochiltree County have not reported any significant increase in crime since the influx of hog operations which now number one

He said during the oil boom of the 1980s there was an increase in crime.

Williamson said last week at a meeting that his studies have revealed the areas have increased in

Calvin Lacy said he didn't blame the people who live in the area of the proposed hog facility for being upset, but said he hadn't heard any public complaints about Celanese or Wal-Mart laying off peo-

"I haven't heard anyone saying they were upset by contract employees at Celanese not having insurance," he said.

"If we don't get an agriculture related business in here, what will we get?" he asked.

Lacy said he kept hearing about the negatives of the pork industry but he didn't remember hearing about the severe oil-related accidents and injuries in

He added that if people thought the PEDC Board was an easy job, that they should try it, saying the board members are unpaid. He said, "They are try-

ing to help our economy." Kathleen Greene, a local resident who has attended all the meetings concerning the swine industry the past several weeks, said she felt NPD lied to her at the July 10 meeting when she asked if they had been fined for violations. She said they told her no, and she found out the parent company had been

Richard Stowers, president of the local PEDC, sat at the back of the room of the M.K. Brown Auditorium throughout the two-and-one half hour meeting listening to all comments made by the peo-

Afterwards he said he hadn't changed his mind. "I'm still looking for reasons to convince me that this (NPD) isn't good," he said. "If they meet the requirements and incorporate all aspects into the permit,

Stowers also urged all interested citizens to attend "However, what I saw was that the citizens are the PEDC meetings. He said they rarely have any-

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This change is contingent on approval, not only by the Pampa City Commission, but also on the agreement of the Gray County Commissioners Court and the Gray County Sheriff's Office, Eskridge said.

If approved by commissioners, the north fire station would be closed, eliminating the need for approximately six firefighters.

Eskridge also proposes using contract labor or part time employees for several functions now performed by full-time staff such as the city health inspector, vehicle maintenance, and mowing and summer park maintenance.

The city would contract with the Texas Department of Health for health inspections. Summer help would be hired for the parks and streets work, he said.

He also plans to reduce Lovett Library costs by closing the library on Sundays and Wednesday evenings.

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LAB

Pampa Fire Department personnel were called to the scene to assist with the hazardous materials involved in the alleged methamphetamine lab.

Officers had to wait, however, for an Oklahoma City firm contracted by the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) and the Protection Environmental Agency (EPA) to come to the scene and remove the hazardous

chemicals, he said. Young said police are continuing to investigate the matter and more arrests are possible.

Eskridge said that when possi- Tuesday, Aug. 14, Eskridge said. ble, employees affected by the job A public hearing on the budget is eliminations would be trans- set for Sept. 11, he said. ferred to openings within the city, The proposed budget is based

as a final necessity, laid off These reductions lower budget- assessed for 2000-2001. ed expenses for the coming year by \$329,588, according to the city manager. After absorbing the can expect to save \$490,943 in

2002-2003. City administration and commissioners have met repeatedly in recent weeks, trying to set priorities and discussing ways to increase revenues and control

With the proposed budget in hand, city commissioners plan to meet again at 4 p.m. Thursday in to go into effect, city commissionthe third floor conference room at City Hall for another budget work session.

to meet in regular session on also at Lovett Library.

offered a retirement package, or, on a tax rate of 65 cents per \$100 valuation. The same

No personnel raises are budgeted, either.

Included in this proposal is an transition costs, he said, the city across-the-board rate hike of 60 cents for both the water and sewer minimum bills and a 17 cent per gallon increase for each 1,000 gallons used above the minimum.

> Eskridge said that translates to a \$3.24 per month increase for the average user of 8,000 gallons monthly.

> In order for the increase in rates ers must pass an ordinance. The proposed city budget is

available to the public at the City Commissioners are scheduled Secretary's office in City Hall and

City Briefs

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Weather focus

PAMPA- Today, partly cloudy with a less than 20 percent storms. Highs around 98. South to southwest winds 10 to 20 with a less than 20 percent chance of early evening thunderstorms. Lows near 72. South to southwest winds 5 to 15 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Highs around 97. Thursday night, mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. coast. Highs around 85. Saturday,

chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 60s. Highs 85 to 90.

STATEWIDE Showers developed early Wednesday chance of afternoon thunder- across the Coastal Plains while residents in other parts of Texas were still waiting for rainfall mph. Tonight, partly cloudy from the remnants of Tropical

> Rain was reported from Matagorda Bay to the Beaumont. Wichita Falls and Terrell. area, the National Weather Service said.

It was cloudy along the Rio Grande, in the Hill Country and along the Gulf of Mexico. Early-morning lows ranged

showers and thunderstorms. from the lower 60s in the turning cooler. A chance of north and mid-80s along the mostly clear conditions to pre-

Extremes ranged from 73 mostly cloudy with a slight degrees at Childress and from mid- to upper 90.

Junction to 83 degrees at Palacios and Galveston.

Also, it was 81 degrees at McKinney and above 80 at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport and Waco. Winds were mostly southerly

and southeasterly at 5 to 10 miles an hour. Clouds in North Texas were

scattered from Abilene through

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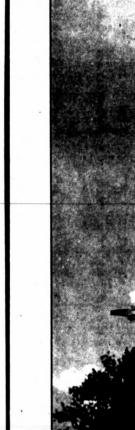
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WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM

White Deer Land Museum (112-116 S. Cuyler) winter visiting hours are 1-4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday. No charge for admission; elevator provided.

FREEDOM MUSEUM

Freedom Museum, USA, 600 N. Hobart is open from 12-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. Revolutionary War to Kosovo. All branches of service are represented. For more information, call 669-6066. LAS PAMPAS WATER GARDEN AND

KOI SOCIETY Las Pampas Water Garden and Koi Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday of each month at First Landmark Building in the Pampa Mall. For more information, contact Sharron Andrew at 665-6138 or Loyd Waters 665-6466

TRALEE CRISIS CENTER

Tralee Crisis Center support groups for victims of Pampa High School Class of 1961 will hold its 40th family violence — both women and children meet every Thursday evening. For more information about adult support groups, call 669-1788, and to inquire about children's support groups, 669-

GIRL SCOUTS

Pampa Girl Scouts meets at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Pampa Girl Scout

House on Kingsmill. PANHANDLE PIECEMAKERS QUILT

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month at Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Planned Parenthood of Amarillo and the Texas Panhandle is changing its hours. It is now open from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 408 W. Kingsmill Ave., #175-A, in Pampa. For more information or for an appointment, call 665-2291. Planned Parenthood is a not-for-profit health care organization serving women and men in 17 offices covering 26 counties in the panhandle.
HIGH PLAINS EPILEPSY ASSOCIA-

TION

High Plains Epilepsy Association of Amarillo, funded in part by Pampa United Way, will have a licensed social worker in Pampa from 9:30-12 noon the second Tuesday of each month at Pampa call 665-8801. Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. The program assists people with epilepsy and their families. To Crown of Texas Hospice will sponsor two make an appointment, contact the Amarillo office at 1-800-806-7236

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The local Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 916 N. Crest. For more information, call Dauna Wilkinson, 665-

PAMPA GARDEN CLUB

Pampa Garden Club meets at 2 p.m. the second Monday of each month from September through May. Meeting location changes monthly.

TEXCARE PARTNERSHIP

programs are available: Children's Health (806) 353-4306.

Insurance Program, Medicaid and Texas Healthy Kids Corp. For more information, call 1-800-647-6558 or 1-888-892-2273

PAMPA PILOTS ASSOCIATION

Pampa Pilots Association meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the Airport Lounge. **BOOKMARK CONTEST**

Lovett Memorial Library is sponsoring a bookmark contest. Entry forms are available at the library. The two winning bookmarks will be printed and used by the library the next year.

BEEF AMBASSADOR CONTEST

Top O' Texas CattleWomen is seeking youth between the ages of 15-19 to compete for the Beef Ambassador Award. For more information, contact Amy Brainard at (806) 323-6397. **CLASS OF 1961**

class reunion this year. Anyone interested in helping plan and organize the event should contact Zip Swaney at 665-5532.

HARRINGTON HOUSE

The 2001 tour season for Harrington House, 1600 S. Polk, Amarillo, is in full swing. Built in 1914 by cattlemen John and Pat Landergin, the house was acquired in 1940 and preserved by Don and Sybil Harrington. The hour-long tours are conducted from 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, April through mid-December. There is no admission fee. For more information call (806) 374-5490.

CLARENDON COLLEGE LRC Clarendon College Learning Resource Center will be open from 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Monday and Wednesday, from 7:30 a.m.-8 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday and will be closed Friday-Sunday.

Regular hours will resume Aug. 27.
CCPC OTC PROGRAM

Enrollment for Clarendon College's Office Technology Certificate (OTC) Program and Machining Technology Program (MTP) is currently under way at Clarendon College-Pampa Center. Both programs can be completed in ninemonths. OTC classes begin Aug. 13 and MTP classes Aug. 30. Scholarships, loans and pell grants are available. Graduates will receive free job placement assistance. For more information,

SUNSHINE LUNCH

Sunshine (bereavement) Luncheons this month. The first is scheduled at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 16 at K-Bob's Steakhouse in Amarillo and the second at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Aug. 22, at Dyer's Bar-B-Que in Pampa. Cost to participants is between \$5 and \$8. For more information, call 1-800-572-6365 or (806) 372-7696.

ACS LOOK GOOD ... FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society will present the program "Look Good ... Feel Better" from 1-3 p.m. Aug. 18 at the ACS office at 3915 Bell Street in Amarillo. The program is aimed at helping cancer patients cope with the unpleasant side effects of Texcare Partnership is the New Children's Health cancer treatments. Cosmetology professionals will Insurance campaign developed especially for demonstrate techniques how to compensate for Texas families with uninsured children, birth hair loss through the use of turbans and scarves. through age 18. The following health insurance To register or for more information, call the ACS at

CELESTIAL ARTS CONTEST

Celestial Arts is sponsoring a free poetry contest. The grand prize winner will receive \$1,000. To enter, send one poem of 21 lines or less to: Celestial Arts, P.O. Box 1140, Talent, OR 97540 or log on to www.freecontest.com. The deadline for entering is Aug. 29.

ACT EXAM

The next ACT Assessment will be administered Sept. 22. College-bound high school students must register for the college admissions and placement test by Aug. 17, the postmark deadline. The late registration postmark deadline is Aug. 31 and carries an additional fee. For more information, contact your school counselor or visit www.act.org on the World Wide Web.

FALL RETREAT

Sept. 28-30 at New Beginnings near Channing. The Web.

deadline for registration is Aug. 31. Cost is \$97 (two per room) and will include food, lodging and transportation from Pampa. Forms are available at the church, 203 N. West. For more information, call 669-1155 or contact Kathryn Green at 669-0148. **TPTF GRANTS**

The application deadline for this y ear's Texas Preservation Trust Fund (TPTF) grant program is Friday, Aug. 31, 2001. Completed applications must be submitted to Texas Historical Commission offices by 5 p.m. Eligible projects include archeological sites; commercial buildings; public buildings (schools, city halls, etc.); unique historic structures (bridges, water towers, etc.); comprehensive preservation plans; and Visionaries in Preservation Training and Preservation Education Training projects. For more information, call (512) 463-6094 or First Baptist Church Women's Fall Retreat will be access www.thc.state.tx.us on the World Wide

WOW Car Wash



Gray County 4-Hers (left-right) Nick Miller, Emily Elliott and Cory Jackson scrub down Vic Laramore's panel truck as part of a car wash fund-raiser recently. The students part of the "Wonders of Washington Group" - are raising money to travel to the nation's capitol in July 2002. The group will hold its final car wash of the summer at 9 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 11, in the National Bank of Commerce parking lot. WOW members encourage citizens to bring their vehicles to be washed for a donation and thank those who have generously supported their previous two car washes.

WHAT'S YOUR LIFE WORTH Ask your City Commissioner

Fire Fighters jobs are at stake and this means you and your families lives are at stake.

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- D. Delaying Fire Fighters efforts to reach the fire by reducing the number on a first alarm.
- Cutting 6 positions will mean losing 12 jobs (including spouses) in our city, and children in our schools. All this at a time when we are trying to recruit new business and families to our city.

The Pampa Fire Department has cut over 36% of its workforce since 1990. Any future cuts will seriously hurt the citizens of Pampa.

As Fire Fighters and taxpayers we do not want to raise taxes any more than you do. If the Fire Department is cut any more, this will cost the taxpayers one way or the other. There are other options!

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Girl Resists Parents' Plea To Get Out There and Play

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DEAR ABBY: I am writing because I have no one else who will give me advice. I am a freshman in high school and have never really been interested in playing sports. I am on the speech team, math club and newspaper staff.

My parents feel that I have to play a sport. They have paid for lessons in dance and tennis, but I really have no interest in playing. I even tried to make the dance team to please them, but I didn't make it. They just don't seem to understand that I don't like sports. Today I had my tennis lesson and played really bad. I tried, but I must have had an

When I got in the car, my parents chewed me out. They said I was lazy, and I was going to play a sport whether I liked it or not. I like to play tennis occasionally, but I'm not in love with it.

Can you help me get the message across to them that I don't want to play sports, nor do I like them? Please help!

ELLEN IN FRANKLIN, TENN.

DEAR ELLEN: You have my sympathy. I took tennis lessons for seven months straight. At the end of that time the only person I could rally with was my instructor because no matter where I hit the ball, he could manage to get it back to me. No one else was so generous. So the answer to the question, "Tennis, anyone?" is, "Perhaps. But not everyone."

Your parents may be trying to teach you the importance of being physically fit as well as intellectually active. Exercise relieves stress, tones muscles

Dear Abby

Is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips

and burns calories, to mention only a few of the plusses. A compromise may be in order. Rather than taking tennis lessons, ask them if you can join a gym and agree to go there three or four times a week for cardiovascular exercise and some weight-training with professional supervision. You'll be

learning health habits that will

last a lifetime — and it will get

you off your rusty-dusty.

DEAR ABBY: Your letters about putting cash or checks in sympathy cards remind me of the one and only time I was the recipient of such a gift. In 1966, my first husband, Barry, committed suicide, leaving me a widow at age 26. We were living in Los Angeles. Barry worked for a mail courier service and got to know an African-American gentleman who was a supervisor at the post office. He and his wife became

our friends, and it was they who tucked a few bills in their sympathy card. It made me wonder if they came from a wiser and more generous culture than I did.

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I will always remember Ben and Claire Gibson for their precious gift of friendship and the opportunity to get to know their friends and family. Thanks to that beginning, I have been open to and able to form other such precious friendships. I've lost contact with them, but if they are still on this Earth, I hope they will read this. You may print my

JOCELYN KEENAN HOWELLS, PORTLAND, ORE.

DEAR JOCELYN: You're right. The gift of their friendship was more valuable and long-lasting than the money. I, too, hope they read your letter.

Dear Abby is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

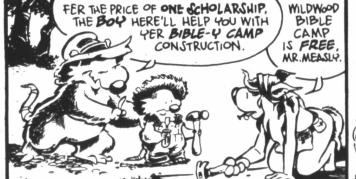
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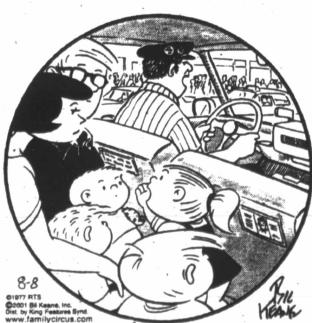
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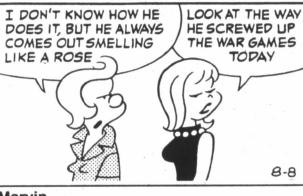
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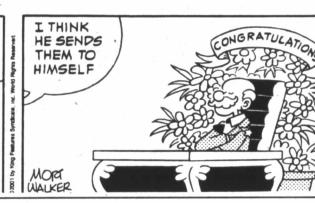
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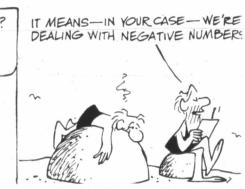




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I have a lot of stress in my life and just don't know how to cope with it. Any suggestions? When the roof caves in at your house, when your little girl gets the measles or your teen-ager flunks a course in school or your spouse gets laid off at work, how do you cope with the stress?

Your question reminds me of an old baseball story about Bill Clem, a famous National League umpire. He used to have a habit of hesitating a minute before signaling a ball or a strike. It was a quirk of his. One day there was this hotshot young pitcher on the mound who would fire away, and Bill Clem would take his time calling the pitch.

Finally, in about the sixth inning, the kid was getting irritated. He threw one crucial pitch and then just couldn't help yelling, "Come on, Bill.

Clem pulled off his face mask, stared the kid down, and said, "It ain't nothing 'til I call it something."

Well, that's kind of the way it is in life. We can't stop the curve balls from coming our way, but we do get the privilege of deciding what to call them. You can determine whether a stressful time is the most horrible, terrible, unfair thing that ever happened to you, or whether it's just another common problem that you'll manage to get through somehow.

Remember also that the way you react is being watched carefully by your kids. If we show them that we can cope, they'll also be more likely to handle their stress more easily.

How do you feel about "no-fault divorce" laws, which allow for the dissolution of marriage without cause? - If one party wants out, he or she can get out. Has that been a good policy?

The concept of "no-fault divorce" was introduced in California in 1969, making it the first jurisdiction in the Western world to radically alter its divorce law. In the next 15 years, every state in the U.S. adopted some form of no-fault legislation. The idea took the nation by storm.

Statistical evidence for the past three decades verifies that no-fault divorce has been a disaster for the family. According to Statistical Abstracts of the United States, the number of divorcees in this country has increased by 279 percent since these laws began taking effect in 1970. The number of children living with a divorce parent has increased 352 percent in that same period. Demographer Dr.. Paul Glick has predicted that one-third of all children will live in a stepfamily before they reach their 18th birthday.

I agree with those who contend that the liberalization of divorce laws undermined the sanctity of the home and condemned millions of children to a life of poverty and heartache.

In essence, no-fault divorce laws have effectively nullified the act of marriage, making it an unenforceable contract. A person can abandon his or her family more easily than that person can abrogate any other agreement that bears his signature. Of greatest concern is the welfare of the husband or wife who is unwillingly confronted with divorce, custody battles and rejection. That responsible individual has absolutely no power in the dissolution of the family. But the other spouse, even the person who chases after a younger playmate or a "grand new freedom," is the one in

There is a lesson to be learned from this regrettable exercise in social engineering. The institution of the family is the basic unit of society -- the ground floor on which the entire culture rests. If it collapses, everything of value will go down with it. We should never tamper with it frivolously or undermine its rationale for existence.

Dr. Dobson is president of the nonprofit organization Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO. 80903; or www.family.org Questions and answers are excerpted from "Solid Answers," published by Tyndale House.

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PAMPA — Pampa High tennis workouts begin Thursday at the PHS courts. Varsity and junior varsity players are to report at 8 a.m., and freshmen at 3 p.m.

GOLF

PAMPA — Harry Frye shot his age (84) at the Pampa Country Club on Tuesday, Aug. 7.

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Cowboys owner to expand interest in second-tier teams

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) from his purchase of an ment in the Arena League. Cowboys owner Jerry Jones begin in spring 2002. and his family as sites for sec-League teams known as af2s.

Corpus Christi, San Antonio, tions." Waco and the Rio Grande Wednesday's editions.

than others," the source said. age in negotiating with the Jones has said that Arena "None earlier than 2003."

Jones' latest plans to expand talks become difficult. his interest in the Arena Jones has revealed little the NFL, requiring players Football League is separate about his family's involve- with different skills.

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The areas include Austin, El although Jones and center according to the source. Paso, Lubbock, Laredo, officials are "still in negotia-

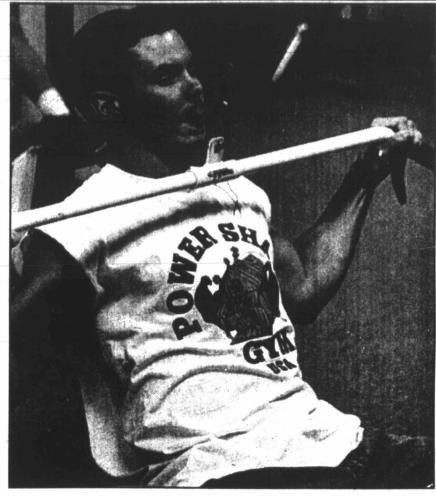
 As many as a half-dozen expansion Arena Football NFL owners are expected to Texas cities are reportedly League team for the Dallas- approve the purchase of 49.9 being considered by Dallas Fort Worth area, which is to percent of the Arena League before March 30. So far, the That team is expected to NFL has only acquired the ond-tier Arena Football play in the new American option to do that. A vote could Airlines Center in Dallas, come as early as this fall,

The projection is that 20 or more NFL owners eventually The report said Jones recent- will have an investment in the Valley, a source told the Fort ly bought land in Frisco, a Far Arena League. The possibili-Worth Star-Telegram in North Dallas suburb. Another ties of involvement has source suggested that the pur-increased significantly since "Some may start sooner chase could give Jones lever- the start of af2 in March 2000. American Airlines Center if League Football is exciting and "a different game" than

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(Pampa News photo)

Ionathan Polk of Pampa concentrates on the front lat pulldown during the Strength and Conditioning Challenge held recently at the Pampa Youth Center. The Challenge also included contestants doing the bench press, military press, preacher curls, leg curls and squats.

Texas League Second Half

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By The Associated Press **Eastern Division** WL Wichita (Royals) 32 Tulsa (Rangers) 29 16 21/2x-Arkansas (Angels) .422 15 Shreveport (Giants) Western Division WL San Antonio(Mariners) 27

Report: Bradley to re-sign with **Mavericks in Dallas Wednesday**

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas ed the signing will be announced at agent center Shawn Bradley will re- morning. sign with the team, giving its center position a much needed boost, ing a seven-year deal worth more according to a published report.

Mavericks have confirmed that free- a news conference on Wednesday

Bradley was believed to be seekthan \$30 million, the newspaper The Dallas Morning News report-said. 7 rebounds per game last year.

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Fall bowling leagues for 2001-2002 are League: Chamber Merchant; Meeting forming now at Harvester Lanes. The fall schedule is as follows:

LADIES DIVISION

Day and time: 9:30 a.m. Tuesdays; League: Harvester Women; Meeting date: League: Church League; Meeting date: Limit 1 per person Exp. 9/30/01 Aug. 21; Starting date: Aug. 28. Day and time: 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays;

League: Ladies Trio; Meeting date: Aug. 22; Starting date: Aug. 29.

Day and time: 6:25 p.m. Thursdays;

League: Lone Star; Meeting date: Aug. 23; Starting date: Aug. 30.

MIXED DIVISION

Day and time: 7 p.m. Mondays; League: Day and time: 4 p.m. Tuesdays; League: (Seniors, 50 plus); Meeting date: Sept. 10; Starting date: Sept. 17.

Day and time: 7 p.m. Tuesdays; League: Day and time: 10:30 a.m. Saturdays; date: Aug. 28.

Starting date: Aug. 28.

Day and time: 7 p.m. Wednesdays; League: Wednesday Nite Mixed; Meeting date: Aug. 22; Starting date: Aug. 29. Day and time: 6:30 p.m. Thursdays; date: Aug. 23; Starting date: Aug. 30. Day and time: 7 p.m. Fridays; League:

Harvester Combo; Meeting date: Aug. 17; Starting date: Aug. 24.

Day and time: 6:30 p.m. Saturdays; Aug. 25; Starting date: Sept. 8.

Day and time: 8:30 p.m. Thursdays; League: Caprock; Meeting date: Aug. 23; Starting date: Aug. 30.

YOUTH DIVISION

After School; Meeting date: Aug. 28; Starting date: Sept. 4.

Casino; Meeting date: Aug. 21; Starting League: Pee Wees; Meeting date: Sept. 8; Starting date: Sept. 8.

Day and time: 7 p.m. Tuesdays; League: Day and time: 10:30 a.m. Saturdays: Hits & Misses; Meeting date: Aug. 14; League: Youth League; Meeting date: Sept. 8; Starting date: Sept. 8.

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GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court, 223rd Judicial District, Gray County, Texas at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty days from the date of service of this citation then and there to answer the Petition of TERESA MAY CAROL BEN-NETT filed in said Court on the 1st day of June, 2001, against MELVIN ANDREW BENNETT, Respondent(s) and said suit being numbered 32235 on the docket of said Court, and entitled; IN THE MATTER OF MARRIAGE OF TERESA MAY CAROL BENNETT AND MEL-VIN ANDREW BEN-

the nature of which suit is a request to DIVORCE The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judg-ment or decree dissolving the marriage and provid-ing for the division of property which will be binding on you. ISSUED AND GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court at Pampa, Texas, this the 1st day o August 2001.

1 Public Notice

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BY JACQUELINE BIGAR The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll

ARIES (March 21-April 19) **** You drive a hard bargain. You work a problem as many ways as possible to find the best solution. Act with the knowledge that your resource-

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ** Your active mind often bubbles with thoughts that seem disconnected. Give yourself the luxury of writing down some of your fleeting ideas, and you'll the proud Bull and ask. Tonight: Cocoon.

occupation. Tonight: Out and about.

the midnight oil. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

fulness works for you. Bring others into work, despite someone's attempt to dis-

Don't stall or ask someone else to do

your dirty work. Tonight: Snuggle in.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) *** Seek out information, even if your traditional sources don't hold up. you remain focused. Though your sense Keep asking questions and searching for of humor could be a bit off, visiting with see a common thread. A partner or dear answers. Though you might not realize others has many rewards. Tonight: You friend helps you. Simply give up being it, others work with you. Practice certainly have a lot of choices. patience and you'll get excellent results. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Someone puts his cards on the table. Tonight: Accept an invitation

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ** * Easy does it when dealing with Make calls, spread your wings and net- co-workers. Sometimes the Scorpion tired. Perhaps you don't have to jump work. Respond to an invitation that comes off bossy when he only wants to quite as high to demonstrate your effimight mix pleasure into your day-to-day get the job done. Honor a flashing yellow ciency. Tonight: Clear your desk at light from your checkbook. Have you gone overboard lately? Higher-ups give you a lot of opinions. Tonight: Off to the

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) strength in the workplace. Others trust *** Staying in the here and now you. Motivate those around you who might be difficult, as your mind wanders

might not be team players. Tonight: Burn to better times and happier places. Your spontaneity triggers multiple results from different people. You might say you are **** Reach out for others, and the Energizer Bunny right now! A partyou'll be greeted with cheerfulness. ner warms up with you around. Tonight:

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

*** Deal with associates from an Both add a lot to your life. Tonight: Get instinctual level. Your knee-jerk reac-

> *** As long as you aren't distracted, you'll hit the bull's-eye. Look around. Note all your cheerleaders and fans. Nothing is impossible as long as

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CANCER (June 21-July 22) * * * * What others can't accomplish. you can. Your ability to organize and energize those close to you adds to your

Perhaps you don't realize how much others appreciate you. Look around. Express your gratefulness to a friend and a child. tickets for a game or concert. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

gym to get some exercise.

Someone might even dance a jig.

Run out the door, as you have been want-

tions bring the type of results you want. On a subliminal level, you "'pick up" ** * Choose your words carefully. A more than you realize. You trust your close friend or loved one certainly knows abilities — learn to trust your instincts, how to spice up your life. Stay on top of as well. Tonight: Let someone dote on AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

Psychologist Jean Piaget (1896), athlete

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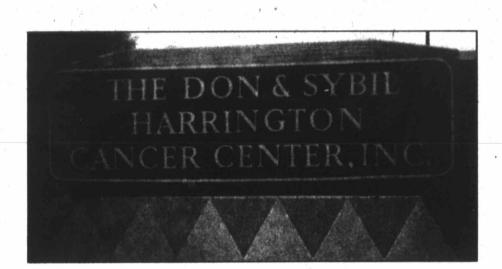
Peggy and Roger David enjoy the ir attractive backyard. It will be the site of this year's Circle of Friends Party.

The Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer, Inc. provides treatments to cancer patients from throughout the Texas Panhandle, New Mexico Oklahoma. Many patients from Pampa and the surrounding area have traveled to Amarillo for their treatments.

Circle Friends



Left, Janice Porter and **Evelyn Johnson address** invitations as are, right, Sara Carmichael and Martindale. Sarah Although some invitations are mailed out, everyone is invited to attend the Saturday event,



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Circle of Friends is the local volunteer support group of The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center.

Many communities throughout Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico have a local group to assist their local citizens who are taking cancer treatments at the Harrington Facility in Amarillo.

The purpose of the group is to support cancer patients and their families who live in the Panhandle area. This group is not affiliated with the American Cancer Society and does not receive funds or duplicate American Cancer Society programs.

The annual membership drive for the Circle of Friends is the one major source of funding to the group. Membership parties are held in surrounding area towns each spring and summer.

With this money, The Circle of Friends is able to provide financial support to cancer patients and their families who might otherwise have difficulty in funding services not covered by insurance or not available through other agencies.

The Circle of Friends helps cancer patients become cancer survivors because of their help. The patients have enough worries while taking treatments. This group will help by funding additional needed services.

The Pampa Circle of Friends annual Backyard Dinner Party will be Aug. 12 at the home of Peggy and Roger David.

Anyone seeking additional information should contact any of the host couples.





Lora and John Mark Baggerman Martha and Bob Campbell Sue and Hal Cree Peggy and Roger David Anita and Duane Harp **Sharron and Ron Hurst** Stephanie and Scott Lowe Carol and Dawson Orr Janice and Lee Porter Nancy and Mike Ruff

Janyth and Charles Bowers Sara and Doug Carmichael Faustina and John Curry Ramona and Bill Hite **Evelyn Johnson** Robbie and Jim Pepper Kim and Harold Price Linda and Howard Reed Jamie and Scott White

Shannon and Butch Buck Julie and Milton Cooke Gayle and Joe Curtis Kristi and David Fatheree Jennifer and David Hampton **Kerrick and Bennie Horton** Stephanie and Greg Kelly Sherry and Jack McCavit Sarah and Russell Martindale Lisa and Dan Pepper **Kendra and Gregor Reeves** Dana and Bebo Terry





Jennifer Hampton, pictured above, along with Peggy David, are the board members representing Pampa at the Harrington Cancer Center.

Knights of Columbus Jack Albracht, Neal Hoelting, Kenny Gerber, Doug Ware and Wes Hukill will prepare dinner for the party along with the Texas Cattle Exchange.