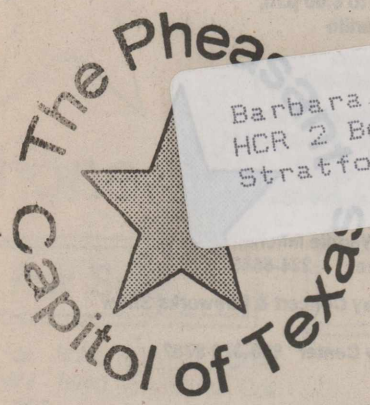


The Stratford Star will be closed on Monday, May 28, 2001 for Memorial Day, deadline is Friday, May 25th at 12 noon for May 31, 2001 issue.



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## Sherman County Tour Big Success

Sherman County Tour Saturday, May 19 was a great success, weather was perfect. Approximately 25-30 persons participated-Pictures and stories will follow in later issues of the Star.

## Annual Memorial Day Service To Be Held

Stratford Chamber of Commerce announces plans for the Annual Memorial Day Service, May 28, 2001. The 4-H Horse Club will present the program. This program honors members of all the wars and military conflicts in recent history. Max Stephenson and his group of volunteers will decorate the graves starting at 7:00 a.m. on this Monday. Anyone who would like to help is encouraged to be at the Cemetery at 7:00. Max stated that currently, 200 graves are decorated. The Women's Division of the Chamber will supply refreshments starting at 9:00 a.m. The program will begin at 9:30 a.m. and last approximately 30 minutes. Since Stratford is celebrating the centennial, did you know our cemetery has Nine Civil War Veterans? For their names, refer to the *God, Grass and Grit Vol. 1*. Everyone is invited to this service. Bring your lawn chair, as bench seating will be limited.

## Miss Farm Bureau Queen & Talent Contest To Be Held June 8th

The Miss Farm Bureau Queen and Talent Contest will be held June 8 at 7:00 p.m. at the Sherman County Farm Bureau Bldg.

Entries may be picked up at Farm Bureau or with Jennifer DeAnda. Deadline for entries is May 25, 2001. Must be 16-19 years old.

For further information, please call Gracie at 396-5538 or Jennifer at 396-2782.

## Centennial Cookbook Recall

The Centennial Cookbook has 100 many mistakes, some minor, some major. The Cookbook will have pages reprinted and rebound therefore, all Centennial Cookbooks should be returned to be corrected. Books should be returned to the place they were purchased. Arrangements will be made for cookbooks sent out of town.

The cookbook committee will meet at the Extension office May 29 at 9:30 to review corrections. If you have found mistakes, please make a note of page and correction and given them to someone on the committee or take them to the Extension Office.

We apologize for this inconvenience.

Gaynelle Riffe,  
Centennial Chairman



## New Junior High Principal Announced

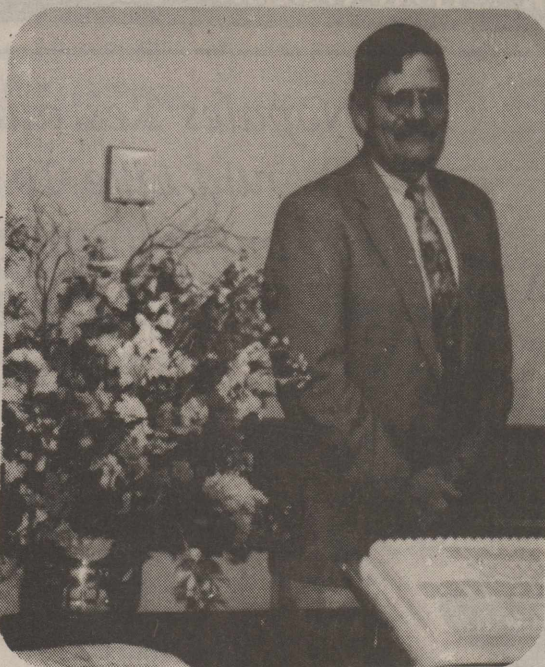
Stratford ISD is pleased to announce the employment of Mr. Mike Fitzwater as Junior High Principal. Mr. Fitzwater has been an administrator with the Grapevine-Colleyville Independent School District in the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex area. His career began as a teacher/coach in small towns in Kansas proceeding the 14 years of administrative experience. The Fitzwater family is looking forward to the small town values Stratford has to offer. Mr. Fitzwater moves to Stratford with his wife Kelli, and children, Mikaela, 8; Daniel, 6; David, 4; and Malachi, 18 months. The Fitzwaters will be in Stratford by the first of July. Stratford welcomes the Fitzwaters.

## Mexican Pile-on Dinner

We have been invited to play in the 2001 Down Under Bowl in Australia June 17-July 2. We are very honored to have been chosen to participate in this prestigious All-Star program. We will be playing in the American football tournament featuring All-Star teams from all over the United States and from Australia and New Zealand.

To help defray the cost of the trip, we are having a Mexican Pile-On at the County Barn in Stratford on June 3. We will be serving lunch starting at 11 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Free will donation. Please come as your donation will help us to participate in this once in a lifetime opportunity.

Corey, Gilbert and Sid.



## Fesler Honored

Shown at left: Sherman County Judge W.C. (Bill) Fesler was honored with a retirement reception on Saturday, May 19, 2001.

## Memorial Day Team Roping-Fund Raiser For Down Under Bowl Contestants

Come rope and help support Corey Naugle, Sid Resendes & Gilbert Gutierrez earn their way to Down Under Bowl in Australia. The roping will be on Monday, May 28, 2001. Books open at 1:30 p.m. and rope at 2 p.m. The roping will be held at the Stratford County Arena.

4 hd for \$24 @ team

The #2 1/2 will be first and then #3 1/2 roping. For more information call Randy McCracken at 806-727-4683.

The Stratford High School Rodeo Club will have the concession stand. They will be serving barbecue sandwiches, chips & drinks at 1 p.m. Mark Miller and Twila Young are trying to earn \$500. This will allow them next year, to join Tri-State High School Rodeo Association so, they can say they are representing Stratford High School.

## Dryland, Irrigated Wheat Featured On A Tour May 31

On May 31, dryland and irrigated wheat production at two test sites in or near three Texas panhandle counties will showcase growing conditions unique to this region, say organizers with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service, sponsors of the event.

"This year, our efforts have been focused on taking the field day to the grower, and making recommendations based on their local situations," said Brent Bean, agronomist with the Extension Service at Amarillo.

Instead of the traditional events at Etter or Bushland, A&M scientists, specialists, and county

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## Stratford ISD Summer Food Program

The Stratford Independent School District announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service program. Meals will be provided at the Stratford ISD Cafeteria. We will feed breakfast and lunch Monday through Friday from June 4th until June 29th. Breakfast will be from 8:10 a.m. until 8:25 a.m. Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The Summer Food Service program provides free meals to all children from age 1 to 18. These meals provide essential nutrients for active, growing kids.

To participate in the free meals program all kids have to do is show up at the above times. You don't need proof of income. You don't need proof of age. You don't need to register. You don't need meal tickets. SORRY THIS PROGRAM IS FOR THE CHILDREN ONLY ADULTS MAY NOT PARTICIPATE.

People who are eligible to participate in the program must not be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion, or political belief. Anyone who believes that they have been discriminated against should write immediately to: Director, Civil Rights Division, MC W-106, Texas Department of Human Services, P.O. Box 149030, Austin, Texas 78714-9030 or the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250. NOTE: Discrimination complaints based on religion or political beliefs must be referred only to the Director, Civil Rights Division, and Texas Department of Human Services.



Thea James



Adam J. Ford

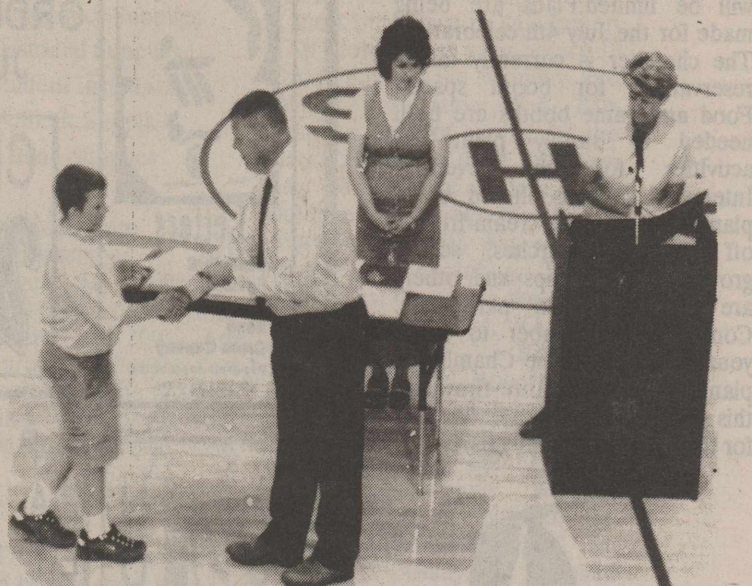
## James & Ford Receive Scholarships

First Ag Credit, FCS-Dalhart Credit Office recently awarded the Burke Bell Memorial Scholarship to Thea D. James of Kerrick and Adam J. Ford of Hartley. This is the fifteenth year this Scholarship has been awarded to deserving graduating high school seniors in the amount of \$500.00 each. The award is named in honor of Burke Bell who served as manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Dalhart from 1960-1982. Applicant's were selected from the Association's territory of Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore counties.

James is the daughter of Ben Tom and Gayla James and plans to attend Texas Tech University. Her major will be Exercise and Sports Sciences and plans to

pursue a career as an Athletic Trainer or Therapist. While attending Stratford High School she has been involved as head cheerleader, captain of basketball team, track, vice president of Future Farmers of America, student council, annual staff and Future Homemakers of America.

Ford is the son of Donald & Terry Ford and plans to attend Lubbock Christian University. His major will be Environmental Science and plans to pursue a career as a Zoologist or Animal Nutritionist. While attending Hartley High School he has served as vice president of his class for Sophomore, Junior and Senior years, varsity basketball, National Honor Society, UIL Academic-Current Events and Track.



Awards Ceremony for 5th-7th grade was held last Tuesday, May 15th. Jr. High Principal Eddie Metcalf is shown presenting 6th Grade student Eric Riffe with his certificate. Also shown is Janie Navarette and Linda Swain.

## 2001 SUMMER BASEBALL SEASON SCHEDULE

Tuesday, May 29 TB Marlins v. Braves MP Cardinals v. Reds LL Indians v. Marlins	Monday, June 11 TB Marlins v. Braves MP Cardinals v. Cubs LL Indians v. Reds
Thursday, May 31 TB Braves v. Rangers MP Reds v. Cubs LL Marlins v. Reds	Tuesday, June 12 TB Braves v. Rangers MP Cardinals v. Reds LL Reds v. Texhoma Rangers at Stratford LL Indians v. Texhoma Dodgers at Texhoma
Friday, June 1 TB Rangers v. Marlins MP Cubs v. Cardinals LL Reds v. Indians	Thursday, June 14 TB Rangers v. Marlins MP Cubs v. Texhoma Red at Stratford MP Cardinals v. Texhoma White at Texhoma LL Indians v. Marlins
Monday, June 4 TB Braves v. Marlins MP Reds v. Cardinals LL Marlins v. Indians	Monday, June 18 TB Braves v. Marlins MP Reds v. Cubs LL Marlins v. Reds
Tuesday, June 5 TB Rangers v. Braves MP Cubs v. Reds LL Indians v. Texhoma Rangers at Texhoma LL Marlins v. Texhoma Dodgers at Stratford	Tuesday, June 19 TB Rangers v. Braves MP Cubs v. Cardinals LL Marlins v. Texhoma Rangers at Texhoma LL Reds v. Texhoma Dodgers at Stratford
Thursday, June 7 TB Marlins v. Rangers MP Cardinals v. Texhoma Red at Texhoma MP Reds v. Texhoma White at Stratford LL Reds v. Marlins	Thursday, June 21 TB Marlins v. Rangers MP Reds v. Texhoma Red at Texhoma MP Cubs v. Texhoma White at Stratford LL Reds v. Indians

All T-Ball games will start at 6:00 at the new field.  
All Machine Pitch games will start at 7:30 at the new field (warm-up at 7:00).  
All Little League games will start at 7:00 at the old field.  
All games in Texhoma will start at 7:00.  
Awards will be presented Thursday, June 21 after all games have finished and the Reds have returned to Stratford.  
First team listed (with the exception of games at Texhoma) is the home team.

## CONCESSION STAND SCHEDULE

Tuesday, May 29 - MP Cubs	Monday, June 11 - LL Marlins
Thursday, May 31 - MP Cardinals	Tuesday, June 12 - TB Marlins
Friday, May 1 - MP Reds	Thursday, June 14 - MP Reds
Monday, June 4 - LL Reds	Monday, June 18 - TB Rangers
Tuesday, June 5 - LL Reds	Tuesday, June 19 - TB Braves
Thursday, June 7 - LL Indians	Thursday, June 21 - TB Braves

The concession stand needs to be set up at 5:30, ready to open at 6:00 and cleaned up each night.



## Retirement Reception Held

A retirement reception was held Sunday afternoon at the Cafeteria honoring left to right Cagle Kendrick, for 20 years of service, Sonja Kendrick-25 years, Jeannie Boggs, 20 years and Sonja Ragsdale for 22 years.



**Obits**

Herb Folsom, age 88 died Saturday, May 19th, 2001. Services pending at presstime.

**Chamber Of Commerce News**  
By Paula Nusz

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce has now received all of the Commemorative buckles from the Foundry. If you have pre-ordered a buckle, it is now available for pick up. Remember these buckles as gifts for graduates and Father's day. A display of the commemorative items has been placed at the Bank. The buckles are selling fast, so don't wait too long before your purchase. Both styles of buckles are available at the Chamber office; and the Pewter Buckles are also available at the Museum.

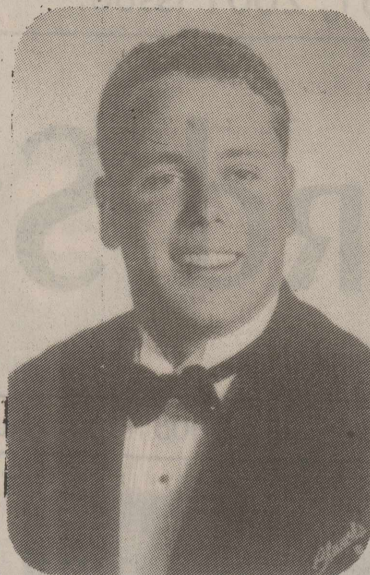
Just a small note, if anyone has bought the Centennial cookbook, please return it to the place of purchase. Many errors have been found, and a re-print is scheduled. The new and improved books should be ready in June.

The Retail Merchants committee has mailed surveys to all businesses in Stratford and Sherman County. Please take a minute to answer the survey, and return it to the Chamber office. Personal visits will begin soon to help with the survey if needed. If your business did not receive a survey, please contact the Chamber for a copy. The Chamber needs your response to better serve the businesses in our area.

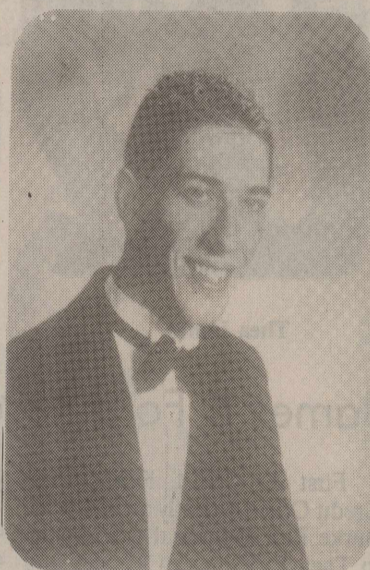
The Memorial Day service is planned for Monday, May 28th. The 4-H Horse Club will provide the program (beginning at 9:30 a.m.) The Women's Division of the Chamber will provide refreshments (available at 9:00 a.m.) Max Stephenson and his group of volunteers will begin decorating the graves at 7:00 a.m. and anyone is welcome to help with the project. The community is invited to attend this service. Bring your lawn chair as bench seating will be limited. Plans are being made for the July 4th celebration. The chamber is currently taking reservations for booth spaces. Food and game booths are both needed to supply plenty of activities for the evening. Interested persons should begin planning for the ice cream freeze-off contest. Churches, school groups, youth groups and others are encouraged to participate. Contact the Chamber to make your reservation. The Chamber is planning for even more fireworks this year. Mark your calendar now for this great community party!



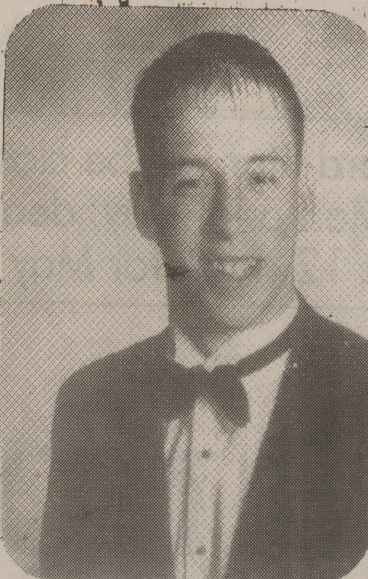
**Texhoma High School  
Valedictorians &  
Salutatorian Named**



Mitch Trammell



Joshua Stone



Austin Elliott

Texhoma High School Valedictorian with a grade point average of 3.8 is Mitch Trammell son of Cliff and Jane Trammell. His activities were Football (captain), Basketball (captain), Golf academic team (captain, class vice president, NHS president, Youth group, FCA. Special honors Outstanding Youth of the Year, all district football, Daily Oklahoman and Tulsa World All State Honorable Mention.

Also Valedictorian for Texhoma High school is Joshua Aaron Stone with a grade point average of 3.8. He is the son of David Stone and Melody Lemmones.

Activities for Joshua included District Band Contest, State Band Contest, Academic Team, National Honor Society, NHS Treasurer, Church Youth group.

Scholarships are OSU Valedictorian Scholarship, Texhoma Fire Dept. Scholarship.

Salutatorian is Austin Elliot with a grade point average of 3.71. He is the son of Andy Elliott & Lisa Dooley.

Austin activities have included Basketball 4 years, football 4 years, track 3 years, FFA 4 years, FFA Secretary 3 years; FFA President Sr. Year; National Honor Society, Vice President 2 years; Sr. Class President.

**Spirit Camp 2001**

The Stratford High School Varsity Cheerleaders will be hosting the annual Spirit Camp on June 11-14. Times for the camp are as follows: Kindergarten thru 6th Grade (as of Fall 2001) will meet from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 and Junior High Cheerleaders will meet from 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Participants attending the clinic will receive individual instruction by age group and learn cheers and pom routines. Each participant who completes camp will be invited to help lead cheers at a home football game next fall and will also participate in the first Pep Rally.

The camp fee is \$30.00 (\$25.00 if pre-registered by May 23), \$25.00 for the 2nd child in the same family attending (\$20.00 if 2nd child is pre-registered by May 23), and \$10.00 for a camp t-shirt (optional).

For more information contact Judy Stoy 366-3336 or any varsity Cheerleader.

**Newburn & Acevedo Receive Degrees**

Two students from Stratford received degrees and certificates from Amarillo College during Commencement ceremonies on Friday, May 11 at the Amarillo Civic Center.

The graduates are: Robert Newburn with a Certificate in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement and Magdalena Acevedo with an Associate Degree in Applied Science in Radiography/Technician.

Advance registration is underway through May 21 for the Summer 2001 sessions, regular registration is Thursday, May 29 in Amarillo with classes beginning on June 4.

Registration for the Fall 2001 semester will be August 22-23 in Amarillo and those classes begin Monday, August 27. For more information, call 371-5030.

**Arts in the Arena**

By Gaynelle Riffe

- May 26,27,28 Final Funfest noon to 8:00 p.m. Thompson Park, Amarillo
- June 7- Aug 19 "TEXAS" Musical Drama Palo Duro Canyon 806-666-2181
- June 16 Kristin Chenoweth Special Event Amarillo Little Theatre 806-355-9991
- June 22-24 "Ain't Misbehavin'" Amarillo Little Theatre 806-355-9991
- Aug 2 & 3 Rooster Morris and Waddle Mitchell Dalhart LaRita Theatre 224-5646
- Sept. 3 Spectacular Labor Day Concert & Fireworks Show Amarillo Symphony Harrington Discovery Center 806-376-8782

**Scot News**

By Jack Gore

This weeks activities include Board meeting Tuesday, luncheon Thursday and Dance Saturday. We will be having local entertainers this week at our luncheon. Bring a dish, and prospective member and have a great meal and lots of fun.

Sign up sheets will be available for Bus outings. When 10 names are signed up, then we will pick a date to go.

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## Timis Tidbits

By Timi Brown

Happy day to you Sherman County Old Timers, readers, citizens this cool forty six degree Fahrenheit, Monday May 21, 2001.

We are glad to be at 811 N. 4th after our brief stay at Dumas Memorial Hospital where we renewed former acquaintance. We wish to thank Jim Lanning and EMS for helping out an special thanks to Dr. Bassett for his caring for us at Dumas and after coming home.

On Sunday, May 20, 2001, we attended a deacon ordination which was called in the program "Worship Service of Setting Apart Five servants" Namely, Dr. Perry Bassett, Ed Burr, Larry Norris, Lem Russell, Greg Wright."

We hope that we an all of County residents and others who have loved ones at Stratford Cemetery will be on hand for the services at 9:30 Monday, May 28, 2001.

Congratulations to Sandy Newcomb and Randy and Patty Melton on the upcoming marriage of their children Jennifer & Justin.

We hope Basil Naugle and Florence Warren and Maurine Henderson an all of our friends at Coldwater Manor enjoyed hearing the group of youngsters from the Griggs Community sing, there was one great grandchild for Florence & Maurine who sang with the group and it is Basil's birthday Happy Birthday Basil.

On Saturday evening we went to Coldwater Manor to see our friends, to assure those who were concerned about us that all is well.

Since being out of touch for three days we will ask our peers to keep there shoulder pats and luv u's going for luv still makes the world go round.

## Kerrick News

By Marylou McDaniel

Several Kerrickites attended the Methodist Church children's program Sunday to watch their "pride & joys". The musical program was "You've Gotta Be Joshin Us". Shannon Taliaferro directed the 20 youth through sixth grade.

Reed & Rett Schoonover relatives from Kerrick were parents Brady & Trisha, grandparents Terry & Barbara. Marylou McDaniel was there for granddaughter Merilee. Also present were Nita Taylor and Buck Weaver.

Bill & Pat Boren stopped off in Hereford Saturday for a bowling tournament. They were returning home from Ropesville where they watched grandson Kevin Carlisle play T-ball and graduate from Preschool.

Kenna & Heath Collom had a cookout Sunday night for family some friends.

Ted & Joyce Irbeck attended a retirement party for his sister Marjorie Hollabough in Amarillo. It was held at Crockett Middle School Friday where she had been a coach. Several of Ted's family were there also.

## Sherman Co. Child Welfare Board

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## Need A Mini-Vacation Sightseeing Trip?

How about a mini-vacation sightseeing trip to southern Colorado? On June 15 & 16 plans are being made to go to Doris Dyess' Colorado Ranch located near Trinidad and to see other interesting places also. Both men and women are invited.

Deadline for registration is June 1 with Sherman County Extension Office at 366-2122 or Jean Everett at 966-5346. Twelve members and/or guest are required for the trip to be made.

This itinerary is planned: Friday, June 15. 8:00 a.m. Meet at Extension Office to travel

10:00 a.m. Stop at Folsom, NM for tour of Terry Schoonover home and a museum in that village. bring a sack lunch. Drinks will be provided.

1:00 p.m. Travel to Raton, NM for a historical tour of Raton.

6:00 p.m. Arrive in Trinidad. Check into Holiday Inn located near Trinidad Lake. Telephone 719-846-4491. Room rate is \$78.00 per room plus tax. One to four people may sleep per room at this rate. Hotel has pool, hot tub, TW, game room, and children's activity area.

Evening Dinner at one of Trinidad's restaurants.

Saturday June 16 Breakfast on your own. 8:00 a.m. Check out of Hotel and travel to Doris' Ranch where Ernie and Natacha Dyess will be hosts. Mid morning snacks will be provided. 12 noon arrive in Trinidad for lunch on your own.

Return home.

## Adams Wins Cactus Feeders Scholarship

Amarillo-The Board of Directors of Cactus Feeders, with corporate offices located in Amarillo has an established Endowment Fund that enables Cactus Feeders to award college scholarships to employees or their family members. Cactus Feeders is an ESOP (or employee owned) corporation that employs approximately 500 employees in the Texas panhandle and in Kansas.

The Endowment Fund-supervised by a Stewardship Committee-was authorized in November 1997 and has generated several scholarship applications throughout the company from employees or their children. Cactus Feeders is now in their 26th year of operations.

For the Fall semester of 2001 through Spring 2002, Cactus Feeders has awarded a total of 21 scholarships totaling \$20,100. One of the outstanding recipients for the 2001 Fall Semester is Lori A. Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Adams of Stratford. Lori currently attends University of Dallas a Sophomore and future or continued plans include pursuing a degree in Biology/Pre-physical Therapy.

Cactus Feeders is proud of their efforts to maintain the education of their employees and encourage their youth to continue education in pursuit of outstanding futures. Congratulations to Lori.

## Riffe & Judd Recognized

Mary Riffe and Arthur Judd were recognized as 50 year members of the Order of the Eastern Star on May 17. They were members of Stratford Chapter 960 and are now members of Dalhart Chapter 1051.

Certificates signed by the current Worthy Grand Matron Naomi Wolfe and Worthy Grand Patron Buddy Baker were presented by Dalhart Worthy Matron Sheree Montgomery and Worthy Patron Buddy Sultemeier.

50 Year pins were given them. Marylou McDaniel had the pleasure of doing the pinning. Also attending the meeting were Helen Judd and Gladys Arnold.

## TORTELLINI CARBONARA

4 servings

- 1 package (15 oz.) cheese tortellini
- 1 package (10 oz.) broccoli florets, partially thawed
- 1/2 cup diced drained roasted red peppers
- 1 jar (17 oz.) Ragù Cheese Creations! Roasted Garlic Parmesan Pasta Sauce
- 4 ounces bacon, crisp-cooked and crumbled

In 3-qt. saucepan, cook tortellini according to package directions, adding broccoli during last 2 minutes of cooking; drain. Return pasta mixture to saucepan. Stir in roasted red peppers and Ragù Cheese Creations! Pasta Sauce. Turn onto serving platter and top with bacon. Garnish, if desired, with grated Parmesan cheese.

For hundreds of delicious recipes, visit Ragù's Mama's Cucina Web site at [www.eat.com](http://www.eat.com).

## County Treasures Discovered

One of Barbara Haile's 7th grade English classes had the opportunity to go the Depot museum and write newspaper articles for some of the exhibits that are on display. Here is what the students have discovered

### The Heating Iron

By Yadira Ortega

The Heating iron for curling hair belonged to Tim Flores, the mother of Wendell Flores. It was given to the museum by Wendell Flores. The curling iron looks like a pair of needle nose pliers. Curling your hair was achieved by placing the metal part of the iron into the chimney of an oil lamp. Once the metal ends were heated, the two wooden handles could be safely grabbed to curl your hair. There also were leather curlers that were handmade. After washing your hair, when it was damp, you rolled your hair in the curlers. They also used cloth for these curlers, so it was comfortable to sleep in. Years later they invented the electric curling irons that we use today. Thank heavens for technological advancements. Come visit the museum today!

### The Pulpit

By Walter Spurlock

The pulpit in the Depot Museum was made by D.D. Spurlock. D.D. wasn't a very tall man, so the pulpit isn't as big as you might think it should be. D.D. was one of the founders of the First United Methodist Church here in Stratford. He also founded the Spurlock Chapel located on FM 1573, 10 miles east of Highway 287. D.D. also was one of the four people who moved the records from Coldwater to Stratford in the middle of the night on May 6, 1901.

## MEXICAN PILE-ON DINNER

FUND-RAISER TO HELP DEFRAY COSTS FOR Corey, Sid, and Gilbert's Trip To 2001 Down Under Bowl in Australia.

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Since the day that our country was "Born"

In the "Sky" on "Land" or in "Water"  
My "Colors" shall fly "Brave" and "True"  
and I will suppress all "Aggressors"  
For I am the "Red", "White" and "Blue"

In my country there's been many "Changes"  
Still it's the best and I don't mean to "Rag"  
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## First United Methodist

Rev. Mark Metzger  
520 N. Main  
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Morning Worship 10:50 am  
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Mike Talley  
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Sunday School 9:30 am  
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Wednesday Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wed. Service - 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
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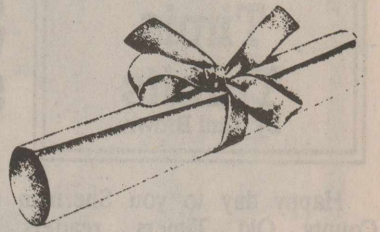
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# Class of 2001



**Kara Brownlee**  
Valedictorian

Kara Brownlee is the 18 yr. old daughter of Mike & Brenda Brownlee. Her motto is "Life is short, and it is up to you to make it sweet. - Sadie Delany." She plans to attend Texas Tech University.



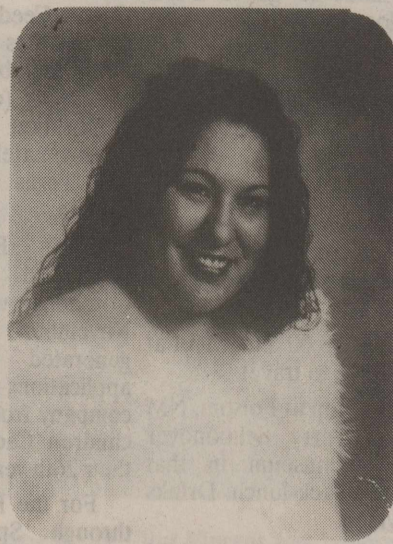
**Janet Witcher**  
Salutatorian

Janet Witcher is the 17 yr. old daughter of Jeff & Anna Witcher. Her motto "That which we persist in doing becomes easier for us to do, not because the nature of the thing has changed, but our ability to do it has increased." She plans to attend BYU.



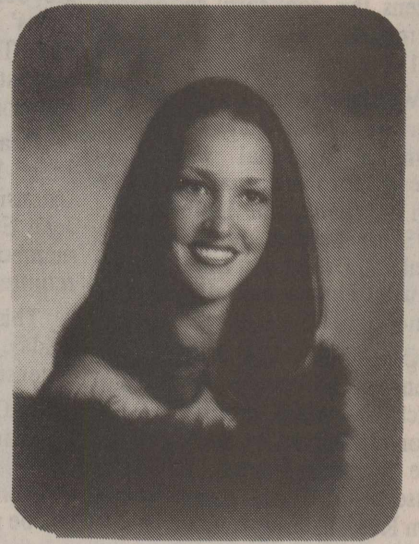
**Elena Jean Aguilar**

Elena Jean Aguilar is the 17 yr. old daughter of Ramiro and Angie Aguilar. Her motto is "There's so much bad in the best of us and so much good in the worst of us that it doesn't behoove any of us to talk about the rest of us." She plans to attend Garden City Community College.



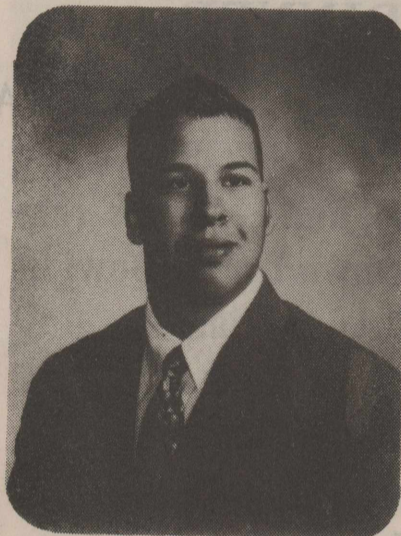
**Brenda Aguilera**

Brenda Aguilera is the 19 yr. old daughter of Humberto & Elodia Aguilera. Her motto is "Be more concerned with what God thinks about you than what people think about you. She plans to go to college in Amarillo and to study Cosmetology.



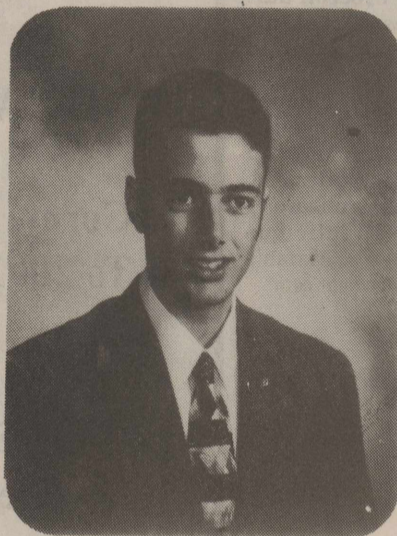
**Jessica King Audrain**

Jessica King Audrain is the 17 yr. old daughter of Keith and Tami King and is married to Pistol Audrain. Her motto is "I've learned...That if someone says something unkind about me, I must live so that no one will believe it." She plans to attend college at Amarillo College or West Texas A&M and major in elementary education.



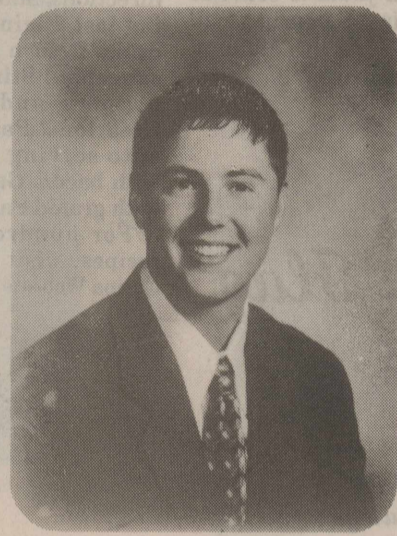
**Manuel E. Barraza, Jr.**

Manuel E. Barraza, Jr. is the 17 yr. old son of Manuel and Karen Barraza and Lisa Carr. His motto is "The things I never said are waiting somewhere like the things I wanted to do and never did." He plans to join the Navy.



**Beau Brian Brown**

Beau Brian Brown is the 17 yr. old son of David and Janice Brown. His motto is "Don't let the past hold you back, you're missing the good stuff." He plans to attend WYAMU for 4 years.



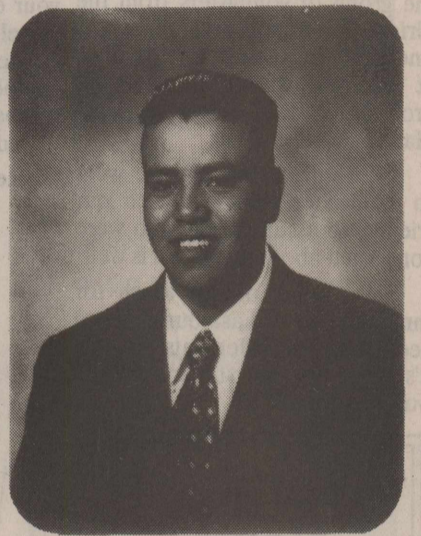
**Johnny Cavitt**

Johnny Cavitt is the 18 yr. old son of Mark & Renee Cavitt. His motto is "Reach out and soar beyond your wildest expectations." He plans to attend Amarillo College.



**Miriam R. Garcia**

Miriam R. Garcia is the 17 yr. old daughter of Arcelia Garcia and Miguel Garcia. Her motto is "If you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything." She plans to work in the summer and then attend college.



**Saul Guerra**

Saul Guerra is the 17 yr. old son of Rodolfo and Lorena Guerra. His motto is "To handle yourself, use your head, to handle others, use your heart." He plans to attend Wyoming Tech.



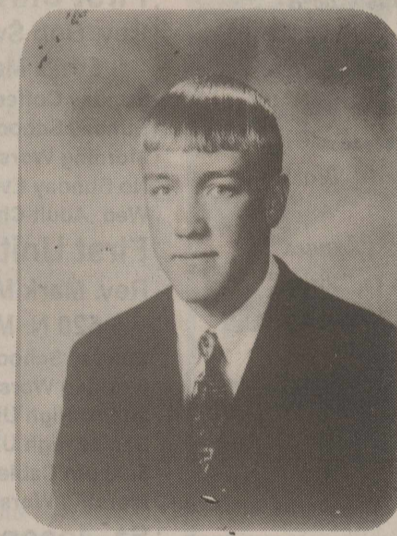
**Gilbert Gutierrez, Jr.**

Gilbert Gutierrez, Jr. is the 18 yr. old son of Gilbert and Candy Gutierrez. His motto is "Happiness is best attained by learning to live each day by itself. The worries are mostly about yesterday and tomorrow." He plans to attend college at South Plains.



**Ivonne Hernandez**

Ivonne Hernandez is the 19 yr. old daughter of Jesse and Catalina Resendes. Her motto is "Character cannot be developed in ease and quiet. Only through experiences of trial and suffering can the soul be strengthened, vision cleared, ambition inspired and success achieved. - Helen Keller." She plans to attend West Texas A&M and study elementary education.



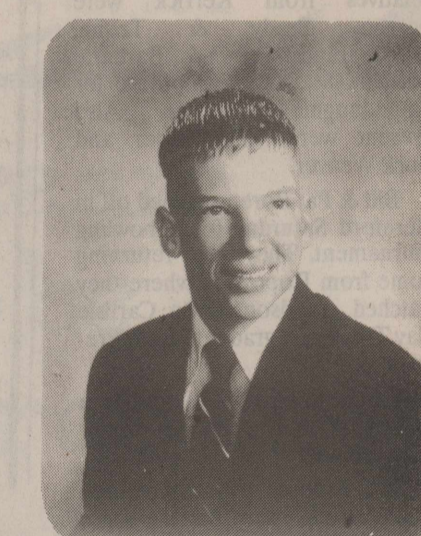
**Will Homfeld**

Will Homfeld is the 17 yr. old son of Charles & Terri Kelling of Stratford and Lloyd and Sandy Homfeld of Dalhart. His motto is "When there's a will, there's a way." He plans to attend Wyoming Tech.



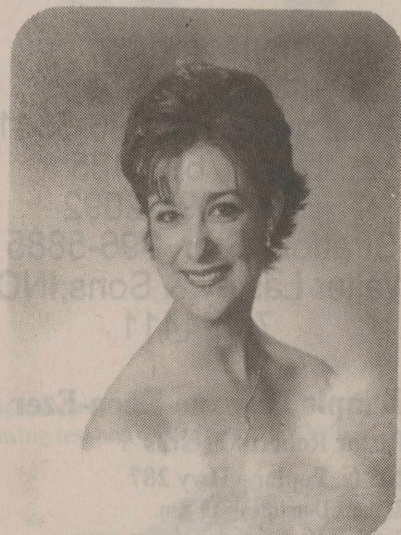
**Thea Dawn James**

Thea Dawn James is the 17 yr. old daughter of Ben-Tom and Gayla James. Her motto is "Whether you think you can or can't you're right. Failure isn't falling down, it's staying down." She plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in exercise and sports sciences or business.



**Johnny Larence**

Johnny Larence is the 18 yr. old son of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Larence. His motto is "It's not the absence or the presence of problems that determines our peace of mind; it's the absence or the presence of God." He plans to attend Wyoming Technical Institute and major in automobile collision and refinishing.



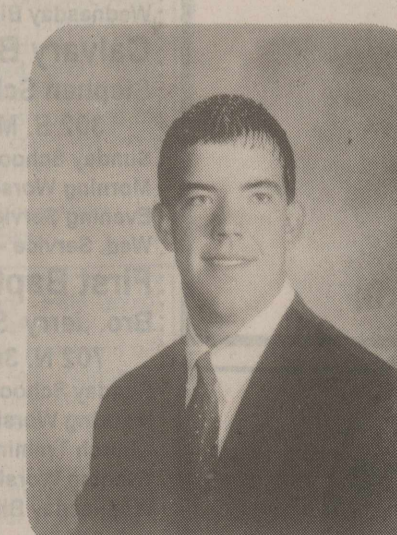
**Lindsey Marshall**

Lindsey Marshall is the 18 yr. old daughter of Mark and Joyce Marshall. Her motto is "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Phil. 4:13. She plans to get married and work as a Dispatcher/Jailer.



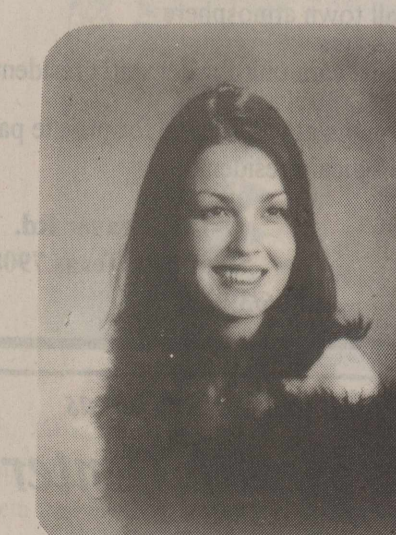
**Shelli Ann McCarver**

Shelli Ann McCarver is the 18 yr. old daughter of Sharon McCarver. Her motto is "It has been said that to know the mystery of life we must turn our face toward the sun, for only when we look upward can we begin to understand. - Flavia." She plans to attend Garden City Community College and will be working for Dr. Jeffery Stausch.



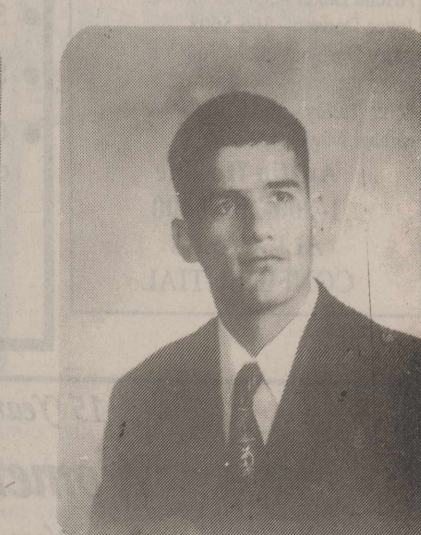
**Corey Darren Naugle**

Corey Darren Naugle is the 18 yr. old son of Howard and Valerie Naugle. His motto is "Well done is better than well said." He plans to attend Texas Tech University and pursue a dual degree in electrical engineering and computer science.



**Christina Renee Navarrete**

Christina Renee Navarrete is the 17 yr. old daughter of Eddie and Janie Navarrete. Her motto is "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. - Jeremiah 29:11." She plans to attend Amarillo College and enter the Radiography program. She will specialize in a radiography field after college.



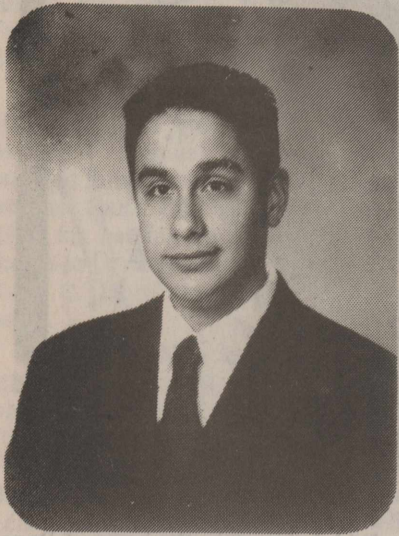
**Carlos Ivan Ortega**

Carlos Ivan Ortega is the 18 yr. old son of Efrain and Elizabeth Ortega. His motto is "Don't compromise yourself. You are all you've got." He plans to work at Stratford Feedyard for the summer and attend Panhandle State University in the Fall.



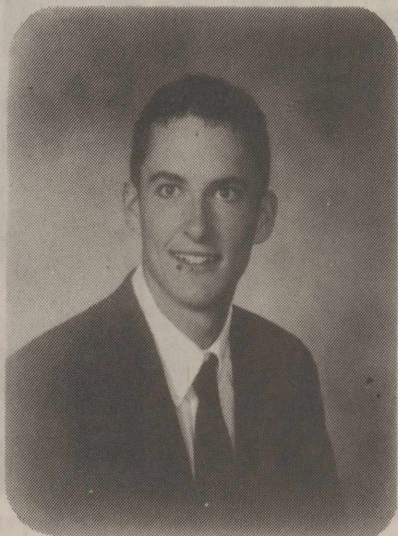


# Class of 2001



**Edgar Ortega**

Edgar Ortega is the 18 yr. old son of Manuel and Olga Ortega. His motto is "The present time has one advantage over every other - it is our own." - Charles Caleb Colton. He plans to attend Texas Tech University and pursue a degree in Civil Engineering.



**McLain Pool**

McLain Pool is the 18 yr. old son of Gary and Mary Pool. His motto is "Talk low, talk slow, and don't say too much - John Wayne." He plans to attend Texas A&M and major in engineering.



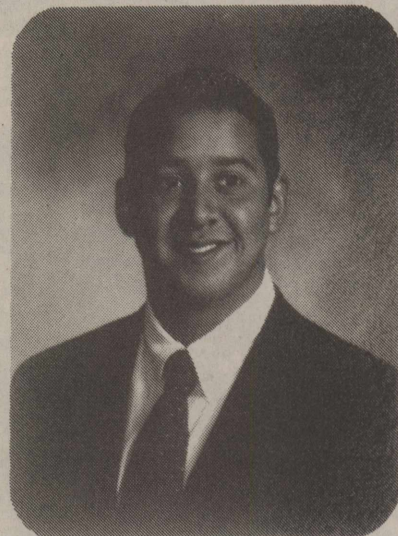
**Tatum Teneke Reagan**

Tatum Teneke Reagan is the 18 yr. old daughter of Dale and Leslie Reagan. Her motto is "Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart." She plans to attend Amarillo College and study Physical Therapy.



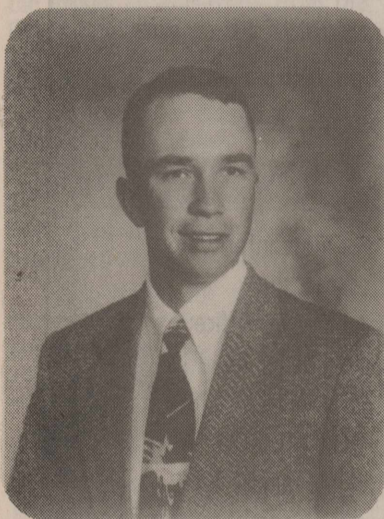
**Stephanie Reinart**

Stephanie Reinart is the 18 yr. old daughter of Joe & Janet Reinart. Her motto is "Far away there in the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them, but I can look up and see their beauty, believe in them, and try to follow them." She plans to attend Westwood College of Technology and major in Visual Communications.



**Sid Resendes**

Sid Resendes is the 18 yr. old son of Raul Jesse and Elida Resendes. His motto is "Failing is not in failing, but in failing to get back up." He plans to attend Baylor University where he will play football and pursue a degree in either law or sports medicine.



**Jarret Russel Ricketson**

Jarret Russel Ricketson is the 18 yr. old son of Allan and Cheryl Ricketson. His motto is "Even if you're on the right track, you'll still get run over if you just sit there." - Will Rogers. He plans to attend West Texas A&M and major in Equine Industry & Business.



**Martha Angelica Rosales**

Martha Angelica Rosales is the 18 yr. old daughter of Martina and Sergio Rosales. Her motto is "I think somehow we learn who we really are and then live with that decision." She plans to attend Nursing School.



**Bertha A. Saldívar**

Bertha A. Saldívar is the 18 yr. old daughter of Maria Saldívar and Salvador Saldívar. Her motto is "The secret of contentment is the realization that life is a gift not a right." She plans to work in the summer and then attend college.



**Lindsay Rena Sims**

Lindsay Rena Sims is the 18 yr. old daughter of Larry and Gale Sims. Her motto is "You gain strength, experience, and confidence by every experience where you really stop to look fear in the face...You must do the thing you cannot do." She plans to attend Amarillo College and study in Dental Hygiene.



**Amanda Smith**

Amanda Smith is the 19 yr. old daughter of Jess Smith and Barbara Smith. Her motto is "Every new day is the best day of the rest of your life." Her plans after graduation are undecided.



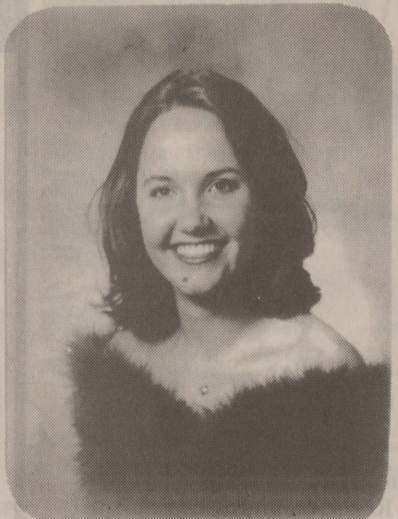
**Claudia Zulema Torres**

Claudia Zulema Torres is the 18 yr. old daughter of Servando and Dolores Torres. Her motto is "My job is to take care of the possible and trust God with the impossible." - Psalm 9:10. She plans to work in the summer and attend Amarillo College for two years then transfer to WI to become a Bi-lingual teacher.



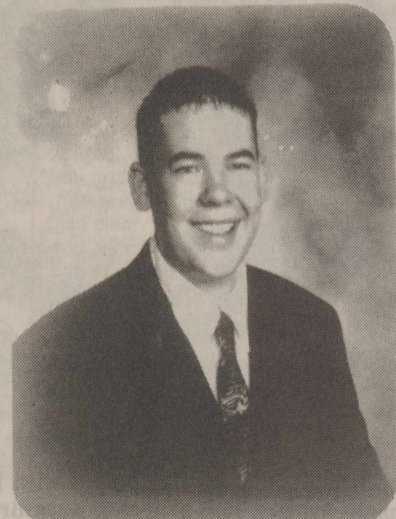
**Rene Vital**

Rene Vital is the 18 yr. old son of Elvira Peña. His motto is "Your thoughts determine your actions, your actions determine your habits, your habits determine your character and your character gives birth to your destiny." He plans to attend college.



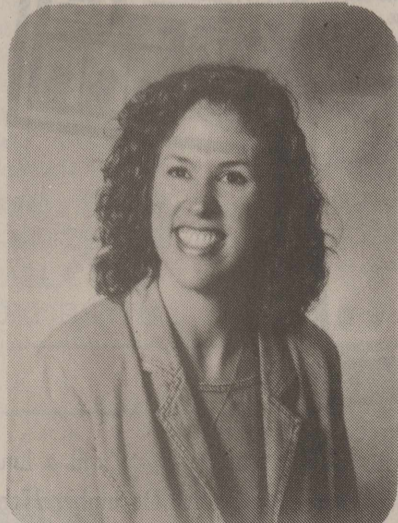
**April Star Whatley**

April Star Whatley is the 18 yr. old daughter of Keith and Gena Ray Whatley. Her motto is "I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something; and because I cannot do everything, I will not refuse to do the something that I can do." - Edward Everett Hale. She plans to attend college and travel.

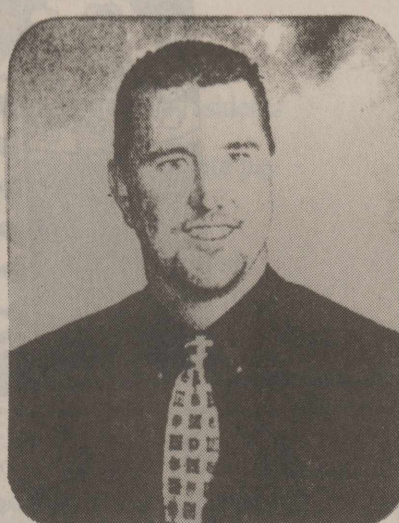


**W. Justin Wright**

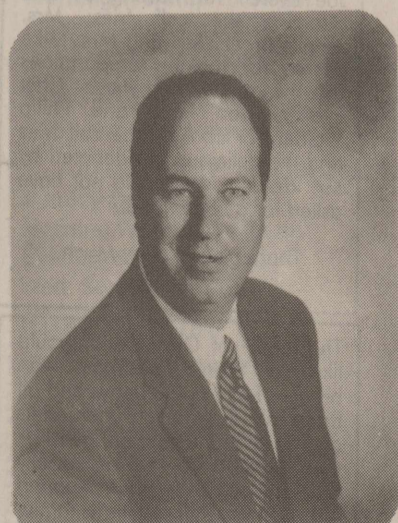
W. Justin Wright is the 18 yr. old son of W. Mark and LaRenda Wright. Her motto is "Mistakes are part of the dues one pays for a full life." He plans to attend Amarillo College.



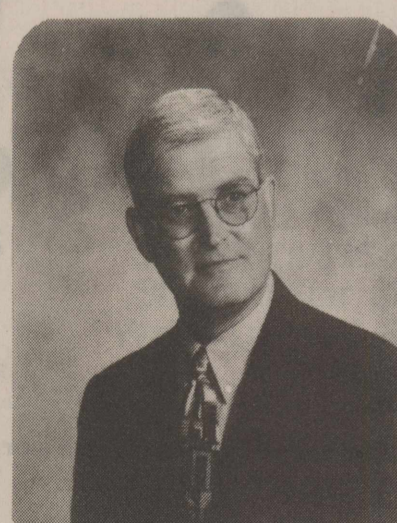
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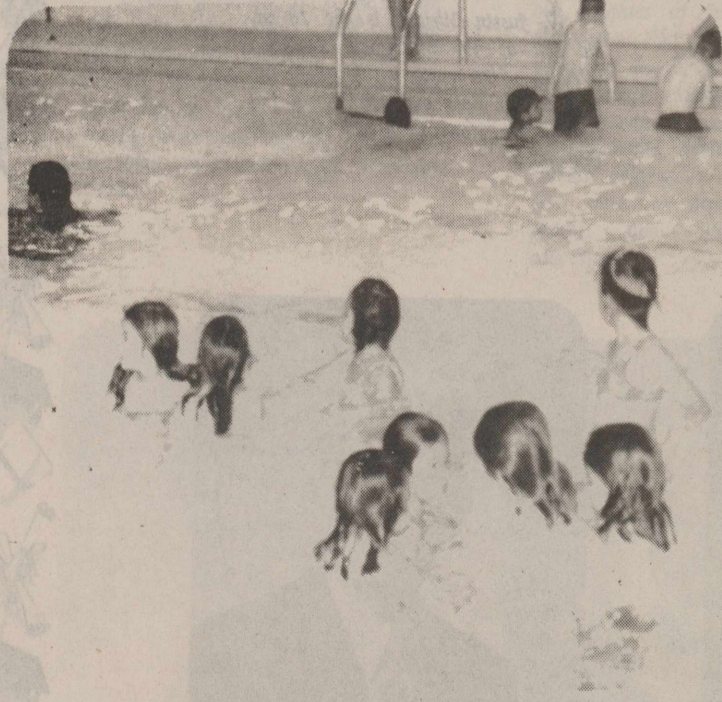
Jonna Sougstad bride elect of Jay Cloyd was honored with a bridal shower Saturday, May 19th in the home of Doris Parsons. Shown above left to right Linda Cloyd-Canadian, Gaye Sougstad-The Woodlands, McCall Sougstad-Amarillo and Jonna from Austin, Mildred Sougstad and Jeannie Snyder both of Amarillo.



Jessica Nash and son Eric Christopher Nash were honored with a Baby shower Sunday, May 20 at the First Christian Church. Shown above left to right is Susie Harlow, Patti Tims, Jessica and Eric and Martha Lathem.



Shown above High School students that helped with Kindergarten swimming lessons last week were from left, Stephanie Reinart, Lori Wilhelm, Kara Brownlee, Sid Resendes, Marca Ewers, April Whatley, Trisha Teig. Not pictured Adam Reed, Sarah Talley, and Edgar Ortega. Also helping Ronda Mathews with the lessons were Gaynelle Riffe and Sylvia Busch.



Shown above, Kindergarten students enjoying their last day of swimming lessons on Friday, May 18th.

### Cards of Thanks

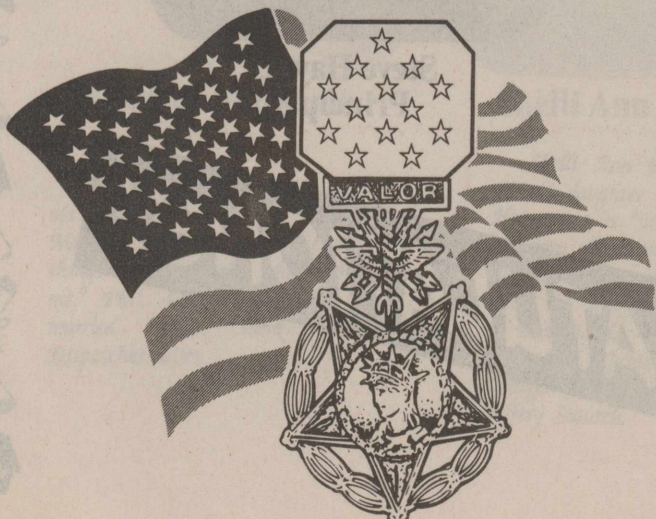
On behalf of the 2000 Class A State Champion Stratford Elk Football Team, we wish to express our appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett for hosting us and donating the calf fries; Mrs. Jenelle Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Everett for making preparations for the meal; and Mr.'s Chet Everett, Don Reed and Philip Walden for cooking the calf fries and the delicious fish donated by Mr. Walden. We could not have asked for a better meal.

Thank You All Very Much,  
The Elks


The family of Gary Dettle would like to thank everyone who brought food to the home and all those friends who sent memorials and flowers and cards and visited the family. We are especially thankful for all the prayer support given at this difficult time in our lives. A special thanks to the Stratford EMTs for their quick

We want to thank each one of the cards, calls, flowers and kindness shown to us during the loss of Rex's mother. It's great to have friends like you

Love Rex & Bernice




Ann Wells, bride-elect of Clint Vincent was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Dana Buckles on Saturday, May 19, 2001. Shown from left, Amie Davis of Amarillo, TX, Daina Starnes, Patti Vincent, both of Stratford, Ann Wells, and Marsha Wells of Canyon Lake, Texas.



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There will be an information session at the J.W. Marriott (5150 Westheimer, Houston) Thursday, May 31st at 7:00PM. Come and learn about curriculum, campus life and admissions for the upcoming Fall 2001 enrollment. **PUBLIC INVITED**

END OF GAME NOTICE

## These three are about to be scratched for good.



On June 30th, 2001, three Texas Lottery instant games will close – 9's in a Line (#213), Fiesta (#130), and Texas Poker Party (#65). You have until December 27th, 2001, to redeem any winning tickets for this game. You can win up to \$900 playing 9's in a Line, up to \$30,000 playing Texas Poker Party. You can claim Lottery retailer. Prizes of \$600 or 22 Texas Lottery claim centers or Lottery Customer Service Line at

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SHS Varsity Cheerleaders for 2001-2002 School Year - Standing from left: Mika Willborn, Sr., Erin Ashley, So., Carly Mathews - Head Cheerleader, Sr., Kneeling - Marca Ewers - Mascot, Sr., and sitting from left, Sarah Talley, Sr., and Valerie Valenzuela, Sr. Their sponsor is Judy Stoy.



SHS J.V. Cheerleaders for 2001-2002 School Year from left: Brittany Hudson, Fr., Lindsay Stein, Fr., Jamie Valenzuela, Fr., Heather Seiler, So., and RoAnn Lopez, So. Jennifer Price is their sponsor.



The Big Blue Band including the 8th grade held a band concert for the public last Thursday evening, May 17th. It was very enjoyable!!



Local artist Millie Hacker has taught an art seminar this spring semester to the 2nd-3rd grade GT class. The class has studied the lives and artwork of van Gogh, Monet, Picasso, Mondrian, Matisse, Rembrandt, da Vinci and O'Keeffe.

We have had lessons on: primary, secondary and analogous colors; line drawings, contour drawing, overlapping, still life drawings, profiles, portraits, full figures, landscapes, paper cutting, designs, and Rorschach ink blots.

Students have had an opportunity to work in several medium including: watercolors, watercolor pencils, pastels, oil pastels, markers, pencils, charcoal, ink and encaustics, as well as to make multimedia projects.

This seminar was a follow-up to our fall trip to the Amarillo Museum of Art where we began line drawing and blending colors, as well as studying artworks displayed there.

Along with our enjoyment of the process of art, we have incorporated observation skills, biographies of the artists, art history, and a great deal of application of math principles.

Come see our art gallery in the GT classroom.

Shown above holding their favorite projects are: Megan Crabtree, Kyle Horsford, Millie Hacker, Kathie Altman, Lyndsi Thiessen, Channing Ziemann.

### El Paso Pharmacy Manager Recognized

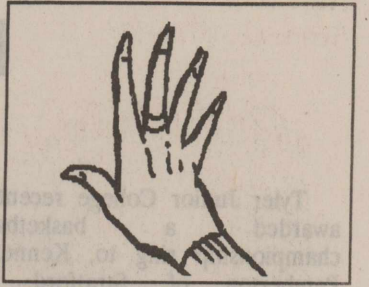
El Paso Pharmacist, Joe Brown has been named "Wal-Mart Community Service Pharmacist of the Year" for Wal-Mart's Region 15.

Wal-Mart Region 15 includes all Sam's and Wal-Mart stores in Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Western Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas west of San Antonio.

Pharmacist, Joe Brown, manager of Sam's Club Pharmacy

#8153, and President of the El Paso Pharmacy Association, has been recognized with this award by the Wal-Mart Organization.

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## Tyler Junior College Honors Local Basketball Legend

Tyler Junior College recently awarded a basketball championship ring to, Kenneth Pemberton of, Stratford, a member of the 1949 Junior College National Championship basketball team. The 1949 Tyler Junior College Apache team was the first Texas team to win a national basketball title.

All 13 members of the 1949 championship team, and all 12 surviving members of the 1951 national championship team participated in a ring presentation ceremony and unveiled a championship banner at the Floyd Wagstaff Gymnasium named in honor of the late coach of both teams.

Mr. Pemberton, a farmer, transferred from Tyler Junior College to Texas Tech University where he received a B.S. degree with a major in secondary education. He served with the U.S. Department of the Army during the Korean War.

"It's a little late, but we are delighted to honor these two great teams," Dr. William R. Crowe, Tyler Junior College president



**Kenneth Pemberton receives 1949 Junior College National Basketball Championship ring from Tyler Junior College Trustee Peggy Wagstaff Smith.**

said. "We were creating the ring design for the 2000 C Apache Ladies national championship team, and I asked a member of the '49 team if I could see his ring. When I learned they received jackets and a copy of a Texas House of Representatives

resolution, we began plans to present them with rings."

Team members were also presented framed team photographs and honored at a luncheon, reunion and an evening reception with college and community leaders.

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agents are asking producers to join them at two different farmsteads to see how over 30 wheat varieties are faring at each location.

Because plants respond to their surroundings in different ways, Bean said eight variety trials were planted on farms across the Panhandle to show results in a range of cultural and environmental conditions.

"We have included the recently released A&M varieties, TAM 400 and Lockett, along with new ones from AgriPro-Dumas, Cutter and Thunderbolt, said Dr. Mark Lazar, Experiment Station wheat breeder. Lazar and Bean, joined by AgriPro Seed technical representative, David Graf, will be ready to answer grower questions.

With insect problems starting to surface, especially armyworms in the northern and southern Rolling Plains region, Drs. Carl Patrick, Extension entomologist from Amarillo and Robert Bowling, IPM agent in Moore and Sherman Counties, will discuss control strategies.

"This week, adults have been sighted in the Panhandle," Patrick said. Young, less mature wheat here is very susceptible to damage.

Two CEUs will be offered to pesticide applicators attending educational presentations at either farm.

The first tour stop at 10 a.m. will be dryland wheat trial at Joe Cox farm between Dumas and Stinnett, near Moore/Hutchinson county line. From HWY 152, turn north onto FM 1060 and travel about 3 miles to the test site on the east side of the road.

The irrigated tests can be seen at 1:30 p.m. at the final stop located on the Wesley Spurlock farm in Sherman County. To get there, drive north of Cactus 5 miles and turn east at FM 1573 and drive 7 mi. to the Spurlock chapel. Travel another 1/4 mi past the chapel and turn north into the grower's field. Drive to the north side of the crop circle.

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This AAU girls basketball team shown above placed 3rd at the Spring Classic held in Amarillo recently. In front (l-r) Chelsi Thiessen, Krista Reta, Lacy Fitzgerald from Gruver, Merilee McDaniel and Candie Bell. In back (l-r) Katelyn Reed, Yadira Ortega, Lauren Bergin from Gruver, and Shadley Hawkins. These young ladies are coached by ViAnn Reed and Kathy Riffe.



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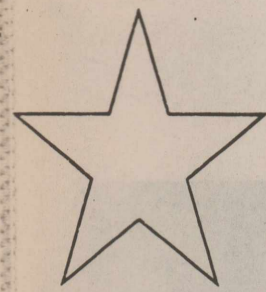
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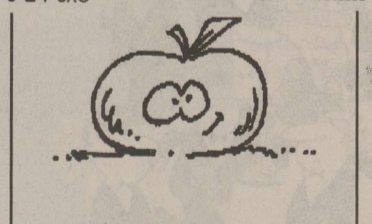
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Notice to All persons having claims against the Estate of Decedent, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of GARY NEFF DETTLE were issued on May 16, 2001, in Cause No. 2025, in the County Court of SHERMAN County, Texas to LOUISE DETTLE.

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DATED this 16 day of May, 2001.

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Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, May 24, 2001, Thursday, May 31, 2001.

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W.C. Fesler, County Judge  
Sherman County, Texas

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## The State Of Texas

To: Lavahue Willman Johnson, Floyd H. Willman, Gladys Willman Stephens, and Tessie Willman Darnell and to whom it may concern,

Respondent (s)  
GREETINGS:

**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court 69th Judicial District, Sherman County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Stratford, Texas at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Alma Lee McMahan, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 17th day of May, against J.A. Whittenburg, Trustee of the Trust created in the Will of Jeanie P. Whittenburg, W.L. Price, Patricia Rice Roberson Investments, LTD., Robert Nolan Coyle, Richard Price Coyle, William Sean Coyle, Lavahue Willman Johnson, the Unknown Heirs of Lavahue Willman Johnson, Floyd H. Willman, the Unknown Heirs of Floyd H. Willman, Gladys Willman Stephens, the Unknown Heirs of Gladys Willman Stephens, Tessie Willman Darnell, and the Unknown Heirs of Tessie Willman Darnell, Respondent (s) and the said suit being number 4409 on the docket of said Court, and the nature of which suit is a request to\*

Plaintiff and Defendants are co-owners of lot 17 and the west 5 feet of lot 18, block 64, Original Town of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas. Plaintiff nature in the above described tract consist of an undivided one-half interest held in fee simple. Defendants nature in the above described tract consist of the following:

Name: Lavahue Willman Johnson Interest 2% Floyd H. Willman 2% The Unknown Heirs of Floyd H. Willman 2% Gladys Willman Stephens 2%, The Unknown Heirs of Gladys Willman Stephens 2%, Tessie Willman Darnell 2%, The Unknown Heirs of Tessie Willman Darnell 2%.

The court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court at Stratford, Texas, this the 21 day of May a.d. 2001.

M.L. Albert, Clerk of the 69th District Court, Sherman County, Texas.

Delivered this 21 day of May, 2001, Jack Haile, Sheriff of Sherman County.

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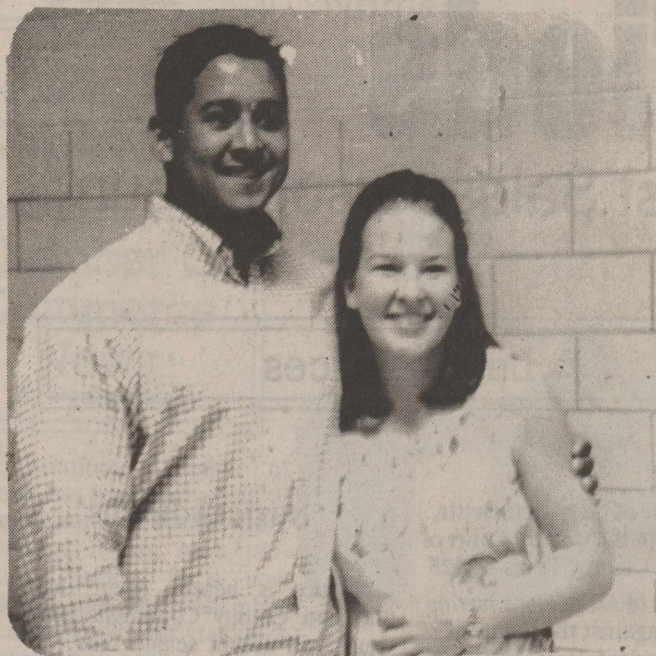
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# Stratford Elk Band Banquet

## May 10, 2001



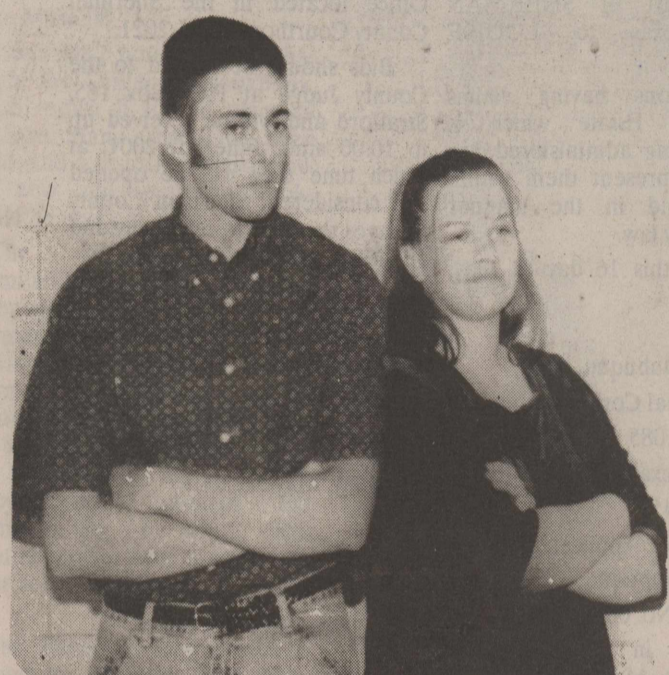
**Outstanding Leadership Award**  
Sid Resendes  
**Outstanding Freshman**  
Amber Larance



**V.O. Lasley Award**  
Johnny Larance & Stephanie Reinart  
shown with Joyce Ann Lasley



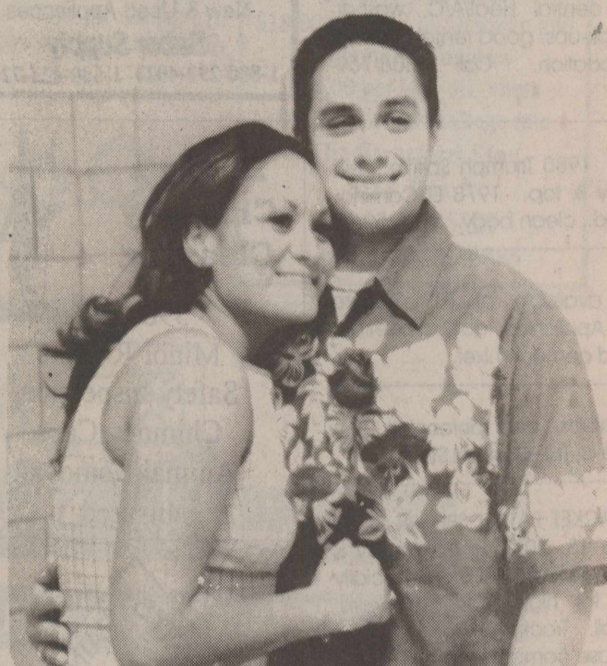
**Best Cook & Bun Dresser**  
Wesley Hunsaker &  
Lara Shafer



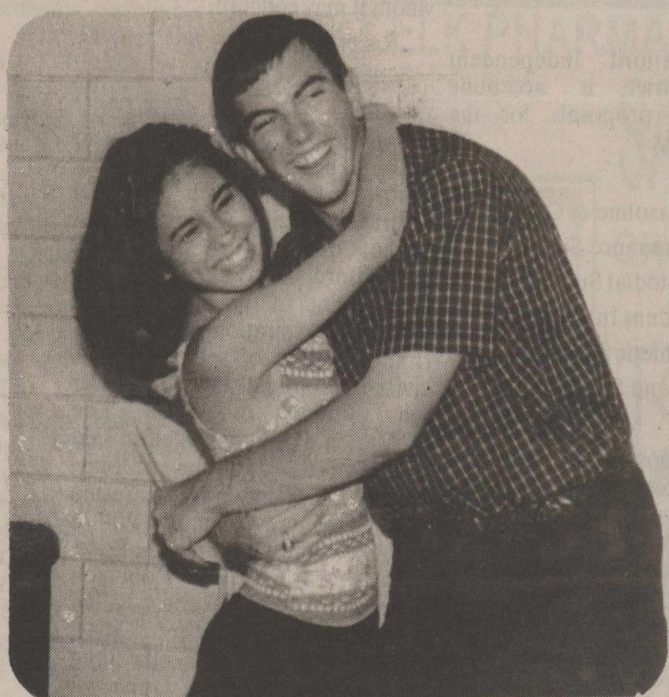
**Outstanding Boy & Girl Musician**  
Beau Brown & Janet Witcher



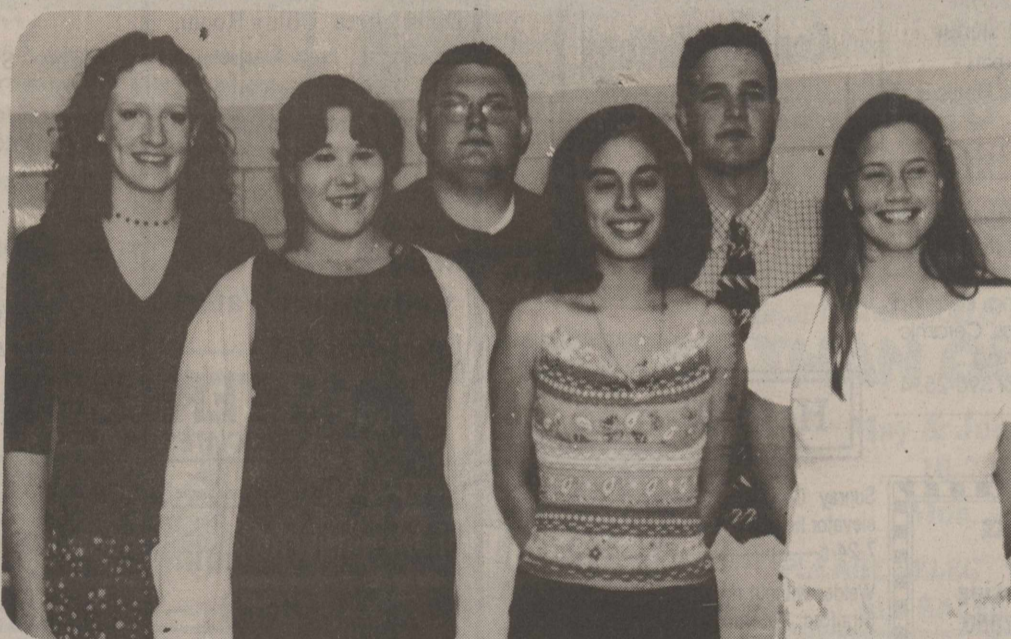
**Outstanding Section - French Horn**  
L-R: Heather Seiler, Lara Shafer, J.R. Tobias, Alisha Sladek,  
Trisha Teig, Eric York, Stephanie Reinart, and Erich Taylor.



**Band Beau & Sweetheart**  
Edgar Ortega & Ivonne Hernandez



**Biggest Goof-Off Girl & Boy**  
Valerie Valenzuela & Adam Reed



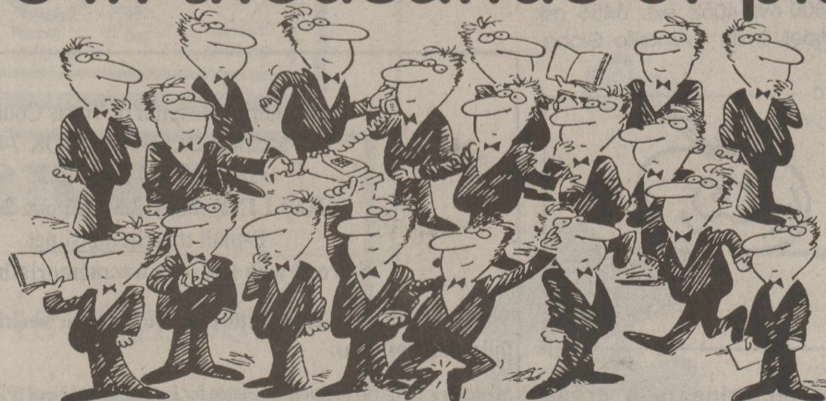
L-R: **Outstanding Marcher** - Stephanie Reinart, **Outstanding Mallots** -  
Alicia Renzelman, **Outstanding Percussion** - Josh Kautz,  
**Lifesaver Award** - Valerie Valenzuela, **Outstanding Brass** -  
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